

## Pork Carnitas Tacos with Aji Verde Aioli

Prep time: 15 Cook Time: 240 Servings: 12

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# Ingredients

INGREDIENT	CODE	PREP	QUANTITY
6" Heat Pressed Flour Tortillas	10400		24 Each
Kosher Salt			1/2 Each
Garlic		skin on, roasted in a dry pan, peeled	15 cloves
Mexican Cinnamon		ground	1 tsp.
Lime juice			2 Oz.
Pork shoulder		bone-in	7 1/2 Lbs.
Lard			1 Gallons
Purple Cabbage		shredded	12 Oz.
Aii Verde Aioli	·	·	3 cup

#### **Instructions**

- 1. In a food processor, combine salt, garlic, cinnamon, oregano, and lime juice. Puree until a thick paste forms. Rub the paste over the pork shoulder and allow to marinate for at least eight hours, or overnight.
- 2. Pre-heat convection oven to 250°F. Rinse the pork shoulder and pat dry. Allow to sit at room temperature for an hour. Sear on a flat top until caramelized on all sides and transfer to a braising pot. Place the pot on the stove over medium-high heat and add the lard so that the lard melts and covers the pork. Heat the lard to 250°F before transferring to oven. Braise for 4 hours, remove from the lard, and shred. Hold hot for service.
- 3. To assemble one taco, place 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. of shredded pork on a tortilla, followed by  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. of purple cabbage and 1 oz. of Aji Verde Aioli. Serve two per order.



# Aji Verde Aioli

Prep time: 5 Cook Time: Servings:

# Ingredients

INGREDIENT	CODE	PREP	QUANTITY
Cilantro			3 cup
Red Onions			3 Tbsp.
Mayonnaise			3/4 cup
Crema			3/4 cup
Jalapeño		stemmed, seeded	3 3/4 Oz.
Lime juice			3 Tbsp.
Aji Amarillo paste			3 Tbsp.
Olive Oil			3 Tbsp.
Garlic			3 cloves
Cotija Cheese		crumbled	3 Tbsp.

### **Instructions**

1. Combine all the ingredients in a blender or food processer and process until smooth. Refrigerate for service.