

Vegetarian Burgers

Preparation time	20 minutes
Cooking time	15 minutes
Servings	4
Cost per serving	\$1.20
Storage	The patties will keep for 3 days in the fridge and can be frozen.
Kitchen tools	Can opener, colander, cutting board, sharp knife, measuring cups and spoons, large bowl, fork, large frying pan, spatula.



Ingredients



1 can (540 ml) black beans, drained and rinsed



1 small yellow onion, peeled and finely chopped

Salt and pepper

to taste



2 garlic cloves, peeled and minced



125 ml (½ cup) bread crumbs





30 ml (2 tbsp) ketchup





15 ml (1 tbsp) chili powder



15 ml (1 tbsp) canola oil



5 ml (1 tsp) ground cumin



4 hamburger buns (plain or toasted)

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Balanced plate

Vegetables (salad or raw vegetables, for example and a fruit)

A glass of milk or fortified soy beverage



Directions

Mash the **black beans** coarsely in a large bowl with a fork (or a potato masher). Add the onion, garlic, bread crumbs, egg, chili powder, cumin, ketchup, salt and pepper. Using your hands, mix everything together until the ingredients are fully incorporated. 3 Using your hands, make 4 patties about the size of your hamburger buns. Heat the oil in a large frying pan over medium heat. Add the patties and cook for about 6 minutes on each side, or until they are lightly browned. Tip: If all four patties can't fit into the pan at once, cook them in 2 batches.

Serve in hamburger buns with your choice of toppings (mustard, ketchup, relish, pickles, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, etc.).	
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