

# Beef & Bacon Fettuccine Bolognese

with Fresh Pasta, Asparagus Salad & Pesto Panini

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Celery Asparagus Onion Garlic Plant Based Wholemeal Panini Basil Pesto Diced Bacon Beef Mince **Fresh Fettuccine** Tomato Paste Herb & Mushroom Red Wine Seasoning Jus Beef-Style Mixed Salad Stock Powder Leaves Grated Parmesan Cheese

Prep in: 20-30 mins Ready in: 30-40 mins

Packed with the rich flavours of a classic Italian tomato sauce, you'll find it hard to believe this beef and bacon bolognese didn't involve hours of cooking. Enjoy it alongside a pesto-packed hasselback panini, adding even more flavour to this already delicious meal.

Pantry items Olive Oil, Balsamic Vinegar

## Before you start

Wash hands and fresh veggies. Avoid cross contamination by washing utensils after handling raw meat/poultry. Always use separate utensils for raw and cooked meat.

If you're cooking for 6, use the 2 people plus 4 people ingredients and cook meat and veggies in batches

#### You will need

Large frying pan  $\cdot$  Large saucepan

## Ingredients

	2 People	4 People
olive oil*	refer to method	refer to method
asparagus	1 bunch	2 bunches
celery	1 stalk	2 stalks
onion	1/2	1
garlic	2 cloves	4 cloves
wholemeal panini	1	2
plant based basil pesto	1 medium packet	2 medium packets
diced bacon	1 medium packet	2 medium packets OR 1 large packet
beef mince	1 medium packet	2 medium packets OR 1 large packet
fresh fettuccine	1 medium packet	1 large packet
tomato paste	1 packet	2 packets
herb & mushroom seasoning	1 sachet	2 sachets
red wine jus	1 medium packet	1 large packet
beef-style stock powder	1 medium sachet	1 large sachet
mixed salad leaves	1 small packet	1 medium packet
balsamic vinegar*	drizzle	drizzle
grated Parmesan cheese	1 medium packet	1 large packet

\* Pantry Items

## Nutrition

Avg Qty	Per Serving	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	5486kJ (1311cal)	392kJ (94cal)
Protein (g)	71.6g	5.1g
Fat, total (g)	53.1g	3.8g
- saturated (g)	18g	1.3g
Carbohydrate (g)	123.4g	8.8g
- sugars (g)	11.2g	0.8g
Sodium (mg)	1766mg	126.1mg
Dietary Fibre (g)	9.5g	0.7g

The quantities provided above are averages only.

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#### Get prepped

- Preheat oven to 200°C/180°C fan-forced. Boil the kettle.
- Trim ends of **asparagus**. Finely chop **celery**, **onion (see ingredients)** and **garlic**.
- Cut deep slices, taking care to not slice all the way through, across wholemeal panini in 1cm intervals. Push plant based basil pesto into slices with the back of a spoon and wrap in foil.
- Place panini directly on wire racks in the oven and bake until heated through, 8-10 minutes.
- In a large frying pan, heat a drizzle of **olive oil** over medium-high heat.
- Cook **asparagus** until tender, **5-6 minutes**. Add a dash of **water** to pan to help **asparagus** cook. Transfer to a medium bowl.



#### Finish the ragu

- Reduce frying pan to medium heat, the add tomato paste, garlic and herb & mushroom seasoning and cook, until fragrant, 1-2 minutes.
- Add red wine jus, beef-style stock powder and reserved pasta water and cook, stirring, until slightly thickened, 1-2 minutes.



#### Start the ragu

- Return frying pan to medium-high heat with a drizzle of olive oil. Cook diced bacon, celery and onion, and cook, until tender, 4-5 minutes.
- Add beef mince, breaking up with a spoon, until just browned, 3-4 minutes.



## Cook the fettuccine

- Pour **boiled water** into a large saucepan over high heat with a pinch of **salt**.
- Add fresh fettuccine to the boiling water and cook until 'al dente', 3 minutes. Reserve some pasta water (½ cup for 2 people / 1 cup for 4 people). Drain and return to the saucepan.



## Make the salad

- Remove pan from heat, then add **cooked fettucine** and toss to coat. Season with **salt** and **pepper**.
- To the bowl with the asparagus, add mixed salad leaves and a drizzle of balsamic vinegar. Toss to combine and season to taste.

## Serve up

- Divide beef and bacon fettuccine alla Bolognese between bowls. Sprinkle with **Parmesan cheese**.
- Serve with asparagus salad and warm pesto panini. Enjoy!

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