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Greek Pan-Roasted Sirloin Steak

with Scallion Orzo & Spinach Salad





Native to Greece, Kalamata olives have a tender texture. Greece's Kalamata olive is delicious on its own, but it's also a great ingredient for adding big flavor to a meal. Here, the olives add a delightful brininess to a warm lemon-scallion dressing drizzled over pan-seared sirloin steak.

What we send

- 2 scallions
- 1 oz Kalamata olives
- 3 oz orzo ¹
- 1 cucumber
- 10 oz pkg sirloin steaks
- 1 lemon
- 3 oz baby spinach

What you need

- olive oil
- kosher salt & ground pepper
- white wine vinegar (or red wine vinegar) ¹⁷
- sugar
- garlic

Tools

- small saucepan
- medium ovenproof skillet
- microplane or grater

Allergens

Wheat (1), Sulphites (17). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

Nutrition per serving

Calories 620kcal, Fat 32g, Carbs 43g, Protein 41g



1. Prep ingredients

Trim **scallions**, then thinly slice on an angle, keeping dark greens separate. Finely chop **1 teaspoon garlic**. Finely chop **olives**, removing pits, if necessary.



2. Cook orzo

Heat **1 tablespoon oil** in a small saucepan over medium-high. Add **orzo**; cook, stirring, until lightly toasted, about 2 minutes. Add **scallion whites and light greens** and **chopped garlic**; cook until fragrant, 1 minute. Add **1¼ cups water** and **¼ teaspoon salt** Bring to a boil. Cover, reduce heat to low, and cook until liquid is mostly absorbed, 7-10 minutes. Keep covered.



3. Marinate cucumbers

Meanwhile, peel **cucumber**, halve lengthwise, and scoop out seeds; thinly slice crosswise into half moons. In a medium bowl, combine **1 tablespoon each of oil and vinegar** with **a pinch of sugar**, whisking until sugar dissolves. Add cucumbers and toss to coat. Season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**. Reserve for step 6.



4. SIRLOIN STEAK VARIATION

Preheat broiler with rack in the top position. Pat **steaks** dry, then season with **salt** and **pepper**. Heat **1 teaspoon oil** in a medium ovenproof skillet over high. Add steaks and cook until well browned on the bottom, 3-4 minutes. Drizzle steaks lightly with **oil**. Broil on top oven rack until golden and cooked to medium-rare, 3-5 minutes (watch closely).



5. Dress steal

Finely grate ½ teaspoon lemon zest and squeeze 2 teaspoons lemon juice into a small bowl. Whisk in 1 tablespoon oil.
Stir in olives and scallion dark greens.
Season to taste with salt and pepper.
Carefully remove steak from oven, then pour dressing over top, swirling to warm dressing.



6. Finish salad & serve

Add **spinach** to bowl with **cucumbers**, tossing to combine. Season **orzo** to taste with **salt** and **pepper**. Serve **steak** with **garlic-scallion orzo** and **spinach salad** alongside. Spoon **warm dressing** over top. Enjoy!