



Summertime Rotini Pasta

10 portions

Ingredients:

1 1/4 box	Barilla® ® Rotini pasta	Avacado Sauce:	
3 3/4	Zucchini	2 1/2	Ripe avocados, pitted, peeled
7 1/2	Asparagus	Lg. handful	Cilantro packed
1 tsp	Olive oil	1 1/4 Tbsp	Lemon juice
	Salt to taste	1 1/4 Tbsp	Olive oil
	Cotija Cheese to taste	2/3 cup	Heavy cream
			Salt to taste

Instructions:

- 1. Bring 4-6 quarts of water to a boil. Add salt to taste. Add pasta to boiling water. For authentic "al dente" pasta boil for 10 minutes, stirring occasionally. Drain well and set aside.
- 2. Slice the zucchini and the asparagus.
- 3. Bring a large pot full or water to a boil. Add 1 teaspoon olive oil and 1 teaspoon of salt.
- 4. Add the zucchini and the asparagus for around 3 minutes then drain.
- 5. For the avocado sauce, combine in a food processor avocado, lemon juice, olive oil, salt, and heavy cream. Blend until mixture is creamy.
- 6. In a large pan, pour sauce on cooked pasta, zucchinis and the asparagus. Toss and serve. Garnish with Cotija cheese.

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