

## **NUTRITION PER SERVING:**

 CALORIES
 254

 PROTEIN
 17 G

 CARBOHYDRATE
 29 G

 TOTAL FAT
 8 G

PREP TIME: 15 MINUTES
COOK TIME: 15 MINUTES

YIELD: 4 SERVINGS SERVING SIZE: 1 SANDWICH

1 TSP GARLIC, MINCED (ABOUT ½ CLOVE)

1 SMALL ONION, MINCED (ABOUT ½ CUP)

2 C FROZEN CUT SPINACH, THAWED AND
DRAINED (OR SUBSTITUTE 2 BAGS
(10 OZ EACH) FRESH LEAF SPINACH,

RINSED)

1/4 **TSP** GROUND BLACK PEPPER

8 SLICES WHOLE-WHEAT BREAD

1 MEDIUM TOMATO, RINSED, CUT INTO

4 SLICES

1 C SHREDDED PART-SKIM MOZZARELLA
CHEESE

CHEE

NONSTICK COOKING SPRAY



## RED WHITE AND GREEN GRILLED CHEESE

SO GOOD, YOUR CHILDREN MIGHT NOT EVEN NOTICE THE "GREEN STUFF"

- *O1* Preheat oven to 400 °F. Place a large baking sheet in the oven to preheat for about 10 minutes.
- 02 Heat garlic with cooking spray in a medium sauté pan over medium heat. Cook until soft, but not browned. Add onions, and continue to cook until the onions are soft, but not browned.
- O 3 Add spinach, and toss gently. Cook until the spinach is heated throughout. Season with pepper, and set aside to cool.
- 04 When the spinach and onions are cool, assemble each sandwich with one slice of bread on the bottom, one tomato slice, ½ cup of spinach mixture, ¼ cup of cheese, and a second slice of bread on the top. (For picky eaters, see Healthy Eating Two Ways suggestion below.)
- O5 Spray the preheated nonstick baking sheet with cooking spray. Place the sandwiches on the baking sheet. Bake for 10 minutes, or until the bottom of each sandwich is browned.
- 06 Carefully flip sandwiches, and bake for an additional 5 minutes, or until both sides are browned. Serve immediately.
- For picky eaters, start with less spinach in the sandwich, and possibly serve the remaining amount on the side.