

Mixed Green Salad

with Green Goddess Dressing & Spiced Almonds

Ingredients:

For the Salad		
Whole cherry tomatoes	28	
Raw napa cabbage	2 cups	
Julienned vegetables	2 cups	
(Mix of zucchini, squash, peppers or whatever		
veggies you have on hand)		

For the Spiced Almonds	
Almonds, Roasted	½ cup
Chili Powder	1 tsp.
Cayenne	1 tsp.
Sugar	1 tsp.
Salt	1 tsp.

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For the Green Goddess Dressing	
(Makes 16 oz. or 2 cups)	
Fresh Cilantro, chopped	¼ bunch
Fresh Parsley, chopped	¼ bunch
Fresh Oregano, chopped	3 sprigs
Fresh Fennel bulb, chopped	¼ bulb
Jalapeno, seeded	¼ tsp.
Shallots, chopped	¼ tsp.
Rice Wine Vinegar	2 tbsp.
Low Fat Buttermilk	1 ½ cups
Fat-Free Mayonnaise	1 ½ tbsp.

Preparation:

Prepare the Salad: Wash and chop cabbage. Julienne, or cut zucchini, squash and peppers into long thin strips similar to match sticks. Add whole cherry tomatoes.

Prepare the Green Goddess Dressing: Puree first seven ingredients in a food processor. At slower speed add buttermilk. Mix puree with mayonnaise.

Prepare the Almond Spice: Mix the spices. Sprinkle over roasted almonds.

Serves 4.

This Mixed Green Salad has a Southern twist with its spiced almonds and julienne vegetables. A great addition to this salad would be poached shrimp or oven baked chicken.

Recipe Makeover

We reduced the saturated fat and the percentage of calories from fat in the original recipe by using fat-free mayonnaise and low-fat buttermilk.

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