DINNERLY

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Za'atar Chicken with Lemony Tabouleh





20-30min 4 Servings

Za'atar tastes as delightfully exotic as it sounds. It typically includes a variety of savory herbs, spices, and sesame seeds—and instantly bumps up the flavor level of anything it touches. Here, it takes pan-seared chicken from drab to fab. The tabouleh, made of bulgur wheat, tomatoes, cukes, and a lemony dressing is such a sensational side, that you'll be recreating it for many a meal to come...

WHAT WE SEND

- garlic
- cucumbers
- · lemon
- boneless skinless chicken breast
- plum tomatoes

WHAT YOU NEED

- all-purpose flour 1
- · coarse kosher salt
- · freshly ground pepper
- · olive oil

TOOLS

- meat mallet (or heavy skillet)
- · medium saucepan
- medium skillet

ALLERGENS

Wheat (1). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

NUTRITION PER SERVING

Calories 646.0kcal, Fat 34.1g, Proteins 32.4g, Carbs 56.7g



1. Cook bulgur

Peel and finely chop 3 medium cloves garlic. Heat 2 tablespoons oil in medium saucepan over medium. Add ½ of garlic; cook until softened, 1 minute. Add bulgur; cook until toasted, 2 minutes. Add 1½ cups water and 1 teaspoon salt; bring to a boil. Cover; simmer over low until tender and water is absorbed, about 12 minutes. Remove from heat. Cover; keep warm.



2. Prep ingredients

Meanwhile, into a large bowl, finely grate ¾ teaspoon lemon zest and squeeze 3 tablespoons lemon juice. Cut tomatoes and cucumbers into ¼-inch pieces. Rinse chicken, but do not pat dry. If necessary, pound chicken to an even ½-inch thickness.



3. Make dressing

Add the remaining garlic into the large bowl with the lemon zest and juice. Whisk in ½ cup oil and season to taste with salt and pepper. Transfer 2 tablespoons of the dressing to a small bowl; save for Step 5.



4. Cook chicken

In a small bowl, combine za'atar, 2 tablespoons flour, ½ teaspoon salt, and ¼ teaspoon pepper. Sprinkle za'atar mixture all over chicken, pressing gently with your fingers to help seasoning adhere. Heat 2 tablespoons oil in a large skillet over medium-high. Cook chicken until golden brown on both sides, 3–5 minutes total. Transfer to plate.



5. Finish & serve

Meanwhile, add **bulgur**, **tomatoes**, and **cucumbers** to large bowl with **dressing**; stir to combine, and season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**. Transfer **chicken** to plates. Serve with **tabouleh** alongside. Drizzle chicken and tabouleh with **reserved vinaigrette**. Enjoy!



6. Raid the condiment rack!

Try stirring a tablespoon of nutty tahini or a dash of spicy hot sauce into the dressing in step 3!