

Sku1442 hero

Black Bean & Quinoa Taco Bowl

with Crispy Tortilla Strips



20-30min 2 Servings



Taco bowls are already the best, so how could we possibly improve them? Make them healthier, of course! This taco bowl is brimming with protein thanks to the tri-color quinoa that we used instead of rice. Creamy chorizo chili-spiced black beans are layered on top, along with marinated onion-tomato salad, crunchy romaine ribbons, tangy sour cream, fresh cilantro, and crispy tortilla strips. Cook...

What we send

- red quinoa
- lime
- · romaine heart
- fresh cilantro
- red onion
- plum tomatoes
- 6-inch white corn tortillas
- · chorizo chili spice blend
- black beans

What you need

- kosher salt & ground pepper
- · olive oil

Tools

- large skillet
- small saucepan

Read through the whole recipe before you start. Rinse and dry all produce before using. Weights may vary slightly.

For recipes containing garlic, you'll find one head of garlic in your box.

We recommend you use coarse kosher salt stored in a container that allows you to grab it with your fingertips, or scoop with measuring spoon.

Allergens

May contain traces of allergenic ingredients. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

Nutrition per serving

Calories 540.0kcal, Fat 24.0g, Proteins 16.0g, Carbs 67.2g



1. Cook quinoa

Preheat oven to 375°F with a rack in the center. Place **quinoa** in a small saucepan along with **% cup water** and **a pinch of salt**. Bring to a boil, then reduce heat to low, and cover. Cook until water is absorbed and quinoa is tender, about 15 minutes. Set aside, and cover to keep warm until ready to serve.



2. Prep ingredients

Pick **cilantro leaves** from stems; thinly slice **stems**. Halve **onion**, then peel and thinly slice ¼ cup, and finely chop the rest. Squeeze **1 tablespoon lime juice**. Cut **tomatoes** into ½-inch pieces. Halve **romaine** lengthwise; slice 1 half crosswise into thin ribbons, discarding end (save rest for own use).



3. Marinate tomato & onion

In a medium bowl, whisk together **lime** juice and **2 tablespoons oil**. Season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**. Stir in **sliced onions** and **chopped tomatoes**. Set aside to marinate.



4. Bake tortillas

Generously bush **tortillas** with **oil**, and season with **salt** and **pepper**. Cut into ¼-inch wide strips and place on a rimmed baking sheet. Bake on center oven rack, tossing halfway through, until golden brown and crisp, 8–10 minutes. Remove from oven and sprinkle with **salt**.



5. Cook beans

In a large skillet, heat 2 teaspoons oil over medium-high. Add chopped onion and cook until softened and golden brown, 3-5 minutes. Add cilantro stems and all of the chorizo chili spice, and cook, about 1 minute. Add beans and their liquid, and cook until thickened, about 5 minutes. Add half of the cilantro leaves and season to taste with salt and pepper.



6. Assemble & serve

In a small bowl, thin sour cream by adding 1 teaspoon of water at a time, to make a spoonable sauce. Toss romaine with marinated tomatoes and onions. Spoon quinoa into bowls. Top with black beans, romaine-onion-tomato salad, sour cream, tortilla strips, and cilantro leaves. Enjoy!