



Product Spotlight: Eggplant

Eggplant is loved for its creamy texture after cooking. It is commonly known as a vegetable but is actually a member of the berry family!



1 Arancini Balls with Pesto & Charred Eggplant Salad

Delicious sun-dried tomato arancini balls from Gluten Free Lab paired with a Mediterranean style eggplant salad with pesto for dipping.

 30 minutes

 4 servings

 Plant-Based

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Stretch the dish!

If you have extra hungry tummies to feed you could also roast some root vegetables on the side. Olives or brown rice also work well tossed through the salad!

Per serve: **PROTEIN** 9g **TOTAL FAT** 27g **CARBOHYDRATES** 39g

FROM YOUR BOX

POTATOES	800g
EGGPLANT	1
ARANCINI BALLS	8 pack
CHERRY TOMATOES	1 bag (400g)
CONTINENTAL CUCUMBER	1
MINT	1/2 bunch *
ROCKET LEAVES	1/2 bag (100g) *
PESTO	2/3 jar *

**Ingredient also used in another recipe*

FROM YOUR PANTRY

oil for cooking, olive oil, salt and pepper, balsamic vinegar, ground cumin

KEY UTENSILS

2 oven trays

NOTES

Check on the arancini balls after 10 minutes to make sure they don't collapse.

Leave the eggplant in the oven for longer after removing the arancini if needed.



1. ROAST THE POTATOES

Set oven to 220°C.

Cut potatoes into wedges. Toss on a lined oven tray with **oil, salt and pepper**. Roast in oven for 20–25 minutes until cooked through.



2. BAKE THE ARANCINI

Cut eggplant into crescents. Toss on a second lined oven tray with **1 tsp cumin, oil, salt and pepper**. Place the arancini on oven tray. Bake in oven for 10–15 minutes or until cooked through (see notes).



3. PREPARE THE SALAD

Quarter the tomatoes. Deseed and slice cucumber. Slice mint leaves. Whisk together **2 tbsp balsamic vinegar** and **3 tbsp olive oil**. Season with **salt and pepper**.



4. TOSS THE SALAD

Toss salad, dressing, roast eggplant and rocket together.



5. FINISH AND PLATE

Serve eggplant salad with wedges, arancini balls and pesto for dipping.

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