



Mediterranean Grain Bowl & Readymade Chicken

with Roasted Carrots, Feta & Tzatziki



35min



2 Servings

Like the bright Mediterranean sunshine, this grain bowl will invigorate you! We roast carrots and onions with baharat spice, a blend of warm (not hot!) spices including cumin and cardamom. Plump golden raisins are the base of a vinaigrette, which we toss with ready to heat chicken, nutritious brown rice, and fresh mint. Creamy tzatziki, almonds, and feta complete this grain bowl that will fill you up without weighing you down.

What we send

- 5 oz quick-cooking brown rice
- 2 carrots
- 1 red onion
- garlic
- ½ lb pkg ready to heat chicken
- ¼ oz baharat spice blend
- 1 oz golden raisins ¹⁷
- ¼ oz fresh mint
- 1 oz salted almonds ¹⁵
- 4 oz tzatziki ^{7,15}
- 2 oz feta ⁷

What you need

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

Tools

- rimmed baking sheet
- medium saucepan
- fine-mesh sieve

Allergens

Milk (7), Tree Nuts (15), Sulphites (17). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

Nutrition per serving

Calories 980kcal, Fat 51g, Carbs 88g, Protein 44g



1. Cook rice

Preheat oven to 450°F with a rack in the upper third. Place a rimmed baking sheet in oven to preheat.

Bring a medium saucepan of **salted water** to a boil. Add **rice** and boil (like pasta) stirring occasionally, until just tender, about 22 minutes. Drain rice in a fine-mesh sieve; transfer to a medium bowl and cover to keep warm. Reserve saucepan for step 4.



4. Cook raisins

Meanwhile, in reserved saucepan, heat **2 tablespoons vinegar, 1 tablespoon water**, and **¼ teaspoon sugar** over medium. Add **half of the raisins** (save rest for own use) and cook, stirring occasionally, until plump, 1-2 minutes. Transfer raisins and liquid to a 2nd medium bowl.



2. Prep ingredients

Meanwhile, halve **the carrots** lengthwise, then cut on an angle into 2-inch pieces (save rest for own use).

Halve and thinly slice **all of the onion**. Finely chop **2 teaspoons garlic**.

Cut or tear **chicken** into bite-size pieces.



5. Make vinaigrette

To the bowl with **raisins**, whisk in **3 tablespoons oil**. Season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**. Add **remaining onions** and toss to coat.

Pick **mint** from stems and tear leaves if large; discard stems. Coarsely chop **almonds**.



3. Cook carrots

On preheated baking sheet, carefully toss **carrots, garlic, ⅔ of the onions**, and **1 tablespoon each of oil and baharat spice blend**. Season with **salt** and **pepper**.

Return baking sheet to upper oven rack and roast until carrots are softened and browned in spots and onions are jammy, 15-18 minutes.



6. Finish & serve

Smear **tzatziki** on the insides of serving bowls. To the bowl with **vinaigrette**, add **rice** and **most of the mint**; toss to coat. Spoon **rice mixture** into serving bowls and top with **carrots and onions**. Crumble **feta cheese** over top. Garnish with **chicken, almonds** and **remaining mint leaves**. Enjoy!