



Five-Spice Beef Stir-Fry

with Chinese Broccoli & Rice Noodles



20-30min



2 Servings

Chinese five-spice has a long history in Chinese cuisine, and is said to be a treat for the taste buds as well as the body. The blend usually consists of star anise, cinnamon, fennel seed, peppercorns, and clove. While the exact spices may vary slightly from region to region (and household to household), one thing remains the same—balance, by combining all five flavors in perfect harmony: sour,...

What we send

- 5 oz pad Thai noodles
- garlic
- Chinese five spice
- fresh ginger
- honey
- ground beef
- tamari soy sauce ⁶
- fresh cilantro
- chinese broccoli

What you need

- apple cider vinegar
- kosher salt & ground pepper
- sugar

Tools

- colander
- nonstick skillet
- pot with a lid

Allergens

Soy (6). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

Nutrition per serving

Calories 870kcal, Fat 35g, Carbs 106g, Protein 35g



1. Prep ingredients

Bring a medium pot of **salted water** to a boil. Peel and finely chop **1 teaspoon garlic**. Peel and finely chop **1½ tablespoons ginger**. Trim and discard ends from **Chinese broccoli**, then slice into 1-inch pieces. Finely chop **cilantro leaves and stems** together.



4. Cook rice noodles

Add **noodles** to boiling water and cook, stirring frequently, until tender, 5-7 minutes. Drain and rinse under warm water; drain again then cut in half with kitchen shears.



2. Season stir-fry sauce

In a small bowl, whisk together **tamari**, **honey**, **2 tablespoons vinegar**, **1 tablespoon sugar**, and **3 tablespoons of water**.



5. Season ground beef

Heat **1 tablespoon oil** in the same skillet over medium-high. Add **ground beef**, **ginger**, **garlic**, **½ teaspoon of the five-spice powder**, and **a pinch each salt and pepper**. Cook, stirring, until beef is browned and fragrant, about 4 minutes. Carefully pour off almost all of the fat.



3. Cook Chinese broccoli

Heat **1 tablespoon oil** in a medium nonstick skillet over medium-high. Add **Chinese broccoli** and **a pinch each salt and pepper**. Cook, stirring occasionally, until crisp-tender, about 3 minutes. Transfer to a plate. Reserve skillet for step 5.



6. Finish & serve

Transfer **noodles**, **Chinese broccoli**, **⅔ of the chopped cilantro**, and **stir-fry sauce** to skillet. Increase heat to high, and cook, stirring frequently, until sauce coats the noodles and **broccoli** is warm, about 2 minutes. Season to taste with **salt and pepper**. Divide between bowls, then garnish with **remaining cilantro**. Enjoy!