Sesame noodles



Recipe credit

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About this recipe

Serves

6

Serving size

1/6 of prepared recipe

Time to make

20 minutes preparation; 20 minutes cook time (cooking spaghetti)

Special criteria

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Ingredients

- About 5 ounces dried spaghetti (3 cups cooked)
- 2 teaspoons warm water
- 3 tablespoons peanut butter
- 2 teaspoons sesame oil or vegetable oil
- 1 tablespoon soy sauce
- 1/2 teaspoon sugar
- Tabasco to taste
- 2 tomatoes, chopped
- 1/2 cup chopped scallions (green onions)
- 1 carrot, grated or julienned (cut in long strips)
- 1 1/2 cups broccoli florets, blanched
- Optional: 1 teaspoon sesame seeds
- Optional: 1 clove garlic, minced

Directions

- 1. If your spaghetti is not already cooked, cook according to package instructions.
- 2. In a large bowl, mix warm water with peanut butter until light and creamy.
- 3. Add sesame oil, soy sauce, sugar, and Tabasco. Blend.
- Add spaghetti, tomatoes, scallions, carrot, broccoli, and sesame seeds and garlic if using.
- 5. Toss to coat everything with the sauce and serve.

Tips and variations

- If desired, serve the noodles with chopped peanuts, chopped cilantro, and sliced limes.
- This dish tastes great warm or cold.
- To add more protein to this dish, top it with cooked, chopped chicken or turkey, chopped tofu, or chopped hard-boiled egg.
- You can use other noodles you might have on hand udon, rice, soba, etc.

Nutritional info

Calories

202

Total fat

6.5 g

Saturated fat

1.2 g

Cholesterol

0 mg

Sodium

229 mg

Total carbohydrates

29.6 g

Dietary fiber

4 g

Protein

7.8 g

Total sugar

3.8 g

Allergens

Peanuts

Soy

Wheat

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