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# **Pork & Korean Rice Cake Stir-fry**

with Napa Cabbage & Gochujang





20-30min 2 Servings

Korean rice cakes are one of our favorite pantry ingredients! The flattened, oval cakes are made from ground white rice and have a delightful toothsome chew. Here we combine the rice cakes with gochujang-spiced Napa cabbage, crisp snow peas, and ground pork. Fresh scallions and toasted sesame seeds on top before serving add another layer of texture and flavor to this speedy Korean-style stir-fry.

#### What we send

- garlic
- 1 head Napa cabbage
- 1 oz scallions
- 4 oz snow peas
- 7 oz rice cakes
- 1 oz gochujang 1,6,12
- 10 oz pkg ground pork
- ½ oz tamari soy sauce 6
- ¼ oz pkt toasted sesame seeds <sup>11</sup>

### What you need

- kosher salt & ground pepper
- neutral oil
- apple cider vinegar (or white wine vinegar)
- sugar

#### **Tools**

- medium pot
- medium nonstick skillet

#### **Allergens**

Wheat (1), Soy (6), Sesame (11), Sulphur dioxide and sulphites (12). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

#### **Nutrition per serving**

Calories 650kcal, Fat 25g, Carbs 63g, Protein 37g



# 1. Prep ingredients

Bring a medium pot of **salted water** to a boil. Finely chop **1 teaspoon garlic**. Halve **cabbage**; cut half crosswise into 1-inch pieces (save rest for own use). Trim **scallions**, then thinly slice. Cut **snow peas** crosswise into thirds. Add **rice cakes** to boiling water; cook, stirring, until just warmed through, 2-3 minutes. Drain rice cakes, rinse under cool water, and drain again.



# 2. Season cabbage

In a medium bowl, whisk to combine half of the gochujang (or all, depending on heat preference), 1 tablespoon each of oil and vinegar, and a pinch of sugar. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Add cabbage pieces and half of the scallions. Use your hands to gently squeeze cabbage until it's coated in gochujang and slightly wilted. Set aside until step 5.



## 3. Stir-fry rice cakes

Heat **2 teaspoons oil** in a medium nonstick skillet over medium-high. Add **rice cakes** and cook, stirring occasionally, until rice cakes are chewy and browned in spots, about 5 minutes. (Rice cakes may stick together a bit, and that's okay. They can can easily be pulled apart.) Transfer to plate. Wipe out skillet.



4. Brown pork

Heat **2 teaspoons oil** in same skillet over medium-high. Add **pork** and **chopped garlic**. Season with **salt** and **pepper**. Cook, breaking meat up into smaller pieces, until pork is cooked through, about 5 minutes. Stir in **tamari** and cook until it coats pork, about 30 seconds. Transfer pork to a bowl.



5. Stir-fry veggies

Heat **1 teaspoon oil** in same skillet over medium-high. Add **cabbage and any juices** and **snow peas**. Cook, stirring, until veggies are crisp-tender, about 2 minutes.



6. Finish & serve

Add rice cakes, pork, and half of the sesame seeds to skillet with veggies. Cook, stirring, until pork and rice cakes are warmed through, about 1 minute. Garnish with remaining sesame seeds and scallions. Enjoy!