

## White Bean, Kale, and Tomato Stew

Prep: 20 minutes | Cook: 40 minutes | Total: 60 minutes

Yield: 8 servings | Serving Size: ~2 cups

## **Ingredients**

- 1 tablespoon oil
- 1 large onion, diced
- 2 large carrots, peeled and diced (about 1 cup)
- 12 cloves garlic, minced (about 2 tablespoons)
- 4 cups chopped kale
- 8 cups (64 ounces) low-sodium vegetable broth
- 2 (14.5-ounce) cans no-salt-added diced tomatoes
- 2 (15.5-ounce) cans no-added salt cannellini beans, with liquid
- 1 (8-ounce) package ready microwavable whole-grain rice (e.g. brown rice) or 2 cups cooked whole-grain rice
- 2 tablespoons Italian seasoning blend
- 1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper

## **Directions**

- 1. Heat a heavy stockpot over medium heat.
- 2. Add the oil and heat until shimmering.
- 3. Add the onion, carrots, and garlic.
- 4. Sauté until the onion and carrots are tender, stirring frequently, about 7-8 minutes.
- 5. Reduce the heat to low.
- 6. Add the chopped kale and broth.
- 7. Cover the pot with a lid.
- 8. Simmer for 10-15 minutes.
- 9. Add the diced tomatoes and their juice, cannellini beans, rice, Italian seasoning, and black pepper.
- 10. Cook until heated through.
- 11. Serve warm.

Nutrition Facts Per Serving: Calories: 230 | Total Fat: 2.5 g | Saturated Fat: 0.5 g Sodium: 190 mg | Total Carbohydrate: 37.5 g | Dietary Fiber: 6.5 g | Protein: 10 g

