

15 ml extra virgin olive oil

Ground Herbes de Provence

Salt and pepper

Stuffed aubergine with tomato (modified texture)

Ingredients (serves 1)

150 g of aubergine (1/2 of one eggplant)

50 g onion

30 g carrot

30 g ground beef

25 g tomato sauce

20 g cured cheese

50 g light bechamel sauce

1/2 clove of garlic

Method

- 1. Wrap the aubergine in aluminium foil and roast in the oven at 180°C for about 25 minutes, until tender.
- 2. Let cool. Once completely cool, remove the pulp.
- 3. Put the aubergine pulp in a container and use an immersion blender to puree with salt, pepper, and a splash of oil. Set aside.
- 4. In a frying pan, sauté the peeled and chopped vegetables with a splash of oil. Once well cooked, add the ground beef, salt, and pepper, and stir everything.
- 5. Once everything is well cooked, add the tomato sauce and Herbes de Provence.

- 6. Cook for a few more minutes, add some of the aubergine pulp and pour the mixture into a tall container. Puree with immersion blender.
- 7. Grate the cheese. Heat the bechamel sauce with the cheese and stir until the cheese has melted.
- 8. Pass through a sieve and season with salt and pepper.
- 9. Serve the aubergine puree on a plate and make a hole in the centre. Fill the hollow with the meat and tomato puree.
- 10. Dress with cheese sauce.