



Sweet and Sour Pork

 Dairy Free

READY IN



45 min.

SERVINGS



4

CALORIES



518 kcal

LUNCH

MAIN COURSE

MAIN DISH

DINNER

Ingredients

- ☐ 1 pound pork loin boneless
- ☐ 1.5 tablespoons apple cider vinegar
- ☐ 0.3 cup cornstarch
- ☐ 2 large eggs beaten
- ☐ 0.3 cup flour all-purpose
- ☐ 1 teaspoon ginger fresh minced
- ☐ 1 tablespoon garlic minced
- ☐ 2 tablespoons catsup

- ☐ 2 tablespoons orange juice fresh canned
- ☐ 1 cup pineapple chunks fresh canned
- ☐ 1 tablespoon soya sauce
- ☐ 2 tablespoons sugar
- ☐ 2 cups vegetable oil for frying for stir-frying
- ☐ 3 tablespoons water
- ☐ 1 tablespoon worcestershire sauce

Equipment

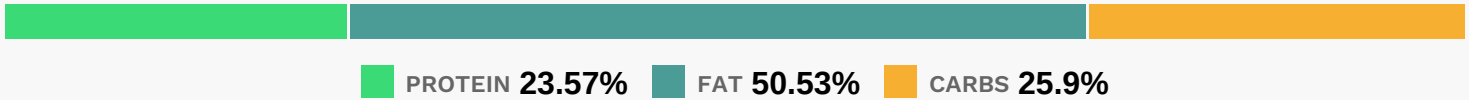
- ☐ bowl
- ☐ paper towels
- ☐ sieve
- ☐ kitchen thermometer
- ☐ wok
- ☐ slotted spoon

Directions

- ☐ Prepare the batter: In a medium bowl, stir together the eggs, cornstarch, and flour. The batter should be liquidy enough to coat the pork. If the batter looks too dry, add 1 to 2 tablespoons of water and stir again.
- ☐ Add the pork and stir gently to coat.
- ☐ Let stand at room temperature for 10 minutes.
- ☐ Prepare the sauce: In a small bowl, stir together the water, ketchup, pineapple juice, cider vinegar, Worcestershire sauce, soy sauce, and sugar until the sugar is dissolved. Set aside.
- ☐ Heat the peanut oil in a wok until it registers 350°F on an instant-read oil thermometer. Working in 2 or 3 batches, add the first batch of pork cubes and fry until golden brown on the outside and cooked through, 4 to 5 minutes.
- ☐ Remove the pork with a slotted spoon and drain on a plate lined with paper towels.
- ☐ Remove any excess bits of batter from the oil with a slotted spoon or fine-mesh strainer. Continue frying the rest of the pork.

- ☐ Transfer the oil to a heat-proof container. (It will take about 1 hour to fully cool, after which you can transfer it to a container with a tight lid to dispose of it.) Wipe up any food remains in the wok with paper towels, being careful not to touch the metal directly with your hands.
- ☐ Heat the remaining 1 tablespoon oil in the wok or a skillet over medium-high heat.
- ☐ Add the garlic and ginger and stir-fry until just aromatic, about 20 seconds.
- ☐ Add the pineapple and the sauce and stir to coat the vegetables.
- ☐ Let the sauce simmer for 2 to 3 minutes to allow the pineapple to become tender (about 1 minute for canned pineapple). Return pork to the wok and toss until well coated with the sauce.
- ☐ Transfer to a plate and serve.
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Nutrition Facts



Properties

Glycemic Index:74.27, Glycemic Load:9.2, Inflammation Score:-5, Nutrition Score:19.492608630139%

Flavonoids

Eriodictyol: 0.01mg, Eriodictyol: 0.01mg, Eriodictyol: 0.01mg, Eriodictyol: 0.01mg Hesperetin: 1.02mg, Hesperetin: 1.02mg, Hesperetin: 1.02mg, Hesperetin: 1.02mg Naringenin: 0.18mg, Naringenin: 0.18mg, Naringenin: 0.18mg, Naringenin: 0.18mg 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: 0.12mg, Quercetin: 0.12mg, Quercetin: 0.12mg, Quercetin: 0.12mg

Nutrients (% of daily need)

Calories: 517.59kcal (25.88%), Fat: 28.99g (44.6%), Saturated Fat: 5.55g (34.66%), Carbohydrates: 33.43g (11.14%), Net Carbohydrates: 32.25g (11.73%), Sugar: 17.4g (19.33%), Cholesterol: 164.44mg (54.81%), Sodium: 468.57mg (20.37%), Alcohol: Og (100%), Alcohol %: 0% (100%), Protein: 30.42g (60.83%), Selenium: 42.64µg (60.92%), Vitamin B6: 1mg (49.82%), Vitamin B1: 0.65mg (43.48%), Vitamin K: 40.91µg (38.96%), Vitamin B3: 7.53mg (37.65%), Phosphorus: 333.74mg (33.37%), Vitamin B2: 0.41mg (24.01%), Potassium: 636.49mg (18.19%), Zinc: 2.56mg (17.04%), Vitamin E: 2.33mg (15.53%), Vitamin C: 11.32mg (13.72%), Vitamin B12: 0.8µg (13.35%), Vitamin B5: 1.31mg (13.12%), Magnesium: 48.69mg (12.17%), Iron: 2.05mg (11.37%), Copper: 0.2mg (9.84%), Folate: 33.49µg (8.37%), Manganese: 0.15mg (7.62%), Vitamin D: 0.95µg (6.36%), Fiber: 1.18g (4.72%), Vitamin A: 223.59IU (4.47%), Calcium: 42.46mg (4.25%)