

# instant pot dill pickle pasta salad



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Prep Time: 15 minutes Cook Time: 3 minutes Yield: 8 servings

## DESCRIPTION

Say goodbye to boring pasta salads and hello to this pasta salad that is infused with pickle flavor! Make the pasta quickly and easily with your Instant Pot.

## INGREDIENTS

SCALE

For the pasta:

- 8 ounces uncooked rigatoni pasta (white or whole wheat)**
- 1 ½ cups water**
- ½ cup pickle juice**

For the dressing:

- 1 Tbsp fresh minced garlic**
- 2 tsp dried dill**
- ½ cup olive oil**
- ¾ tsp salt**
- 1 tsp onion powder**
- ¼ cup pickle juice**
- 1 Tbsp Dijon mustard**

For the salad:

- 1 cup chopped pepperoni**
- 1 cup cubed cheddar cheese**
- 1 cup halved cherry tomatoes**
- 1 ½ cups diced dill pickle**

## INSTRUCTIONS

- Cook the pasta:** Add pasta, water and dill pickle juice to your Instant Pot. Cover and secure the lid. Make sure valve is set to sealing. Set the manual/pressure cook button to 3 minutes (for firmer pasta) or 4 minutes (for softer pasta). When the time is up move the valve to venting. Remove the lid. Drain the pasta of any remaining liquid. Set aside.
- Make the dressing:** In a bowl whisk together the garlic, dill, olive oil, salt, onion powder, pickle juice and mustard.
- Prepare the salad items:** chop the pepperoni, cube the cheese, halve the tomatoes and dice the pickles.
- Toss the salad.** Add the dressing and the salad items in with the pasta. Coat the pasta well with the dressing. Add salt and pepper to taste. Refrigerate until ready to eat.

## NOTES

I used my 6 quart [Instant Pot Duo 60 7 in 1\\*](#).