

Benne Seed Soft Pretzels







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Ingredients

- 0.3 cup butter melted
- 2 teaspoons sea salt
- 1 pound bakery pizza dough fresh
- 2 tablespoons benne seeds (sesame)

Equipment

- bowl
- baking sheet

	sauce pan
	baking paper
	oven
	wire rack
	plastic wrap
Directions	
	Turn dough out onto a lightly floured surface, and knead until smooth (about 2 to 3 minutes).
	Place in a lightly greased bowl, turning to grease top. Cover dough with plastic wrap, and let rise in a warm place (85), free from drafts, 1 hour or until doubled in bulk.
	Divide dough into 8 equal pieces.
	Roll each piece into a 16-inch-long rope on lightly floured surface, keeping unused dough covered with a damp towel. (If dough does not stretch easily, cover and allow to rest 5 minutes.) Form each rope into a U-shape on a parchment paper-lined baking sheet. Fold or twist each end down diagonally, and tuck under dough, forming pretzel shape. Cover with a damp towel; let stand 15 minutes.
	Preheat oven to 42
	Fill a 3 1/2-qt. saucepan with water, and stir in baking soda; bring to a boil over medium-high heat. Reduce heat to medium-low, and simmer. Gently lower 2 pretzels into simmering water mixture; cook 10 seconds on each side.
	Transfer to a lightly greased wire rack. Repeat procedure with remaining pretzels.
	Transfer pretzels to parchment paper-lined baking sheet.
	Brush generously with melted butter, and sprinkle with benne seeds and sea salt.
	Bake at 425 for 12 to 15 minutes or until golden brown and thoroughly cooked.
Nutrition Facts	
	PROTEIN 9.64% FAT 37.84% CARBS 52.52%

Properties

Glycemic Index:1.43, Glycemic Load:0, Inflammation Score:-1, Nutrition Score:0.19217391506485%

Nutrients (% of daily need)

Calories: 46.94kcal (2.35%), Fat: 2g (3.07%), Saturated Fat: 0.97g (6.06%), Carbohydrates: 6.23g (2.08%), Net Carbohydrates: 5.99g (2.18%), Sugar: 0.81g (0.9%), Cholesterol: 3.49mg (1.16%), Sodium: 518.43mg (22.54%), Alcohol: Og (100%), Alcohol %: 0% (100%), Protein: 1.14g (2.29%), Iron: 0.35mg (1.95%)