

Speedy Smoky Chorizo Orzo with Cheese, Peas and Rocket



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Not to be confused with rice, orzo is actually a type of pasta. Whilst chorizo gives some of the flavour, we're also using smoky base paste, made with smoked paprika and smoked salt, to bring rich smoky flavour to your dish.

Before you start

Our fruit and veg need a little wash before you use them! Wash your hands before and after prep. Ingredients in red are hot!

Cooking tools

Kettle, saucepan, sieve, frying pan and garlic press.

Ingredients

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Orzo 13)	180g	180g	360g
Diced Chorizo**	90g	150g	180g
Garlic Clove**	2	3	4
Central American Style Spice Mix	1 sachet	1 sachet	2 sachets
Tomato Puree	30g	45g	60g
Creme Fraiche** 7)	75g	120g	150g
Grated Hard Italian Style Cheese** 7) 8)	20g	40g	40g
Peas**	120g	180g	240g
Smoky Base Paste	1 sachet	1½ sachets	2 sachets
Wild Rocket**	20g	40g	40g
Balsamic Glaze 14)	12ml	18ml	24ml
Pantry	2P	3P	4P
Sugar*	1 tsp	1½ tsp	2 tsp
Water for the Sauce*	150ml	225ml	300ml

*Not Included **Store in the Fridge

Nutrition

Typical Values	Per serving	Per 100g
for uncooked ingredient	374g	100g
Energy (kJ/kcal)	3274 / 783	876/209
Fat (g)	33.8	9.0
Sat. Fat (g)	15.7	4.2
Carbohydrate (g)	86.8	23.2
Sugars (g)	16.9	4.5
Protein (g)	32.3	8.6
Salt (g)	4.23	1.13

Nutrition for uncooked ingredients based on 2 person recipe. Reference Intake of an average adult (8400kJ/2000kcal).

Allergens

7) Milk 8) Egg 13) Cereals containing gluten 14) Sulphites Always remember to check your ingredient packaging for the most up to date information on allergens and traces of allergens. Boxes are packed in facilities that handle peanut, nut, sesame, fish, crustaceans, mollusc, milk, egg, mustard, celery, soya, cereals containing gluten and sulphites.

Use separate equipment to handle raw and cooked meat (or wash between uses). Missing or replaced ingredients, as well as any recipe step changes, will be communicated where possible via email. Be careful when adding water to hot pans while cooking.

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Cook the Orzo

a) Boil a full kettle.

b) Pour the **boiled water** into a saucepan with ½ **tsp** salt and bring back to the boil.

c) When boiling, add the **orzo** to the **water** and bring back to the boil. Cook until tender, 10 mins.

d) Once cooked, drain in a sieve and pop back in the pan. Drizzle with **oil** and stir through to stop it sticking together.



Get Frying

a) Meanwhile, heat a large frying pan on medium-high heat (no oil).

b) Once hot, add the **chorizo** and fry until it starts to brown, 3-4 mins.

c) While the **chorizo** fries, peel and grate the **garlic** (or use a garlic press).



Add the Flavour

a) Add the garlic, Central American style spice mix and tomato puree to the chorizo.

b) Fry until fragrant, 1 min.



Simmer your Sauce

a) Stir the creme fraiche, sugar and water for the sauce (see pantry for both amounts) into the pan and bring to a boil.

b) Reduce the heat and simmer until thickened, 3-4 mins.



Final Touches

a) Stir the hard Italian style cheese, peas and smoky base paste through the sauce until the cheese has melted.

b) Stir the cooked orzo through the sauce.

c) Taste and season with **salt** and **pepper** if needed. Add a splash of **water** if it's a little too thick.



Serve Up

a) Share the **smoky chorizo orzo** between your serving bowls.

b) Top with the **rocket leaves**.

c) Finish by drizzling over the **balsamic glaze**.

Enjoy!