

Cheesy Beef and Rigatoni Bake

with Veggies and Tomato Sauce

Quick

25 Minutes





Ground Beef







Sweet Bell Pepper

Rigatoni





Garlic Puree



Cream Cheese



Baby Spinach

Mozzarella Cheese, shredded



Parmesan Cheese,



grated



Crushed Tomatoes with Garlic and Onion



HELLO RIGATONI

Start here

- Before starting, preheat your broiler to high.
- Wash and dry all produce.

Bust out

Colander, measuring spoons, measuring cups, large pot, large non-stick pan, 8x8-inch baking dish

Ingredients

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	2 Person	4 Person
Ground Beef	250 g	500 g
≔ Ground Lamb	250 g	500 g
Rigatoni	170 g	340 g
Sweet Bell Pepper	160 g	320 g
Garlic Puree	1 tbsp	2 tbsp
Baby Spinach	56 g	113 g
Cream Cheese	43 g	86 g
Mozzarella Cheese, shredded	¾ cup	1½ cups
Parmesan Cheese, grated	⅓ cup	⅓ cup
Italian Seasoning	½ tbsp	1 tbsp
Crushed Tomatoes with Garlic and Onion	370 ml	740 ml
Oil*		

Salt and Pepper*

Allergens

Hey home cooks! Please refer to the website or app for the as-prepared recipe nutritional information.

Ingredients are packaged in a facility that also handles egg, fish, crustacean, shellfish, milk, mustard, peanuts, sesame, soy, sulphites, tree nuts and wheat.

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Prep

Add **10 cups water** and **2 tsp salt** to a large pot (use same for 4 ppl). Cover and bring to a boil over high heat. While **water** comes to a boil, core, then cut **pepper** into ½-inch pieces.



Cook rigatoni

Add **rigatoni** to the pot of **boiling water**. Cook, stirring occasionally, until tender, 10-12 min. Reserve 1/4 cup pasta water (dbl for 4 ppl), then drain and return **rigatoni** to the same pot, off heat.



Cook beef

While **rigatoni** cooks, heat a large non-stick pan over medium-high heat. When hot, add **beef**. Cook, breaking up **beef** into smaller pieces, until no pink remains, 4-5 min.**
Carefully drain and discard excess fat. Add **garlic puree** and **half the Italian Seasoning** (use all for 4 ppl). Cook, stirring often, until fragrant, 30 sec. Season with **salt** and **pepper**.



CUSTOM RECIPE

If you've opted to get **lamb**, cook it in the same way the recipe instructs you to cook the **beef**.



Make sauce

Add peppers to the pan with beef. Cook, stirring occasionally, until peppers are tender-crisp, 3-4 min. Add crushed tomatoes and reserved pasta water. Cook, stirring often, until warmed through, 1-2 min. Add spinach, cream cheese and half the Parmesan. Cook, stirring often, until combined and spinach is wilted. Season with salt and pepper.



Assemble and broil

Meanwhile, grease an 8x8-inch baking dish with ½ tsp oil. (NOTE: For 4 ppl, grease a 9x13-inch baking dish with 1 tsp oil.) When sauce is done, add to the pot with rigatoni, then stir to coat. Add rigatoni mixture to the greased baking dish, then sprinkle with mozzarella. Broil in the middle of the oven until cheese is melted, 3-4 min.



Finish and serve

Sprinkle **remaining Parmesan** over top of **cheesy beef and rigatoni bake**, then divide between plates.

Dinner Solved!

^{*} Pantry items

^{**} Cook to a minimum internal temperature of 74°C/165°F.