



# Seared Steak with Garlicky Potatoes and Greek Salad

Ready: 40-50 min Serves: 2

610 calories

Feta is a crumbly cheese that has been produced in Greece and other Balkan countries for centuries. Made from goat or sheep's milk, it is packed in brine, giving it a distinct, tangy flavor. It's a staple ingredient in traditional Greek salads, like this one, which is paired with garlicky seared potatoes and oregano-marinated steak.

USDA recommends cooking beef to 145° F.



## 1. Prepare Ingredients

Halve potatoes. Rinse romaine and tear into bite-size pieces. Rinse tomato and roughly chop. Mince garlic. Halve lemon. Rinse cucumber and cut into \( \frac{1}{4} - \) inch dice. Rinse parsley and finely chop leaves, discarding stems. Rinse **steak** and pat dry with paper towel.



#### 2. Boil Potatoes

Place potatoes in a medium pot and cover with cold water. Add a **generous** pinch salt and bring to a boil over high heat. Boil until tender when pierced with the tip of a knife, about 9 minutes. Drain and set aside.



While potatoes cook, in a large resealable plastic bag, combine spice mix, ½ of dried oregano, ½ of garlic, a squeeze lemon juice, and 1 tablespoon olive oil. Add steak and shake to coat. Set aside to marinate for at least 5 minutes at room temperature or up to 1 hour in fridge.



#### **Φ-INGREDIENTS**

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**♀-RECIPE TIPS** 

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meat, thickness may vary. For cuts closer

to ¾ inch-thick, cook 4 minutes per side.

Closer to ¼ inch-thick? Just 2 minutes per

10 ounces red potatoes

pound romaine hearts

4 ounces plum tomato

4 cloves garlic, divided

1 lemon

½ English cucumber

¼ bunch parsley

10 ounces inside round steak

spice mix

1/4 teaspoon dried thyme

1/8 teaspoon crushed red pepper

1/4 teaspoon dried rosemary

1 teaspoon dried oregano, divided

ounces Kalamata olives

2 ounces crumbled feta cheese



# 4. Make Salad

While steak marinates, in a large bowl, whisk together juice of ½ lemon, remaining dried oregano, and 11/2 tablespoons olive oil. Taste and add salt and pepper as needed. Add olives, crumbled feta, romaine, tomato, and cucumber. Toss just before serving.



# 5. Cook Steak

Heat a medium pan over medium-high heat for 1 minute. Remove steak from marinade, allowing excess to drip off and wiping off any garlic, and season on both sides with **salt** and **pepper**. When pan is hot, add steak and cook until browned on outside and medium rare, 2-3 minutes per side for thinner steaks, and 4-5 minutes per side for thicker cuts (see Recipe Tip). Remove from pan. Set aside to rest for 5 minutes, then thinly slice against the grain.



# 6. Brown Potatoes

Add 2 tablespoons olive oil to pan from steak over medium heat. When oil is shimmering, add potatoes cut-side down and remaining garlic. Cook until golden, 3 minutes. Remove from heat and stir in parsley, salt, and pepper. Divide salad, steak, and potatoes evenly between 2 plates. Serve.

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### Th- YOU'LL NEED

medium pot large resealable plastic bag medium pan

4½ tablespoons olive oil kosher salt black pepper

Season your food as needed and as directed throughout cooking to impart flavor.