

# **UCOOK**

# Butternut & Ancient Grain Salad

with roasted onion wedges & toasted almonds

A simple yet divine dinner awaits - roasted butternut and onion wedges jumbled in ancient grains, sun-dried tomatoes, almonds and feta. A squeeze of lemon juice and a sprinkle of coriander, it's a winner!

Hands-On Time: 25 minutes

Overall Time: 45 minutes

**Serves:** 2 People

Chef: Thea Richter



Vegetarian



No paired wines

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### Ingredients & Prep

500g Butternut cut into bite-sized chunks

Red Onion peeled & cut into wedges

> Ancient Grain Mix (60ml Red Rice, 60ml Pearled Barely & 60ml Spelt)

20g Almonds Red Wine Vinegar

180ml

10ml

8g

50g

Lemon

zested & cut into wedges Fresh Coriander

rinsed, picked & roughly chopped

Sun-dried Tomatoes drained & roughly chopped

80g Green Leaves rinsed

100g Danish-style Feta drained

## From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut) Salt & Pepper

Water

Sugar/Sweetener/Honey

- 1. ROAST VEG Preheat the oven to 200°C. Place the butternut chunks and the onion wedges on a roasting tray, coat in oil, and season. Roast in the hot oven for 30-35 minutes until cooked through and crisping up, shifting halfway.
- 2. ANCIENT GRAIN MIX Place the ancient grain mix in a pot with 400ml of salted water and bring to a boil. Once boiling, reduce the heat. Allow to simmer for 25-30 minutes, stirring occasionally as the water is absorbed and adding more only if required. Drain if necessary and season to taste.
- 3. ALMOND TIME Place the almonds in a pan over a medium heat. Toast for 3-5 minutes until browned, shifting occasionally. Remove from the pan and roughly chop.
- 4. MIX IT UP When the veg is finished roasting, place the red wine vinegar, 20ml of a sweetener of choice and 20ml of olive oil in a salad bowl. Mix until the sweetener is fully dissolved. Add the cooked ancient grains, some lemon zest, 1/2 the chopped almonds, 1/2 the chopped coriander, ½ the chopped sun-dried tomatoes, the green leaves and the roasted veg. Toss until fully combined.
- 5. ENJOY YOURSELF! Serve up a heaped helping of the butternut and ancient grain salad. Crumble over the feta and sprinkle over the remaining sun-dried tomatoes, coriander and almonds. Squeeze over a generous squeeze of lemon juice and serve with any remaining wedges.



To make sure your butternut and onion do get crispy, spread them out with a little space between each piece and don't overcrowd the tray!

#### **Nutritional Information**

Per 100a

Energy	572kJ
Energy	137Kcal
Protein	4.7g
Carbs	19g
of which sugars	3.4g
Fibre	4.3g
Fat	4.6g
of which saturated	1.9g
Sodium	111mg

#### **Allergens**

Gluten, Dairy, Allium, Wheat, Sulphites, Tree Nuts

> Cook within 4 Days