# **Japanese Chicken Thighs**

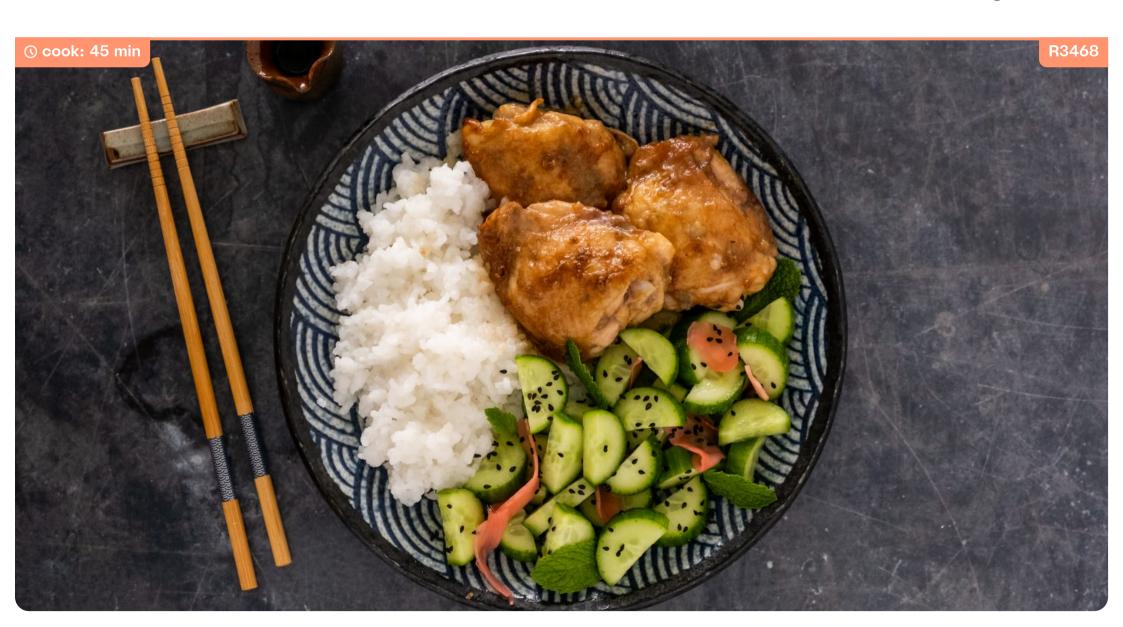
with Sushi Rice and Cucumber Salad

In this recipe, you'll roast marinated chicken thighs and serve them alongside seasoned sushi rice and fresh cucumber.

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Cals 759 • Prot 69 • Carbs 84 • Fat 16

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### Before you start

Please wash your hands and rinse all fresh fruits and vegetables prior to cooking.

#### Ingredients

Japanese chicken	2 ppl	3 ppl	4 ppl		
Skin-on, bone-in chicken thighs	600	900	1200	Grams	
Ginger	30	45	60	Grams	
Garlic cloves	3	4	6	Piece	
Corn starch	10	15	20	Grams	
Soy sauce <b>9*, 10*, 11*</b>	30	40	60	ML	
White vinegar	15	22	30	ML	
Brown sugar	10	15	20	Grams	
Chilli powder	2	2	2	Grams	
Sushi rice					
Sushi rice	150	225	300	Grams	
Salt	0.5	0.5	1	Tsp	
Water	300	450	600	ML	
Rice vinegar	15	22	30	ML	
White sugar	5	5	10	Grams	
Sides					
Cucumber	2	3	4	Piece	
Sushi ginger	40	60	80	Grams	
Fresh mint	10	10	10	Grams	
Salt	1	1	2	Tsp	
Black sesame seeds 3*	10	10	10	Grams	
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\*9 Soya, \*10 Wheat, \*11 Gluten, \*3 Sesame Seeds

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Nutritional information		Per Serving*		
	Energy (kJ/koal)	3176 / 759		
	Fat (g)	15.5		
	of which saturates (g)	3.7		
	Carbohydrate (g)	84		
	of which sugars (g)	10.2		
	Fiber (g)	4		
	Protein (g)	69.3		
	Salt (g)	3.6		

<sup>\*</sup>Nutritional information only applies to ingredients supplied by Hello Chef. The cooking process and additional ingredients added at home will affect total values.



#### 1 Marinate chicken

Preheat the oven to 200°C/180°C fan. Peel and grate the **ginger** and **garlic** directly into a large bowl. Add the **corn starch**, **soy sauce**, **white vinegar**, **brown sugar**, a pinch of **chilli powder (spicy!)** and the **chicken thighs** to the bowl. Mix them until fully coated.

**Tip!** For a deeper flavour, marinate the chicken thighs overnight.



#### 2 Bake chicken

Place the **chicken thighs** skin-side up in a baking dish and pour the **marinade** over the top. Bake for 30-35 min or until cooked through.

**Tip!** To check if the chicken is cooked, insert a knife into the meat - if the juices run clear, it's ready.



# 3 Prep rice

Meanwhile, rinse the **sushi rice** in a sieve under cold water until the water runs clear.



#### 4 Boil rice

Add the **sushi rice**, a pinch of **salt** and the **measured water** to a pan with a lid and bring to a boil over a high heat. Once boiling, reduce the heat to low, cover, and cook for 15 min or until the water is absorbed and the **rice** is cooked. Once cooked, remove the pan from the heat and let cool slightly.

**Tip!** Leaving the rice in the pan, covered, after cooking allows it to steam dry. Wait until you're ready to serve before adding the sugar and vinegar.



## 5 Prep

Meanwhile, roughly chop the **cucumber**, **sushi ginger** and **mint** leaves. Mix in a bowl with a sprinkle of **salt**.



#### 6 Serve

Once the rice has cooled, fold in the rice vinegar and sugar and season with salt.
Brush the chicken with any leftover cooked marinade from the baking tray. Serve the chicken thighs alongside the sushi rice and cucumber salad. Garnish with the black sesame seeds