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# Savanna's Okonomiyaki & Pork Belly

with fresh coriander & pickled ginger

Okonomiyaki are pan-fried pancakes loaded with cabbage. Our take is topped with pork belly pieces doused in a sticky soy, honey & orange sauce. Garnished with pickled ginger & fresh coriander, and served with Kewpie mayo. Japan in your kitchen!

Hands-on Time: 35 minutes

Overall Time: 55 minutes

Serves: 4 People

Chef: Savanna

Adventurous Foodie

No paired wines

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## Ingredients & Prep

125ml Hoisin Sauce

20<sub>m</sub>l

800g

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90ml

40g

15g

Gochujang Sauce

800ml Self-raising Flour

Spring Onions

rinsed, trimmed & finely

green parts separate Cabbage

sliced, keeping the white &

rinsed & very thinly sliced Pork Belly Pieces

cut into chunks

Pork Belly Sauce (60ml Low Sodium Soy Sauce & 30ml Honey) 125ml

Orange Juice Pickled Ginger

drained & roughly chopped Fresh Coriander

rinsed & picked

125ml Kewpie Mayo

## From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut) Salt & Pepper

Paper Towel Butter (optional)

Water

1. MIX THE BATTER In a bowl, combine the hoisin sauce and the gochujang (to taste). Set aside. In a separate bowl, combine the flour and 400ml of water. Add the spring onion whites, the sliced cabbage, and a pinch of salt. Mix until fully combined.

2. FRYING FRENZY Place a pan over medium-low heat with a drizzle of oil and a knob of butter (optional). When hot, add  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the cabbage batter and spread out across the pan in an even thickness of about 0.5cm. Fry until set and golden brown, 6-7 minutes per side. Drain on paper towel. Repeat this process until you have 4 pancakes. Cover.

3. STICKY PORK BELLY Place a pan over medium-high heat (the pork will cook in its own fat). Pat the pork dry with paper towel. When hot, sear the pork until crispy and golden brown, 8-10 minutes per side. In the final 3-5 minutes, baste with the pork belly sauce, the orange juice,

and 60ml of water. Remove from the pan, reserving any rendered fat,

and rest for 5 minutes before thinly slicing and seasoning.

4. MOUTH-WATERING DINNER! Plate up the okonomiyaki pancake. Drizzle over the hoisin-gochujang sauce (to taste). Top with the sticky pork belly (and any remaining sticky sauce) and the chopped pickled ginger. Sprinkle over the spring onion greens and the picked coriander. Side with the mayo for dunking.



If you're having trouble flipping the pancake, cover the pan with a plate. Flip the pan quickly, so the pancake flips onto the plate. Slide back into the pan.

#### **Nutritional Information**

Per 100a

850kl Energy 203kcal Energy Protein 7.9g Carbs 19g of which sugars 5.1g Fibre 1.4g Fat 7.3g of which saturated 2.5g Sodium 292mg

#### **Allergens**

Egg, Gluten, Allium, Wheat, Sulphites, Sugar Alcohol (Xylitol), Soy

> Cook within 2 Days