



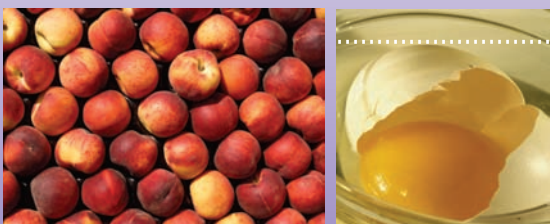
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Recipes

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Colorado Proud Choose Colorado Produce Challenge

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Fresh Inspirations...

Colorado Wedge Salad

Ingredients

- 1 Head Iceberg Lettuce
- 8 Strips Cooked Bacon, chopped
- 1/2 Cup Red Onion, peeled and diced small
- 2 Large Tomatoes, cored and diced medium
- 1/2 Cup Blue Cheese Crumbles
- 1 Tbsp. Italian Parsley, stemmed and chopped
- 1 Red Bell Pepper, diced medium
- 1 Green Bell Pepper, diced medium

Directions

With summer at its peak and the grilling season in full swing it's time to unleash the power of the "Wedge." This salad is 100% Colorado and the perfect accent to grilled steak, chicken, pork or lamb chops, or enjoyed simply on its own.

Core the head of lettuce, peel and discard outer layers of leaves and cut into four big wedges. Place the lettuce in a small bowl and top with the onions, tomatoes, red pepper and green pepper. Then add blue cheese, parsley and finally bacon. Serve with a Green Goddess or Buttermilk BBQ Ranch dressing.

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Next Month... **Colorado Chile Peppers**