# MARLEY SPOON



## **Vietnamese Rice Bowl with Beef**

Pickled Veggies & Crispy Shallots





30-40min 2 Servings

We love the complexity of Vietnamese cuisine-it manages to bring sweet, sour, salty, spicy, and bitter together in perfect harmony. Here we top fragrant jasmine rice with sweet caramelized beef, tangy quick-pickled shaved carrots and radishes, and crispy fried shallots with fresh mint on top. Fresh jalapeño marinated in fish sauce, lime juice, and a pinch of sugar ties it all together for a deliciously balanced bite.

#### What we send

- 5 oz jasmine rice
- 1 shallot
- 1 bag radishes
- 1 carrot
- 1 jalapeño chile
- 1 lime
- ½ oz fish sauce 1
- ½ lb pkg sirloin steak
- 1.8 oz kecap manis <sup>2,3</sup>
- ¼ oz fresh mint

## What you need

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

## **Tools**

- · small saucepan
- medium skillet

#### **Allergens**

Fish (1), Soy (2), Wheat (3). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

#### **Nutrition per serving**

Calories 640kcal, Fat 21g, Carbs 87g, Protein 26g



### 1. Cook rice

In a small saucepan, combine **rice**, **1**% **cups water**, and **½ teaspoon salt** Bring to a boil. Cover and cook over low until rice is tender and liquid is absorbed, about 17 minutes.



## 2. Prep ingredients

Meanwhile, halve **shallot**; thinly slice one half crosswise (save rest). Thinly slice **radishes**. Scrub **carrot**; use a vegetable peeler to peel thin ribbons. Thinly slice **jalapeño** crosswise. Squeeze **all of the lime juice** into a medium bowl; stir in **jalapeños, fish sauce, 2 tablespoons water, 1 teaspoon sugar**, and 1/4 **teaspoon salt**. Set **chili sauce** aside until step 6.



## 3. Pickle veggies

In a second medium bowl, combine 1 tablespoon vinegar and a pinch each of sugar and salt. Add sliced radishes and carrot ribbons; toss to combine. Set aside until step 6. Pat steak very dry and thinly slice into strips.



## 4. Fry shallots

Heat ¼ cup oil in a medium skillet over medium-high until shimmering. Add shallots and cook, stirring frequently until browned and crisp, about 2 minutes (watch closely as they burn easily). Transfer to a paper towel-lined plate.



5. Cook steak strips

Carefully drain **all but 1 tablespoon oil** from skillet. Add **steak strips** and cook, without stirring, until well browned on one side, about 3 minutes. Stir and continue cooking until beef is cooked through, about 2 minutes more. Add **kecap manis** and stir to coat; simmer until sauce is thickened and beef is caramelized, about 1 minute.



6. Assemble & serve

Meanwhile, coarsely chop **mint leaves**; discard stems. Fluff **rice** with a fork. Serve **rice** topped with **beef** and **pickled veggies**. Drizzle **chili sauce** over top, if desired, and garnish with **chopped mint** and **fried shallots**. Enjoy!