Mushroom-Miso Spaghetti

Vegetarian Serves 2

- 230 g spaghetti
- 1 T extra-virgin olive oil
- 165 g sliced shiitake
- 1 T white miso
- 28 g unsalted butter, cut into pieces
- ½ tsp grated garlic
- 1/4 tsp ground pepper
- 1/8 tsp salt
- 1/8 C thinly sliced scallions (optional)



- 1. Bring a medium pot of water to a boil over **high heat**. Cook pasta according to package directions. Reserve **80 ml cooking water**; drain. Return the pasta to the pot.
- 2. Meanwhile, heat oil in a large skillet over medium heat.
- 3. Add **mushrooms**; cook, stirring about **every 2 minutes**, until browned and softened, **about 10 minutes**.
- 4. Whisk **miso** into the reserved cooking water in a small bowl until combined.
- 5. Add the **mushrooms**, the **miso-water mixture**, **butter**, **garlic**, **pepper** and **salt** to the pasta in the pot; gently stir until the pasta is coated in a creamy sauce
- 6. Divide the pasta mixture among 4 bowls. Top with **scallions**, if desired.