# Spinach Falafel & Creamy Pesto with Roast Veggie Couscous & Caramelised Onion

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Zucchini



Garlic & Herb Seasoning







Spinach Falafel





Creamy Pesto



Dressing





Vegetable Stock Powder

Couscous



Baby Spinach Leaves

Flaked Almonds

**Pantry items** 

Olive Oil, Balsamic Vinegar, Brown Sugar

## Before you start

Remember to wash your hands for 20 seconds before you get cooking.

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#### You will need

Oven tray lined with baking paper · Large frying pan Medium saucepan with a lid

## Ingredients

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	2 People	4 People
olive oil*	refer to method	refer to method
beetroot	1	2
carrot	1	2
zucchini	1	2
garlic & herb seasoning	1 sachet	2 sachets
red onion	1	2
garlic	2 cloves	4 cloves
spinach falafel	1 tub	2 tubs
parsley	1 bag	1 bag
creamy pesto dressing	1 packet (50g)	1 packet (100g)
Greek-style yoghurt	1 medium packet	1 large packet
balsamic vinegar*	1 tbs	2 tbs
water* (for the onion)	½ tbs	1 tbs
brown sugar*	1 tsp	½ tbs
water* (for the couscous)	3/4 cup	1½ cups
vegetable stock powder	1 medium sachet	1 large sachet
couscous	1 medium packet	1 large packet
baby spinach leaves	1 small bag	1 medium bag
flaked almonds	1 medium packet	1 large packet

<sup>\*</sup>Pantry Items

#### **Nutrition**

Per Serving	Per 100g
3764kJ (900Cal)	621kJ (148Cal)
26.4g	4.4g
45.3g	7.5g
7.8g	1.3g
85.9g	14.2g
29.2g	4.8g
1986mg	328mg
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The quantities provided above are averages only.

## **Allergens**

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# Roast the veggies

Preheat the oven to 220°C/200°C fan-forced. Cut the **beetroot** into 1cm chunks. Cut the **carrot** into small chunks. Cut the **zucchini** into half-moons. Place the **veggies** on a lined oven tray. Sprinkle the **garlic & herb seasoning** over the veggies and drizzle with **olive oil**. Toss to coat and roast until tender. 20-25 minutes.

**TIP:** If your oven tray is crowded, divide the veggies between two trays.

**TIP:** Beetroot stays firm when cooked. It's done when you can pierce it with a fork.



## Get prepped

While the veggies are roasting, thinly slice the **red onion**. Finely chop the **garlic**. Use your hands to break each **spinach falafel** into quarters (don't worry if they crumble!). Roughly chop the **parsley** leaves. In a small bowl, combine the **creamy pesto dressing** and the **Greek-style yoghurt**.



## Caramelise the onion

In a large frying pan, heat a drizzle of **olive oil** over a medium heat. Add the **onion** and cook, stirring, until softened, **5-6 minutes**. Add the **garlic** and cook until fragrant, **1 minute**. Reduce the heat to medium. Add the **balsamic vinegar**, **water (for the onion)** and **brown sugar** and mix well. Cook until dark and sticky, **3-5 minutes**. Transfer to a small bowl.



## Cook the couscous

When the veggies have 10 minutes remaining, combine the water (for the couscous) and vegetable stock powder in a medium saucepan and bring to the boil. Add the couscous and stir to combine. Cover with a lid and remove from the heat. Set aside until all the water is absorbed, 5 minutes. Fluff up with a fork and stir through the roasted veggies and baby spinach.



## Cook the falafel

While the couscous is cooking, wash out the frying pan then return to a medium-high heat with **olive oil** (1/4 cup for 2 people/ 1/2 cup for 4 people). Once the oil is hot, cook the **falafels**, tossing, until deep golden brown, **5-6 minutes**. Transfer to a plate lined with paper towel, then season with **salt** and **pepper**.



## Serve up

Divide the roast veggie couscous between bowls. Top with the falafels and caramelised onions. Drizzle with the creamy pesto dressing. Garnish with the **flaked almonds** and parsley to serve.

## Enjoy!

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