# **CHICKEN SAUSAGE GEMELLI BOLOGNESE**

with Zucchini and Parmesan



## - HELLO -**SAUSAGE BOLOGNESE**

The classic meat sauce gets a flavorful upgrade with Italian chicken sausage.



Zucchini

Yellow Onion

Gemelli Pasta

Spice

(Contains: Wheat)





Tomato Paste

Sour Cream (Contains: Milk)

Chicken Stock

Concentrate



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#### **START STRONG**

In step 1, make sure to thoroughly salt your water—a palmful should do the trick. This may feel excessive, but the results will prove why this step is so important. Cooking pasta in salty water seasons the noodles from the inside out.

#### **BUST OUT**

- Large pot Kosher salt
- Baking sheet Black pepper
- Aluminum foil
- Strainer
- Large pan
- Vegetable oil (2 tsp | 2 tsp)
- Butter (1 TBSP | 2 TBSP) (Contains: Milk)

| INGREDIENTS                                 |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| Ingredient 2-person   4-person              |                 |
| Yellow Onion                                | 1 2             |
| Zucchini                                    | 1   2           |
| • Tuscan Heat Spice 🧹                       | 1 TBSP   2 TBSP |
| • Gemelli Pasta                             | 6 oz   12 oz    |
| • Italian Chicken Sausage Mix* 9 oz   18 oz |                 |
| Tomato Paste                                | 1.5 oz   3 oz   |
| Chicken Stock Concen                        | trate 1 2       |
| Sour Cream                                  | 2 TBSP   4 TBSP |
| Parmesan Cheese                             | ¼ Cup   ½ Cup   |
|   |                 |

\* Chicken Sausage is fully cooked when internal temperature reaches 165 degrees.







### PREP

Adjust rack to top position and preheat oven to 450 degrees. Bring a large pot of **salted water** to a boil. **Wash and dry all produce**. Halve, peel, and thinly slice **onion**. Trim and halve **zucchini** lengthwise; cut crosswise into ½-inch-thick half-moons.

**2 ROAST ZUCCHINI** Toss **zucchini** on a baking sheet with a drizzle of **oil**, half the **Tuscan Heat Spice**, and a pinch of **salt** and **pepper**. Roast on top rack, tossing halfway through, until browned and tender, 14-16 minutes. Loosely cover with foil to keep warm.



**3** COOK PASTA Once water is boiling, add **gemelli** to pot. Cook until al dente, 9-11 minutes. Reserve **1½ cups pasta cooking water** (2 cups for 4 servings), then drain.



## COOK ONION AND SAUSAGE

Heat a drizzle of **oil** in a large pan over medium-high heat. Add **onion** and a pinch of **salt** and **pepper**. Cook, stirring occasionally, until softened, 5-6 minutes. Add **sausage** and cook, breaking up meat into pieces, until browned all over, 3-4 minutes (it'll finish cooking in the next step).



**5** Add tomato paste and remaining Tuscan Heat Spice to pan. Cook, stirring constantly, until fragrant, 1-2 minutes. Stir in stock concentrate, 1 cup reserved pasta cooking water (1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cups for 4 servings), and a big pinch of salt and pepper. Bring to a low simmer; cook until sauce is slightly thickened and sausage is cooked through, 2-3 minutes. Reduce heat under pan to medium low.



**6** FINISH AND SERVE Stir gemelli, zucchini, sour cream, and 1 TBSP butter (2 TBSP for 4 servings) into pan until thoroughly combined. (TIP: If needed, stir in more reserved pasta cooking water a splash at a time until pasta is coated in a creamy sauce.) Divide between bowls. Sprinkle with Parmesan.

 HERBALICIOUS –
Have fresh basil on hand? Tear and sprinkle some over your

finished dish!

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2 TBSP | 4 TBSP
Parmesan Cheese
<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Cup | <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Cup
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