

### **Green Mac and Cheese**

**Prep Time:** 5 **Cook Time:** 30 **Serves:** 6

**Recipe Description** (insert here)

#### **Ingredients:**

- 1 cup cauliflower, chopped (about ¼ of a head)
- 1 cup cooked potato, about 1 medium potato
- ¼ of a medium onion
- 1 cup fresh spinach
- 1 clove garlic, medium size
- <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> cup <u>raw cashews</u> (see note)
- ½ cup unsweetened cashew or almond milk, I use Silk brand
- 1 tablespoon apple cider vinegar
- 2 teaspoons fresh lemon juice
- 1 ½ teaspoons <u>sea salt</u>
- ¼ teaspoon mustard seed powder
- 16 ounces your favorite pasta

6 servings per container Serving size	(563g
Amount per serving Calories	500
%	Daily Value
Total Fat 10g	139
Saturated Fat 2g	109
Trans Fat 0g	
Cholesterol 0mg	09
Sodium 350mg	159
Total Carbohydrate 91g	339
Dietary Fiber 9g	329
Total Sugars 14g	
Includes 0g Added Sugars	5 <b>0</b> 9
Protein 13g	
Vitamin D 0mcg	09
Calcium 81mg	69
Iron 3mg	159
Potassium 856mg	209

#### **Directions:**

- 1. Preheat oven to 450 F/ 230 C
- 2. Chop cauliflower and sprinkle with a bit of broth or oil. Spread out on a parchment lined cookie sheet. Bake for 20 minutes until slightly crisp.
- 3. Meanwhile, cook potato and onion by boiling until soft.
- 4. Once cauliflower, potato and onion are done, put them in a high speed blender with all other ingredients, except pasta, and blend until smooth.
- 5. Cook your favorite pasta according to package directions. Drain and rinse, then return to pot.
- 6. Pour sauce over pasta and mix over low heat until thick and gooey. Serve!

## Tips:

- opt for a whole wheat pasta or bean pasta to reduce carbohydrates and increase fiber for a more diabetic friendly meal
- best way to cook the potatoes is by boiling them with the onion
- if you do not have a high speed blender you can soak the cashews overnight, boil them with the potatoes and onions, or grind them with a coffee grinder

**Source:** <a href="https://www.veggiesdontbite.com/green-mac-and-cheese-vegan-gluten-free/">https://www.veggiesdontbite.com/green-mac-and-cheese-vegan-gluten-free/</a>

# GREEN DAIRY-FREE MAC AND CHEESE



1 tablespoon apple cider vinegar

½ cup unsweetened cashew or almond milk

serve with 16 oz your favorite pasta