Grilled Buffalo Tofu Salad, Blue Cheese, Buttermilk Avocado Dressing

Serving Size: 1 salad

Makes 4 servings

Grilled Buffalo Tofu

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1 block	tofu, extra firm	
2 ½ tbsp	buffalo wing sauce	
1/8 tsp	salt	
1/8 tsp	ground black pepper	
as needed	cooking spray	
Buttermilk Avocado Dress (low fat)		
1 1/3 oz	fat free Greek yogurt	
¼ cup	buttermilk	
2/3 oz	avocado, peeled, cubed	
1/8 oz	shallots, chopped	
2 tsp	Italian parsley, chopped	
1/8 tsp	garlic, chopped	
1/8 tsp	ground black pepper	
1/8 tsp	salt	
Salad		
1 lb.	romaine lettuce, chopped	
¼ CUP	blue cheese, crumbled	

16 each cherry tomatoes

NUTRITION FACTS		
calories	250	
total fat (g)	13	
saturated fat (g)	3	
trans fat (g)	0	
sodium (mg)	475	
total carbohydrate (g) 11		
dietary fiber (g)	6	
sugar (g)	4	
protein (g)	25	

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Preparation:

- Drain water from tofu blocks. Press between paper towels.*
- Combine hot sauce, salt and pepper. Mix well to incorporate. Pour over whole tofu block and marinate for at least 2 hours. Reserve leftover hot sauce marinade.
- Spray a pan with cooking spray. Grill tofu for about 2 minutes on each side. Cut into 1/2" cubes. Toss with leftover marinade. Tofu will still be mostly white in color.
- Place yogurt in mesh strainer and place strainer over a bowl. Let sit for 2 hours covered in a refrigerator, to allow liquid to drip out. Discard liquid and reserve solids.
- 5. Combine all dressing ingredients in a blender and process until smooth.
- For each salad, toss together 4 oz of romaine, 4 each cherry tomatoes, 1 tbsp blue cheese, 1 fl oz (2 TBSP) avocado dressing and 4 oz wt. (1/4 block) of buffalo tofu.

*RD Note: Tofu will best absorb marinade if pressed overnight, in the refrigerator, to allow for the most moisture to be released.



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