



# Caprese-Style Rice Side Dish

Enjoy a burst of fresh flavors with this Caprese-Style Rice Side Dish, featuring aromatic basil, juicy tomatoes, creamy mozzarella, and fluffy rice, creating a delightful accompaniment to any meal.

## INGREDIENTS

**1 pouch (8.8 oz)** Rice-A-Roni® Heat & Eat Garlic & Olive Oil Rice

**1 cup** baby spinach or arugula (or a combination)

**1/2 cup** chopped tomatoes

**1/2 cup** chopped fresh mozzarella cheese

Salt (optional)

Coarse grind black pepper

Balsamic vinegar (optional)

Sliced fresh basil

## HOW TO MAKE

### DIRECTIONS

Prepare rice according to package directions.

Place cooked rice in shallow bowl. Spread in single layer to cool, about 5 minutes.

Add spinach or arugula, tomatoes and mozzarella. Toss gently to combine. Add salt, if desired and black pepper.

Just before serving, drizzle lightly with balsamic vinegar, and sprinkle with basil.

Serve immediately or refrigerate and serve chilled, if desired.

## PRODUCT

