

Italian Chopped Salad

Basil Vinaigrette Ingredients:

1/3 cup olive or vegetable oil
¼ cup red wine vinegar
2 teaspoons dried basil leaves
1 teaspoon sugar
1/4 teaspoon salt

Salad Ingredients:

6 cups chopped romaine lettuce
1 cup chopped fresh basil leaves
1 cup cut-up cooked chicken
2 large tomatoes, chopped (2 cups)
2 medium cucumbers, chopped (1 1/2 cups)
1 package (3 oz) Italian salami, chopped
1 can (15 to 16 oz) cannellini beans, rinsed and drained



Directions:

1. In tightly covered container, shake all vinaigrette ingredients.
2. In large bowl, place all salad ingredients. Pour vinaigrette over salad; toss until coated. Serve immediately.

Makes 6 servings