

THE REAL GREEK

EAT TOGETHER.

Lentil soup







4 servings



60 minutes

INGREDIENTS

1 500g Greek lentils

2 medium sized onions, sliced in thin wedges

1 clove of garlic (optional)

2-3 carrots, sliced

2 tbsp tomato paste

125ml extra virgin olive oil

2 dried bay leaves

1 tsp dried oregano

Vinegar

Salt and pepper

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Rinse and strain the lentils with cold water in a large colander.
- 2. Place them in a large pot and add the chopped onion, carrots, tomato paste, bay leaves and garlic if you are using it.
- 3. Add about 6 cups of water and bring to a boil.
- 4. Lower the heat to medium, cover, and boil for 30 minutes.
- 5. Add the olive oil, salt and pepper to taste, the oregano, a dash of vinegar and let boil for a further 30 minutes, or until the soup thickens substantially.
- 6. When the soup is ready, serve with an extra drizzle of olive oil and sprinkle with lemon juice or vinegar.





