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Martha's Perfect BLT

with Homemade Russian Dressing





ca. 20min 4 Servings

We got our hands on the recipe for Martha's BLT, which she shared recently on Martha & Snoop's Potluck Dinner Party. If you missed it on the show, make sure you don't miss out this time around! The usual suspects are all there-bacon, lettuce, and tomato-but with quintessential Martha twists, like homemade Russian dressing and crisp red leaf lettuce. Cook, relax, and enjoy!

What we send

- red leaf lettuce
- heirloom tomato
- ketchup pkt
- · apple cider vinegar
- bacon
- 1 oz cornichons ¹⁷
- 2 oz cup mayonnaise 3,6
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What you need

- coarse kosher salt
- freshly ground pepper
- sugar

Tools

- large skillet
- rimmed baking sheet

Allergens

Wheat (1), Egg (3), Soy (6), Sulphites (17). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

Nutrition per serving

Calories 805kcal, Fat 65g, Carbs 30g, Protein 23g



1. Make dressing

Preheat broiler with top rack 6 inches from heat source. Finely chop **cornichons** and transfer to a small bowl. Add **mayonnaise** and **ketchup**, and stir to combine.



2. Prep tomatoes

Slice **tomatoes** into ¼-inch thick rounds and set on a plate. Sprinkle lightly with **salt** and **pepper** and let sit until step 6.



3. Cook bacon

Off the heat, arrange % of the bacon in a large skillet (overlapping is ok, the bacon will shrink) then place over medium-high heat. Cook, turning once, until crisp, 6-10 minutes (add remaining bacon as room is made in the skillet). Drain bacon on paper towels.



4. Prep lettuce

Remove and discard any wilted outer leaves from **lettuce**. Set aside 4 best leaves for sandwiches and coarsely chop the rest, discarding end.



5. Make toast & vinaigrette

Set **bread** on a baking sheet and broil on top rack, turning once, until evenly toasted, 1-3 minutes total (watch closely as broilers vary). In a medium bowl, whisk **vinegar**, **2 tablespoons oil**, and **a pinch of sugar**, and season with **salt** and **pepper**. Add **chopped lettuce** and toss to coat.



6. Assemble BLT's

Spread **dressing** on each **slice of toast**. Top 4 slices of toast with **bacon**, **3/4 of the tomatoes**, and **reserved lettuce leaves**. Close sandwiches, cut in half and transfer to plates. Chop **remaining tomatoes**, add to **salad**, and serve alongside the **BLT**. Enjoy!