## Tomato and Avocado Salad

## **Ingredients**

- 1 pint fresh tomatoes
- 1-2 lemons
- 2 avocados
- 1 jalapeno
- 1 small red onion; or half of a large red onion
- ½ cup freshly chopped cilantro; or basil can be used in place of it
- salt
- pepper
- · olive oil



## **Instructions**

- 1. Cut the tomatoes into small, bite-sized pieces and place in a large bowl
- 2. Cut the avocado into small cubes and scoop into the same bowl as the tomatoes
- 3. Thinly slice the red onion and place the pieces in a bowl with some ice water for a few minutes; then scoop them out and place the slices in the bowl with the tomatoes and avocado
- 4. Use a microplane/grater/zester, to take the zest off of one lemon and add it into the bowl
- 5. Cut the jalapeno into thin slices and add it into the bowl
- 6. Squeeze the juice of one lemon into the bowl
- 7. Drizzle with olive oil
- 8. Season with salt and pepper
- 9. Taste, and adjust seasoning as desired

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