## RECIPE

# Crispy Rice with Tofu and Vegetables

This blend of tofu and cooked rice combines corn, peas, carrots and seasonings pressed into a skillet and cooked into "crispy" goodness.

Makes: 4 servings Prep Time: 20 minutes Cook Time: 50 minutes

Source: MyPlate Kitchen

### Ingredients

For the rice:

- 2 cups water
- 1 cup brown rice

For the tofu and vegetables:

- 3 cups prepared rice
- 1 pound tofu
- 1 cup frozen corn (unthawed)
- 1 cup frozen peas (unthawed)
- 6 scallions (sliced including white and green parts)
- 1 carrot (shredded)
- 1/4 cup fresh basil leaves
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil

### **Directions**

- 1. To make the rice, cook rice according to the directions on the package. Set aside to cool and dry out.
- 2. Put the tofu, corn, scallions, carrot, basil and salt in the bowl and mix well.
- 3. When the rice has fully cooled, add it to the bowl with the tofu and mix well.
- 4. Put the skillet over medium high heat and when it is hot, add the oil.
- 5. Add the rice and tofu mixture; reduce heat to low and press down the rice mixture with a spatula. Cover and cook 10 minutes. Press down again to help form a crust. Flip portions of the rice so that you get chunks of crispy rice. Cook until crispy, up to 20 minutes.





## Small Changes, BIG Difference!



#### Nutrition Information

Serving Size: 1 1/2 cups	
Nutrients	Amount
Calories:	389
Total Fat:	<u>13 g</u>
Saturated Fat:	<u>2 g</u>
Cholesterol:	<u>0 mg</u>
Sodium:	215 mg
Total Carbohydrates:	<u>54 g</u>
Dietary Fiber:	<u>8 g</u>
Total Sugars:	<u>6 g</u>
Added Sugars:	<u>0 g</u>
Protein	<u>17 g</u>

### **Utensils Needed**

- Cutting board
- Sharp knife
- Measuring cups and spoons
- Grater
- Saucepan with lid
- Large bowl
- Spatula
- Large skillet with lid

Average total cost without oil and seasonings: \$8.67 Average cost/serving: \$2.17

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Note: The below list of ingredients is a suggestion. Similar ingredients may be purchased based on preference, diet restrictions, budget and location. Optional items can be added.

### Ingredients





Add 1 to Cart Tofu (14 oz.)



Add 1 to Cart Carrots (1 lb. bag)



Add 1 to Cart Frozen Corn (12 oz.)



Add 1 to Cart Basil



Add 1 to Cart Frozen Peas (12 oz.)

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