spanish-style shrimp stew

enjoy this Mediterranean-flavored seafood stew

1 Tbsp	olive oil
1 Tbsp	garlic, minced (about 2-3 cloves)
1 C	fennel (about 1 bulb, outer layer removed), rinsed and diced (or substitute leek or onion)
2 cans	(14½ oz each) no-salt-added diced tomatoes
1 C	low-sodium chicken broth
2 lb	new (red) potatoes, rinsed and quartered (about 2 C)
12 oz	large shrimp, peeled and deveined (about 24 pieces)
2 Tbsp	fresh oregano, rinsed, dried, and chopped (or 2 tsp dried)
2 Tbsp	lemon juice
2 Tbsp	fresh basil, rinsed, dried, and chopped (or 2 tsp dried)

ground black pepper

1/4 tsp

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salt

Heat olive oil in a large sauté pan. Add garlic and fennel, and cook on medium heat, stirring often, until the fennel pieces begin to soften, about 5–7 minutes

Prep time:

Cook time:

20 minutes

25 minutes

- Add tomatoes, chicken broth, and potatoes, and bring to a boil. Lower temperature to a gentle simmer, and cook until the potatoes begin to soften, about 10 minutes.
- Add shrimp, oregano, lemon juice, and basil, and mix gently. Continue to simmer until the shrimp are pink and fully cooked, about 5 minutes (to a minimum internal temperature of 145 °F).
- Add salt and pepper.
- Serve 1½ cups stew (each serving to include about six shrimp).

Tip: Delicious over rice or with a green salad and crispy and crusty bread (broiled with garlic) to soak up the sauce.

