This protein-packed soup is an ideal dinner for busy days.

**Slow Cooker Size/Shape:** 3- to 4 1/2-quart round or oval

Slow Cooking Time: 6 to 8 hours on low, OR 2 to 3 hours on high

## **Nutrition Facts**

Kale and Red Quinoa Soup		
Calories	245 Per Serving	
Protein	10g Per Serving	
Fiber	10g Per Serving	
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Calories		245
Total Fat		6.0 g
Saturated Fat		0.5 g
Trans Fat		0.0 g
Polyunsaturated Fat		1.0 g
Monounsaturated Fat		3.0 g
Cholesterol		0 mg
Sodium		294 mg
Total Carbohydrate		40 g
Dietary Fiber		10 g
Sugars		6 g
Protein		10 g
Ingredients		

## **Servings** 4 **Serving Size** 1 1/2 cups per serving

- 1 14.5-ounce can no-salt-added whole tomatoes, undrained
- 1 14.5-ounce can no-salt-added Great Northern beans, rinsed and drained
- 4 cups coarsely chopped kale (1/2 of a 5-ounce bunch), any large stems discarded
- 2 cups fat-free **vegetable broth** (low-sodium)
- 1/2 cup red quinoa, rinsed and drained in a fine-mesh sieve
- 1 medium carrot, cut into 1/2-inch slices (about 1/2 cup)
- 1 medium rib of **celery**, cut into 1/2-inch slices (about 1/2 cup)
- 1/2 cup chopped **red onion**
- 1 tablespoon olive oil

- 2 medium minced garlic cloves
- 3/4 teaspoon dried herbes de Provence or dried thyme, crumbled
- 1/2 teaspoon crushed red pepper flakes
- 1/2 teaspoon smoked **paprika** (sweet or hot)
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper

## Directions

1. Put all the ingredients in the slow cooker. Cook, covered, on low for 6 to 8 hours or on high for 2 to 3 hours, or until the vegetables and quinoa are tender.