

# Butternut Squash Risotto

with Green Beans and Rocket





**HELLO PISTACHIOS** 

Known as the 'smiling nut' in Iran and the 'happy nut' in China and sometimes even the 'green almond.







**Chopped Butternut** Squash



Vegetable Stock Powder



**Echalion Shallot** 



Garlic Clove



Green Beans





Pistachios





Arborio Rice



White Wine Vinegar



Lemon



35 mins





Veggie

Creamy, hearty and wholesome, our dairy-free butternut squash risotto is the perfect recipe for a cosy night in. Rosemary and butternut squash are a delicious flavour combination, especially when roasted together in the oven before being mashed into a rough purée. Mashing tiop[he squash thickens the risotto, as well as giving it a lovely creamy texture. Serve in deep bowls and top with the lemony dressed rocket and chopped pistachios.

### **BEFORE YOU** START

Our fruit and veggies need a little wash before you use them! Make sure you've got some a Baking Tray, two Large Saucepans, a Measuring Jug and Ladle. Now, let's get cooking!



#### **ROAST THE SQUASH**

Preheat your oven to 200°C. Pick the rosemary leaves from their stalks and finely chop (discard the stalks). Pop the **butternut** squash onto a baking tray and drizzle on a splash of oil. Season with salt and pepper and sprinkle on the rosemary. Use your hands to rub the flavours all over the squash. Roast on the top shelf of your oven until soft and golden, 18-20 mins. Turn halfway through cooking.



#### **PREP TIME**

Meanwhile, fill a large saucepan with water (see ingredients for amount) and pop onto medium heat to slowly come to the boil. Stir in and dissolve the **stock powder**. Halve, peel and chop the shallot into small chunks. Peel and grate the **garlic** (or use a garlic press). Trim the green beans and chop into thirds. Remove the **pistachios** form their shells. Discard the shells and roughly chop the **nuts**.



#### **START THE RISOTTO**

Heat a splash of oil in another large saucepan on medium heat. Add the shallot, Italian style herbs and a pinch of salt and pepper. Stir and cook until soft, 3-4 mins. Stir in the garlic and cook for 1 minute more. Pour in the rice and stir together. Cook and stir for 1 minute so the **rice** is coated in the **garlicky** oil. Add the white wine vinegar and allow it to evaporate.



#### STIR IT UP!

Add a ladleful of the **stock** and stir. Once the rice has absorbed the stock, add another ladleful and repeat. Continue adding ladlefuls of **stock**, stirring regularly until it has all been absorbed by the rice. This should take 20-25 mins. \*TIP: Let the rice absorb each ladleful of stock before adding the next. After 10 mins, add the green beans and carry on stirring.



#### SQUASH THE SQUASH!

When the **squash** is ready, remove from the oven and transfer to a bowl. Use a fork to mash it to a rough purée. Add to the risotto as soon as it is ready and keep cooking and stirring until all of the stock has been used. **TIP:** The risotto is done when the rice is 'al dente' - cooked through but with a bit of firmness left. Halve the lemon and add a squeeze of **juice** to the **risotto**. Season to taste with more **salt** and **pepper** if required.



#### **FINISH AND SERVE!**

Pop the **rocket** in a large bowl and drizzle on a splash of oil and a squeeze of lemon juice. Toss and get ready to serve. Spoon the **risotto** into deep bowls and top with the rocket. Finish with a sprinkling of pistachios. Enjoy!

## **INGREDIENTS**

	2P	3P	4P
Rosemary *	½ bunch	¾ bunch	1 bunch
Chopped Butternut Squash **	300g	750g	900g
Water*	750ml	1.1 litres	1.5 litres
Vegetable Stock	1	1½	2
Powder 10)	sachet	sachets	sachets
Echalion Shallot *	1	2	2
Garlic Clove *	1	2	2
Green Beans *	1 small pack	1 large pack	2 small packs
Pistachios 2)	1 small bag	1 small bag	1 large bag
Italian Style Herbs	½ pot	1 pot	1 pot
Arborio Rice	175g	260g	350g
White Wine Vinegar 14)	1 sachet	2 sachets	2 sachets
Lemon *	1	1	2
Rocket <b>*</b>	1 bag	1½ bags	2 bags

\*Not Included \* Store in the Fridge

Protein (g)

Salt (g)

**NUTRITION PER** PER SERVING PER **UNCOOKED INGREDIENT** 447G 100G 491 110 Energy (kcal) 2052 459 (kJ) Fat (g) 2 Sat. Fat (g) 1 1 89 20 Carbohydrate (g) 13 3 Sugars (g)

Nutrition for uncooked ingredients based on 2 person recipe **ALLERGENS** 

16

0.82

2) Nut 10) Celery 14) Sulphites

Wash your hands before and after handling ingredients. Wash fruit and vegetables; but not meat! Use different chopping boards and utensils for raw and ready-to-eat foods or wash these in-hetween uses

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