# Grilled Flank Steak with Corn, Black Bean and Avocado Salad



main meals

**POINTS®** Value: 6 Servings: 4 Preparation Time: 20 min Cooking Time: 11 min Level of Difficulty: Easy

Simply seasoned steak is topped with a fabulous Mexican corn salad. Let the meat sit before slicing it to maximize its juiciness.

# Ingredients

- 1 pound raw lean flank steak
- 1 medium garlic clove(s), peeled and smashed with side of a knife

tsp fresh lime juice
tsp table salt
tsp black pepper, freshly ground

# Salad

- 1 Tbsp jalapeno pepper(s), minced (do not touch seeds with bare hands)\*
- 1 small corn on the cob, cooked, kernels removed
- 1/2 medium avocado, peeled, pitted and diced
- 1 cup canned black beans, drained and rinsed

4 tsp fresh lime juice

2 Tbsp cilantro, fresh, minced

1/8 tsp table salt

1/8 tsp black pepper

### Instructions

Preheat grill to medium hot.

Score steak on one side by making shallow crisscross slashes with a sharp knife; rub garlic over cut surface of steak. Brush steak with lime juice and season with salt and pepper; set meat aside for 10 minutes to allow meat to absorb flavors.

Meanwhile, combine salad ingredients in a medium bowl; stir gently and set aside.

Grill flank steak for 5 minutes on first side; flip and grill until well-browned on outside and medium-rare inside, about 5 to 6 minutes more. Immediately remove steak from grill and set aside on a clean plate for 5 minutes for meat to reabsorb juices. Thinly slice steak across grain and serve with salad. Yields about 3 1/2 ounces of steak and 1/2 cup of salad per serving.

### Notes

\*One tablespoon of minced jalapeno equals one very small chile. Taste a piece. If it has no bite, add 1/4 teaspoon of crushed red pepper flakes to the salad.

Letting cooked meat sit to reabsorb its juices is key to a great steak.