

Black bean sausage rolls

Preparation time

15 minutes

Cooking time

20 minutes

Serves

16

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2x 400g cans black beans

4 sheets puff pastry or filo pastry (for low fat option)

2 tbsp tomato paste

1 tbsp extra virgin olive oil (EVOO)

1 medium carrot, grated

1 cup spinach, roughly chopped

2 tbsp mixed herbs

1 brown onion

2 garlic cloves

1 egg, whisked

Sesame seeds

- 1. Preheat the oven to 180 °C & remove pastry sheets from freezer to thaw
- 2. Drain and rinse black beans and add to food processor**, add herbs and blend until smooth
- 3. Grate the carrot (no need to peel the skin off) and roughly chop the spinach. Finely dice the onion and garlic
- 4. Heat a medium sized saucepan with EVOO, add the onion and garlic. Cook for \sim 5 minutes on medium heat until golden brown, stirring frequently to avoid burning
- 5. In a large bowl, add blended beans, chopped vegetables, cooked onion and garlic, tomato paste, and stir to combine
- 6. Flatten mixture in the bowl and divide into 4 sections
- 7. Prepare an oven tray with a wide piece of baking paper
- 8. Add one section of the mixture to a pastry sheet, one at a time in a long shape along the edges of the pastry sheet. Allow 1-2 cm at the close edge of the pastry sheet
- 9. Roll the mixture up the pastry sheet, brush the whisked egg at the end of the sheet to seal it up. Then brush along the top of the rolls with egg mix and sprinkle with sesame seeds
- 10. Bake in the oven for 15-20 minutes, until golden brown
- 11. Divide each roll into 4 individual pieces, makes 16 bite sized rolls

** If you don't have a food processor, you can use a potato masher or a fork to create a mashed consistency.

Nutritional information is provided per serve

Engery 722kj

Protein 5q

Saturated Fat 3q

Total Fat 7g

Carbohydrates 21q

Sugars 2g

Dietary Fibre 4g

Sodium 245mg