Churros

• Ingredients:

- o 1 cup water
- 1/2 cup butter
- o 1 cup flour
- 3 eggs
- 1/4 cup sugar
- o 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- Oil for frying

Instructions:

- Bring water and butter to a boil.
- Add flour and stir until a dough forms.
- Remove from heat and beat in eggs one at a time.
- Heat oil in a pan.
- Pipe dough into hot oil and fry until golden.
- o Drain on paper towels and roll in a mixture of sugar and cinnamon.
- Serve warm.

Coconut Rice

• Ingredients:

- o 1 cup rice
- 1 cup coconut milk
- o 1 cup water
- o 1/4 cup shredded coconut
- o 1 teaspoon salt

Instructions:

- Sauté shredded coconut until lightly browned.
- Add rice, coconut milk, water, and salt.
- o Bring to a boil, then reduce heat and simmer until rice is tender.
- Serve warm.

Coleslaw

• Ingredients:

- o 1 small cabbage
- o 2 carrots
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise
- 2 tablespoons apple cider vinegar
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 1 teaspoon salt

- Shred cabbage and grate carrots.
- Mix mayonnaise, vinegar, sugar, and salt in a bowl.
- Toss cabbage and carrots with dressing.
- Chill for at least 1 hour before serving.

Cornbread

Ingredients:

- 1 cup cornmeal
- 1 cup flour
- o 1/4 cup sugar
- 1 tablespoon baking powder
- o 1/2 teaspoon salt
- o 1 cup milk
- o 1/4 cup vegetable oil
- o 1 egg

Instructions:

- o Preheat oven to 400°F (200°C).
- o Mix cornmeal, flour, sugar, baking powder, and salt in a bowl.
- o Add milk, oil, and beaten egg, stir until combined.
- o Pour batter into a greased baking pan.
- o Bake for 20-25 minutes until golden.
- Serve warm.

Coxinha

Ingredients:

- 2 cups shredded chicken
- 1 small onion
- 2 cloves garlic
- 1/4 cup parsley
- o 1/4 cup cream cheese
- o 1 cup flour
- 1 cup breadcrumbs
- o 2 eggs
- Oil for frying

Instructions:

- Sauté diced onion and minced garlic until softened.
- o Mix shredded chicken with onion, garlic, chopped parsley, and cream cheese.
- Form mixture into drumstick shapes.
- o Dredge in flour, dip in beaten eggs, and coat with breadcrumbs.
- o Fry in hot oil until golden.
- Drain on paper towels and serve warm.

Croque Monsieur

- 8 slices bread
- 4 slices ham
- 1 cup grated Gruyère cheese
- o 1/4 cup béchamel sauce

o 2 tablespoons butter

Instructions:

- Preheat oven to 400°F (200°C).
- Spread béchamel sauce on 4 slices of bread.
- o Top with ham and grated cheese, then cover with remaining bread slices.
- Melt butter in a pan and toast sandwiches until golden.
- Transfer to a baking sheet, top with more béchamel sauce and cheese.
- o Bake for 10 minutes until cheese is melted and bubbly.
- Serve warm.

Croquetas

Ingredients:

- 1/2 cup butter
- o 1/2 cup flour
- o 2 cups milk
- o 1/2 cup ham
- 1/4 cup grated cheese
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1 cup breadcrumbs
- o 2 eggs
- Oil for frying

Instructions:

- Melt butter in a saucepan, stir in flour to make a roux.
- o Gradually add milk, stirring constantly until thickened.
- Stir in diced ham, grated cheese, salt, and nutmeg.
- Let mixture cool, then form into croquettes.
- Dredge croquettes in flour, dip in beaten eggs, and coat with breadcrumbs.
- o Fry in hot oil until golden.
- o Drain on paper towels and serve warm.

Dal Tadka

Ingredients:

- 1 cup lentils
- 4 cups water
- 1 small onion
- 2 cloves garlic
- 1 teaspoon cumin
- 1 teaspoon turmeric
- 1 teaspoon coriander
- 1 teaspoon garam masala
- 1 teaspoon salt
- o 2 tablespoons oil

- Rinse lentils and cook in water until tender.
- Heat oil in a pan and sauté diced onion and minced garlic until translucent.
- Add cumin, turmeric, coriander, and garam masala, cook for 1 minute.
- Add cooked lentils and stir to combine.
- Simmer for 10 minutes, stirring occasionally.
- Add salt to taste and serve.

Deviled Eggs

• Ingredients:

- 6 eggs
- 1/4 cup mayonnaise
- 1 tablespoon mustard
- 1 tablespoon vinegar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon paprika

Instructions:

- Hard-boil eggs, then peel and halve.
- o Remove yolks and mash with mayonnaise, mustard, vinegar, and salt.
- Spoon or pipe yolk mixture into egg whites.
- Sprinkle with paprika and serve.

Dolmas

Ingredients:

- 1 jar grape leaves
- o 1 cup rice
- 1 small onion
- 1/4 cup pine nuts
- 1/4 cup currants
- o 1/4 cup lemon juice
- o 1/4 cup olive oil
- 1 teaspoon salt

Instructions:

- Rinse grape leaves and pat dry.
- Sauté diced onion in olive oil until translucent.
- Add rice, pine nuts, and currants, cook for 5 minutes.
- o Add 1 cup water, lemon juice, and salt, simmer until rice is tender.
- Place a spoonful of rice mixture on each grape leaf and roll tightly.
- o Arrange dolmas in a pot, cover with water, and simmer for 30 minutes.
- Serve warm or chilled.

Dumplings

- 1 package dumpling wrappers
- o 1/2 pound ground pork

- 1/2 cup chopped cabbage
- o 1/4 cup chopped green onions
- 2 cloves garlic
- o 1 tablespoon soy sauce
- 1 teaspoon sesame oil
- Oil for frying

- Mix ground pork, cabbage, green onions, minced garlic, soy sauce, and sesame oil in a bowl.
- o Place a spoonful of filling on each wrapper and fold to seal.
- Fry in hot oil until golden, then steam for 5 minutes.
- Serve with dipping sauce.

Edamame

• Ingredients:

- 1 pound edamame (soybeans in pods)
- 1 tablespoon sea salt

• Instructions:

- o Steam or boil edamame until tender (about 5 minutes).
- Drain and sprinkle with sea salt.
- Serve warm.

Egusi Soup

Ingredients:

- 1 cup ground egusi seeds
- 1/2 pound beef
- o 1/2 pound fish
- 1 small onion
- 2 cloves garlic
- 4 tomatoes
- o 1/4 cup palm oil
- 1 teaspoon crayfish powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 4 cups water
- o 1/4 cup spinach

- Sauté diced onion and minced garlic in palm oil until softened.
- Add diced tomatoes, ground egusi seeds, and crayfish powder, cook for 5 minutes.
- o Add beef, fish, salt, pepper, and water, simmer until meat is tender.
- Stir in chopped spinach and cook for 5 minutes.
- Serve warm.

Egg Rolls

• Ingredients:

- 1 package egg roll wrappers
- 1 cup shredded cabbage
- 1/2 cup grated carrots
- 1/2 cup bean sprouts
- o 1/4 cup chopped green onions
- 2 tablespoons soy sauce
- 1 tablespoon sesame oil
- Oil for frying

Instructions:

- Mix cabbage, carrots, bean sprouts, green onions, soy sauce, and sesame oil in a bowl.
- Place a spoonful of filling on each wrapper and roll tightly.
- Fry in hot oil until golden.
- Drain on paper towels and serve with dipping sauce.

Elote

Ingredients:

- o 4 ears of corn
- o 1/4 cup mayonnaise
- o 1/4 cup sour cream
- 1/2 cup cotija cheese
- 1 teaspoon chili powder
- o 1 lime

Instructions:

- Grill the corn until charred.
- Mix mayonnaise and sour cream in a bowl.
- Brush the mixture onto the corn.
- Sprinkle with cotija cheese and chili powder.
- Squeeze lime juice over the top and serve.

Empanadas

- o 2 cups flour
- 1/2 cup butter
- 1/4 cup water
- 1 egg
- 1/2 pound ground beef
- 1 small onion
- o 2 cloves garlic
- o 1/4 cup olives
- o 1/4 cup raisins
- 1 teaspoon cumin

- 1 teaspoon paprika
- 1 teaspoon salt
- Oil for frying

- Mix flour, butter, water, and beaten egg to form a dough, then let rest.
- Sauté ground beef, diced onion, minced garlic, chopped olives, and raisins with cumin, paprika, and salt until cooked.
- Roll out dough and cut into circles.
- o Place a spoonful of filling on each circle and fold to seal.
- Fry in hot oil until golden.
- Drain on paper towels and serve warm.

Escalivada

• Ingredients:

- 2 eggplants
- o 2 bell peppers
- o 2 tomatoes
- 1 small onion
- 1/4 cup olive oil
- 1 teaspoon salt

Instructions:

- Preheat oven to 400°F (200°C).
- o Roast eggplants, bell peppers, tomatoes, and onion until tender.
- Peel and slice vegetables.
- Arrange on a plate and drizzle with olive oil.
- Sprinkle with salt and serve warm or at room temperature.

Falafel

Ingredients:

- 1 can chickpeas
- o 1 small onion
- 2 cloves garlic
- 1/4 cup parsley
- 1 teaspoon cumin
- 1 teaspoon coriander
- 1 teaspoon salt
- o 1/4 cup flour
- Oil for frying

- Drain and rinse chickpeas.
- Blend chickpeas, diced onion, minced garlic, chopped parsley, cumin, coriander, and salt in a food processor.
- Add flour and mix until combined.
- o Form mixture into balls and fry in hot oil until golden.

o Drain on paper towels and serve.

Farofa

• Ingredients:

- o 2 cups cassava flour
- 1/4 cup butter
- 1 small onion
- o 2 cloves garlic
- o 1/4 cup bacon
- 1/4 cup parsley
- o 1 teaspoon salt

Instructions:

- Sauté diced bacon, onion, and minced garlic in butter until crispy.
- Add cassava flour and cook, stirring constantly, until golden.
- Stir in chopped parsley and salt.
- Serve warm.

Fattoush

Ingredients:

- o 2 pita breads
- 4 tomatoes
- 1 cucumber
- 1 small red onion
- 1/4 cup parsley
- o 1/4 cup mint
- o 1/4 cup lemon juice
- o 1/4 cup olive oil
- o 1 teaspoon sumac
- 1 teaspoon salt

Instructions:

- Toast pita breads until crispy, then break into pieces.
- o Dice tomatoes and cucumber, slice red onion.
- Mix vegetables with chopped parsley and mint.
- o Whisk lemon juice, olive oil, sumac, and salt, then pour over salad.
- Toss well and serve.

Fava

- 1 cup yellow split peas
- o 1 small onion
- 2 cloves garlic
- 1/4 cup olive oil
- o 1/4 cup lemon juice
- o 1 teaspoon salt

- o Rinse split peas and cook in water until tender.
- Sauté diced onion and minced garlic in olive oil until softened.
- o Blend cooked peas with onion, garlic, lemon juice, and salt until smooth.
- Serve warm or chilled.

Feijão Tropeiro

• Ingredients:

- 2 cups cooked beans
- o 1/4 cup bacon
- o 1 small onion
- 2 cloves garlic
- o 1/4 cup cassava flour
- 1/4 cup parsley
- 1 teaspoon salt

Instructions:

- Sauté diced bacon, onion, and minced garlic until crispy.
- o Add cooked beans and cassava flour, stir to combine.
- Stir in chopped parsley and salt.
- Serve warm.

Festival

Ingredients:

- o 2 cups flour
- 1/4 cup cornmeal
- o 1/4 cup sugar
- 1 tablespoon baking powder
- o 1/2 teaspoon salt
- o 1/4 cup milk
- Oil for frying

• Instructions:

- Mix flour, cornmeal, sugar, baking powder, and salt in a bowl.
- Add milk and stir until dough forms.
- Roll out dough and cut into strips.
- o Fry in hot oil until golden.
- Drain on paper towels and serve warm.

Focaccia

- o 2 1/4 teaspoons active dry yeast
- 1 teaspoon sugar
- o 1 cup warm water
- o 2 1/2 cups flour
- o 1 teaspoon salt

- 1/4 cup olive oil
- Rosemary
- Sea salt

- Dissolve yeast and sugar in warm water, let sit until foamy.
- o Mix flour and salt in a bowl, then add yeast mixture and olive oil.
- Knead until smooth, then let rise until doubled.
- Press dough into a baking pan, dimple with fingers, and sprinkle with rosemary and sea salt.
- o Bake at 400°F (200°C) for 20-25 minutes until golden.

Freekeh Salad

• Ingredients:

- o 1 cup freekeh
- o 2 cups water
- 1 small onion
- 1/4 cup parsley
- o 1/4 cup mint
- o 1/4 cup lemon juice
- o 1/4 cup olive oil
- 1 teaspoon salt

Instructions:

- o Rinse freekeh and cook in water until tender, then drain.
- Sauté diced onion in olive oil until softened.
- Mix freekeh with sautéed onion, chopped parsley, and mint.
- Whisk lemon juice, olive oil, and salt, then pour over salad.
- Toss well and serve.

Fried Plantains

Ingredients:

- 2 ripe plantains
- 1 cup vegetable oil
- 1 teaspoon salt

Instructions:

- Peel and slice plantains.
- Heat oil in a pan and fry plantain slices until golden.
- Drain on paper towels and sprinkle with salt.
- Serve warm.

Fried Rice

- o 2 cups cooked rice
- o 1 small onion
- o 1/2 cup peas

- 1/2 cup diced carrots
- o 2 eggs
- 2 tablespoons soy sauce
- o 1 tablespoon sesame oil
- 1/4 cup chopped green onions

- Sauté diced onion, peas, and carrots in sesame oil until softened.
- o Push vegetables to the side and scramble eggs in the same pan.
- Add cooked rice and soy sauce, stir to combine.
- Cook until heated through.
- o Garnish with chopped green onions and serve.

Fufu

• Ingredients:

- 2 cups cassava flour
- 4 cups water

Instructions:

- Bring water to a boil.
- o Gradually add cassava flour, stirring constantly until thickened.
- Continue to cook, stirring, until smooth and elastic.
- Serve warm.

Gamja Jorim

Ingredients:

- o 4 potatoes
- 1/4 cup soy sauce
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1 tablespoon sesame oil
- o 1/4 cup water
- 1 tablespoon sesame seeds

Instructions:

- Peel and dice potatoes.
- Sauté potatoes in sesame oil until lightly browned.
- Add soy sauce, sugar, and water, simmer until potatoes are tender.
- o Garnish with sesame seeds and serve warm.

Garlic Bread

• Ingredients:

- 1 baguette
- 1/2 cup butter
- 4 cloves garlic
- 1/4 cup parsley
- o 1 teaspoon salt

- Preheat oven to 375°F (190°C).
- Slice baguette in half lengthwise.
- o Mix softened butter with minced garlic, chopped parsley, and salt.
- Spread mixture on bread.
- o Bake for 10-15 minutes until golden.
- Serve warm.

Gazpacho

Ingredients:

- 4 tomatoes
- 1 cucumber
- 1 small red onion
- 1 bell pepper
- 2 cloves garlic
- 1/4 cup olive oil
- o 2 tablespoons red wine vinegar
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper

Instructions:

- o Dice tomatoes, cucumber, onion, and bell pepper.
- Blend vegetables with minced garlic, olive oil, vinegar, salt, and pepper until smooth.
- Chill for at least 1 hour before serving.

Gigantes Plaki

Ingredients:

- 2 cups giant beans
- o 1 small onion
- 2 cloves garlic
- 4 tomatoes
- o 1/4 cup olive oil
- o 1 teaspoon oregano
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper

• Instructions:

- Soak beans overnight, then cook until tender.
- Sauté diced onion and minced garlic in olive oil until softened.
- o Add diced tomatoes, oregano, salt, and pepper, simmer for 10 minutes.
- Mix beans with tomato sauce and transfer to a baking dish.
- Bake at 375°F (190°C) for 30 minutes.
- Serve warm.

Goi Cuon (Spring Rolls)

- 1 package rice paper wrappers
- 1/2 pound shrimp
- 1/2 cup rice vermicelli
- 1/2 cup lettuce
- o 1/4 cup mint
- 1/4 cup cilantro
- o 1/4 cup basil
- o 1/4 cup carrots
- o 1/4 cup cucumber

- Cook shrimp and slice in half.
- Cook rice vermicelli according to package instructions, then drain.
- Soak rice paper wrappers in warm water until pliable.
- Place a small amount of shrimp, vermicelli, lettuce, mint, cilantro, basil, julienned carrots, and cucumber on each wrapper.
- Roll tightly and serve with dipping sauce.

Gomae (Spinach with Sesame Dressing)

• Ingredients:

- o 1 bunch spinach
- 2 tablespoons sesame seeds
- 1 tablespoon soy sauce
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 1 tablespoon mirin

• Instructions:

- Blanch spinach in boiling water, then rinse in cold water and squeeze out excess moisture.
- Toast sesame seeds and grind them.
- Mix sesame seeds with soy sauce, sugar, and mirin.
- Toss spinach with dressing and serve.

Gratin Dauphinois

• Ingredients:

- 4 potatoes
- 1 cup heavy cream
- o 1/2 cup milk
- 2 cloves garlic
- 1/2 cup grated Gruyère cheese
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pepper

- Preheat oven to 375°F (190°C).
- Peel and thinly slice potatoes.
- Rub a baking dish with a cut clove of garlic.

- Layer potatoes in the dish, seasoning with salt and pepper.
- o Mix cream, milk, and minced garlic, pour over potatoes.
- Sprinkle with grated Gruyère cheese.
- Bake for 45 minutes until golden and bubbly.
- Serve warm.

Greek Salad

• Ingredients:

- 4 tomatoes
- 1 cucumber
- 1 small red onion
- 1/4 cup olives
- 1/4 cup feta cheese
- 1/4 cup olive oil
- 2 tablespoons red wine vinegar
- 1 teaspoon oregano
- 1 teaspoon salt

Instructions:

- Dice tomatoes and cucumber, slice red onion.
- o Mix vegetables with olives and crumbled feta cheese.
- Whisk olive oil, vinegar, oregano, and salt, then pour over salad.
- Toss well and serve.

Green Bean Casserole

• Ingredients:

- 4 cups green beans
- 1 can cream of mushroom soup
- o 1/2 cup milk
- 1 cup fried onions
- 1 teaspoon salt
- o 1/2 teaspoon pepper

Instructions:

- Preheat oven to 350°F (175°C).
- Cook green beans until tender.
- o Mix soup, milk, salt, and pepper in a baking dish.
- Add green beans and half of the fried onions, stir to combine.
- Bake for 25 minutes.
- o Top with remaining fried onions and bake for an additional 5 minutes.
- Serve warm.

Guacamole

- 3 avocados
- o 1 lime

- 1 small onion
- o 2 tomatoes
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 tablespoon chopped cilantro
- 1 teaspoon minced garlic

- o Cut avocados in half, remove the pit, and scoop out the flesh into a bowl.
- Mash the avocados with a fork.
- o Add lime juice, diced onion, chopped tomatoes, salt, cilantro, and garlic.
- Mix well and serve immediately.

Gurkensalat (Cucumber Salad)

• Ingredients:

- o 2 cucumbers
- 1/4 cup sour cream
- 2 tablespoons vinegar
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 1 teaspoon dill
- 1 teaspoon salt

• Instructions:

- Slice cucumbers thinly.
- o Mix sour cream, vinegar, sugar, dill, and salt in a bowl.
- Toss cucumbers with the dressing.
- Serve chilled.

Gyeran Jjim

• Ingredients:

- o 4 eggs
- o 1 cup water
- o 1/4 cup green onions
- o 1 teaspoon salt
- o 1/2 teaspoon sesame oil

Instructions:

- o Beat eggs with water, salt, and chopped green onions.
- Pour mixture into a heatproof bowl.
- Steam for 10-15 minutes until set.
- Drizzle with sesame oil and serve warm.

Harira

- 1 cup lentils
- o 1/2 cup chickpeas
- o 1 small onion