

From Our Kitchens

Summer Bread Salad with Zucchini, Feta, and Tomatoes

Ingredients

1 ½ - 2 cups chopped baby zucchini

1 – 1 ½ cups chopped tomatoes

½ cup crumbled feta cheese

1/4 cup chopped sweet or green onion

1/4 cup chopped good olives

 $\frac{1}{4}$ - $\frac{1}{2}$ cup chopped fresh basil (I also added some chopped fresh oregano)

1/4 cup extra virgin olive oil

3 tablespoons red wine vinegar

2 teaspoons minced garlic or 2 chopped entire green garlics

Salt and pepper to taste

2 large slices firm-textured bread, toasted (the slices I used were about 6-7" wide)

Instructions

- 1. Toss all ingredients except bread in large bowl. Let stand at room temperature, tossing occasionally, for ½ hour.
- 2. Add bread just before serving. Toss.
- 3. Makes 4 servings.

Adapted from From Asparagus to Zucchini