persiMon® Gazpacho



Serve chilled in wine glasses or soup bowls garnished with chopped chives and persiMon® balls on skewers.

Makes 6 servings

INGREDIENTS

1 lb (500 g) persiMon[®], topped and peeled (approx. 2)

1 lb (500 g) red tomatoes, cored and diced (approx. 4)

11/2 cups (375 mL) small English cucumber, diced

1/4 cup (50 mL) red pepper, seeded and diced

1/4 cup (50 mL) green pepper, seeded and diced

1 large garlic clove

2 tbsp (30 mL) Sherry vinegar

1/2 cup (125 mL) water

²/₃ cup (150 mL) olive oil cup

salt & pepper to taste

18 chives, chopped



PREPARATION

- Remove stems from each persiMon®. Using a small melon baller, scoop balls from the flesh of each persiMon® for garnish. Set aside
- Chop the remaining persimons into chunks and place in the blender with the tomatoes, cucumber and peppers. Add garlic and vinegar.
- · Purée ingredients in blender for approx.30 seconds to 1 min minute, until the mixture is completely blended.
- On low speed slowly add the water and then the olive oil. Add salt and pepper to taste Place in refrigerator for at least one hour to chill.

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