# **DINNERLY**



# **BLT Salad** with Crispy Croutons & Ranch Dressing





The BLT is the perfect sandwich, no one's arguing with that. But turns out, it's the perfect salad too! Thick-cut bacon, crispy romaine lettuce, and juicy plum tomatoes join forces with cheddar-jack cheese, homemade croutons, and ranch dressing. Who knew the BLT can do it all? We've got you covered!

# **WHAT WE SEND**

- · 4 oz pkg thick-cut bacon
- · 2 potato buns 1
- 2 plum tomatoes
- 1 romaine heart
- 2 oz shredded cheddarjack blend <sup>7</sup>
- 1½ oz ranch dressing 3,6,7

# WHAT YOU NEED

- kosher salt & ground pepper
- apple cider vinegar (or red wine vinegar)
- olive oil

# **TOOLS**

· rimmed baking sheet

#### **ALLERGENS**

Wheat (1), Egg (3), Soy (6), Milk (7). May contain traces of other allergens.

Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

# **NUTRITION PER SERVING**

Calories 730kcal, Fat 48g, Carbs 35g, Proteins 37g



# 1. Bake bacon

Preheat oven to 425°F with racks in the upper and lower thirds. Place **bacon** on a rimmed baking sheet in a single layer (line the sheet with foil for easy cleanup!).

Bake on lower oven rack until goldenbrown and crisp, 15–20 minutes (watch closely as ovens vary). Transfer to a paper towel-lined plate; reserve **bacon fat** on baking sheet.



2. Bake croutons

Tear buns into ½-inch pieces. Add to same baking sheet and toss until evenly coated in bacon fat; season with salt and pepper.

Bake on upper oven rack until golden and crisp, tossing halfway through cooking time, 5–10 minutes. Let cool.



3. Prep veggies

While **croutons** bake, cut **tomatoes** into  $V_2$ -inch pieces.

Thinly slice **lettuce** crosswise into ribbons, discarding end. Toss in a medium bowl with **1 teaspoon vinegar** and **2 teaspoons** oil; season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**.



4. Finish & serve

Break or cut **bacon** into large pieces. Top **lettuce** with **tomatoes**, **croutons**, and **bacon**.

Serve BLT salad with cheese and a drizzle of ranch over top. Enjoy!



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What were you expecting, more steps?



6. ...

You're not gonna find them here! Kick back, relax, and enjoy your Dinnerly!