

# Warm Roasted Tomato and Lentil Salad

with Aubergine, Croutons and Flaked Almonds



20 Minutes • 4 of your 5 a day • Veggie











Ciabatta





Lentils



Baby Leaf Mix

Garlic Clove

Balsamic Glaze



Sun-Dried



Tomato Paste



Greek Style Salad Cheese



Toasted Flaked Almonds

**Pantry Items** 

#### Before you start

Our fruit and veg need a little wash before you use them! Wash your hands before and after prep.

#### Cooking tools

Aluminium foil, baking tray, garlic press, sieve, frying pan and bowl.

#### Ingredients

Ingredients	2P	3P	4P	
Aubergine**	1	2	2	
Baby Plum Tomatoes	125g	190g	250g	
Ciabatta 13)	1	2	2	
Garlic Clove**	1	2	2	
Lentils	1 carton	1½ cartons	2 cartons	
Balsamic Glaze 14)	12ml	18ml	24ml	
Sun-Dried Tomato Paste	25g	50g	50g	
Baby Leaf Mix**	50g	75g	100g	
Greek Style Salad Cheese** <b>7</b> )	50g	100g	150g	
Greek Style Natural Yoghurt** <b>7</b> )	75g	120g	150g	
Toasted Flaked Almonds 2)	15g	25g	25g	
Pantry	2P	3P	4P	
Sugar for the Dressing*	1 tsp	1½ tsp	2 tsp	
Olive Oil for the Dressing*	1½ tbsp	2 tbsp	3 tbsp	
*Not Included **Store in the Fridge				

#### **Nutrition**

Per serving	Per 100g
510g	100g
2198 /525	431/103
22.8	4.5
7.7	1.5
59.2	11.6
17.1	3.3
20.4	4.0
2.79	0.55
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Nutrition for uncooked ingredients based on 2 person recipe. Reference Intake of an average adult (8400kJ/2000kcal).

#### Allergens

2) Nuts 7) Milk 13) Cereals containing gluten 14) Sulphites

Always remember to check your ingredient packaging for the most up to date information on allergens and traces of allergens. Boxes are packed in facilities that handle peanut, nut, sesame, fish, crustaceans, milk, egg, mustard, celery, soya, gluten and sulphites.

Use separate equipment to handle raw and cooked meat (or wash between uses). Missing or replaced ingredients, as well as any recipe step changes, will be communicated where possible via email.

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## Roast the Veg

- a) Preheat your oven to 240°C/220°C fan/gas mark 9.
- **b)** Trim the **aubergine**, then cut into roughly 2cm pieces. Pop the **tomatoes** onto a piece of foil with a drizzle of oil, then season with salt and pepper. Fold the foil, sealing on all sides to create a parcel.
- c) Pop the aubergine onto a large baking tray. Add a generous drizzle of oil, season with salt and pepper, then toss to coat. Spread out in a single layer. Place the tomato parcel alongside.
- d) When the oven is hot, roast on the top shelf until soft and golden, 17-18 mins. Turn halfway through.



## Make your Croutons

- a) Meanwhile, tear the ciabatta into roughly 2cm chunks and pop onto another baking tray. Drizzle with oil and season with salt and pepper.
- **b)** Bake on the middle shelf of the oven until golden, 6-8 mins.
- c) Once golden, remove the croutons from the oven and set aside.



#### **Prep Time**

- a) While the croutons bake, peel and grate the garlic (or use a garlic press).
- **b)** Drain and rinse the **lentils** in a sieve.



## Bring on the Lentils

- a) Heat a drizzle of oil in a medium frying pan on medium heat.
- **b)** Once hot, add the **garlic** and stir-fry for 1 min.
- c) Add the lentils to the pan and stir together until piping hot, 1-2 mins.
- d) Season to taste with salt and pepper, then remove from the heat.



## Assemble your Salad

- a) In a large bowl, combine the balsamic glaze, sun-dried tomato paste, sugar and olive oil for the dressing (see pantry for both amounts). Season with **salt** and **pepper**.
- b) When ready, add the lentils, roasted aubergine and tomatoes to the dressing and toss to coat.
- c) Allow to sit for 1 min to absorb the flavours.



#### Finish and Serve

- a) Just before serving, mix the baby leaves and **croutons** into your **salad**, then share between your bowls.
- b) Crumble the Greek style salad cheese over the top and drizzle with the yoghurt.
- c) Finish with a scattering of the toasted flaked almonds.

#### Enjoy!