

# **Bean & Rice Burrito**

Serves: 8

Serving Size: 1 burrito

#### Ingredients:



2 cups brown rice

- 1 tablespoon dried onion flakes
- 1 (15 ounces) can kidney beans, rinsed, drained
- 8 whole wheat or flour tortillas (8-inches)

1/2 cup salsa

 $1/_2$  cup low-fat shredded cheddar cheese

**Optional:** You may use dried beans instead of canned by following the directions on the back side of this recipe card.

### **Directions**:

- 1. If using dried beans prepare the beans using the "Overnight Soak Method" attached. Otherwise, prepare using canned beans.
- 2. Cook rice as directed.
- 3. Mix rice, onion, and beans in a bowl.
- 4. Place <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup of bean and rice mixture into the middle of each

tortilla. Fold the sides to form burrito.

- 5. Place burrito in a skillet and heat over medium heat.
- 6. Add tablespoon of salsa and tablespoon of cheese to each burrito.
- 7. Serve while hot.



Nutrition	Facts
8 servings per container	
Serving size	1 burrito (161g)
Amount Per Serving	
Calories	280
	% Daily Value*
Total Fat 4.5g	6%
Saturated Fat 1g	5%
Trans Fat 0g	
Cholesterol Omg	0%
Sodium 390mg	17%
Total Carbohydrate 48g	17%
Dietary Fiber 6g	21%
Total Sugars 3g	
Includes 0g Added S	Sugars 0%
Protein 11g	22%
Vitamin D 0mcg	0%
Calcium 130mg	10%
Iron 1.8mg	10%
Potassium 0mg	0%
Vitamin C	2%

\* The % Daily Value (DV) tells you how much a nutrient in a serving of food contributes to a daily diet. 2,000 calories a day is used for general nutrition advice.

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## **Overnight Soak Method**

Note: Make sure you use a pot large, since beans expand to double or triple their size when soaked and cooked.

### **1** Cup Dry Beans Makes About **3** Cups Cooked Beans.

- 1. Place beans in a pot and cover with water at least 3 inches above the beans.
- 2. Soak overnight. Drain the soaked beans; rinse with clean water and drain again.
- 3. Put beans in pot (or keep in same one), add clean water (about 3 cups if you started with 1 cup of dry beans), bring to a boil, turn down to low, and cook slowly until tender about 2 hours.
- 4. You may need to add more water during cooking. The beans are now ready to use in recipes that call for cooked or canned beans.

Note: For recipes with a long cooking time, like soups or baked beans, you can use the drained beans once they have soaked overnight, then follow directions in the recipe.

Adapted from University of Connecticut Cooperative Extension and U.S. Dry Bean Council, https://eatusabeans.com/.