

CHERRY BALSAMIC CHICKEN with Almond Couscous and Roasted Carrots



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CHERRY BALSAMIC SAUCE

Stone-fruit sweetness meets vinegary tang







Balsamic Vinegar





Cherry Jam

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PREP: 15 MIN TOTAL: 35 MIN CALORIES: 800

Scallions

Chicken Breasts Sliced Almonds (Contains: Tree Nuts)

Chicken Stock Concentrate



START STRONG

Be sure to check on your carrots periodically as they roast. Ovens differ vastly, so your veggies may be tender and golden a little bit before the 20-minute mark, or even a little bit after.

BUST OUT

Large pan

- Peeler
- Small pot Whisk
- Baking sheet
- Paper towels
- Olive oil (5 tsp | 10 tsp)
- Butter (3 TBSP | 5 TBSP) (Contains: Milk)

Ingredient 2-person 4-person	
Carrots	3 6
Scallions	2 4
• Garlic	2 Cloves 4 Cloves
Sliced Almonds	1 oz 2 oz
Israeli Couscous	½ Cup 1 Cup
Chicken Breasts*	12 oz 24 oz
• Balsamic Vinegar	5 tsp 10 tsp
Chicken Stock Concentrate	
Cherry Jam	2 TBSP 4 TBSP

* Chicken is fully cooked when internal temperature reaches 165 degrees.





PREP

Adjust rack to middle position and preheat oven to 425 degrees. **Wash and dry all produce.** Trim, peel, and cut **carrots** into ½-inch-thick pieces on a diagonal. Trim and thinly slice **scallions**, separating whites from greens. Mince **garlic**.

2 MAKE ALMOND COUSCOUS In a small, lidded pot, melt 1 TBSP butter over medium-high heat. Add almonds and cook, stirring constantly, until lightly browned, 2-3 minutes. Add garlic, couscous, and a pinch of salt. Cook for 30 seconds. Pour in ¾ cup water (1½ cups for 4 servings), cover, and bring to a boil. Once boiling, reduce heat to low. Simmer, covered, until

couscous is tender, 6-8 minutes. Turn off heat; keep covered until ready to serve.



S ROAST CARROTS Meanwhile, toss carrots on a baking sheet with a large drizzle of **olive oil**, **salt**, and **pepper**. Roast on middle rack until

browned and tender, about 20 minutes.

COOK CHICKEN Pat chicken dry with paper towels; season generously on both sides with salt and pepper. Heat a large drizzle of olive oil in a large pan over medium-high heat. Add chicken and cook until browned and cooked through, 5-7 minutes per side. Turn off heat; transfer to a plate.



5 MAKE SAUCE Heat a drizzle of olive oil in same pan over medium-high heat. Add scallion whites; cook 30 seconds. Pour in vinegar, stock concentrate, jam, and ¼ cup water (⅓ cup for 4 servings). Whisk to combine. Bring to a simmer and cook until thickened, 1-2 minutes. Turn off heat; stir in 1 TBSP butter (2 TBSP for 4 servings) until melted. Season with salt and pepper.



6 FINISH Stir **1 TBSP butter** (2 TBSP for 4 servings) into **couscous**; season with **salt** and **pepper**. Divide couscous, **chicken**, and **carrots** between plates. Top chicken with **sauce**. Garnish with **scallion greens** and serve.

- DELISH

Toasted almonds add an addictive crunch to fluffy couscous.

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