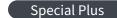


# HELLO Seared Duck in Orange-Apricot Sauce

with Almonds and Rosemary Roasted Potatoes



40 Minutes



Double Duck Breast









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Apricot Spread



White Wine Vinegar

2 tbsp | 4 tbsp





Concentrate









28 g | 28 g

2 | 4



All-Purpose Flour 1 tbsp | 2 tbsp



**Navel Orange** 1 | 2





Cooking utensils | 2 Baking sheets, medium non-stick pan, measuring spoons, zester, large bowl, parchment paper, small bowl, measuring cups, whisk, large non-stick pan, paper towels



#### Cook duck

- Before starting, preheat the oven to 450°F.
- Wash and dry all produce.

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- Pat duck dry with paper towels.
- Using a sharp knife, score skin side of **duck** in a crisscross pattern. Season with **salt** and **pepper**.
- Add duck to a cold, large non-stick pan, skin-side down. Cook over medium heat until skin is crispy, 10-12 min.
- Transfer duck to a parchment-lined baking sheet, skinside up. Roast in the bottom of the oven until cooked through, 8-12 min.\*\*
- Discard all but 1 tbsp (2 tbsp) duck fat from the pan.
- When **duck** is done, transfer to a plate to rest, 3-5 min.



#### Roast potatoes

- Meanwhile, cut potatoes into 1/4-inch rounds.
- Strip **rosemary leaves** from stem, then finely chop.
- Add potatoes, rosemary and 1 tbsp oil to another parchment-lined baking sheet. (NOTE: For 4 ppl, use 2 baking sheets, with 1 tbsp oil per sheet.)
- Season with salt and pepper, then toss to coat.
- Roast in the middle of the oven, flipping halfway through, until golden-brown,
   22-25 min. (NOTE: For 4 ppl, roast in the middle and top of the oven, rotating sheets halfway through.)



#### Prep

- Meanwhile, peel, then cut shallot into 1/4-inch pieces.
- Zest orange.
- Cut a piece off the top and bottom ends of orange.
  Place a flat end on a cutting board, then cut the peel away from top to bottom to expose flesh, turning orange as you go.
- Place **orange** on its side and cut into ¼-inch rounds.
- Squeeze juice from orange peels and collect any juices on the cutting board in a small bowl to get 3 tbsp (6 tbsp) orange juice. (NOTE: If you don't have enough juice, squeeze an orange slice.)



# Make vinaigrette and toast almonds

- Heat a medium non-stick pan over medium heat.
- When the pan is hot, add almonds to the dry pan.
- Toast, stirring often, until golden-brown, 4-5 min. (TIP: Keep your eye on them so they don't burn!)
- Transfer toasted almonds to a plate.
- While the pan heats, add vinegar, ½ tsp (1 tsp) orange zest, 1 tsp (2 tsp) apricot spread and 1 tbsp (2 tbsp)
   oil to a large bowl.
- Season with salt and pepper, then whisk to combine.



## Cook orange-apricot sauce

- When duck is almost done roasting, heat the pan with reserved duck fat (from step 1) over medium.
- When hot, add **shallots**. Cook, stirring often, until softened slightly, 1-2 min.
- Sprinkle flour over shallots. Cook, stirring often, until coated, 30 sec.
- Gradually whisk in ½ cup (1 cup) water, broth concentrate, orange juice and remaining apricot spread. Increase heat to medium-high and bring to a simmer.
- Once simmering, cook, whisking often, until sauce thickens slightly, 1-2 min.
- Add 1 tbsp (2 tbsp) butter and season with salt, then stir to combine.
- Remove the pan from heat.



#### Finish and serve

- Add arugula and spinach mix and orange slices to the bowl with vinaigrette. Toss to coat.
- Thinly slice duck.
- Divide duck, potatoes and salad between plates.
- Spoon orange-apricot sauce over duck.
- Sprinkle almonds over salad.



(2 tbsp) oil

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If you've opted for **double duck**, prepare and cook it in the same way the recipe instructs you to prepare and cook the **regular portion of duck**. Work in batches, if necessary.

1 tbsp

