# Apple, Date, and Brussels Sprouts Salad

### Instructions

- 1. Make the salad dressing by adding olive oil, maple syrup, apple cider vinegar, salt, pepper, and the juice of one orange to a small bowl and whisk until combined.
- 2. Cut the stems off of the Brussels sprouts and slice them thinly with a sharp knife or a food processor.
- 3. Cut the stems off of the kale leaves and chop the leaves into bite-sized pieces.
- 4. Add the sliced Brussels sprouts and kale to a large salad bowl. Add half of the dressing to the bowl and massage the kale and Brussels sprouts for 3-4 minutes.
- 5. Chop the onion, apple, and dates into small pieces and add them to the salad mix.
- 6. Toast the nuts by baking for 3-4 minutes or toast them in a pan on the stovetop for 3-4 minutes.
- 7. Before serving the salad, add the toasted nuts, drizzle the remaining dressing, mix all of the salad ingredients together, and enjoy.
- 8. The salad is best served fresh, and you can half the recipe to only make 2-3 servings.

### Ingredients

- 4 tablespoons of olive oil
- 2 tablespoons of maple syrup
- 2 tablespoons of apple cider vinegar
- Salt and pepper, to taste
- 1 orange, juiced
- 4 cups of Brussels sprouts
- 2 cups of kale
- 1/2 of an onion, finely diced
- 1 medium-sized apple
- 4 dates
- 1/2 cup of toasted nuts (e.g., pecans or walnuts)

## **Grocery List**

### Produce

- o Orange
- o Brussels sprouts
- o Kale
- o Onion
- o Apple
- o Dates

### Pantry

- o Olive oil
- o Maple syrup
- Apple cider vinegar
- o Salt and pepper

### Other

• Nuts (e.g., pecans or walnuts)