SMOKED TROUT-AVOCADO DIP

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2 – 3 oz tins smoked trout

2 scallions

1 lemon

1 TBSP mayonnaise

1 tsp kosher salt, divided

½ medium, ripe avocado

Fresh ground black pepper

Crackers, for serving

- 1. Pour off excess oil from 2 trout tins, then place trout in a medium bowl.
- 2. Thinly slice **2 scallions** on a diagonal. Add half to bowl with trout; reserve remaining scallions for serving.
- 3. Using a microplane, finely grate half of lemon into bowl with trout.
- 4. Cut lemon into quarters and remove any seeds. Squeeze 2 quarters over trout mixture.
- 5. Add 1 Tbsp. mayonnaise and ½ tsp. salt and toss gently to combine.
- 6. Finely chop ½ avocado. Transfer to a small bowl. Squeeze juice from remaining 2 lemon quarters over. Season with remaining ½ tsp. salt.
- 7. Top dip with avocado and a few grinds of pepper. Serve with crackers alongside.

