

# **Cook the Book: Roast Chicken in Porchettata**



## Ingredients

- 4 servings pepper black freshly ground
- 4 servings sea salt
- 1 tablespoon fennel pollen wild
- 1.5 tablespoons sage fresh finely chopped
- 3 large garlic clove finely chopped
- 1 tablespoon rosemary finely chopped
- 1 tablespoon thyme leaves finely chopped
- 4 tablespoons butter unsalted at room temperature

# Equipment

bowl
frying pan
oven
baking pan
roasting pan
kitchen thermometer
cutting board
kitchen twine

# Directions

Preheat the 450°F with the rack in the middle. Pull off the excess fat around the cavity of the chicken, then rinse and pat dry very well, inside and out. From the edge of the cavity, slip a finger under the skin of each breast, then gently but thoroughly use your fingers to loosen the skin from the meat of the breasts and thighs.

In a bowl, mix the butter, garlic, sage, fennel pollen, rosemary and thyme together well.

Using your hands and working with about 1 tablespoon of the butter mixture at a time, gently push the mixture into the spaces you created between the chicken skin and meat, being careful not to tear the skin. As you work the mixture in, gently rub your hand over the outside of the skin to smooth out the mixture and push it further down between the skin and meat where you may not be able to reach with your hand. Tie the legs together with kitchen string. Season the chicken all over the outside, using 1 tablespoon of salt and generous pepper.

Put a roasting pan (not non-stick) or 9x13-inch baking dish in the oven to heat for 10 minutes.

Remove from the oven and immediately put the chicken into the tin, breast-side up. Roast for 35 minutes, then rotate the tin and reduce the heat to 375°F. Continue roasting, basting with the juices occasionally, for a further 25–35 minutes until the juices run clear when a thigh is pierced with a fork, or an instant-read thermometer inserted into the thickest part of the thigh reads165°F.

Remove the bird from the oven and leave to rest in the tin for 15 minutes, then baste with the juices.

Transfer the chicken to a chopping board; carve and serve with the pan juices and extra salt for sprinkling.

### **Nutrition Facts**

PROTEIN 28.29% FAT 68.93% CARBS 2.78%

#### **Properties**

Glycemic Index:44.25, Glycemic Load:0.38, Inflammation Score:-9, Nutrition Score:21.306956301565%

### Flavonoids

Apigenin: 0.04mg, Apigenin: 0.04mg, Apigenin: 0.04mg, Apigenin: 0.04mg Luteolin: 0.79mg, Luteolin: 0.79mg, Luteolin: 0.79mg, Luteolin: 0.79mg Kaempferol: 0.01mg, Kaempferol: 0.01mg, Kaempferol: 0.01mg, Kaempferol: 0.01mg Myricetin: 0.04mg, Myricetin: 0.04mg, Myricetin: 0.04mg, Myricetin: 0.04mg Quercetin: 0.04mg, Quercetin: 0.04mg, Quercetin: 0.04mg, Quercetin: 0.04mg

### Nutrients (% of daily need)

Calories: 589.2kcal (29.46%), Fat: 44.38g (68.27%), Saturated Fat: 16.69g (104.29%), Carbohydrates: 4.03g (1.34%), Net Carbohydrates: 3.34g (1.21%), Sugar: 0.03g (0.04%), Cholesterol: 193.39mg (64.46%), Sodium: 348.66mg (15.16%), Alcohol: Og (100%), Alcohol %: O% (100%), Protein: 40.99g (81.97%), Copper: 6.95mg (347.39%), Vitamin B3: 14.87mg (74.34%), Selenium: 31.84µg (45.49%), Vitamin B6: 0.81mg (40.27%), Phosphorus: 330.05mg (33.01%), Vitamin B5: 2.02mg (20.19%), Zinc: 2.98mg (19.88%), Iron: 3.47mg (19.25%), Manganese: 0.36mg (17.81%), Vitamin B2: 0.28mg (16.58%), Vitamin A: 754.21IU (15.08%), Magnesium: 52.29mg (13.07%), Potassium: 450.28mg (12.87%), Vitamin B12: 0.7µg (11.65%), Calcium: 101.83mg (10.18%), Vitamin B1: 0.15mg (9.73%), Vitamin C: 7.29mg (8.84%), Vitamin E: 0.98mg (6.54%), Vitamin D: 0.65µg (4.3%), Vitamin K: 4.45µg (4.24%), Folate: 15.89µg (3.97%), Fiber: 0.69g (2.77%)