



August 2022



Tomatoes are in season during August and this recipe makes tomatoes the star of the show! Slow-roasting results in sweet, sticky, intensely flavoured tomatoes that are delicious in a punchy Mediterranean salad

METHOD

Preheat the oven to gas 9, 240°C, fan 220°C. Put the tomatoes, cut-side up, on a baking tray. Season, add a pinch of sugar and drizzle with $1\frac{1}{2}$ tbsp oil.

Roast for 15 mins, then reduce the oven to gas 2, 150°C, fan 130°C. Roast for $1\frac{1}{2}$ hrs or until the tomatoes are charred but still juicy. Set aside to cool.

Pile the rocket onto a serving plate and scatter over the tomatoes, olives, capers, mint and pine nuts.

Drizzle with the vinegar and remaining oil. Serve with a sprinkle of black pepper.

SLOW ROASTED TOMATO SALAD

PREPARATION TIME:

5 mins

COOKING TIME:

1 hr 45 mins **SERVES:**

6

INGREDIENTS

460g sweet vine ripened tomatoes, halved

2½ tbsp extra-virgin olive oil

50g rocket

50g pitted black olives

1½ tbsp capers, drained and rinsed

10g fresh mint leaves

20g pine nuts, toasted

½ tbsp balsamic vinegar