# **PORK SAUSAGE ORECCHIETTE BOLOGNESE**

with Zucchini & Parmesan



1 Clove | 2 Cloves Garlic



9 oz | 18 oz

1|1 Zucchini

Italian Pork

Sausage

14 oz | 28 oz

Marinara Sauce

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2 PERSON | 4 PERSON

6 oz | 12 oz Orecchiette Pasta Contains: Wheat



1 TBSP | 2 TBSP Tuscan Heat



**¼ Cup | ¼ Cup** Parmesan Cheese Contains: Milk

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Italian-spiced pork sausage adds fun flavor to this rich, tomatoey sauce.

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#### **JUST IN CASE**

Our preferred technique for removing sausage casing, as you will in step 3? Using the tip of your knife, make a shallow slit along the length of the sausage, then peel away and discard the casing.

#### **BUST OUT**

- Large pot
- Strainer
- Large pan
- Kosher salt
- Black pepper
- Vegetable oil (2 tsp | 2 tsp)
- Olive oil (1 tsp | 1 tsp)
- Butter (**1 TBSP** | **2 TBSP**) Contains: Milk

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\* Pork Sausage is fully cooked when internal temperature reaches 160°



## **1 PREP**

- Bring a large pot of **salted water** to a boil. Wash and dry produce.
- Peel and mince garlic. Trim and halve zucchini lengthwise; cut crosswise into ¼-inch-thick half-moons.



2 COOK PASTA

- Once water is boiling, add orecchiette to pot. Cook until al dente, 13-15 minutes.
- Reserve <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> cup pasta cooking water (1 cup for 4 servings), then drain.



#### **3 COOK ZUCCHINI & SAUSAGE**

- While pasta cooks, heat a large drizzle of oil in a large pan over medium-high heat. Add **zucchini** and cook, stirring occasionally, until browned, 5-6 minutes. Transfer to a plate; wipe out pan.
- Once zucchini is done, remove **sausage**\* from casing; discard casing.
- Heat a drizzle of olive oil in same pan over medium-high heat. Add sausage and cook, breaking up meat into pieces, until browned and cooked through, 4-6 minutes.
- Stir in garlic and Tuscan Heat Spice; cook until fragrant, 30 seconds.



• Divide **pasta** between bowls; top with Parmesan and serve.

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# **4 SIMMER SAUCE**

• Add marinara to pan with sausage **mixture**, then reduce heat to medium. Simmer until flavors meld and sauce is slightly reduced, 3-4 minutes.



- Add drained orecchiette, ¼ cup reserved pasta cooking water (1/2 cup for 4 servings), and 1 TBSP butter (2 TBSP for 4) to pan with sauce. Toss to thoroughly combine.
- Stir in zucchini. Taste and season with salt and pepper. TIP: If needed, stir in more reserved pasta cooking water a splash at a time until everything is thoroughly coated in sauce.