

Barley Summer Salad













Prep time: **10 min**

Cook time: **45 min**

Yield: 10 Servings Serving
Size:

3/4 cup

Ingredients

1 cup dry barley

3 cups water

¼ cup dried cranberries

1 cup fresh blueberries

1 cup sweet snap peas, chopped

2 cups apples or another fresh fruit or veggie, chopped

 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup red bell pepper, chopped

 $\frac{1}{2}$ cup green onions, sliced thin

1 tablespoon vinegar

3 tablespoons vegetable oil

¼ cup lemon or lime juice

Directions

- 1. Place barley and water in a 2-3 quart saucepan. Bring to a boil, then turn to low. Cook covered for 45 minutes.
- 2. Rinse cooked barley briefly in cold water. Drain.

- 3. Add remaining ingredients. Toss well.
- 4. Refrigerate leftovers within 2 hours.

Notes

Substitute different fruits and vegetables in season. Add nuts or seeds for added protein.