Carrot and Apple Salad

Serves 6

Ingredients:

2 tbsp toasted sesame seeds

2 cups shredded carrots

1 apple (any type) thinly sliced

1/4 cup lemon juice

½ cup fresh parsley

2 tbsp apple cider vinegar

1 tbsp white sugar

1 clove minced garlic

1 tsp salt

½ tsp black pepper

2 tbsp safflower or olive oil



Directions:

- 1. Prepare the salad ingredients: peel and shred the carrots, slice the apple into thin pieces, and finely chop the parsley.
- 2. Toss the carrots, apples, parsley and sesame seeds in a large bowl.
- 3. Mix the dressing: whisk together the lemon juice, apple cider vinegar, white sugar, minced garlic, salt, and ground black pepper in a separate mixing bowl. Slowly drizzle the safflower oil into the lemon juice mixture. Whisk until the dressing is well emulsified.
- 4. Combine and serve: pour the dressing over the carrot and apple mixture, toss the salad gently to ensure all ingredients are evenly coated with the dressing.
- 5. Serve immediately or chill in the refrigerator for about 30 minutes if a cooler salad is preferred.