

Optional as a condiment

12 grams of protein into the

base of your bowl with the

need for additional animal

protein should be considered

optional or could be deployed

inclusion of lentils, so the

in smaller quantities. · 2 oz of skewered beef • 2 oz of grilled shrimp

• 2 oz lamb kofte

· 2 oz grilled chicken

• 2 oz meatball

You have already packed

ANIMAL **PROTEIN** 

(2 oz or less)

# **HOW TO BUILD A POWER** BOWL

#### **BASE**

1/2 cup of lentils + 1/2 cup of whole grains

Grains that pair well with lentils:

- Brown rice
- White rice
- Quinoa
- Couscous
- Rve Farro
- Buckwheat
- · Wild rice
- Barley

Brown rice is the top grain consumers want to see paired with

lentils in power bowls

### **GARNISH AWAY**

Generous use of spices, herbs, aromatics, nuts, seeds, to flavor & inspire

- Fried sage leaf
- Toasted pumpkin seeds
- Candied nuts
- Dried fruits and berries
- Crumbled or grilled cheese

There is 12 grams of protein and 8 grams of fiber in ½ cup of cooked lentils

> 64% of consumers are willing to pay more for a menu item with more protein

## **GET** SAUCEY

Allow a great dressing, vinaigrette, marinade, sauce, or dollop of a hummus to help introduce a whole new flavor profile.

## Pickled veggies

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### **PRODUCE**

Raw, roasted, or pickled; add a double portion (1 cup) of your favorite seasonal veggies

- Leafy greens
- Tomatoes
- Cucumbers
- Mushrooms
- Green beans
- Red onion
- Zucchini and squashes
- Root vegetables
- Potatoes (regular and sweet)
- · Fruits, citrus, and berries