

HOMEMADE PIZZA SAUCE

Ingredients

9 Plum Tomatoes

1 Red or Green Bell Pepper

12 Cloves of garlic (adjust to your taste)

1T of tomato paste

2t of salt

1t of black pepper

2t of dried parsley

2t of dried oregano

2t of dried basil

1/2t of rosemary (optional)

4t of extra virgin olive oil (divided into 2 portions)

Method

- 1. Preheat oven to 180c
- 2. Cut the tomatoes and bell pepper into cubes
- 3. In a mixing bowl, add all the ingredients except for the salt, pepper and one portion of the olive oil. Coat the ingredients well
- 4. Place the coated tomatoes and peppers into a casserole dish then into the oven and bake until the tomatoes are brown on the outside
- 5. Remove from the oven and allow to cool for about 5 minutes before roughly blending them in the food processor
- 6. In a medium pan, add the remaining oil and heat.
- 7. Add the blended sauce, salt and pepper and stir well
- 8. Remove from heat and serve immediately or refrigerate for about 1 week.