

Strawberry Spinach Salad with Avocado Poppyseed Dressing

Salad Ingredients:

- 1 (6-ounce) package of spinach (clean if not pre-cleaned)
- 1 (16-ounce) package of strawberries, hulled and sliced
- 1/2 cup sliced almonds
- 1/2 red onion, thinly sliced
- 3/4 cup feta cheese or goat cheese, crumbled
- 1 cup dried cranberries

Creamy Avocado Poppyseed Dressing Ingredients:

- 1/3 cup mayonnaise
- 1/2 ripe avocado
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 4 teaspoons white vinegar
- 4 teaspoons olive oil
- 2 teaspoons poppyseeds

Instructions:

- 1. In a large bowl, combine the spinach, strawberries, sliced almonds, red onion, feta (or goat) cheese, and dried cranberries. Toss well to mix.
- 2. To make the dressing, in a small bowl, mash the avocado until it becomes a pulp.
- 3. Add the mayonnaise, sugar, white vinegar, and olive oil to the mashed avocado and whisk together until smooth.
- 4. Stir in the poppyseeds.

5. Drizzle the dressing over the salad as desired. Optionally, you can use a hand blender to blend the dressing ingredients for a smoother texture, adding the poppyseeds after blending.

Enjoy this vibrant and delicious salad as a refreshing addition to any meal!