

CHEF KATE

CULINARY OIL BRAND AMBASSADOR & CHEF-TO-THE-STARS





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SERVES 2-4

PREP TIME 10 - 15 min

COOKING TIME 10 min

A NOTE FROM CHEF KATE

"Basil essential oil adds a blast of flavour to this quick and easy stir-fry. It's the perfect evening meal and can be ready in before you know it. Cutting the veggies takes a few minutes, but once you start cooking, it's ready in no time."

INGREDIENTS

- 1 tbsp. Olive oil or coconut oil
 - 2 Carrots, medium-sized, peeled & chopped
 - 1 Broccoli stem, peeled & chopped
 - 1 Red or brown onion, chopped
 - 1 Leek White and tender green parts only
 - 2 Celery stalks, chopped
 - 1 Garlic clove, finely diced
 - 1 Ginger, small-sized, peeled and finely diced
 - 2 Zucchini, medium-sized, chopped
 - 1 Capsicum, small-sized, chopped
 - 1 Purple and/or green cabbage, chopped
 - 2 Spring onions, chopped
 - 1 Head of broccoli florets, chopped



INGREDIENTS CONTINUED

1 bunch Bok choy and/or other leafy greens E.g. kale, Swiss chard, spinach

½ cup Cashews or other nuts Optional

1 - 2 tbsp. Tamari or coconut aminos, to taste

2 drops Young Living Basil essential oil, to taste

METHOD

- 1. Thinly slice (or cut into bite size pieces) all the veggies and set aside. The smaller you cut the veggies, the quicker they cook.
- 2. In a small, separate bowl, mix the tamari or coconut aminos and Basil essential oil and set aside.
- 3. Heat a large frying pan or wok on medium-high heat and add olive or coconut oil. First, add the harder veggies carrots, broccoli stems, onions and leeks and cook whilst stirring for 2 3 minutes. Then, add the rest of the veggies, except the leafy greens, and continue cooking while stirring for 4 minutes.
- 4. Check to see if the veggies are cooked to your liking, add the leafy greens, and stir for 1 2 minutes longer.
- 5. Remove veggies from pan and turn off heat. Stir in the tamari/aminos-Basil essential oil mixture and mix well. Check for seasoning and add a small amount of the tamari/aminos-Basil essential oil mixture if desired.
- 6. Serve with rice or quinoa.

TIP: To ensure the whole meal is ready at the same time, cook some rice or quinoa before you start prepping the veggies.

NOTE: Add cubed firm tofu at the end of cooking the stir-fry and heat through if you desire. You can also add cooked chicken or prawn pieces.