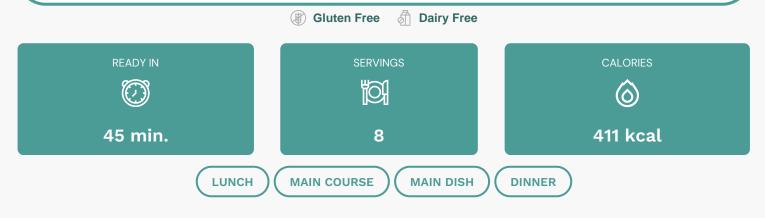


## **Roasted Salt-and Spice-Packed Pork Loin**



## **Ingredients**

| 1 teaspoon pepper black freshly ground ()  |
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| 1 teaspoon coarse kosher salt ()           |
| 1 ounces fennel seeds freshly ground       |
| 1 ounce juniper berries freshly ground     |
| 2 tablespoons olive oil                    |
| 5 pound pork rib roast bone-in fat trimmed |
| 1 cup water                                |
| 1 ounces allspice whole freshly ground     |

| Equipment  |  |  |
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|            | frying pan   |  |
|            | baking sheet   |  |
|            | oven   |  |
|            | roasting pan   |  |
| Directions |  |  |
|            | Position rack in center of oven and preheatto 250°F.   |  |
|            | Sprinkle pork roast all over with1 teaspoon coarse salt, 1 teaspoon pepper, and fennel seeds, patting to adhere.   |  |
|            | Heatolive oil in heavy large roasting pan overmedium-high heat.  |  |
|            | Place pork, fat sidedown, in pan. Cook until brown on all sidesand on ends, holding pork upright withtongs when necessary, about 12 minutes.                           |  |
|            | Transfer pork to baking sheet and coolcompletely, about 20 minutes.  |  |
|            | Combine 8 cups coarse salt, 2/3 cupblack pepper, allspice, and juniper berriesin same roasting pan. Stir to blend.   |  |
|            | Add1 cup water and stir to moisten. Push 2/3 to3/4 of salt mixture to 1 side of pan, spreadingremaining salt in long wide strip (about sizeof roast) as base for pork. |  |
|            | Place pork, boneside down, on salt base. Pack remaining saltover entire roast, enclosing completely.   |  |
|            | Roast pork in salt crust until instantreadthermometer inserted straight downinto pork from top center registers 165°F,about 2 1/2 hours.                               |  |
|            | Transfer roasting pan to work surface.   |  |
|            | Let pork rest 10 to 20 minutes.  |  |
|            | Removeall salt from around pork.   |  |
|            | Transfer pork tocutting board, brushing off any remainingsalt. Position roast so that bones arevertical.   |  |
|            | Cut between bones and meat toremove bone slab in 1 piece.  |  |
|            | Place bone slab on platter. Arrangeroast atop bones in original position. Carveroast and serve.  |  |

|                 | * Sold in the spice aisle of most supermarkets.  |  |
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|                 | With the pork, pour aCôtes du Rhône. We like the Domaine   |  |
|                 | Rouge-Bleu 2007 "Mistral" (France, \$18).Its blackberry and earthy flavors and anisenotes complement the meat deliciously. |  |
|                 | Bon Appétit  |  |
| Nutrition Facts |  |  |
|                 |  |  |
|                 | PROTEIN 38.07% FAT 56.31% CARBS 5.62%  |  |

## **Properties**

Glycemic Index:5.88, Glycemic Load:0.3, Inflammation Score:-3, Nutrition Score:25.581304380427%

## **Nutrients** (% of daily need)

Calories: 411.48kcal (20.57%), Fat: 25.56g (39.33%), Saturated Fat: 5g (31.26%), Carbohydrates: 5.74g (1.91%), Net Carbohydrates: 3.5g (1.27%), Sugar: Og (0%), Cholesterol: 108.52mg (36.17%), Sodium: 402.91mg (17.52%), Alcohol: Og (100%), Alcohol %: 0% (100%), Protein: 38.89g (77.78%), Manganese: 13.8mg (689.76%), Selenium: 66.53µg (95.05%), Vitamin B6: 1.28mg (64.21%), Vitamin B3: 12.16mg (60.82%), Vitamin B1: 0.86mg (57.14%), Phosphorus: 401.48mg (40.15%), Zinc: 3.64mg (24.23%), Potassium: 730.99mg (20.89%), Vitamin B2: 0.33mg (19.64%), Vitamin B12: 1.01µg (16.84%), Magnesium: 62.19mg (15.55%), Vitamin B5: 1.3mg (13%), Calcium: 114.79mg (11.48%), Iron: 2.06mg (11.43%), Copper: 0.18mg (9.25%), Fiber: 2.24g (8.96%), Vitamin D: 1.31µg (8.73%), Vitamin E: 0.73mg (4.87%), Vitamin C: 2.13mg (2.59%), Vitamin K: 2.52µg (2.4%)