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Take-Out Style Peanut Noodles

with Bell Pepper, Cucumber & Scallions





20-30min 2 Servings

Chukka soba or 'curly ramen noodles' are a type of Japanese dried wheat noodle that have a distinct curly appearance due to folding the noodles in an intricate pattern before the are dried. The noodles are cooked until just tender, then are tossed in a peanut buttery sauce with crisp bell peppers and cucumbers.

What we send

- 1 bell pepper
- 1 oz scallions
- 1 cucumber
- 1 oz fresh ginger
- 2 (½ oz) tamari in fishshaped pods ⁶
- 1½ oz peanut butter ⁵
- 1 oz tahini 11
- 1 (6 oz) pkg chukka soba noodles ¹
- 1 oz salted peanuts 5

What you need

- kosher salt & ground pepper
- apple cider vinegar (or white wine vinegar)
- sugar

Tools

large pot

Allergens

Wheat (1), Peanuts (5), Soy (6), Sesame (11). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

Nutrition per serving

Calories 680kcal, Fat 26g, Carbs 90g, Protein 25g



1. Prep ingredients

Bring a large pot of **salted water** to a boil. Halve **pepper**, remove stem and seeds, then cut into ½8-inch-thick strips. Trim **scallions**, then thinly slice, keeping dark greens separate. Cut **cucumber** into ¼-inch-thick planks (peel, if desired), then halve crosswise and cut into thin matchsticks. Peel and finely chop **1 teaspoon ginger**.



2. Pickle vegetables

In a medium bowl, whisk to combine 1 tablespoon vinegar, ½ teaspoon salt, a few grinds of pepper, and a pinch of sugar. Add cucumbers, peppers, and scallion whites and light greens; tossing to combine. Set aside to pickle until step 5.



3. Make peanut sauce

In a large bowl, whisk to combine **all of** the tamari, peanut butter, tahini, chopped ginger, 1 tablespoon vinegar, and 1½ tablespoons sugar, until very smooth.



4. Cook noodles

Add **noodles** to boiling water and cook, stirring, until just tender, about 5 minutes. Reserve **½ cup cooking water**, then drain noodles, rinse with cold water, and drain again.



5. Sauce noodles

Whisk **reserved cooking water** into **peanut sauce**. To the bowl with peanut sauce, add **noodles** and **pickled vegetables**, and toss well to coat. Season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**.



6. Chop peanuts & serve

Coarsely chop **peanuts**. Spoon **noodles and vegetables** into shallow bowls and top with **chopped peanuts** and **scallion dark greens**. Enjoy!