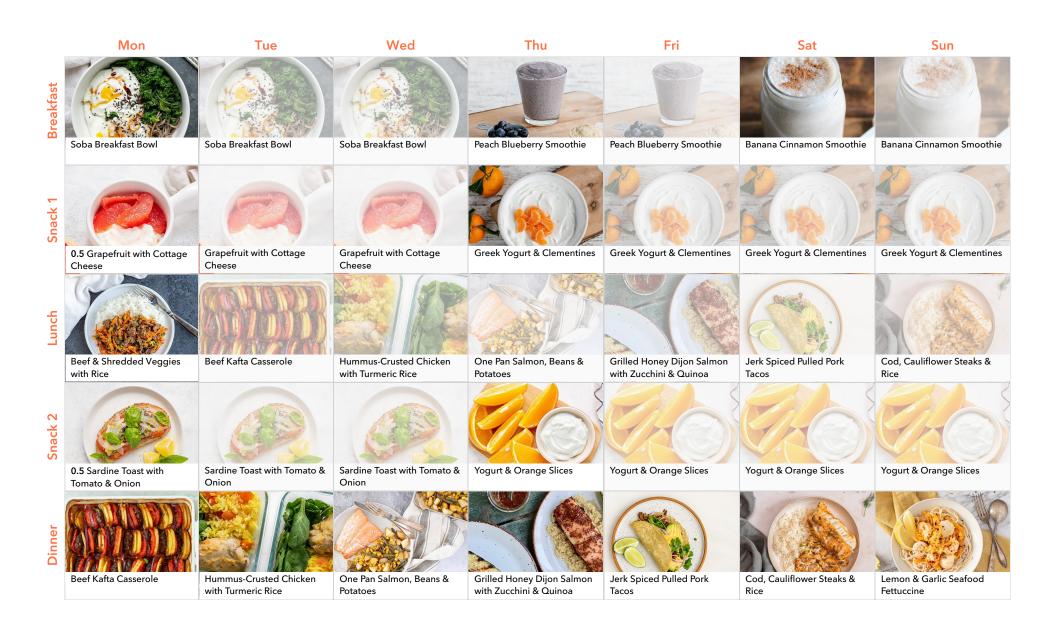




12 Week Carb Cycling Meal Plan for Females (High Carb) 2





Mon		Tue		Wed		Thu		Fri		Sat		Sun	
Fat —	28%	Fat — 2	26%	Fat —	25%	Fat — 2	23%	Fat 2	4%	Fat 20	0%	Fat 1	9%
Carbs —	46%	Carbs —	<b>4</b> 6%	Carbs —	46%	Carbs —	46%	Carbs —	<b>4</b> 4%	Carbs —	47%	Carbs —	51%
Protein — 2	26%	Protein —	28%	Protein —	29%	Protein —	31%	Protein —	32%	Protein —	33%	Protein —	30%
Calories	1414	Calories	1506	Calories	1441	Calories	1441	Calories	1545	Calories	1432	Calories	1445
Fat	42g	Fat	43g	Fat	39g	Fat	38g	Fat	41g	Fat	33g	Fat	31g
Carbs	157g	Carbs	167g	Carbs	162g	Carbs	168g	Carbs	171g	Carbs	171g	Carbs	190g
Fiber	18g	Fiber	19g	Fiber	18g	Fiber	25g	Fiber	24g	Fiber	24g	Fiber	24g
Sugar	25g	Sugar	32g	Sugar	31g	Sugar	74g	Sugar	70g	Sugar	51g	Sugar	51g
Protein	90g	Protein	103g	Protein	102g	Protein	114g	Protein	124g	Protein	119g	Protein	114g
Cholesterol	549mg	Cholesterol	611mg	Cholesterol	599mg	Cholesterol	170mg	Cholesterol	199mg	Cholesterol	187mg	Cholesterol	241mg
Sodium	2567mg	Sodium	2718mg	Sodium	1569mg	Sodium	1037mg	Sodium	1210mg	Sodium	990mg	Sodium	1149mg
Vitamin A	16254IU	Vitamin A	11602IU	Vitamin A	9725IU	Vitamin A	3147IU	Vitamin A	3225IU	Vitamin A	2787IU	Vitamin A	2880IU
Vitamin C	193mg	Vitamin C	213mg	Vitamin C	176mg	Vitamin C	242mg	Vitamin C	225mg	Vitamin C	262mg	Vitamin C	433mg
Calcium	482mg	Calcium	605mg	Calcium	587mg	Calcium	1341mg	Calcium	1512mg	Calcium	1239mg	Calcium	1084mg
Iron	13mg	Iron	14mg	Iron	10mg	Iron	10mg	Iron	10mg	Iron	7mg	Iron	7mg





Fruits	Vegetables	Bread, Fish, Meat & Cheese
1/3 Avocado	2 cups Baby Spinach	227 grams Chicken Thighs
2 Banana	3 tbsps Basil Leaves	1 Cod Fillet
8 Clementines	1/2 cup Broccoli	4 Corn Tortilla
3 Grapefruit	1/2 head Cauliflower	340 grams Extra Lean Ground Beef
2/3 Lemon	1 3/4 tbsps Cilantro	302 grams Pork Shoulder, Boneless
2 tsps Lime Juice	1 1/2 tsps Fresh Dill	454 grams Salmon Fillet
4 Navel Orange	1 Garlic	113 grams Scallops
	6 cups Kale Leaves	64 grams Shrimp
Seeds, Nuts & Spices	1 1/4 cups Mini Potatoes	3 slices Whole Grain Bread
1/3 tsp Black Pepper	1/2 Orange Bell Pepper	
2 tbsps Chia Seeds	1/4 cup Parsley	Condiments & Oils
1/2 tsp Cinnamon	2/3 cup Red Onion	2 grams Avocado Oil Spray
1/4 tsp Garlic Powder	1/8 Sweet Onion	1 tbsp Coconut Aminos
1/3 cup Ground Flax Seed	1/2 Sweet Potato	2 tbsps Dijon Mustard
1 1/8 tbsps Jerk Seasoning	3 1/2 Tomato	1 1/4 tbsps Extra Virgin Olive Oil
2 1/4 tsps Lebanese Seven Spice Blend	1/4 Yellow Onion	2 1/4 tsps Rice Vinegar
1/2 tsp Paprika	1 1/2 Yellow Potato	2 1/4 tsps Tamari
1/4 tsp Red Pepper Flakes	2 Zucchini	
1 1/4 tsps Sea Salt		Cold
0 Sea Salt & Black Pepper	Boxed & Canned	1 1/2 tsps Butter
1 1/2 tbsps Sesame Seeds	1/2 cup Basmati Rice	1 1/2 cups Cottage Cheese
1/2 tsp Turmeric	57 grams Brown Rice Fettuccine	6 Egg
_	150 grams Buckwheat Soba Noodles	2 tbsps Hummus
Frozen	3/4 cup Jasmine Rice	2 cups Oat Milk
1 cup Frozen Blueberries	1/2 cup Quinoa	5 cups Plain Greek Yogurt
3/4 cup Frozen Corn	2 tbsps Salsa	
3/4 cup Frozen Green Beans	84 grams Sardines	Other
1 1/2 cups Frozen Peaches	2 1/4 tsps Tomato Paste	1 cup Vanilla Protein Powder
4 Ice Cubes	1 cup Vegetable Broth	2 1/2 cups Water
	Baking	
	1 tbsp Raw Honey	





### Soba Breakfast Bowl

3 servings
15 minutes

### Ingredients

150 grams Buckwheat Soba Noodles

2 1/4 tsps Tamari

2 1/4 tsps Rice Vinegar

6 Egg

**6 cups** Kale Leaves (stems removed, roughly chopped)

1/3 cup Water

1 1/2 tbsps Sesame Seeds (black)

#### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	418
Fat	13g
Carbs	40g
Fiber	3g
Sugar	1g
Protein	21g
Cholesterol	372mg
Sodium	569mg
Vitamin A	2561IU
Vitamin C	39mg
Calcium	210mg
Iron	3mg

### Directions

Cook the soba noodles according to the directions on the package. Drain and rinse with cold water until completely cooled. Toss with the tamari and vinegar and set aside.

Heat a non-stick skillet over medium heat and crack the eggs in the skillet. Cook until the whites are set and the yolks are cooked to your liking. Repeat for each serving and transfer to a plate.

Gently scrape any bits and wipe down the skillet. Add the kale leaves and water over medium heat. Cook until wilted, about 3 minutes. Drain any excess liquid.

Divide the kale and soba noodles into bowls. Top with fried eggs, black sesame seeds and additional tamari, if desired. Enjoy!

#### **Notes**

Leftovers: Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to four days.

Serving Size: One serving equals approximately one serving of soba noodles, two eggs and 1 1/2 cups of cooked kale.

**Make it Vegan:** Top with marinated tofu, tempeh, chickpeas or edamame instead of eggs.





# Peach Blueberry Smoothie

2 servings5 minutes

### Ingredients

2 cups Oat Milk1 cup Frozen Blueberries1 1/2 cups Frozen Peaches1/4 cup Ground Flax Seed1/2 cup Vanilla Protein Powder

### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	360
Fat	11g
Carbs	42g
Fiber	9g
Sugar	23g
Protein	26g
Cholesterol	4mg
Sodium	139mg
Vitamin A	412IU
Vitamin C	10mg
Calcium	497mg
Iron	2mg

### **Directions**



Add all ingredients into a blender and blend until smooth. Pour into a glass and enjoy!

### **Notes**

Leftovers: For best results, enjoy freshly made. Refrigerate for up to one day.

No Oat Milk: Use plain coconut milk instead.

No Frozen Peaches: Use frozen mango.





## Banana Cinnamon Smoothie

2 servings5 minutes

### Ingredients

1/2 cup Vanilla Protein Powder

- 2 tbsps Ground Flax Seed
- 2 tbsps Chia Seeds
- 2 Banana (frozen)
- 4 Ice Cubes
- 2 cups Water
- 1/2 tsp Cinnamon

#### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	284
Fat	7g
Carbs	36g
Fiber	10g
Sugar	14g
Protein	24g
Cholesterol	4mg
Sodium	45mg
Vitamin A	77IU
Vitamin C	10mg
Calcium	236mg
Iron	2mg

### **Directions**



Add all ingredients to blender and blend until smooth. Pour into a glasses and enjoy!

### **Notes**

No Protein Powder: Use hemp seeds with vanilla extract instead.

**Leftovers:** Store in a mason jar with a lid in the fridge up to 24 hours. Shake well before drinking.

Make it Green: Add spinach.





# Grapefruit with Cottage Cheese

3 servings5 minutes

### Ingredients

1 1/2 cups Cottage Cheese3 Grapefruit (peeled, cut into sections)

### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	185
Fat	5g
Carbs	24g
Fiber	3g
Sugar	21g
Protein	13g
Cholesterol	18mg
Sodium	331mg
Vitamin A	2520IU
Vitamin C	88mg
Calcium	118mg
Iron	0mg

### **Directions**



Add the cottage cheese to a bowl and top with grapefruit. Enjoy!

#### **Notes**

Leftovers: Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to three days.

Additional Toppings: Hemp seeds, chia seeds, shredded coconut, and/or honey.

Make it Vegan: Use oatmeal, coconut yogurt or vegan cheese instead of cottage cheese.





# **Greek Yogurt & Clementines**

4 servings 5 minutes

### Ingredients

2 cups Plain Greek Yogurt8 Clementines (peeled, sectioned)

### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	160
Fat	3g
Carbs	24g
Fiber	3g
Sugar	17g
Protein	12g
Cholesterol	17mg
Sodium	72mg
Vitamin A	625IU
Vitamin C	80mg
Calcium	294mg
Iron	1mg

### **Directions**



Add the yogurt to a bowl and top with clementine slices. Enjoy!

#### **Notes**

Leftovers: Best enjoyed immediately or you can meal prep by storing in an airtight container for up to three days.

Make it Vegan: Use coconut yogurt instead of Greek yogurt.

More Flavor: Add maple syrup or honey.

Additional Toppings: Top with coconut flakes, granola, nuts, and seeds.





Beef & Shredded Veggies with Rice

1 serving 20 minutes

### Ingredients

1/4 cup Jasmine Rice

113 grams Extra Lean Ground Beef Sea Salt & Black Pepper (to taste)

1/2 Sweet Potato (medium, peeled and grated)

1/2 cup Broccoli (finely chopped, riced)2 tbsps Salsa

### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	440
Fat	12g
Carbs	56g
Fiber	5g
Sugar	5g
Protein	28g
Cholesterol	74mg
Sodium	357mg
Vitamin A	9671IU
Vitamin C	43mg
Calcium	64mg
Iron	3mg

### **Directions**

Cook the rice according to package directions.

Add the beef to the pan, breaking it up as it cooks. Once it is cooked through and no longer pink, season with salt and pepper to taste.

Add the sweet potato and broccoli to the pan with the beef. Continue to cook for five to six minutes more or until the sweet potato and broccoli are tender. Stir in the salsa and season with additional salt and pepper if needed. Divide the rice between plates and top with the beef mixture. Enjoy!

#### **Notes**

Leftovers: Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to three days.

More Flavor: Add garlic and onions or dried herbs and spices to taste.

Additional Toppings: Green onion, avocado, cilantro, red pepper flakes, and/or more salsa.

No Jasmine Rice: Use quinoa, brown rice, or cauliflower rice.

No Beef: Use ground chicken, turkey, pork, lentils, or chickpeas instead.





## Sardine Toast with Tomato & Onion

3 servings
5 minutes

### Ingredients

3 slices Whole Grain Bread (toasted)1 1/2 Tomato (small, sliced)

**84 grams** Sardines (drained, halved lengthwise)

1/8 Sweet Onion (medium, thinly sliced)

3 tbsps Basil Leaves

1/3 Lemon (juiced, zested)

### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	185
Fat	5g
Carbs	22g
Fiber	4g
Sugar	4g
Protein	13g
Cholesterol	40mg
Sodium	268mg
Vitamin A	1001IU
Vitamin C	13mg
Calcium	161mg
Iron	2mg

#### **Directions**



Top the bread with the tomatoes, sardines, onion, basil, and lemon zest. Squeeze the lemon juice overtop and enjoy!

#### Notes

**Leftovers:** This recipe is best enjoyed immediately but can be refrigerated in an airtight container for up to two days.

**Gluten-Free**: Use gluten-free bread, rice cakes, or sweet potato toast instead of whole grain bread.

More Flavor: Rub garlic on the toast. Add mayonnaise or butter. Additional Toppings: Add olive oil, salt, or pepper to taste.

No Sardines: Use tuna or mackerel instead.





# **Yogurt & Orange Slices**

4 servings
5 minutes

### Ingredients

4 Navel Orange (large, sliced)3 cups Plain Greek Yogurt

### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	204
Fat	4g
Carbs	27g
Fiber	3g
Sugar	16g
Protein	18g
Cholesterol	25mg
Sodium	106mg
Vitamin A	1283IU
Vitamin C	94mg
Calcium	435mg
Iron	1mg

### **Directions**



Serve the orange slices alongside the yogurt. Enjoy!

#### **Notes**

Leftovers: Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to three days.

Dairy-Free: Use coconut yogurt instead.

Additional Toppings: Add cinnamon, honey, maple syrup, or granola to the yogurt.





## Beef Kafta Casserole

2 servings
1 hour 25 minutes

### Ingredients

227 grams Extra Lean Ground Beef
1/4 Yellow Onion (finely chopped)
1/4 cup Parsley (finely chopped)
2 1/4 tsps Lebanese Seven Spice Blend
3/4 tsp Sea Salt (divided)
1 1/2 Yellow Potato (medium-sized, sliced into 1/4-inch thick rounds)
1 1/2 Tomato (medium-sized, sliced into 1/4-inch thick rounds)
1/2 cup Red Onion (sliced into 1/4-inch

thick semi-circles)

1 cup Vegetable Broth

2 1/4 tsps Tomato Paste 1/8 tsp Black Pepper (optional)

#### Nutrition

Amount per serving	
Calories	371
Fat	12g
Carbs	38g
Fiber	6g
Sugar	6g
Protein	28g
Cholesterol	74mg
Sodium	1341mg
Vitamin A	2261IU
Vitamin C	60mg
Calcium	68mg
Iron	6mg

#### **Directions**

1 Preheat the oven to 350°F (176°C).

Add the beef, onion, parsley, Lebanese 7 Spice and two-thirds of the salt to a large mixing bowl and mix until combined. Form the meat mixture into thin patties, 2 to 3 inches in diameter.

Heat a pan over medium-high heat. Brown the patties in batches, 2 to 3 minutes per side. Drain the excess drippings from the pan between batches.

Arrange the browned kafta patties, potato, tomato and red onion slices in a baking dish in any pattern you'd like.

In a small bowl combine the vegetable broth, tomato paste, remaining salt and black pepper, if using, and pour into the baking dish. Cover with foil or a lid.

Bake for 60 to 70 minutes or until the potatoes are soft. Let the casserole cool slightly before dividing between bowls. Enjoy!

### **Notes**

Leftovers: Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to three days.

More Flavor: Add fresh garlic to the meat mixture. Add additional Lebanese 7 Spice to the tomato sauce mixture.

No Beef: Use ground lamb instead. Serve it With: Lebanese rice or a pita.

Red Onion: 1 cup of sliced red onion is roughly one medium-sized red onion.

Baking Dish: An 8.5 x 11.5-inch baking dish was used for four servings.





## Hummus-Crusted Chicken with Turmeric Rice

2 servings 30 minutes

### Ingredients

**227** grams Chicken Thighs (skinless, boneless)

2 tbsps Hummus

1/2 cup Jasmine Rice (dry, uncooked)

1/2 tsp Turmeric

1/2 Tomato (large, diced)

2 cups Baby Spinach

### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	347
Fat	8g
Carbs	43g
Fiber	3g
Sugar	0g
Protein	28g
Cholesterol	107mg
Sodium	209mg
Vitamin A	3259IU
Vitamin C	13mg
Calcium	48mg
Iron	3mg

### **Directions**

Preheat oven to 375°F (191°C) and line a baking sheet with parchment paper.

Place chicken thighs on the baking sheet and coat with hummus. Bake for 30 minutes or until cooked through.

Meanwhile, make the rice according to the directions on the package, adding in the turmeric and chopped tomato while cooking.

Divide the chicken, rice and spinach onto plates or into meal prep containers. Enjoy!

#### **Notes**

Use a Rice Cooker: Add the turmeric and tomatoes into the rice cooker along with the rice and water.

 $\textbf{Leftovers:} \ \mathsf{Refrigerate} \ \mathsf{in} \ \mathsf{an} \ \mathsf{airtight} \ \mathsf{container} \ \mathsf{up} \ \mathsf{to} \ \mathsf{3} \ \mathsf{days}.$ 





## One Pan Salmon, Beans & Potatoes

2 servings 35 minutes

### Ingredients

1 1/4 cups Mini Potatoes (chopped)
3/4 cup Frozen Corn
3/4 cup Frozen Green Beans
1 tbsp Coconut Aminos (divided)
2 grams Avocado Oil Spray
1/4 tsp Black Pepper
227 grams Salmon Fillet

#### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	306
Fat	8g
Carbs	33g
Fiber	5g
Sugar	5g
Protein	27g
Cholesterol	62mg
Sodium	192mg
Vitamin A	384IU
Vitamin C	23mg
Calcium	50mg
Iron	2mg

### Directions

- Preheat the oven to 400°F (205°C). Spread the potato, corn, and green beans evenly on a baking sheet. Toss with half of the coconut aminos. Spray with the avocado oil and season with black pepper.
- Bake in the oven for 15 minutes. Remove the baking sheet and add the salmon fillets. Top with the remaining coconut aminos and bake for another 15 minutes or until cooked through.
- 3 Divide evenly between plates and enjoy!

#### **Notes**

Leftovers: Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to three days.

More Flavor: Add garlic powder and onion powder.

No Coconut Aminos: Use tamari or soy sauce instead.

Avocado Oil Spray: One gram (or 0.03 ounces) of avocado oil spray is equal to a one-

second spray.





# Grilled Honey Dijon Salmon with Zucchini & Quinoa

2 servings 30 minutes

### Ingredients

1/2 cup Quinoa (dry, uncooked) 2 tbsps Dijon Mustard (grainy or regular)

1 tbsp Raw Honey

227 grams Salmon Fillet

2 Zucchini (sliced in half lengthwise)

3/4 tsp Extra Virgin Olive Oil

1/4 tsp Sea Salt

#### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	411
Fat	12g
Carbs	42g
Fiber	5g
Sugar	13g
Protein	31g
Cholesterol	62mg
Sodium	528mg
Vitamin A	443IU
Vitamin C	35mg
Calcium	65mg
Iron	4mg

### **Directions**

Cook the quinoa according to the directions on the package and set aside.

While the quinoa cooks, combine the dijon mustard and honey in a jar. Mix well and set aside.

2 Preheat the grill to medium heat.

Place the salmon on a grill pan or mat and brush with 2/3 of the dijon glaze. Slice the zucchinis, brush them with olive oil and add them to the grill pan/mat too. Season everything with sea salt.

Place the salmon and zucchini on the grill, close the lid and grill for 10 to 15 minutes, or until salmon flakes with a fork and zucchini is tender. Flip the zucchini at the halfway point.

Remove everything from the grill and brush the salmon with the remaining dijon glaze. Divide the salmon, zucchini and quinoa onto plates and enjoy!

#### **Notes**

No Grill: Bake on a sheet in the oven at  $400^{\circ}$ F ( $204^{\circ}$ C) degrees for 15 to 20 minutes, or until fish flakes with a fork.

No Zucchini: Use asparagus or green beans instead.

Lower Carb: Omit the quinoa or serve with cauliflower rice instead.

Leftovers: Store leftovers in an airtight container in the fridge up to 2 to 3 days.





# Jerk Spiced Pulled Pork Tacos

2 servings
1 hour 5 minutes

### Ingredients

**302 grams** Pork Shoulder, Boneless (cut into large chunks)

1 1/8 tbsps Jerk Seasoning

2 2/3 tbsps Water

4 Corn Tortilla

1/3 Avocado (sliced)

2 2/3 tbsps Red Onion (sliced thin)

1 3/4 tbsps Cilantro (roughly chopped)

2 tsps Lime Juice

### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	410
Fat	11g
Carbs	36g
Fiber	4g
Sugar	1g
Protein	37g
Cholesterol	91mg
Sodium	365mg
Vitamin A	462IU
Vitamin C	6mg
Calcium	221mg
Iron	2mg

### **Directions**

Add the pork shoulder to a large bowl and season well with the jerk seasoning, using your hands to rub it in.

Place the pork and water in your pressure cooker. Put the lid on and set to "sealing" then press manual/pressure cooker and cook for 40 minutes on high pressure. Once finished, let it release naturally for 10 minutes and then do a quick release. Remove the pork and place in a bowl. Shred it with two forks.

Place the pork into a tortilla and top with avocado, onion and cilantro. Drizzle with lime juice. Serve and enjoy!

### **Notes**

**Leftovers:** Store ingredients separately in airtight containers in the fridge for up to 3 days. Assemble tacos just before eating.

Serving Size: One serving is equal to two tacos.

Additional Toppings: Diced mango or pineapple.





## Cod, Cauliflower Steaks & Rice

2 servings 35 minutes

### Ingredients

1/2 cup Basmati Rice (uncooked)

1 tbsp Extra Virgin Olive Oil

1 1/2 tsps Fresh Dill (chopped)

1/2 tsp Paprika

1/4 tsp Garlic Powder

1/4 tsp Sea Salt

1/2 head Cauliflower (medium, cut into 3/4-inch slices)

1 Cod Fillet (cut in half)

### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	374
Fat	8g
Carbs	48g
Fiber	4g
Sugar	3g
Protein	28g
Cholesterol	50mg
Sodium	402mg
Vitamin A	340IU
Vitamin C	72mg
Calcium	53mg
Iron	1mg

### **Directions**

Preheat the oven to 400°F (205°C) and line a baking sheet with parchment paper.

Cook the rice according to package instructions.

In a small bowl, whisk together the oil, dill, paprika, garlic powder, and salt. Brush the mixture evenly onto the cauliflower and cod fillets.

Arrange the cauliflower steaks onto the baking sheet and bake for 20 minutes. Remove, then add the cod to the center of the baking sheet and bake for an additional 12 minutes, or until the fish flakes with a fork.

5 Divide the cod, rice, and cauliflower steaks evenly between plates and enjoy!

### **Notes**

Leftovers: Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to three days. Fillet Size: One cod fillet is equal to 231 grams or eight ounces.





# Lemon & Garlic Seafood Fettuccine

1 serving 30 minutes

### Ingredients

57 grams Brown Rice Fettuccine

- 1 1/2 tsps Butter
- 1 Garlic (cloves, large, minced)
- 113 grams Scallops (frozen)
- 64 grams Shrimp (frozen)
- 1/4 Lemon (juiced and zested)
- 1/2 Orange Bell Pepper (large, sliced) Sea Salt & Black Pepper (to taste)
- 1/4 tsp Red Pepper Flakes

### **Nutrition**

Amount per serving	
Calories	423
Fat	9g
Carbs	55g
Fiber	4g
Sugar	1g
Protein	32g
Cholesterol	145mg
Sodium	524mg
Vitamin A	555IU
Vitamin C	177mg
Calcium	66mg
Iron	2mg

### **Directions**

Cook the fettuccine according to the package directions.

Meanwhile, warm the butter in a large pan over medium heat. Add the garlic and cook for one minute. Add the scallops and shrimp and cook for 10 minutes, flipping as needed to thaw.

Add the lemon juice and bell pepper to the pan and continue to cook for another five to 10 minutes, until softened. Season with salt and pepper to taste.

Divide the pasta, scallops, shrimp, and peppers evenly between bowls. Top with the pan sauce. Top with lemon zest and pepper flakes. Enjoy!

### **Notes**

Leftovers: Refrigerate in an airtight container for up to three days. Serving Size: One serving is equal to approximately one cup.