# **Heart Healthy Recipe Exchange**

# **Brussel Sprouts Fry**

**Category: Lunch/Dinner** 

**Description**: Side Dish

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Servings:	4
Prep Time:	15 minutes
Total Time:	20 minutes

## Ingredients:

1.	1 lb. Brussels sprout
2.	1 tbsp extra virgin olive oil
3.	1 tsp crushed garlic or garlic powder
4.	½ tsp turmeric
5.	Salt for taste (3/4 tsp)
6.	1 tsp cayenne pepper
7.	1 tsp lemon juice (optional)

## Directions:

- 1. Remove any tough or discolored leaves and discard. Wash thoroughly. Dry them.
- 2. Cut each Brussel sprouts into four wedges, even-sized pieces. Set aside.
- 3. Combine and toss all ingredients together.
- 4. Coat air fryer or oven with cooking spray. Set air fryer or oven to 390F.
- 5. Place Brussel Sprouts evenly into air fryer or oven and cook for 12 minutes.
- 6. Serve hot!

### Notes:

Brussel sprouts is not a vegetable that is traditionally used in South Asian cuisine. It has its origins from Belgium, where the name Brussel has originated. Brussels sprouts are commonly used as a side dish and is often steamed or roasted.

Comments on Nutritional Value (Dr. Divya Selvakumar)

Brussel sprouts contain an excellent source of fiber, along with a plethora of Vitamin C and Vitamin K. Cayenne pepper is excellent for metabolism, while both turmeric and garlic are anti-infection and anti-inflammatory spices. Olive oil is a well-known monounsaturated oil that is very healthy for heart healthy patients. The air fryer is an alternative way to make more healthier foods, instead of deep-frying food.