Grilled Asparagus and Shrimp Quinoa Salad

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Makes: 4 servings

Ingredients

2 cups fresh asparagus (cut into 1-inch pieces) ½ yellow or red bell pepper (cut into ½-inch pieces)

- 1 clove garlic (minced)
- 1 14-ounce can artichoke hearts (drained and quartered)
- 12 ounces fresh or frozen large raw shrimp (peeled and deveined)
- 1 ½ cups dry quinoa (cooked according to package directions)
- 1 tsp. lemon peel (grated)
- 3 Tbsp. lemon juice
- 3 Tbsp. olive oil
- 1 tsp. Dijon mustard
- ½ tsp. dried thyme leaves
- $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. ground black pepper

Nutritional information for 1 serving

Calories 460 Total fat 16 q Saturated fat 2 g Cholesterol 115 mg Sodium 420 mg Total carbohydrate 51 g Dietary fiber 7 g Total sugars 6 g Added sugars included 0 g Protein 29 g

Directions

- Make a vinaigrette by whisking together lemon peel, lemon juice, olive oil, Dijon mustard, thyme leaves and black pepper. Set aside.
- 2. Cut vegetables as directed.
- 3. Heat grill and grilling tray.
- **4.** Place vegetables and shrimp in a large bowl, add about of the vinaigrette (about 3 Tbsp.) and toss to coat.
- **5.** Spread shrimp-vegetable mixture over a hot grilling tray.
- **6.** Grill, turning shrimp and vegetables until the flesh of the shrimp is opaque in color, about 5-6 minutes.
- 7. Remove from grill.
- **8.** Serve grilled shrimp and vegetables over cooked quinoa and drizzle with vinaigrette.

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