

Reckless In The Kitchen

Avocado Tomato Summer Salad

Ingredients:

- ½ cup chickpeas, rinsed and drained
- 1 cup cherry tomatoes, sliced in half
- 1 ripe avocado, peeled and cubed
- 1 slice of a red onion
- ½ cup cubed mozzarella (optional)
- fresh basil leaves (to taste)
- ¼ tsp salt
- ¼ tsp pepper
- ¼ tsp smoked paprika (regular is ok too)
- 2 tsp olive oil

Directions:

Combine the chickpeas, tomatoes, avocado, red onion and mozzarella (if using) in a bowl. Next stack the basil leaves on top of each other and roll together. Slice the basil thinly, and this will create small, thin basil strips. Add the basil to the bowl. Finally, add the spices and olive oil and toss together.