

CHEESY TEX-MEX STUFFED PEPPERS

with Rice, Black Beans, Pickled Red Onion & Creamy Guac





HELLO

PICKLED ONION

Marinating this awesome allium mellows its raw bite and provides a tangy punch.

HOT STUFF

To safely stuff your freshly roasted peppers, use tongs to hold them in place.

BUST OUT

• Baking sheet

- Zester
- 2 Small bowls Large pan
- Small pot
- Kosher salt
- Black pepper
- Sugar (¼ tsp | ½ tsp)
- Cooking oil (2 tsp | 2 tsp)
- (1 tsp | 1 tsp) (1 tsp | 3 (5) • Butter (1 TBSP) (2 TBSP) Contains: Milk



4 MAKE CREAMY GUAC

 In a second small bowl, combine guacamole, sour cream, and a pinch of lime zest. Season with salt and pepper. Set aside.

 Heat a drizzle of oil in a large pan over
 medium-high heat. Add beef* or turkey*; season with salt and pepper. Cook, breaking up meat into pieces, until browned and cooked through, 4-6 minutes. Turn off heat; transfer to a

plate. Wipe out pan.



1 PREP & PICKLE ONION

- Adjust rack to top position and preheat oven to 425 degrees. **Wash and dry produce.**
- Halve, peel, and thinly slice ¼ of the onion; dice remaining onion. Zest and quarter lime (for 4 servings, zest one lime and quarter both). Halve green peppers lengthwise; remove stems and seeds. Dice tomato and season with a pinch of salt and pepper.
- In a small microwave-safe bowl, combine sliced onion, juice from half the lime, ¼ tsp sugar (½ tsp for 4), and a pinch of salt. Microwave until onion is bright pink, 30 seconds. Set aside to pickle.



 In a small pot, combine rice, ³/₄ cup water (1¹/₂ cups for 4 servings), 1 tsp Southwest Spice Blend (2 tsp for 4), and a big pinch of salt. Bring to a boil, then cover and reduce to a low simmer. Cook until rice is tender, 15-18 minutes. (You'll use the rest of the Southwest Spice Blend in Step 5.)

• Keep covered off heat until ready to use in Step 5.



3 ROAST PEPPERS

- While rice cooks, place green peppers on a baking sheet and rub all over with a drizzle of oil. Season with salt and pepper, then arrange cut sides down.
- Roast on top rack until browned and softened, 15-18 minutes.



5 MAKE FILLING

- Heat a drizzle of oil in a large pan over medium-high heat. Add diced onion and a pinch of salt; cook, stirring occasionally, until lightly browned, 3-4 minutes.
- Stir in beans and their liquid, Tex-Mex paste, and remaining Southwest Spice Blend. Bring to a simmer; cook until liquid is absorbed and beans are softened, 4-6 minutes.
- Fluff rice with a fork and stir in remaining lime zest and 1 TBSP butter (2 TBSP for 4 servings). Stir into bean mixture; taste and season with salt and pepper.
- Use pan used for beef or turkey here. Stir
 beef or turkey into bean mixture along with rice.



6 STUFF PEPPERS

- Once green peppers are done roasting, remove sheet from oven. Carefully stuff with about half the filling (save the rest for serving). Evenly sprinkle with Mexican cheese blend.
- Return to top rack; bake until cheese melts, 3-4 minutes.



7 SERVE

 Divide remaining filling between plates. Top with stuffed peppers, creamy guac, tomato, and as much pickled onion (draining first) as you like. Finish with a squeeze of lime juice. Serve with any remaining lime wedges on the side.

*Ground Beef is fully cooked when internal temperature reaches 160°.	
S [*] Ground Turkey is fully cooked when internal temperature reaches 165°	

(646) 846-3663 | HELLOFRESH.COM

SHARE YOUR #HELLOFRESHPICS WITH US @HELLOFRESH

(0.0) 0.0 0000 |

WK 48-23