

# **INGREDIENTS**

2 PERSON | 4 PERSON



Tomato



Lemon



4½ TBSP | 9 TBSP Sour Cream Contains: Milk



Pitas Contains: Sesame, Wheat



Mini Cucumber





3 oz | 6 oz Carrot



1 oz 2 oz Golden Raisins



**Grilling Cheese** Contains: Milk



1 TBSP | 2 TBSP Za'atar Spice Contains: Sesame



1 tsp | 2 tsp Hot Sauce

# **ZA'ATAR-SPICED GRILLING CHEESE PITAS**

with Pickled Carrots, Tomato-Cuke Salad & Creamy Dill Sauce





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# **HELLO**

# **ZA'ATAR**

A fragrant spice blend of herbaceous thyme, nutty sesame seeds, and tart sumac



### **CHEESY PEASY**

Grilling cheese (aka halloumi) won't melt when seared, but resist the urge to move it once it hits the pan. You'll be rewarded with the ultimate savory golden crust.

## **BUST OUT**

- Zester
- Plastic wrap
- 3 Small bowls
- Large pan
- Peeler
- Paper towels
- Kosher salt
- Black pepper
- Sugar (1 tsp | 2 tsp)
- Cooking oil (1 tsp | 1 tsp)



- · Wash and dry produce.
- Dice tomato into 1/4-inch pieces. Trim and finely dice cucumber. Roughly chop dill. Zest and quarter lemon.
- In a small bowl, combine tomato. cucumber, raisins, and a pinch of dill; season with salt and pepper.



# **2 PICKLE CARROT**

- Trim, peel, and slice carrot lengthwise into ¼-inch-thick planks. Cut planks lengthwise into 1/4-inch-thick matchsticks (ours were 3 inches long).
- In a second small microwave-safe bowl, combine carrot, 1 tsp sugar (2 tsp for 4 servings), juice from half the lemon, a pinch of salt, and pepper. Cover with plastic wrap and microwave for 30 seconds. Set aside to pickle, stirring occasionally.



 In a third small bowl, combine sour. cream, a big pinch of dill, and a big pinch of lemon zest. Add water 1 tsp at a time until mixture reaches a drizzling consistency. Taste and season with salt and pepper if desired.



### **4 SEASON CHEESE**

• Cut **grilling cheese** into 8 slices (16 slices for 4 servings). Place Za'atar Spice on a plate; season with salt and pepper. Coat cheese in seasoning, pressing to adhere. Shake off any excess seasoning.



### **5 COOK CHEESE**

- Heat a drizzle of oil in a large, preferably nonstick, pan over mediumhigh heat. (Be careful of oil splatter when adding the cheese!) Add grilling cheese and cook until browned. 1-2 minutes per side. (For 4 servings, you may need to cook in batches, adding a drizzle of oil per batch.)
- Transfer to a paper-towel-lined plate.



### **6 ASSEMBLE PITAS**

- Meanwhile, wrap **pitas** in a damp paper towel and microwave until warm, 30 seconds. Once cool enough to handle, halve pitas; gently pull apart to create pockets.
- Spread insides of pitas with half the sauce. Evenly fill with pickled carrot (draining first), grilling cheese. remaining sauce, and as much tomato-cucumber salad as you like. Drizzle with **hot sauce** to taste.



### 7 SERVE

• Divide grilling cheese-stuffed pitas and any remaining tomato-cucumber salad between plates. Serve with remaining lemon wedges on the side.