

Citrus Lentil Salad

with Almonds and Apricot Vinaigrette

Veggie

Quick

25 Minutes



A golden blend of aromatic and zesty spices!

Start here

Before starting, wash and dry all produce.

Bust out

Measuring spoons, strainer, zester, large bowl, whisk, large non-stick pan

Ingredients

	2 Person	4 Person
Lentils	370 ml	740 ml
Dal Spice Blend	1 tbsp	2 tbsp
Navel Orange	1	2
Arugula and Spinach Mix	113 g	227 g
Almonds, sliced	28 g	28 g
Apricot Spread	2 tbsp	4 tbsp
Lemon	1	2
Sweet Bell Pepper	160 g	320 g
Shallot	50 g	100 g
Ginger	15 g	30 g
Garlic, cloves	1	2
Cilantro	7 g	7 g
Oil*		
Salt and Pepper*		

* Pantry items

Allergens

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Ingredients are packaged in a facility that also handles egg, fish, crustacean, shellfish, milk, mustard, peanuts, sesame, soy, sulphites, tree nuts and wheat.

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Prep

Using a strainer, drain and rinse **lentils**. Peel, then mince or grate **garlic**. Roughly chop **cilantro**. Peel, then mince or grate **half the ginger** (use all for 4 ppl). Peel, then finely chop **shallot**. Core, then cut **pepper** into ¼-inch slices. Zest, then juice **lemon**. Zest **orange**. Cut a ¼-inch piece off the top and bottom ends of **orange**. Place one flat end on a cutting board, then cut the peel away from top to bottom, turning **orange** as you go. When peeled completely, place **orange** on its side and cut into ¼-inch rounds.



Cook lentils

Heat the same pan (from step 2) over medium-high. Add ½ **tbsp oil** (dbl for 4 ppl), then **garlic** and **remaining shallots**. Cook, stirring occasionally, until fragrant, 1 min. Add **lentils**. Sprinkle **Dal Spice Blend** over top. Cook, stirring occasionally, until **lentils** are warmed through and **spices** are fragrant, 1-2 min. Season with **salt** and **pepper**, to taste. Remove the pan from heat. Add **remaining lemon zest**, **remaining orange zest** and **half the vinaigrette**, then stir to combine.



Toast almonds

Heat a large non-stick pan over medium heat. When hot, add **almonds** to the dry pan. Toast, stirring often, until golden, 3-5 min. (**TIP**: Keep your eye on them so they don't burn!) Transfer **almonds** to a plate.



Make vinaigrette

While **almonds** toast, whisk together **apricot spread**, **ginger**, a **quarter of the shallots**, **half the lemon zest**, **half the orange zest**, **lemon juice**, any **orange juice** from the cutting board and **3 tbsp oil** (dbl for 4 ppl) in a large bowl. Season with **salt** and **pepper**, to taste.

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Toss salad

Add **cilantro**, **arugula and spinach mix** and **peppers** to the large bowl with **remaining vinaigrette**. Toss to combine.



Finish and serve

Arrange **orange rounds** along plate edges. Divide **salad** between plates, then top with **lentils**. Sprinkle with **almonds**.

Dinner Solved!