

Seared Chicken & Confit Cherry Tomato Pasta

with Parmesan Cheese & Rocket

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Cherry Tomatoes







Dried Oregano



Chilli Flakes

(Optional)











Chicken Breast

Orecchiette



Garlic & Herb



Seasoning

Rocket Leaves



Grated Parmesan Cheese





Prep in: 20-30 mins Ready in: 35-45 mins



Time to unleash your inner chef! Tonight's pasta dinner is extra fancy - we're going to confit the tomatoes to create a sweet and savoury sauce that allows this humble fruit to shine. Garlic, herbs and chilli all add to the flavour, and with a slice of tender seared chicken on top, you won't be able to resist this show-stopping meal.



Olive Oil, Brown Sugar, Vinegar (White Wine or Balsamic)

Before you start

Wash hands and fresh veggies. Avoid cross contamination by washing utensils after handling raw meat/poultry. Always use separate utensils for raw and cooked meat.

If you're cooking for 6, use the 2 people plus 4 people ingredients and cook meat and veggies in batches

You will need

 $\label{eq:medium} \mbox{Medium or large baking dish} \cdot \mbox{Large saucepan} \cdot \mbox{Large frying pan}$

Ingredients

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	2 People	4 People
olive oil*	refer to method	refer to method
cherry tomatoes	½ large packet	1 large packet
garlic	2 cloves	4 cloves
dried oregano	½ medium sachet	1 medium sachet
chilli flakes ∮ (optional)	pinch	pinch
passata	1 packet	2 packets
vegetable stock powder	1 medium sachet	1 large sachet
brown sugar*	1 tsp	2 tsp
orecchiette	1 packet	2 packets
chicken breast	1 medium packet	2 medium packets OR 1 large packet
garlic & herb seasoning	1 medium sachet	1 large sachet
rocket leaves	1 small packet	1 medium packet
vinegar* (white wine or balsamic)	drizzle	drizzle
grated Parmesan cheese	1 medium packet	1 large packet

*Pantry Items

Nutrition

Avg Qty	Per Serving	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	2904kJ (694cal)	302kJ (72cal)
Protein (g)	56.3g	5.8g
Fat, total (g)	14.2g	1.5g
- saturated (g)	4.5g	0.5g
Carbohydrate (g)	80.5g	8.4g
- sugars (g)	13.2g	1.4g
Sodium (mg)	1412mg	146.7mg
Dietary Fibre (g)	7.5g	0.8g

The quantities provided above are averages only.

Allergens

Always read product labels for the most up-to-date allergen information.

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Get prepped

- Preheat oven to 200°C/180°C fan-forced.
- Halve cherry tomatoes (see ingredients).
- Peel garlic cloves.



Confit the tomatoes

- In a baking dish, combine tomatoes, garlic cloves, dried oregano (see ingredients), a pinch of chilli flakes (if using) and olive oil (¼ cup for 2 people / ½ cup for 4 people).
- Season with salt and pepper, then roast until blistered, 20-25 minutes.
- Remove baking dish from oven, then using a fork, mash garlic cloves and lightly crush tomatoes.
- Stir in passata, vegetable stock powder and the brown sugar until combined. Roast until slightly reduced, a further 5-10 minutes.



Cook the pasta

- When the tomatoes have 15 minutes remaining, boil the kettle.
- Pour boiled water into a large saucepan with a generous pinch of salt.
- Cook orecchiette in boiling water over high heat until 'al dente', 8 minutes.
- Reserve some pasta water (2 tbs for 2 people / ¼ cup for 4 people). Drain orecchiette, then return to the saucepan.

TIP: 'Al dente' pasta is cooked through but still slightly firm in the centre.



Cook the chicken

- While the pasta is cooking, place your hand flat on top of chicken breast and slice through horizontally to make two thin steaks.
- In a large bowl, combine chicken, garlic & herb seasoning and a drizzle of olive oil.
- In a large frying pan, heat a drizzle of **olive oil** over medium-high heat.
- Cook chicken until browned and cooked through, 3-6 minutes each side (cook in batches if your pan is getting crowded).

TIP: The chicken is cooked through when it's no longer pink inside.



Bring it all together

- · Remove tomatoes from the oven.
- To the saucepan with the pasta, add confit tomato sauce tossing to combine.
 Season to taste.
- In a medium bowl, combine rocket leaves and a drizzle of vinegar and olive oil.

TIP: Add a splash of reserved pasta water if pasta looks dry!



Serve up

- · Slice chicken.
- Divide confit cherry tomato pasta between bowls. Top with seared chicken, rocket and grated Parmesan cheese.
- Sprinkle with a pinch of chilli flakes (if using) to serve. Enjoy!



DOUBLE GRATED PARMESAN CHEESE Follow method above.



Before cooking chicken, cook diced bacon, breaking up with a spoon, until browned, 4-5 minutes. Continue with recipe.

If you've chosen to add, swap or upgrade, scan the QR code to see detailed cooking instructions and nutrition information.

