Grilled Octopus

INGREDIENTS:

7 oz octopus 2 chopped fresh oregano Extra Virgin Olive Oil Red Wine Vinegar Salt and pepper to taste 2 oz apple shaved Octopus boil

Octopus Boil:

Water to fill a casserole bowl 10 bay leaves 1 bunch thyme leaves 15 whole garlic cloves 5 sprigs of rosemary 2 cups white wine vinegar 4 Spanish onions quartered 3 celery stalks cut into chunks

DIRECTIONS:

Octopus Boil: Put all ingredients into a pot over medium heat and boil octopus for 1hr 15min or until tentacles are soft. Be careful not to overcook.

Char-grill octopus to give a nice smoky flavor. Combine oregano, olive oil, vinegar, salt and pepper. Marinate in a mixing bowl with the octopus until all flavors incorporate. Use a Japanese mandolin to shave apple and garnish.

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