Simple Egg Salad

A reliable staple

Ingredients

- 6 large eggs
- 1/4 cup mayonnaise
- 1 teaspoon Dijon mustard
- Salt, to taste
- Freshly ground black pepper

Optional additions (use only if you want):

- A small squeeze of lemon juice
- Finely chopped celery
- Finely chopped scallion or chives
- Dill, parsley, red onion

Method

- 1. Place the eggs in a saucepan and cover with cold water.
- 2. Bring to a gentle boil, then lower the heat and simmer for 9–10 minutes.
- 3. Drain and cool the eggs completely under cold running water.
- 4. Peel and chop the eggs to your preferred texture.
- 5.Add mayonnaise and Dijon mustard.
- 6. Season with salt and pepper.
- 7. Mix gently until combined.
- 8. Taste and adjust. Stop when it's good.

Notes

Texture is personal — chunky or smooth both work.

Keeps well in the refrigerator for 2–3 days.

Good on toast, crackers, in a sandwich, or on its own.

From my kitchen at home. Simple, flexible, and meant to be lived with.