TOMATO FRITTERS FROM SANTORINI

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Ingredients:

2 cups chopped tomatoes ½ cup grated red onion 2 tablespoons chopped fresh basil 4 tablespoons chopped fresh mint Salt and freshly ground pepper 1 ½ cups of all-purpose flour Oil for frying

Directions:

- In a large bowl, knead the tomatoes, onions, herbs, salt and pepper (do it by hand to make sure all the juice leaved the tomato
- Add the flour to the mixture, do it slowly and mix well. If necessary, add some more flour to get the consistency of a thick batter (you can leave the batter in the refrigerator for at least one day so it becomes even more tasty
- Heat enough oil in a deep pan to cover the bottom, the oil needs to be very hot
- Drop a tablespoon of the mixture in the pan and repeat until the pan is filled
- Fry on both sides until the fritters are of a nice golden color
- After removing, let them drain on a paper towel