



## Cheesy Ratatouille Casserole

with Homemade Basil Pesto



30-40min



2 Servings

This skillet serves up some serious comfort food! Complete with sweet tomatoes, eggplant, zucchini, and shallots—roasted to add a deep, rich flavor. We toss in some toasted bread, then bake it under a blanket of cheese for the most decadent ratatouille ever.



## What we send

- 1 ciabatta roll <sup>3</sup>
- 1 shallot
- ½ lb eggplant
- 1 zucchini
- 2 plum tomatoes
- ¾ oz Parmesan <sup>2</sup>
- 2 oz shredded cheddar-jack blend <sup>2</sup>
- 2 oz roasted red peppers
- ¼ oz fresh basil
- 3 oz baby spinach

## What you need

- olive oil
- kosher salt & ground pepper
- 2 large eggs <sup>1</sup>
- ½ c milk <sup>2</sup>
- red wine vinegar (or white wine vinegar)

## Tools

- rimmed baking sheet
- microplane or grater
- medium ovenproof skillet

## Allergens

Egg (1), Milk (2), Wheat (3). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

## Nutrition per serving

Calories 730kcal, Fat 49g, Carbs 51g, Protein 29g



### 1. Toast bread cubes

Preheat oven to 450°F with a rack in the upper third. Cut **ciabatta** into 1-inch cubes; spread to a single layer on a rimmed baking sheet, drizzle with **oil**, and season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**. Bake on upper oven rack until golden and crisp, about 5 minutes (watch closely as ovens vary). Transfer to a plate. Reserve baking sheet for step 3.



### 4. Assemble & bake

Meanwhile, in a medium bowl, whisk together **2 large eggs** and **½ cup milk**. Add **bread cubes** and toss to combine. Let sit while **vegetables** roast. Brush a medium ovenproof skillet with **oil**. Stir vegetables into bowl with bread; spoon into prepared skillet. Top with **cheddar** and **Parmesan**. Bake on upper oven rack until cheese is melted and golden, 5-7 minutes (watch closely).



### 2. Prep ingredients

Thinly **slice shallot**. Trim **eggplant** and **zucchini**, then halve lengthwise and cut into ½-inch cubes. Halve **tomatoes** and cut into 1-inch pieces. Finely grate **Parmesan**, if necessary.



### 5. Make pesto & salad

Finely chop **peppers**. Pick **basil leaves** from stems, discard stems; finely chop leaves and transfer to a small bowl. Stir in peppers, and **3 tablespoons oil**; season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**. In a medium bowl, whisk to combine **1 tablespoon each of vinegar and oil** and season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**; add **spinach** and toss to combine.



### 3. Roast vegetables

Add **eggplant** and **zucchini** to reserved baking sheet. Generously drizzle with **oil**; season to taste with **salt** and **pepper** and toss to combine. Roast on upper oven rack, stirring occasionally, until barely tender, 8-10 minutes. Stir in **tomatoes** and **shallots**. Roast on upper oven rack until vegetables are tender, 15-18 minutes.



### 6. Serve

Spoon **cheesy ratatouille casserole** onto plates. Drizzle with **pesto**. Serve alongside **spinach salad**. Enjoy!