

PORK SAUSAGE & BELL PEPPER RISOTTO

with Parmesan & Lemon



PREP: 5 MIN COOK: 45 MIN CALORIES: 910

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STIR IT UP

Risotto needs a little TLC to become creamy and tender. Keep stirring as it simmers, adding stock in intervals.

BUST OUT

- Medium pot Paper towels
- Large pan
 Baking sheet
- Slotted spoon
- Kosher salt
- Black pepper
- Olive oil (4 tsp | 4 tsp)
- Butter (2 TBSP | 3 TBSP)
 Contains: Milk



1 SIMMER STOCK & PREP

- Adjust rack to top position and preheat oven to 425 degrees. Wash and dry produce.
- In a medium pot, combine stock concentrates and 4 cups water (7 cups for 4 servings). Bring to a simmer, then reduce heat to low.
- Trim and thinly slice **scallions**, separating whites from greens. Peel and mince or grate **garlic**. Halve, core, and slice **bell pepper** into ½-inch-thick strips. Quarter **lemon**.



2 COOK SAUSAGE

- Remove **sausage*** from casing; discard casing.
- Heat a large drizzle of olive oil in a large pan over medium-high heat. Add sausage and cook, breaking up meat into pieces, until browned and cooked through, 4-6 minutes.
- Turn off heat. Using a slotted spoon, transfer sausage to a paper-towellined plate, leaving as much **oil** in pan as possible.



3 START RISOTTO

- Heat pan with reserved oil over medium heat; add scallion whites, garlic, rice, and ½ tsp Italian
 Seasoning (1 tsp for 4 servings; you'll use more later). (TIP: If pan is dry, add another drizzle of olive oil.)
 Cook, stirring, until scallion whites are softened and rice is translucent, 1-2 minutes.
- Add ¹/₂ cup stock; stir, scraping up any browned bits from bottom of pan, until liquid has mostly absorbed.



4 FINISH RISOTTO

 Repeat process with remaining stock—adding ½ cup at a time and stirring until liquid has mostly absorbed—until rice is al dente and mixture is creamy, 25-30 minutes.
 TIP: Depending on the size of your pan, you may need a little more or a little less liquid.



5 ROAST BELL PEPPER

- While risotto simmers, toss bell pepper on a baking sheet with a large drizzle of olive oil and 1 tsp Italian Seasoning (1½ tsp for 4 servings). (Use the rest of the Italian Seasoning as you like.) Season with salt and pepper.
- Roast on top rack until softened and lightly charred, 15-20 minutes.



6 FINISH & SERVE

- Once risotto is done, stir in sausage, roasted bell pepper, half the Parmesan, and 2 TBSP butter (3 TBSP for 4 servings). Add a squeeze of lemon juice to taste and season with salt and pepper.
- Divide between bowls and sprinkle with **scallion greens** and remaining Parmesan. Serve with any **remaining lemon wedges** on the side.

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*Pork Sausage is fully cooked when internal temperature reaches 160°.