



Mexican Baked Rice Pilaf

with Roasted Sweet Potatoes





30-40min 4 Servings

This Mexican-spiced rice pilaf features the mild heat of poblano peppers. Served as a rice bowl, it's full of texture and flavor: caramelized sweet potatoes are toothsome on top, sliced radish adds crunch. Drizzled sour cream and whole cilantro leaves finish off the dish with a tangy brightness. You'll be fighting over who gets the leftovers for lunch the next day! Cook, relax, and enjoy!

What we send

- can black beans
- tampico de gallo spice blend
- tomato paste
- · poblano pepper
- · fresh cilantro
- sweet potato
- basmati rice
- radish

What you need

- coarse salt
- freshly ground pepper
- olive oil

Tools

rimmed baking sheet

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 500.0kcal, Fat 15.5g, Proteins 11.4g, Carbs 76.7g



1. Prep ingredients

Preheat oven to 425°F with racks in top and bottom thirds. Slice **sweet potatoes** into ½-inch thick rounds. Halve **poblano** lengthwise, then remove core, stem, and seeds, and coarsely chop. Pick **cilantro leaves** from stems, then finely chop **stems** (reserve **leaves** for step 6). Drain and rinse **beans**.



2. Roast sweet potatoes

Toss sweet potatoes with 2 tablespoons oil on a rimmed baking sheet and season with salt and pepper. Roast sweet potatoes on top rack until tender and golden brown, about 25 minutes.



3. Sauté poblanos

Meanwhile, heat **2 tablespoons oil** in a medium pot or Dutch oven over medium-high. Add **poblano** and **cilantro stems** and cook until just beginning to brown, about 2 minutes.



4. Build pilaf

Add **rice** and cook, stirring, until toasted, about 2 minutes. Stir in **Tampico de gallo spice blend** and **tomato paste**; cook until fragrant, about 1 minute.



5. Bake pilaf

Add black beans, 2½ cups water, and 1 teaspoon salt to pot and bring to a boil. Cover and transfer pot to oven. Bake on bottom rack until water is absorbed and rice is cooked through, 15-17 minutes.



6. Finish & serve

In a small bowl, combine **sour cream** with **3 tablespoons water**; season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**. Trim ends from **radish**, cut in half and thinly slice crosswise. Fluff **pilaf** with a fork and divide between plates. Top with **roasted sweet potato**, **sour cream**, **sliced radish**, and **cilantro leaves**. Enjoy!