

# SHAWARMA-SPICED CHICKPEA COUSCOUS BOWLS

with Roasted Veggies, Pickled Onion & Harissa Yogurt Sauce



PREP: 10 MIN COOK: 40 MIN CALORIES: 780

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## **HELLO**

## HARISSA YOGURT SAUCE

Cooling yogurt meets smoky, spicy harissa powder.

## **CRISPY BUSINESS**

After draining and rinsing your chickpeas, gently pat them super dry with paper towels so they crisp up in the oven.

### **BUST OUT**

- Peeler
  2 Small bowls
- Strainer
- Medium pot
- Paper towels Large pan 😔 🧐
- 2 Baking sheets
- Kosher salt
- Black pepper
- Cooking oil (5 tsp | 5 tsp) (1 tsp | 1 tsp) (3 (3)
- Sugar
- Butter (1 TBSP | 2 TBSP)
  Contains: Milk

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\*Chicken is fully cooked when internal temperature reaches 165°.

\*Trout is fully cooked when internal temperature reaches 145°.



## 1 PREP

- Adjust racks to middle and top positions and preheat oven to 425 degrees. Wash and dry produce.
- Trim, peel, and cut carrots on a diagonal into ½-inch-thick pieces. Drain, rinse, and pat chickpeas very dry with paper towels. Halve, core, and thinly slice bell pepper into strips.

**4 MAKE PICKLES & SAUCE** 

• Meanwhile, halve, peel, and thinly slice half

the onion (save the rest for another use).

• In a small bowl, combine onion, juice from

two lemon wedges, a pinch of sugar, and

• In a separate small bowl, combine yogurt,

sour cream, ¼ tsp garlic powder (½ tsp for

4 servings), a squeeze of lemon juice, and

as much harissa powder as you like. (You'll

next step.) Add water I tsp at a time until

use the rest of the garlic powder in the

mixture reaches a drizzling consistency.

Season with salt and pepper.

Quarter lemon. Finely chop cilantro.

salt. Set aside to pickle.



## **2 PREP VEGGIES & CHICKPEAS**

- Toss carrots on a baking sheet with a large drizzle of oil, 1 tsp Shawarma Spice (2 tsp for 4 servings), salt, and pepper.
- Toss chickpeas on one side of a second sheet with a large drizzle of oil, 1 tsp remaining Shawarma Spice (2 tsp for 4), salt, and pepper. (Be sure to measure the Shawarma Spice; we sent more.)
- Toss **bell pepper** on empty side with a **drizzle of oil**, **salt**, and **pepper**.



## **3 ROAST VEGGIES & CHICKPEAS**

 Roast carrots on middle rack and chickpeas and bell pepper on top rack until veggies are browned and tender and chickpeas are crispy, 18-22 minutes.
 TIP: It's natural for chickpeas to pop a bit.
 Check on your veggies and chickpeas after 20 minutes; if carrots finish first, remove from oven and set aside.



## **5 COOK COUSCOUS**

- Melt **1 TBSP butter (2 TBSP for 4 servings)** in a medium pot over medium-high heat. Add **couscous** and cook, stirring, until lightly toasted, 2-3 minutes.
- Add stock concentrate, ¾ cup water (1½ cups for 4), remaining garlic powder, and a big pinch of salt. Bring to a boil, then cover and reduce heat to low. Cook until couscous is tender, 6-8 minutes. Keep covered off heat.
- While couscous cooks, pat chicken\* or
  trout\* dry with paper towels; season with salt and pepper. Heat a drizzle of oil in a large pan over medium-high heat. Cook chicken until cooked through, 3-5 minutes per side; or cook trout (skin sides down) until skin is crispy, 5-6 minutes, then flip and cook until cooked through, 4-6 minutes more. Transfer to a cutting board to rest.



## 6 FINISH & SERVE

- Once veggies and chickpeas are done, stir apricots into couscous; season with salt and pepper.
- Divide couscous between bowls; arrange chickpeas, bell pepper, and carrots on top in separate sections. Drizzle with yogurt sauce. Top with cilantro and as much pickled onion (draining first) as you like. Serve with any remaining lemon wedges on the side.

Slice chicken crosswise; serve chicken or
 trout atop bowls.