

## **BBQ-Rubbed Pork Chops**

with Spicy Plum Relish & Cilantro-Lime Forbidden Rice



Our smoky BBQ spice rub pairs unexpectedly well with sweet hoisin sauce for a sweet-and-spicy pork chop glaze. Tangy, juicy plum and jalapeño mirror that same flavor combo in a vibrant, sweet relish on top. Tender Swiss chard is folded into hearty forbidden rice for a colorful and tasty side.



40 min



level 1







Pork Chops



Hoisin Sauce



BBQ Spice Rub



Plum











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	2 Start the cilantro-lime forbidden rice: heat 1 tablespoon olive oil in a medium pot over medium heat. Add the red onion and cook, tossing, 4-5 minutes, until softened. Season with salt and pepper. Add the forbidden rice and toss to coat. Add 1 ½ cups water and a large pinch of salt to the pot, bring to a boil, then cover and reduce to a simmer for 30-35 minutes, until tender.
	3 Meanwhile, prep ingredients: halve, pit, and finely dice the <b>plum</b> . Halve the <b>lime</b> . Chop the <b>cilantro</b> . Mince the <b>jalapeño</b> , removing the seeds if you prefer less heat. Thinly slice the <b>Swiss chard</b> , including the stems, into ribbons.
6	4 Make the <b>plum salsa</b> : in a small bowl, combine the <b>diced plum</b> , the juice of half the <b>lime</b> , a pinch of <b>cilantro</b> , and as much <b>jalapeño</b> as you dare. Season with <b>salt</b> and <b>pepper</b> .
	5 Cook the <b>pork</b> : heat 1 tablespoon <b>oil</b> in a large oven-proof pan over medium-high heat. Season the <b>pork</b> on all sides with the <b>BBQ spice rub</b> , <b>salt</b> , and <b>pepper</b> . Add pork chops to the pan and cook 2-3 minutes per side, until golden brown but not yet cooked through.

2 People

2

1 bunch

1

3/4 C

1

1t

1 bunch

1

1 T

1

2 T

Nutrition per person Calories: 649 cal | Carbs: 68 g | Fat: 21 g | Protein: 51 g | Fiber: 9 g

to rest for 5 minutes.

Season with salt and pepper.

top with plum salsa. Enjoy!

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Ingredients Pork Chops

Swiss Chard

Forbidden Rice

**BBO Spice Rub** 

Red Onion

Lime

Plum

Oil\*

Cilantro

Jalapeño

Hoisin Sauce

4 People

4

2 bunches

2

1 1/2 C

2

2t

2 bunches

2

2 T

2

4 T

Preheat oven to 400 degrees. Halve, peel, and finely chop the red

Brush or spoon the **hoisin sauce** on top of the **pork chops**. Transfer the pan to the oven to finish cooking for 5-6 minutes, until just barely pink in the center. Alternately, if you don't have an oven-proof pan, transfer the pork to a baking sheet and cook as directed. Set pork aside

Once the rice is cooked, stir the **Swiss chard**. Cover, and steam for 5 minutes, then stir in the **remaining cilantro** and a squeeze of **lime**.

on a mound of cilantro-lime forbidden rice and

\*Not Included

Allergens

1) Wheat

2) Soy

Tools

Medium Pot, Small Bowl,

Large Oven-Proof Pan