

Beet, Lemon and Walnut Salad

Instructions

- 1. Heat oven to 400 degrees.
- 2. Wrap beets with aluminum foil. Place on a baking tray and cook in the oven until beets are fork tender, about 90 minutes.
- 3. Meanwhile, cut the peel and thick outer layer (pith) off of the lemon and then cut the lemon into small pieces.
- 4. In a small bowl, combine the honey and the lemon. Set aside.
- 5. Once beets are done baking, open foil and allow beets to cool until you can handle them.
- 6. Place walnuts on the baking tray and bake in the oven for about 5 minutes, until they are lightly brown and fragrant.
- 7. Use the foil to press gently into the skin of the beets and peel it off.
- 8. Thinly slice beets into \(\frac{1}{8} \)-inch-thick rounds.
- 9. On a large platter, spread out the beet slices, overlapping them slightly.
- 10. Top the beets with the lemon mixture, salt, pepper, parsley, cheese and walnuts.

Yield: 6 servings Ingredients

- 4 large beets (1½ pounds)
- 2 large lemons
- 2 teaspoons honey
- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup chopped walnuts
- $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon kosher salt
- $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon ground black pepper
- ½ cup chopped fresh parsley
- $\frac{1}{3}$ cup crumbled feta cheese

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Nutrition Information Serving Size: % of recipe

Calories: 95 | Total Fat: $4.7 \, g$ | Saturated Fat: $1.5 \, g$ | Monounsaturated Fat: $0.8 \, g$ | Polyunsaturated Fat: $2 \, g$ Sodium: $211 \, mg$ | Total Carbohydrate: $13.7 \, g$ | Dietary Fiber: $3.5 \, g$ | Sugars: $8.6 \, g$ | Protein: $3.5 \, g$

Source: Adapted from Cooking Light