Salt and Serenity

Green Beans with Salami Vinaigrette

Adapted from Chef Josh Keeler's recipe in the August 2013 issue of Bon Appetit Magazine.

Dressing:

1 garlic clove

2 oz. salami, casing removed, diced into ½ inch pieces

¼ cup red wine vinegar

1½ teaspoon paprika

1 teaspoon finely grated lemon zest

1 teaspoon fresh lemon juice

¼ teaspoon ground coriander

4 Tablespoons olive oil

2 Tablespoons water

Kosher salt

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1/2 pound green beans, trimmed

1/2 pound yellow beans, trimmed

2 ounces salami, diced into ¼ inch cubes

1 15 ounce can chick peas, rinsed and drained (optional)

- 1. Blend garlic, salami, vinegar, paprika, lemon zest, lemon juice, and coriander in a blender, scraping down sides as needed, until very smooth. With motor running, slowly add 4 Tablespoons oil and 2 Tablespoons water and blend until combined; season vinaigrette with salt. (Dressing will keep in the fridge for 4 days)
- 2. Heat remaining 2 Tablespoons oil in a large skillet over medium-high heat. Add beans and cook, tossing often, until tender and browned in spots, 10–12 minutes. Mix in chickpeas during last minute of cooking, if using them.
- 3. Sautée diced salami in small skillet until crispy. Set aside.
- 4. Add 1–2 Tablespoons vinaigrette (reserve remaining vinaigrette for another use) and toss to coat. Top with diced sautéed salami and serve.