

Salmon & Avocado Lime Rice

Salmon is a source rich in protein and healthy fats, along with being an Omega-3 rockstar! Avocados are high in monounsaturated fatty acid, along with Omega-6 fatty acids. Omega-3 is commonly known for its anti-inflammatory properties, while Omega-6 is known for its necessary inflammatory properties- both of which are important for the body. Rice combined with salmon and avocado creates a creamy texture, provides a great taste, and offers a complete meal!

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Salmon		Servings: 4 servings Serving size: 4 oz fillet + 1/2 cup cooked rice			
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16 oz	Salmon fillet (I liked the fresh wild-caught option)	Salmon & Avocado Lime Rice			
1 tbsp	Ground black pepper	Nutrition Facts Serving Size: 1 Serving			
1 tbsp	Lemon juice				
2 tbsp	Honey (or agave if feeding to a child under 2 years old)		Amount Per Serving	-	% Daily Value*
3 cloves	Garlic, minced		Calories	362.5 kcal	18 %
			Total Fat Saturated Fat	14.1 g	22 % 9 %
2 tbsp	Italian seasoning		Trans Fat	1.9 g 0 g	9 %
Avocado Lime Rice			Cholesterol	62.4 mg	21 %
1, 8.8 oz bags	Steamable brown rice (this is for ease; feel free to use boy	(ed rice)	Sodium	62.9 mg	3 %
1 medium	Ripe avocado		Total Carbohydrate Dietary Fiber	35.9 g 5.1 g	12 % 21 %
			Sugars	9.6 a	21.70
2 tbsp	Lime juice		Protein	26.4 g	53 %
¼ cup	Chopped cilantro		Vitamin A	5 % • Vitamin C	31 %
1 clove	Garlic, minced		Calcium	6 % • Iron	17 %
Directions:			 Percent Daily Values ar daily values may be high needs. 		
Salmon			Full Info	at cronometer.com	

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Line a baking sheet with aluminum foil. I then place a layer of parchment paper on top the aluminum foil to help skin from sticking to the foil, but this is optional. Spray paper with cooking spray.
- 2. Line prepared baking sheet with lemon slices. Place a salmon fillet on top of lemon. Sprinkle ground black pepper on the salmon fillet (pink side, not the skin).
- 3. Mix lemon juice, honey, garlic, and Italian seasoning. Pour over the salmon.
- 4. Top baking sheet with aluminum foil and bake for 20-25 minutes or until salmon is cooked (test: salmon will flake off with a fork).
- 5. Turn the oven to broil and uncover salmon. Broil for 2-3 minutes to allow top of salmon to crisp. WATCH CLOSELY to avoid burning.
- 6. Take out of oven and cut into 4 equal fillets (about 4 oz each).

Avocado Lime Rice

- 1. While salmon cooks, prepare the rice!
- 2. Microwave rice bag according to package (usually 90 seconds each). If using boxed rice, cook according to box directions.
- 3. Mash avocados and stir in lime juice, cilantro, and garlic. Mix with warm rice.

Lay ½ cup bed of rice on plate. Top with 4 oz salmon fillet. Feel free to add some chunks of avocado on the side. Serve warm!