## Walnut Basil Pesto



## Ingredients:

- 1/4 cup walnuts
- 1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese
- 2 medium garlic cloves
- 3 cups loosely packed fresh basil
- 1 tablespoon fresh lemon juice
- 1/4 teaspoon kosher salt
- 1/4 cup olive oil

## Instructions:

- 1. In a small dry skillet, toast the walnuts over medium high heat, stirring constantly, for about 2 minutes. Remove the nuts to a bowl and allow them to cool slightly.
- 2. In a food processor, combine walnuts, cheese, and garlic. Process until finely ground, 20 to 30 seconds.
- 3. Add the basil, lemon juice and kosher salt. Turn on the food processor and gradually pour in the olive oil. Once combined, turn off the food processor.

## 4. All done! Enjoy!

Nutrition Facts	
Servings 12.0	
Amount Per Serving	
calories 76	
% Daily Value *	
Total Fat 7 g	11 %
Saturated Fat 1 g	7 %
Monounsaturated Fat 4 g	
Polyunsaturated Fat 2	g
Trans Fat 0 g	
Cholesterol 4 mg	1 %
Sodium 99 mg	4 %
Potassium 28 mg	1 %
Total Carbohydrate 2 g	1 %
Dietary Fiber 0 g	1 %
Sugars 0 g	
Protein 2 g	3 %
Vitamin A	11 %
Vitamin C	5 %
Calcium	39 %
Iron	0 %

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