



LENTILS

These hearty legumes are savory and nutritious—the perfect stand-in for beans in chili!

SPICY ONE-POT VEGETARIAN LENTIL CHILI

with Sour Cream, Cheddar, Scallions & Tortilla Chips



PREP: 10 MIN COOK: 25 MIN CALORIES: 650



AMAZING PASTE

When you stir tomato paste into the pot, cook until it turns from bright red to brick red—that's when it's fully caramelized (and at its most delicious).

BUST OUT

Medium pot
Can opener

• Cooking oil (1 tsp | 1 tsp)

MORE IS MORE

If you upgraded your meal to double your protein or veggies and/or ordered 6 servings, you may need to cook in batches or larger cooking vessels. Remember: Larger batches may = longer cook times, so follow the visual and temperature cues. (For 6-person meals, triple the amounts in the 2-person recipe.)

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• Wash and dry produce.

• Trim and thinly slice **scallions**, separating whites from greens. Core, deseed, and finely dice **green pepper**. Dice **tomato** into ½-inch pieces. Quarter **lime**.



2 COOK VEGGIES

- Heat a drizzle of oil in a medium pot (large pot for 4 servings) over medium-high heat. Add scallion whites and green pepper; cook, stirring occasionally, until browned and softened, 5-7 minutes.
- Stir in **diced tomato**, **tomato paste**, and **Savory Paprika Blend**; cook, stirring constantly, until combined and fragrant, 1 minute.



3 SIMMER CHILI

- Stir lentils and their liquid, Tex-Mex paste, stock concentrate, and ½ cup water (1 cup for 4 servings) into pot with veggies.
- Bring to a simmer, then reduce heat to medium low. Cook, stirring frequently, until flavors meld and chili has thickened slightly, 8-10 minutes. **TIP: If chili seems too thick, stir in water a splash at a time**.



4 SERVE

 Divide chili between bowls. Top with sour cream, cheddar, scallion greens, and a squeeze of lime. Serve with tortilla chips and any remaining lime wedges on the side.