MARLEY SPOON



Warm Grain & Squash Salad

with Brown Butter Vinaigrette





30-40min 2 Servings

This is a grain bowl meets salad that has it all: roasted pieces of butternut squash and red onion, chewy farro, sweet-tart dried apricots, creamy feta cheese, fresh spinach, and crunchy roasted salted pumpkin seeds. A warm, nutty brown-butter vinaigrette brings it all together. Autumn in a bowl. Cook, relax, and enjoy!

What we send

- ½ lb butternut squash
- 1 red onion
- 1 oz diced dried apricots
- 4 oz farro ²
- 2 (¼ oz) Dijon mustard
- 5 oz baby spinach
- 2 oz feta ¹
- 1 oz pumpkin seeds

What you need

- kosher salt & ground pepper
- · olive oil
- butter 1
- apple cider vinegar (or white wine vinegar)

Tools

- medium pot
- rimmed baking sheet
- · fine-mesh sieve
- small skillet

Allergens

Milk (1), Wheat (2). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

Nutrition per serving

Calories 770kcal, Fat 46g, Carbs 78g, Protein 19g



1. Roast vegetables

Preheat oven to 450°F with a rack in the upper third. Bring a medium pot of **salted** water to a boil. Cut **squash** into ¾-inch pieces. Cut **onion** into 1-inch pieces. In a medium bowl, toss squash and onions with **2 tablespoons oil** and season with **salt** and **pepper**. Transfer to a rimmed baking sheet and roast on upper oven rack until tender, 18–20 minutes.



2. Cook farro

Meanwhile, chop **apricots**, if necessary. To pot with boiling **salted water**, add **apricots** and **farro** and cook until tender, 18-20 minutes. Drain well; cover to keep warm off heat.



3. Brown butter

In a small skillet, melt **2 tablespoons butter** over medium-high, swirling skillet occasionally, until starting to brown, 3-4 minutes (watch carefully as butter burns easily). Immediately scrape into a small bowl and whisk with **1 tablespoon oil**.



4. Warm grains

Transfer **farro** and **apricots** to baking sheet with **vegetables**. Toss gently to combine. Bake on upper oven rack until grains are warm, 2-3 minutes.



5. Make vinaigrette

In a large bowl, whisk to combine 1 tablespoon vinegar and all of the Dijon mustard. In a slow, steady stream, whisk in brown butter and oil mixture; season to taste with salt and pepper.



6. Finish & serve

Transfer farro and roasted vegetables to bowl with brown butter vinaigrette. Add spinach and toss gently to coat. Crumble feta cheese into salad along with half of the pumpkin seeds and toss to combine. Transfer salad to a platter and garnish with remaining pumpkin seeds. Enjoy!