

# Eggplant and Smoked-Gouda Open-Faced Grilled Sandwiches



## Ingredients

0.5 teaspoon pepper black
3 inch bread country-style (from an 8-inch round loaf)
2 lb eggplants
O.3 cup flat-leaf parsley fresh finely chopped
8 oz cheese such as gouda smoked
0.5 cup olive oil extra-virgin
0.8 teaspoons salt

	2.5 cups tomatoes finely chopped	
	1 tablespoon white-wine vinegar	
Εq	uipment	
	bowl	
	baking sheet	
	knife	
	plastic wrap	
	grill	
	broiler	
	spatula	
	grill pan	
	peeler	
Directions		
	Prepare grill for cooking over direct heat with medium-hot charcoal (moderate heat for gas); see Grilling Procedure.	
	While grill is heating, stir together tomatoes, parsley, 2 tablespoons oil, vinegar, pepper, and 3/4 teaspoon salt in a medium bowl.	
	With a cheese plane or vegetable peeler, shave half of cheese into thin slices (if using mozzarella, thinly slice half of it with a knife) and cover slices with plastic wrap, reserving remaining piece for another use.	
	Brush bread on both sides with 1 tablespoon oil per slice.	
	Trim off top and bottom of each eggplant, then cut 2 (1-inch-thick) slices lengthwise from center of each eggplant, discarding remainder.	
	Brush cut sides with 3 tablespoons oil (total) and sprinkle with remaining 1/2 teaspoon salt.	
	Lightly oil grill rack, then grill eggplant slices (covered only if using a gas grill), loosening with a metal spatula and turning occasionally to avoid overbrowning, until very tender, 8 to 10 minutes. While eggplant is grilling, grill bread, turning over once, until grill marks form, 1 to 2 minutes total, and transfer to a large platter.	

Nutrition Facts
Transfer eggplant to a large baking sheet and broil about 3 inches from preheated broiler until cheese is just melted, about 1 minute. Tomato mixture can be made 30 minutes ahead and kept at room temperature.
· If you can't grill outdoors, bread and eggplant can be cooked in 2 batches on a lightly oiled well-seasoned large (2-burner) ridged grill pan over moderate heat. Grill eggplant, turning occasionally, 10 to 13 minutes, then top with cheese.
Drizzle evenly with remaining tablespoon oil and top with eggplant. Season with pepper to taste.
Transfer grilled bread to 4 plates and spoon tomato mixture on top.
Transfer eggplant with spatula to platter.
Transfer eggplant to platter, then top evenly with sliced cheese and return to grill and cook, covered for charcoal or gas, without turning, until cheese begins to melt, about 1 minute.

PROTEIN 20.41% FAT 56.82% CARBS 22.77%

#### **Properties**

Glycemic Index:54.42, Glycemic Load:3.8, Inflammation Score:-9, Nutrition Score:21.443912967392%

#### **Flavonoids**

Delphinidin: 194.34mg, Delphinidin: 194.34mg, Delphinidin: 194.34mg, Delphinidin: 194.34mg, Delphinidin: 194.34mg, Naringenin: 0.63mg, Naringenin: 0.63mg, Naringenin: 0.63mg, Apigenin: 8.1mg, Apigenin: 8.1mg, Apigenin: 8.1mg, Apigenin: 8.1mg, Apigenin: 8.1mg, Luteolin: 0.07mg, Luteolin: 0.07mg, Luteolin: 0.07mg, Luteolin: 0.07mg, Kaempferol: 0.14mg, Kaempferol: 0.14mg, Kaempferol: 0.14mg, Myricetin: 0.68mg, Myricetin: 0.68mg, Myricetin: 0.64mg, Quercetin: 0.64mg, Q

### Nutrients (% of daily need)

Calories: 330.96kcal (16.55%), Fat: 21.65g (33.31%), Saturated Fat: 10.85g (67.81%), Carbohydrates: 19.53g (6.51%), Net Carbohydrates: 11.34g (4.13%), Sugar: 11.86g (13.17%), Cholesterol: 64.64mg (21.55%), Sodium: 921.15mg (40.05%), Alcohol: Og (100%), Alcohol %: O% (100%), Protein: 17.5g (35.01%), Vitamin K: 81.85µg (77.95%), Calcium: 435.83mg (43.58%), Phosphorus: 391.69mg (39.17%), Manganese: O.7mg (35.1%), Fiber: 8.18g (32.74%), Vitamin A: 1464.42IU (29.29%), Vitamin C: 22.76mg (27.59%), Potassium: 837.07mg (23.92%), Folate: 83.13µg (20.78%), Zinc: 2.8mg (18.65%), Vitamin B2: O.3mg (17.64%), Vitamin B6: O.32mg (15.83%), Magnesium: 61.68mg (15.42%), Vitamin B1: O.87µg (14.55%), Vitamin E: 2.13mg (14.21%), Copper: O.27mg (13.58%), Selenium: 9.47µg (13.53%), Vitamin B3: 2.22mg (11.1%), Vitamin B1: O.15mg (10.08%), Vitamin B5: O.95mg (9.47%), Iron: 1.29mg (7.14%), Vitamin D: O.28µg (18.9%)