

### Flavor Enhancer Recipe Pack

This collection of recipes includes simple and delicious sauces, spice blends and marinades that will elevate a basic meal to restaurant quality in no time.



### Welcome!

I'm so glad you're here.

Our team of credentialed nutrition professionals and culinary facilitators have created these healthy recipes to help you meet your health goals. All are extensively tested and feature whole food ingredients with easy-to-follow directions for people of all cooking levels.

The recipes in this e-book are available on my digital meal plans +1,000s more. You can build your ultimate meal plan with our search-click-and-drag technology with automatic nutrition facts calculation and grocery list generation.

Now, let's get cooking!

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### Recipes

### SPICE BLENDS

Ranch Seasoning Mix
BBQ Seasoning Blend
Dukkah Seasoning Mix

### **SAUCES & DRESSINGS**

Cilantro Lime Vinagirette
Ginger Miso Lime Dressing
Maple Mustard Dressing

### **CONDIMENTS**

Traditional Pesto
Cinderella Hummus
Tzatziki

### **NUTRIENT GUIDE**

Per serving:

calories

carbohydrates

total fat

P protein

s sodium

### **Ranch Seasoning Mix**

Serves 6

Prep: 10 min.

### **Ingredients**

- 2 tsp dill, dried
- 2 Tbs parsley, dried
- 1 Tbs chives, dried
- 2 tsp garlic, granulated
- 1 Tbs onion, dried flakes
- 1 tsp pepper, freshly ground
- 1tsp salt

### Per serving:

- 7 calories
- 2g carbohydrates
- 6 Og total fat
- Og protein
- 376mg sodium



### **Directions**

### Make

1. Whisk together all ingredients. Store in a glass container with a lid in a cool dry place for up to 2 months.

- To make ranch dressing: Add 1 tablespoon of this seasoning to 1/3 cup yogurt of choice + milk of choice to thin as desired. You can also use a combination of mayonnaise and yogurt.
- Use dressing to top grain bowls
- Drizzle over a baked potato for an easy side dish

### **BBQ Seasoning Blend**

Serves 8

Prep: 5 mins

### **Ingredients**

- 2 Tbs paprika (smoked if desired)
- 2 Tbs coconut sugar
- 2 tsp garlic powder
- 2 tsp chili powder
- 1tsp onion powder
- 1 tsp salt
- 1/8 tsp cayenne pepper (optional)

# Per serving: C 15 calories C 4g carbohydrates F 0g total fat P 0g protein S 300mg sodium



### **Directions**

### Make

1.Add ingredients to glass mason jar fitted with lidshake to combine and store in a cool, dry place.

### **Use It:**

• Rub on chicken, fish, or vegetables before cooking.

### **Dukkah Seasoning Mix**

Serves 12

Prep: 15 mins. | Total: 20 mins..

### **Ingredients**

- 1/2 cup hazelnuts, raw
- 1/2 cup pistachios, raw, shelled
- 3 Tbs sesame seeds, raw
- 2 Tbs coriander seeds
- 1 tsp cumin seeds
- 1/2 tsp cardamom, ground
- 1 tsp salt

### Per serving:

- C 75 calories
- 3g carbohydrates
- 6.5g total fat
- 2g protein
- S 188mg sodium

### **Directions**

- 1. Preheat oven to 350° F and line baking sheet with parchment.
- 2. Spread hazelnuts and pistachios on a baking sheet and toast until fragrant and golden, about 5-7 minutes. Set aside to cool.
- 3.In a small non-stick skillet, toast the cumin and coriander seeds for about 2 minutes over medium-low heat until fragrant. Set aside separate from the nuts.
- 4.In the same skillet, toast sesame seeds until just golden, about 2 minutes. Set aside separate from nuts and other seeds.
- 5.Add cumin and coriander to a blender or food processor and process until they are broken into smaller pieces. Add hazelnuts and pistachios and pulse a few more times until crumbled. DO NOT over-process.
- 6. Stir in sesame seeds, cardamom, and salt.



### **Storage and How to Use It:**

- Store in the refrigerator for up to 2 months.
- Use it on any protein before cooking (be sure to cook in the lower portion of the oven to prevent burning).
- Sprinkle on vegetables as-is.

### **Cilantro Lime Vinaigrette**

Serves 4

Prep: 15 mins. | Total: 30 mins.

### **Ingredients**

- 4 Tbs olive oil
- 1 clove garlic, pressed
- 2 limes, juiced
- 1 cup cilantro, fresh, stems removed
- salt, to taste
- pepper, to taste

# Per serving: C 127 calories 2g carbohydrates F 13g total fat P 0g protein S 2mg sodium



### **Directions**

### Make

- 1.Juice limes [you'll need 2 tablespoons of lime juice for every 4 tablespoons of oil.]
- 2. Add oil, garlic, lime juice, and cilantro to your food processor and pulse until creamy.
- 3. Season with salt and pepper to taste.
- 4. Use as a dressing for salads and vegetables or as a marinade.

- Make a batch at the beginning of the week for salads. You might never buy bottled again!
- This also makes a great marinade for grilled chicken

### **Ginger Miso Lime Dressing**

Serves 6

Prep: 10 mins

### **Ingredients**

- 1 Tbs ginger, grated
- 1/3 cup tahini, creamy
- 1 tsp miso paste, yellow
- 1 Tbs tamari sauce
- 1 Tbs rice vinegar
- 1 lime, juiced
- 1 tsp sesame oil, toasted
- 3 Tbs water, warm



### **Directions**

### Make

1.Add all ingredients to a bowl or mason jar and whisk until combined.

- Try it as a mayo replacement in chicken salad for a unique flavor
- Use it to massage kale for a quick green salad
- Drizzle over roasted carrots or other vegetables



### **Maple Mustard Dressing**

Serves 10

Prep: 5 mins

### **Ingredients**

- 2 lemons, juiced
- 1/2 cup extra virgin olive oil
- 1/4 cup balsamic vinegar
- 1 1/3 Tbs maple Syrup
- 1 1/3 Tbs mustard, dijon
- black pepper, to taste

### Per serving: © 114 calories © 4g carbohydrates F 11g total fat P 0g protein S 56mg sodium

### **Directions**

1. Pour all ingredients into a medium bowl and whisk to combine. Alternatively, pour into a mason jar and seal, then shake vigorously to combine.

- Spoon over baked salmon
- Drizzle over roasted broccoli or Brussels sprouts
- This is the perfect dressing for a fall salad with arugula, apples and squash



### **Traditional Pesto**

### Serves 3

Prep: 5 mins

### **Ingredients**

- 1/2 lemon, juiced and zested
- 2 cup basil, packed
- 1/4 cup pine nuts
- 1 clove garlic, Chopped
- 2 Tbs parmesan cheese, grated
- 3 Tbs olive oil
- salt, to taste
- black pepper, to taste

## Per serving: © 206 calories © 2g carbohydrates F 20g total fat P 6g protein S 57mg sodium



### **Directions**

### Make

- 1. In a food processor, combine basil, pine nuts, garlic, lemon zest and juice, and parmesan cheese. Pulse to roughly combine.
- 2. With motor running, slowly pour in 3 tablespoons of olive oil. Process until mixture is smooth, about 10-15 seconds. You will likely need to stop and wipe the edges of the blender or food processor and then resume pureeing. Add more oil as desired.
- 3. Season with salt and pepper.

- Simple swaps: try pumpkin or hemp seeds instead of pine nuts or nutritional yeast in place of cheese
- Toss this pesto with your favorite pasta or zucchini noodles
- Use on sandwiches for a pop of flavor

### **Cinderella Hummus (Pumpkin White Bean)**

### Serves 4

Prep: 5 mins. | Total: 20 mins.

### **Ingredients**

- 1/2 lemon, Juiced and Zested
- 2 Tbs tahini
- 1 clove garlic, crushed
- 1 1/2 cup white beans, drained & rinsed
- 2 Tbs olive oil
- 1 1/2 cup pumpkin purée
- 1/2 tsp cayenne Pepper
- 1/2 tsp salt
- 1 tsp sage, fresh, chopped
- 1 red pepper, chopped
- 2 Tbs pumpkin seeds, toasted

### Per serving:

- © 136 calories
- 17g carbohydrates
- 6g total fat
- 5g protein
- S 317mg sodium



### **Directions**

- 1. Place lemon juice, lemon zest, tahini, garlic, white beans, olive oil, pumpkin puree, cayenne pepper, salt, and sage in a food processor. Pulse until smooth adding water to thin if necessary.
- 2. Transfer to a bowl and allow to sit for 15 minutes before garnishing with pumpkin seeds and serving.

- This makes a great dip for raw vegetables and seedy crackers
- Spread it on a tortilla and fill with your favorite protein and vegetables for lunch

### Tzatziki

### Serves 4

Prep: 10 mins

### **Ingredients**

- 2 cup plain Greek yogurt
- 1/2 lemon, juiced
- 1 1/2 Tbs dill, fresh, chopped
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1/2 cucumber, grated
- salt, to taste
- pepper, to taste

### Per serving:

- © 96 calories
- 7g carbohydrates
- 2g total fat
- P 12g protein
- § 41mg sodium

### **Directions**

- 1. Combine all the ingredients in a bowl.
- 2. Season to taste with salt and pepper.

- Tzatziki is a staple in Mediterranean food. Use it to top pitas or grain bowls for a creamy cooling condiment.
- Spread it on lamb burgers for a fun twist.

