

## Pasta Salad with Tomato and Garlic Dressing

## Ingredients

1 tablespoon vegetable oil

1 teaspoon salt, if permitted

180g/6oz Loprofin Pasta Spirals

90g/3oz cherry tomatoes

1 medium courgette

2 sticks celery

1 tablespoon chopped fresh basil

## **Dressing**

125ml/ ¼ pint tomato juice

2 teaspoons lemon juice

1 clove garlic, crushed

1 tablespoon chopped chives

2 tablespoon olive oil

Salt and pepper

## Method

- 1. Three-quarters fill a large pan with water and bring to the boil, add the oil, salt and Loprofin Pasta Spirals. Return to the boil, stirring, reduce the heat slightly and cook for 8 minutes, stir occasionally to prevent pasta from sticking together.
- 2. Meanwhile, halve the cherry tomatoes, trim the ends off the courgette and cut into 1-1½cm (¼-½") chunks, slice the celery.
- 3. Drain the pasta and rinse well with cold water, drain thoroughly, transfer to a large bowl, add prepared vegetables and basil.
- 4. To make the dressing, place all the ingredients in a suitable sized screw top jar and shake well for 15 seconds. Pour the dressing over the pasta and vegetables, tossing lightly until thoroughly coated. Chill until required.

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