

# Korean-Glazed Pork Meatballs

with Garlic Rice & Sesame Greens



Hands-on: 30-40 mins Ready in: 35-45 mins

This recipe is here to blow up everything you think you know about meatballs. All dramatics momentarily aside, these meatballs are truly game-changing thanks to a special combination of sweet, tangy flavours from the Korean sauce and sweet chilli sauce. We think these should come with a warning because they're so good, they might just make your tastebuds explode!

Olive Oil, Butter, Egg, Soy Sauce

## Before you start

Remember to wash your hands for 20 seconds before you get cooking. You'll also need to give your fruit and veggies a wash.

### You will need

Medium saucepan with a lid  $\cdot$  Large frying pan

## Ingredients

	2 People	4 People
olive oil*	refer to method	refer to method
garlic	3 cloves	6 cloves
butter*	20g	40g
basmati rice	1 packet	1 packet
water*	1½ cups	3 cups
Asian greens	1 head	2 heads
green beans	<b>1 bag</b> (100g)	<b>1 bag</b> (200g)
lemon	1/2	1
pork mince	1 packet	1 packet
fine breadcrumbs	1 packet	1 packet
egg*	1	2
sesame seeds	1 sachet	1 sachet
sweet chilli sauce	1 packet (50g)	<b>1 packet</b> (100g)
Korean sauce	1 medium packet	2 medium packets
soy sauce*	1 tbs	2 tbs
crispy shallots	1 packet	1 packet
*Pantry Items		

#### **Nutrition**

Avg Qty	Per Serving	Per 100g
Energy (kJ)	3827kJ (915Cal)	737kJ (176Cal)
Protein (g)	40.3g	7.8g
Fat, total (g)	35.4g	6.8g
- saturated (g)	14.1g	2.7g
Carbohydrate (g)	104.4g	20.1g
- sugars (g)	24.8g	4.8g
Sodium (mg)	1148mg	221mg

The quantities provided above are averages only.

#### Allergens

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# Make the garlic rice

Finely chop the **garlic**. In a medium saucepan, melt the **butter** with a dash of **olive oil** over a medium heat. Cook 1/2 the **garlic** until fragrant, **1-2 minutes**. Add the **basmati rice**, the **water** and a generous pinch of **salt**, stir, then bring to the boil. Reduce the heat to low and cover with a lid. Cook for **10 minutes**, then remove from the heat and keep covered until the rice is tender and the water is absorbed, **10 minutes**.

**TIP:** The rice will finish cooking in its own steam so don't peek!



# Get prepped

While the rice is cooking, roughly chop the **Asian** greens. Trim and halve the green beans. Slice the **lemon** into wedges. In a large bowl, combine the **pork mince, fine breadcrumbs**, the egg, remaining garlic and a generous pinch of salt. Using damp hands, roll heaped spoonfuls of the **pork mixture** into small meatballs. Transfer to a plate. You should get 4-5 meatballs per person.



## Cook the sesame greens

Heat a large frying pan over a medium-high heat with a drizzle of **olive oil**. Cook the **green beans**, tossing, until tender, **4-5 minutes**. Add the **Asian greens** and **sesame seeds** and cook until the greens are wilted, **2-3 minutes**. Season with **salt** and **pepper**. Transfer to a bowl and cover to keep warm.



#### Cook the meatballs

Wipe out the frying pan, then return to a medium-high heat with a drizzle of **olive oil**. Cook the **meatballs**, turning, until browned and cooked through, **8-10 minutes** (cook in batches if your pan is getting crowded).



## Add the glaze

Remove the pan from the heat, then add the **sweet chilli sauce**, **Korean sauce**, **soy sauce** and a squeeze of **lemon juice**, then toss the **meatballs** until coated and the sauce is slightly reduced, **1 minute**. Season to taste.

**TIP:** If the sauce is too thick, add a splash of water to loosen.



# Serve up

Divide the garlic rice and sesame greens between bowls. Top with the Korean-glazed pork meatballs and spoon over any remaining sauce from the pan. Serve with any remaining lemon wedges. Garnish with the **crispy shallots**.

Enjoy!

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