

RECIPE | EGGPLANTS



GRILLED EGGPLANT AND SPINACH SALAD

INGREDIENTS (SALAD)

3 tbsp. olive oil

1 Pure Flavor® Sicilian Eggplant, cut into 3/4" round slices
1 Pure Flavor® Tomato
On-the-Vine, diced
5 ounces package of fresh spinach
1 tbsp. Pure Flavor® Red Sweet
Bell Peppers, roasted and dice
1 tbsp. fresh mint, chopped
1 tbsp. fresh parsley, chopped
1 tbsp. fresh oregano, chopped
1 tbsp. red onion, chopped

INGREDIENTS (DRESSING)

1-2 cloves garlic, minced 1 heaping teaspoon tahini 1 tsp. Dijon mustard 1/2 tsp. smoked paprika Juice of 1/2 lemon Salt & pepper, to taste 1/4 cup olive oil

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Heat BBQ/grill to medium-high heat.
- 2. Salt both sides of eggplant slices to absorb excess moisture and set aside.
- 3. Core, deseed and flatten pepper, brush pepper with oil and grill 3-5 minutes. Place in a bowl and cover with plastic wrap until cool. Then diced 1 tbsp.
- 4. Prepare dressing by combining all ingredients and whisking together.
- 5. Combine mint, parsley, oregano and onion with spinach in a large salad bowl.
- 6. Brush both sides of the eggplant slices with olive oil before grilling.
- 7. Grill eggplant slices for approximately 3-5 minutes per side until browned and crispy on the outside and tender on the inside.
- 8. Once cool, cut eggplant slices into quarters.

