

Roasted Vegetable and Ricotta Pizza

Prep Time: 30 min Cook Time : 20 min Serves: 4

NUTRITION FACTS, PER SERVING:

347 Calories 11.1 total grams of fat 655 mg of sodium



INGREDIENTS: ** Items not included in kit

- (2) 12 oz. pizza dough balls
- Salt & pepper, to taste**
- 3-5 TB olive oil**
- 1 TB cornmeal
- 16 oz. mushrooms, cleaned & sliced
- 1 cup zucchini, sliced 1/4 inch thick
- 1 cup yellow bell pepper, sliced

- 1 cup red onion, sliced
- 1 cup marinara sauce
- 1.5 cups (6 oz.) shredded mozzarella cheese
- 1/2 tsp red pepper flakes
- 1/3 cup part skim ricotta cheese
- 2 TB fresh basil leaves

DIRECTIONS:

NOTE—Thaw frozen dough in refrigerator the day before or on the counter the day of before proceeding.

- 1. Position the oven rack in the center of the oven. Preheat the oven to 425 degrees F. Grease a baking sheet with olive oil or non-stick cooking spray, then sprinkle the sheet pan with cornmeal and set aside. SHAPING PIZZA DOUGH: Before you begin stretching, warm up your cold dough for at least 30 minutes at room temperature. Bringing the dough to room temperature will loosen up the dough and make it easier to shape. Rub your work surface and hands with a little olive oil. Press the dough down into a large flat disc using the palm of your hand. Next, use the middle three fingers on each of your hands to press the dough out from the center, widening that flat disc into a large circle about 1/2 inch thick. The dough should be soft and pliable and shouldn't shrink back when you press it. If the dough does shrink back, give it a break for a few minutes, then resume shaping. Carefully pick up the dough and hold it with both hands on one edge, letting the rest of the dough hang down. Gravity is going to do some of the stretching work as you gently rotate the dough in one direction like turning a wheel. Slowly pull the dough from hand to hand as the dough hangs down continuing until you reach your desired size and thickness. Transfer the dough to the prepared baking sheet.
- 2. Prep Produce: Clean and slice mushrooms, yellow bell pepper, and red onion.
- 3. On a separate baking sheet, combine sliced mushrooms, sliced zucchini, sliced yellow bell pepper, sliced red onion, 2 TB olive oil, and salt & pepper to taste. Toss to combine and roast in 425 degree oven for 15 minutes.
- 4. Spread the marinara sauce in an even layer on shaped dough, leaving a 1/2 border for the crust, then sprinkle the shredded mozzarella cheese over, top with the roasted vegetables, red pepper flakes, and dollop with the ricotta cheese. Bake in a 425 degree oven for 12-15 minutes or until the crust is golden. When done, remove from the oven, let rest for 5 minutes, then cut into wedges. Sprinkle with torn fresh basil leaves.

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