# SARDINES AND SUMMER SQUASH

Number of servings: 5

**Serving Size:** 1 cup

### **Ingredients:**

1 teaspoon oil

3 cups squash (summer), diced small (1 large)

½ cup bell peppers, diced small (1 medium)

2 cups eggplants, diced small (approx. 1 medium)

½ cup green onions, chopped fine (3 stalks)

3 cloves of garlic, minced

1 cup cherry tomatoes, cut in half (approx 9)

1 can (15-ounce) sardines in tomato sauce

½ teaspoon salt

1/4 teaspoon black pepper

### **Directions:**

- 1. DICE squash, bell peppers and eggplants. Set aside.
- 2. CHOP green onions. Set aside.
- 3. MINCE garlic. Set aside.
- 4. CUT cherry tomatoes in half. Set aside.
- 5. Heat oil in a large skillet.
- 6. ADD squash, garlic and green onions, and SAUTÉ for 10 minutes, stirring occasionally until squash is almost clear.
- 7. ADD bell peppers and eggplants. COVER and COOK for 5 minutes, stirring occasionally.
- 8. ADD tomatoes, and COOK for 3 minutes.
- 9. MIX in sardines in tomato sauce, and ADD salt and pepper. COVER and COOK on low heat for 5 minutes. STIR occasionally.

10.SERVE hot.

Variations: Squeeze on some fresh lemon juice.

If summer squash is not available, use pumpkin.

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#### **Nutrition Facts** Serving Size 1 cup (255g) Servings Per Container 5 Amount Per Serving Calories 200 Calories from Fat 90 % Daily Value Total Fat 10g 15% 12 % Saturated Fat 2.5g Trans Fat Og 0% Cholesterol 50mg 17% 24 % Sodium 580mg Total Carbohydrate 8g 3% Dietary Fiber 3a 12% Sugars 5g Protein 19g Vitamin A 20% • Vitamin C 70% Calcium 20% Iron 15% \*Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet. Your daily values may be higher or lower depending on your calorie needs: Calories: 2,000 Total Fat Less than 65g Saturated Fat Less than 20g 25g Cholesterol Less than 300mg 300mg Sodium Less than 2,400mg 2,400mg Total Carbohydrate 300g 375g 25g 30g Dietary Fiber

Calories per gram: Fat 9 - Carbohydrate 4 - Protein 4

<sup>\*</sup> Recipe contributed by the Northern Marianas College-Cooperative Research, Extension, and Education Service