

### Middle Eastern Flavor Profile

# Spices and herbs

Ground coriander or coriander seed Ground cumin or cumin seed Ground cinnamon Ground allspice Cilantro Mint

# **Main Vegetables**

Eggplant
Zucchini
Tomato
Cucumber
peppers
Potato
Root vegetables
Winter squash
Onion
Cabbage

#### **Proteins**

Lamb, beef, chicken White fish and seafood Garbanzo beans

#### **Other**

Feta cheese
Yogurt
Tahini and sesame seeds
Pine nuts, almonds, pistachios
Raisins and dried currants
Figs, apricots, dates
Pomegranates
Lemons and oranges
Honey
Flatbread
Garbanzo beans
Cous cous and bulgur
Kalamata olives