

JERNEJ KITCHEN

VITAMIN SALAD WITH COUSCOUS AND MANGO

This lovely plate of salad is a pure vitamin bomb. We love the combinations of grains, like couscous in this case and different salad leaves.

SERVES 4 PEOPLE PREPARATION: 35 MINUTES

DRESSING

1 anchovy fillet

2 sun dried tomatoes

1 tsp dijon mustard

100 ml vegetable oil, rapeseed

50 ml olive oil

2 tbsp lemon juice

1 tsp lemon zest

3 tbsp greek yogurt

1/2 garlic clove, grated

1 tbsp soy souce

50 ml water, warm

VITAMIN SALAD

100 g couscous

2 celery stalks

1 orange

1 ripe avocado

1 small carrot

1/2 ripe mango

150 g baby spinach leaves

200 g any winter salad leaves

1 handful of fresh herbs (parsley,

SALAD DRESSING

Add all dressing ingredients to a blander and blend for about one minute, or until smooth. Taste and add a bit more lemon juice or seasoning if needed. Keep the dressing in the refrigerator until needed or up to a week.

SALAD

Cook the couscous according to instructions on the package. Clean all the vegetables and fruits under cold running water. Chop the celery stalks. Halve, destone and scoop the avocado flesh onto the board, chop it on small cubes, drizzle with a bit of lemon juice, to prevent oxidation. Peel and grate the carrots. Peel the orange and mango, cut both into small chunks. Roughly chop large salad leaves.

SERVE

Drain the couscous and tip on to a salad bowl. Add all the vegetables and fruits to the salad bowl. Toss with the salad dressing. Sprinkle with half of the chopped fresh herbs. Mix well and season to taste. Serve with a dollop of greek yogurt and a bit of tabasco. You can also serve with flat bread or tortilla.

TOOLS AND EQUIPEMENT

kitchen knife cutting board salad bowl small bowl blender

