

Roasted Salmon with Lentils and Bacon



Ingredients

4 strips bacon
1 bay leaf
1 carrots cut into 1/2-inch slices
1 rib celery cut into 1/2-inch slices
2.3 cups chicken broth low-sodium homemade canned
1 tablespoon cooking oil
0.3 teaspoon thyme leaves dried
1 clove garlic minced

	0.3 teaspoon fresh-ground pepper black	
	1.3 cups lentils	
	1 small onion cut into 1/2-inch slices	
	1.8 pounds center-cut salmon fillet skinless cut into 4 pieces	
	1 teaspoon salt	
	0.5 cup tomatoes in purée thick canned crushed	
Equipment		
	frying pan	
	sauce pan	
	oven	
Directions		
	In a medium saucepan, cook the bacon until browned.	
	Pour off and reserve all but 2 tablespoons of the fat from the pan.	
	Add the onion, carrot, celery, and garlic. Cook over moderate heat, stirring frequently, until golden, about 5 minutes.	
	Add the lentils, broth, tomatoes, 1/2 teaspoon of the salt, the thyme, and bay leaf. Bring to a boil, reduce the heat, and simmer, covered, until the lentils are just tender, about 30 minutes. Discard the bay leaf and stir in 1/8 teaspoon of the pepper.	
	Heat the oven to 45	
	Sprinkle the salmon with the remaining 1/2 teaspoon salt and 1/8 teaspoon pepper. In a large ovenproof nonstick frying pan, over moderately high heat, heat the reserved bacon fat, with enough oil to measure 2 tablespoons.	
	Add the fish, skinned-side up, and cook until golden, about 2 minutes. Turn.	
	Put the pan in the oven and continue cooking the salmon until just barely done (the fish should still be translucent in the center), about 3 minutes longer for a 1-inch-thick fillet.	
	Put the lentils on plates and top with the salmon.	
	Wine Recommendation: Light, acidic red wines are delightful with salmon, and the lentils and bacon only make the case for red wine stronger. Try a bottle of pinot noir from Oregon or California.	

Nutrition Facts

PROTEIN 37.21% FAT 36.11% CARBS 26.68%

Properties

Glycemic Index:57.61, Glycemic Load:5.96, Inflammation Score:-10, Nutrition Score:51.218260964622%

Flavonoids

Catechin: O.21mg, Catechin: O.21mg, Catechin: O.21mg, Catechin: O.21mg Apigenin: O.29mg, Apigenin: O.29mg, Apigenin: O.29mg Luteolin: O.13mg, Luteolin: O.13

Nutrients (% of daily need)

Calories: 663.53kcal (33.18%), Fat: 26.42g (40.64%), Saturated Fat: 5.49g (34.34%), Carbohydrates: 43.91g (14.64%), Net Carbohydrates: 24.07g (8.75%), Sugar: 4.33g (4.81%), Cholesterol: 123.67mg (41.22%), Sodium: 917.1mg (39.87%), Alcohol: Og (100%), Alcohol %: O% (100%), Protein: 61.25g (122.5%), Selenium: 82.28µg (117.54%), Vitamin B12: 6.55µg (109.22%), Vitamin B6: 2.12mg (106.22%), Vitamin B3: 20.45mg (102.23%), Folate: 351.03µg (87.76%), Fiber: 19.84g (79.35%), Phosphorus: 762.99mg (76.3%), Vitamin B1: 1.08mg (71.86%), Vitamin B2: 0.97mg (57.34%), Vitamin A: 2773.54IU (55.47%), Potassium: 1897.53mg (54.22%), Manganese: 0.98mg (48.96%), Vitamin B5: 4.89mg (48.86%), Copper: 0.96mg (48.1%), Iron: 7.09mg (39.41%), Magnesium: 146.03mg (36.51%), Zinc: 4.71mg (31.39%), Vitamin K: 13.4µg (12.76%), Vitamin E: 1.52mg (10.11%), Vitamin C: 8.2mg (9.95%), Calcium: 90.83mg (9.08%)