

## Seared Duck in Apricot Sauce

with Rosemary Roasted Potatoes

Discovery Special Duck Special

35 Minutes





**Duck Breast** 



Rosemary





Apricot Spread



White Wine Vinegar



Chicken Broth



Concentrate



Almonds, sliced



Arugula and Spinach

Dijon Mustard



Russet Potato



All-Purpose Flour

## Start here

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

#### **Bust out**

2 Baking sheets, medium non-stick pan, measuring spoons, large bowl, parchment paper, measuring cups, whisk, large non-stick pan, paper towels

## Ingredients

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	2 Person	4 Person
Duck Breast	2	4
Rosemary	1 sprig	2 sprig
Apricot Spread	2 tbsp	4 tbsp
White Wine Vinegar	1 tbsp	2 tbsp
Chicken Broth Concentrate	1	2
Arugula and Spinach Mix	56 g	113 g
Almonds, sliced	28 g	28 g
Dijon Mustard	1 ½ tsp	3 tsp
Russet Potato	460 g	920 g
All-Purpose Flour	1 tbsp	2 tbsp
Unsalted Butter*	1 tbsp	2 tbsp
Oil*		

Salt and Pepper\*

- \* Pantry items
- \*\* Cook duck to an internal temperature of 74°C/165°F, which will yield a medium-well doneness.

### **Allergens**

Hey home cooks! Please refer to the website or app for the as-prepared recipe nutritional information.

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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#### Sear duck

- Pat duck dry with paper towels.
- Using a sharp knife, score skin side of duck in a criss-cross 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.
- Flip and cook until golden-brown, 2-3 min.
- Transfer duck to a parchment-lined baking sheet, skin-side up. Roast in the bottom of the oven until cooked through, 8-12 min.\*\*
- Reserve **1 tbsp duck fat** (dbl for 4 ppl) in the pan, carefully discarding remaining fat. When **duck** is done, transfer to a plate to rest, 3-5 min.



# Make vinaigrette and start sauce

- Add vinegar, half the Dijon, 1 tsp apricot spread and 1 ½ tbsp oil (dbl both for 4 ppl) to a large bowl. Season with salt and pepper, to taste, then whisk to combine.
- When **duck** is halfway through roasting, heat the pan with **duck fat** (from step 1) over medium. When hot, sprinkle **our** into the pan. Cook, whisking constantly, until combined, 30 sec.



## Roast potatoes

- Meanwhile, cut **potatoes** into ¼-inch rounds.
- Strip **rosemary leaves** from stem, then finely chop.
- Add potatoes, rosemary and 1 tbsp oil to an unlined 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.)



#### Toast almonds

- Meanwhile, heat a medium non-stick pan over medium heat.
- When 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 **almonds** to a plate.



## Finish apricot sauce

- Gradually whisk in ¾ cup water (dbl for 4 ppl), broth concentrate, remaining Dijon and remaining apricot spread. Increase heat to medium-high and bring to a simmer.
- Once simmering, cook, whisking often, until sauce thickens slightly, 30 sec-1 min.
- Add **1 tbsp butter** (dbl for 4 ppl) and season with **salt**, to taste, then stir to combine. Remove the pan from heat.



## Finish and serve

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

