Hummus-Chickpea

This recipe makes 6 cups





Ingredients

8 garlic cloves

4 cups chickpeas or 3-15oz cans

4 tbsp water or reserved chickpea juice

1 tsp hot sauce

6 tablespoons fresh lemon juice (or juice from **2** lemons)

⅔ **cup** tahini

1 tsp salt

Directions:

- 1. Add all the ingredients to the food processor
- 2. Process until smooth and creamy. (you can add a little bit of water or reserved chickpea liquid as you process to hit the perfect consistency)
- 3. Adjust flavor by adding extra salt if needed.
- 4. Add parchment paper to your trays
- 5. Spread the hummus evenly
- 6. Pre Freeze when possible
- 7. Freeze dry (my cycle time was 31 hours)
- 8. Store in jars for short-term use or in mylar bags for long-term storage

Rehydration:

Add 1 cup of freeze-dried hummus to a bowl and mix with about ½ cup of cold water. Adjust liquid if needed. This rehydrates quickly. Stir and enjoy

Notes:

For freeze-dried tortilla chips or pita chips, just cut any tortilla or pita into triangles and freeze-dry along with your hummus.