

Indian-Inspired Braised Halloumi and Spinach

with Roasted Squash and Zesty Rice

Deluxe Veggie

35 Minutes





Halloumi Cheese





3/4 cup | 1 1/2 cups



Flatbread



Butternut Squash, cubes 340 g | 680 g



113 g | 227 g



Cilantro

7 g | 14 g





Coconut Milk

1 | 2



Puree



Indian Spice Mix



1 tbsp | 2 tbsp



Crispy Shallots



28 g | 56 g

Cooking utensils | Baking sheet, large non-stick pan, measuring cups, measuring spoons, medium pot, paper towels, parchment paper, small bowl, strainer, zester



Roast squash and start prep

- Before starting, preheat the oven to 425°F.
- · Wash and dry all produce.
- Add squash, half the Indian Spice Mix and ½ tbsp (1 tbsp) oil to a parchment-lined baking sheet. Season with salt and pepper. Toss to coat. Roast in the middle of the oven, stirring halfway, until golden and tender, 18-22 min.
- While squash roasts, add 1 ¼ cups (2 ½ cups) water, 1 tbsp (2 tbsp) butter and ½ tsp (¼ tsp) salt to a medium pot. Cover and bring to a boil over high heat.
- Once the water boiling, add rice, then reduce heat to low. Cover and cook until rice is tender and liquid is absorbed, 12-14 min. Remove from heat. Set aside, still covered.



Finish prep and cook rice

- Meanwhile, zest, then juice half the lime. Cut remaining lime into wedges.
- Peel, then cut onion into 1/4-inch pieces.
- Roughly chop cilantro.
- Roughly chop spinach. (TIP: Place spinach in a bowl, then roughly chop using a pair of kitchen shears or scissors!)



Fry halloumi

- Heat a large non-stick pan over medium-high heat.
- While pan heats, cut halloumi into ½-inch cubes. Using a strainer, rinse halloumi in cold water, then pat dry with paper towels.
- When hot, add ½ tbsp (1 tbsp) oil, then halloumi. (NOTE: Don't overcrowd the pan.
 For 4 ppl, cook in batches.) Cook, stirring occasionally, until golden-brown, 4-6 min.
 Transfer to a plate and cover to keep warm.



Start braise

- Melt 1 tbsp (2 tbsp) butter in a small microwaveable bowl for 30 sec. Add half the cilantro. Season with salt and pepper. Stir to mix.
- Reheat the same pan over medium. When hot, add 1 tbsp (2 tbsp) oil and onions. Cook, stirring often, until softened and golden, 3-4 min.
- Add ginger-garlic puree and remaining Indian Spice Mix. Stir to combine.



Finish braise and toast flatbread

- Add coconut milk, halloumi, stock powder and lime juice to the pan with onion mixture. Bring to a simmer over high.
- Once simmering, reduce heat to medium. Cook, stirring often, until sauce has thickened slightly and halloumi is tender, 3-4 min.
- While braise cooks, place flatbread directly on top rack of oven. Toast until lightly crisp, 2-4 min.
- Add squash and spinach to halloumi braise.
 Cook, stirring often, until spinach wilts,
 1-2 min.



Finish and serve

- Brush cilantro butter over flatbreads and tear or cut into wedges.
- Fluff rice with a fork. Stir in lime zest, half the crispy shallots and remaining cilantro.
- Divide **rice**, **halloumi braise** and **flatbreads** between plates.
- Sprinkle remaining crispy shallots over top.
- Squeeze a lime wedge over top.

Measurements within steps

1 tbsp (2 tbsp) oil
2 person 4 person Ingredie