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Food Corner #3

GUMBO

Gumbo originated in **Southern Louisiana** in the **18th century**. It is a **stew** whose main ingredients are meat or seafood seasoned with celery, bell peppers, onions and a thickener. This may be **okra** (African), **filé powder** (Creole) or **roux** (French)— a triple version that bears witness to the mixed origins of this dish, which masterfully represents the melting pot of languages and cultures that **New Orléans** makes.



Click on the pictures for a variation on this traditional **RECIPE!**

