

## **Crispy Pan-Fried Gnocchi with Toasted Panko**



This recipe calls for:

## RAGÚ® Kettle Cooked Tomato Basil Pasta Sauce

Prep time

## 15 minutes

Cook time

#### 30 minutes

Servings

4

# **Ingredients**

- 1 tablespoon olive oil, divided
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 1/4 cup panko bread crumbs
- 1 tblstablespoon grated Parmesan cheese
- 1 package (16 ounces) shelf-stable gnocchi
- 1 cup RAGU® Kettle Cooked Tomato Basil Sauce
- 2 tablespoons small basil leaves

## **Instructions**

1. Heat 1 teaspoon oil in large nonstick skillet on medium heat. Add bread crumbs to pan.Cook 2-3 min. or until deep golden brown, stirring constantly. Transfer to small bowl; stirin Parmesan.

- 2. Heat remaining oil and butter in same skillet on medium heat until melted. Add gnocchito pan; arrange in single layer. Cook 5-6 min. undisturbed, until bottoms are deepgolden brown. Transfer half the gnocchi to serving platter. Add sauce to remaininggnocchi in pan; toss gently until heated through.
- 3. Spoon sauced gnocchi onto platter. Serve immediately, sprinkled with bread crumbsand basil.

## Tips:

Shelf-stable gnocchi is sold in the dry pasta aisle of the grocery store.

Substitute Italian-style panko for an extra boost of flavor in the crunchy topping