Easy macaroni goulash



Recipe credit

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About this recipe

Serves

6

Serving size

1/6 of prepared recipe

Time to make

10 minutes preparation; 35 minutes cook time

Special criteria

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Ingredients

- 1 pound lean ground beef
- 1 medium onion, sliced
- 1/2 cup green pepper, chopped
- 1 15-ounce can tomato sauce, no salt added
- 1 28-ounce can stewed tomatoes
- 2 cups whole grain or regular elbow macaroni
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 tablespoon paprika

Directions

- 1. In large frying pan or Dutch oven, brown ground beef. Drain excess fat and rinse meat under hot water.
- 2. Add onion and green pepper. Continue to fry until tender.
- 3. Add remaining ingredients. Cover, reduce heat, and simmer 15-20 minutes, until macaroni is tender.

Tips and variations

- Use lean ground turkey or chicken in place of ground beef.
- Blend the stewed tomatoes for a smoother sauce.
- Add additional vegetables (chopped kale, broccoli, zucchini, eggplant, carrots, etc.) to increase the nutritional value of this dish.

Nutritional info

Calories

360

Total fat

19 g

Saturated fat

7.3 g

Cholesterol

57 mg

Sodium

288 mg

Total carbohydrates

30 g

Dietary fiber

6 g

Total sugar

11 g

Allergens

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