

# **UCOOK**

### One Pot Moroccan Quinoa

with green olives & bell pepper

It's Morocco in one pot. A mouthwatering sauce with layers of onions, peppers, harissa paste, tomatoes, flavourful spices, and earthy spinach is complemented by fluffy quinoa. Topped with golden mushrooms & toasted almonds. Garnished with a squeeze of lemon juice & chopped parsley. Whoever is on dish duty tonight is going to be happy!

Hands-on Time: 25 minutes

Overall Time: 40 minutes

Serves: 1 Person

Chef: Samantha du Toit

Veggie

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Ingredients & Prep	
10g	Almonds roughly chopped
125g	Button Mushrooms wiped clean & roughly

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10<sub>m</sub>l

75<sub>m</sub>l

20g

30g

3g

1

sliced
Onion
½ peeled & roughly diced

Green Pepper ½ rinsed, deseeded & cut into bite-sized pieces

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Pesto Princess Harissa
Paste

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Plum Tomato
rinsed & roughly diced

rinsed

10ml Stock & Spice Mix

Quinoa

Stock & Spice Mix (2,5ml Ground Cumin, 2,5ml Ground Paprika & 5ml Vegetable Stock) Spinach

rinsed

Lemons
rinsed, zested & cut into
wedges

Pitted Green Olives drained & halved Fresh Parsley

rinsed, picked & roughly chopped

## From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut) Salt & Pepper Water 1. GOLDEN ALMONDS Place the chopped almonds in a pot (big enough for the quinoa) over medium heat. Toast until golden brown, 2-4 minutes (shifting occasionally). Remove from the pot and set aside.

2. YUMMY MUSHROOMS Return the pot to medium-high heat with a drizzle of oil. When hot, fry the mushrooms until golden and crispy, 5-6 minutes (shifting occasionally). Remove from the pot, season, and set aside.

3. ONE POT WONDER Return the pot to medium heat with a drizzle of oil. When hot, fry the diced onion and the pepper pieces until charred, 4-5 minutes (shifting occasionally). Add the harissa paste and fry until fragrant, 1-2 minutes. Add the diced tomatoes, the rinsed quinoa, the stock & spice mix, and 150ml of salted water. Cover and bring to a boil. Reduce the heat and simmer until the quinoa tails have popped out, 12-15 minutes. In the final 2-3 minutes, stir through the rinsed spinach until

wilted. Remove from the heat, stir through a squeeze of lemon juice,

through, 2-3 minutes.

the lemon zest (to taste), the halved olives, and seasoning until heated

4. TUCK IN! Bowl up the Moroccan quinoa. Dress with a generous squeeze of lemon juice. Top with the golden mushrooms and the toasted almonds. Garnish with the chopped parsley. Serve any remaining lemon wedges on the side. Wow, Chef!

#### **Nutritional Information**

Per 100g

Energy 330kl Energy 79kcal Protein 2.9g Carbs 12g of which sugars 2.7g Fibre 2.7g Fat 2.5g of which saturated 0.2g 172mg Sodium

#### Allergens

Allium, Sulphites, Tree Nuts

Cook within 3 Days