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POTATO FENNEL SALAD WITH GRAINY MUSTARD DRESSING AND FRESH HERBS

This recipe makes 6 as a side dish.

INGREDIENTS FOR THE SALAD

3 pounds potatoes, I like to buy the small the mini potatoes, cut if needed.

1 fennel bulb, thinly sliced (save the fronds for garnish)

1 cup baby spinach, packed

1 shallot, peeled and finely chopped

1/4 cup finely-chopped fresh parsley

1/4 cup finely-chopped fresh dill

1/4 cup finely-chopped fresh chives

DIRECTIONS FOR THE SALAD

- 1. Place the potatoes in a large pot and add enough water so that the potatoes are covered. Cook over medium-high heat until the water starts to boil. Reduce heat to medium and simmer; continue cooking for about 8 10 minutes or until the potatoes pierce easily with a fork.
- 2. Drain the potatoes in a colander and let cool for for about 5 minutes.
- 3. While the potatoes are still warm toss with the dressing.
- 4. Add in the sliced fennel, shallot and fresh herbs.
- 5. Toss again until combined.
- 6. Taste and adjust seasoning, you may need to add more salt and pepper. If not serving right away you can cover and refrigerate.
- 7. I like to serve at room temperature but it can also be served chilled.

INGREDIENTS FOR THE DRESSING

juice from 1/2 a lemon
4 tsp Apple Cider Vinegar
2 tsp Whole Grain Mustard
1/2 cup Olive Oil,
1/2 tsp kosher salt or more to taste
freshly ground black pepper to taste

DIRECTIONS FOR THE DRESSING

- 1. Whisk all ingredients in a small bowl or shake, covered, in a jar.
- 2. Taste and adjust seasoning.

COOKS NOTES

To make this more of a meal you could add in olives, garbanzo beans, chopped hard boiled eggs, green onions or crumble in some goat, feta cheese or blue cheese.