Tuna and Caper Pasta with Crispy Breadcrumbs



Ingredients

150ml extra virgin olive oil

1 cup (70g) coarse day-old breadcrumbs

2 tsp dried Italian herbs

2 garlic cloves, finely chopped

2 tsp fennel seeds

1/3 cup (65g) capers in vinegar, drained

1/2 tsp chilli flakes

3 x 95g cans good-quality tuna in oil

Finely grated zest & juice of 1 1/2 lemons, or more to taste

300g angel hair pasta, cooked to packet instructions

Method

Heat half the oil in a non-stick frypan over medium heat. Add breadcrumbs and dried herbs. Cook, stirring, for 4-5 minutes until crisp and golden. Transfer to a bowl and set aside. Wipe pan clean and return to medium heat. Add remaining 75ml oil then add garlic and fennel seeds. Cook, stirring, for 2-3 minutes until fragrant and garlic has softened. Add capers, chilli flakes, tuna and tuna oil, lemon zest and juice, and stir for 1 minute to heat through.

2.Stir pasta through the sauce and season. Scatter with crispy breadcrumbs to serve.