## The Best Spinach Artichoke Dip

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## Servings: 8

nonstick cooking spray 8 ounces cream cheese, room temperature 1/2 cup sour cream 1/4 cup mayonnaise 1 clove garlic, grated 1 box (10 ounce) frozen leaf spinach, thawed, drained and squeezed dry, coarsely chopped 1 can (14 ounce) artichoke hearts, drained well and coarsely chopped 1/2 cup shredded whole milk mozzarella 3/4 cup freshly grated Parmesan Kosher salt freshly ground black pepper crackers, chips or toasted bread (for serving)

## **Preparation Time: 10 minutes**

Position a rack in the upper third of the oven. Preheat the oven to 350 degrees.

Spray a one-quart baking dish with nonstick cooking spray.

In a large bowl, place the cream cheese, sour cream, mayonnaise and garlic. Mix vigorously until combined and smooth. (If you prefer, you can use a stand mixer fitted with the paddle attachment.)

Add the spinach to the cream cheese mixture, breaking it up as you add it. Add the artichokes, mozzarella and 1/2 cup of the Pramesan, mixing to combine. Season with salt and pepper.

Transfer the mixture to the prepared baking dish. Top with the remaining 1/4 cup of Parmesan.

Bake until the dip begins to bubble, 20 to 25 minutes.

Turn the oven to broil. Continue to cook, keeping an eye on it so it does not burn, until the top is golden brown, about 5 minutes.

Serve warm with crackers, chips or toasted bread.

To thoroughly dry the spinach, put the thawed spinach in a clean kitchen towel over a bowl or the sink and twist to squeeze out all the moisture.

Per Serving (excluding unknown items): 185 Calories; 19g Fat (88.1% calories from fat); 3g Protein; 3g Carbohydrate; 1g Dietary Fiber; 40mg Cholesterol; 141mg Sodium. Exchanges: 1/2 Lean Meat; 0 Vegetable; 0 Non-Fat Milk; 3 Fat.