

## **MEDITERRANEAN QUINOA** STUFFED ZUCCHINI

**SERVES 2 OR 4** CALORIES: 710/SERVING



Caramelized onions, garlic, sun-dried tomatoes, olives, fresh spinach, oregano, pine nuts, fresh lemon and vegan feta get mixed with fluffy quinoa then stuffed in tender roasted zucchini boats for a Mediterranean plant-powered meal.

## WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- Small pot
- Baking sheet
- Silicone baking mat (optional)
- Large pan

- Oil
- Salt
- Pepper



WHAT'S INSIDE	2 servings	4 servings
Quinoa Onion Garlic Mediterranean mix Spinach Zucchini	3/4 cup 1 1 clove 1/2 cup 2 cups 2	1.5 cups 2 2 cloves 1 cup 4 cups 4
Lemon	1	1
Pine nuts Vegan feta	1.5 tbsp 1/2 cup	3 tbsp 1 cup

<b>Valeur nutritive</b> Per (624 g) Pour 1 (624 g)	
alories 710 % Daily Value % valeur quotidienne	
Fat / Lipides 35 g	47 %
Saturated / saturés 10 g + Trans / trans 0 g	50 %
Carbohydrate / Glucides 89 g	
Fibre / Fibres 16 g	57 %
Sugars / Sucres 21 g	21 %
Protein / Protéines 19 g	
Cholesterol / Cholestérol 0 mg	g 0%
Sodium 730 mg	32 %
Potassium 1600 mg	34 %
Calcium 300 mg	23 %
Iron / Fer 12.5 mg	69 %

## **OUR PRODUCE IS FRESH SO PLEASE WASH BEFORE USE!**



Preheat the oven to 350°F and prep your ingredients: rinse and drain the **quinoa**, dice the **onion**, mince the **garlic**, chop the **spinach**, crumble the **feta**, halve the **zucchinis** and **lemon**, and finely chop the **mediterranean mix** into a rough paste.



Add the **quinoa** to a small pot with 1.5 cups of **water** (3 cups for 4 servings). Bring to a boil then lower to a simmer, cover and cook for 15 minutes until water is absorbed. Set aside.



Carefully score the **zucchini** and use a spoon to scoop out the flesh and set aside. Arrange the **zucchini boats** on a baking sheet lined with a silicone baking mat (or lightly greased) and brush with a little **oil**. Season generously with **salt** and **pepper**. Bake for 20-25 minutes.



Meanwhile, heat 1 tbsp of **oil** (2 tbsp for 4 servings) in a large pan over medium-high. Add the **onion** and sauté for 5 minutes, then add the **garlic** and sauté for another 3 minutes, until fragrant and golden. Mix in the **reserved zucchini flesh** and cook for 4 more minutes.



Reduce heat to medium and add the cooked quinoa, spinach, Mediterranean paste, half the pine nuts, a squeeze of lemon juice, salt and pepper, and the feta. Cook just until heated through and spinach has wilted.



Taste and adjust salt, pepper, and lemon juice as necessary. Spoon mixture into zucchini boats and top with pine nuts and a squeeze of lemon.