



## Crispy Pork Cutlets & Sushi Rice

with Quick-Pickled Cucumbers



30-40min



2 Servings

Crispy, thin, pan-fried pork cutlets are a nice deviation from the more standard chicken cutlets, and just as easy to make! We serve them alongside a bed of sticky sushi rice and crunchy, zesty cucumber and celery pickles. Drizzle some of the pickling liquid over the rice and pork for a delicious, sweet-sour punch.



## What we send

- 5 oz sushi rice
- 2 oz celery
- 1 cucumber
- 1 oz rice vinegar
- 12 oz pkg pork cutlets
- 3 (¼ oz) Dijon mustard
- 2 oz panko <sup>2</sup>
- 2 scallions

## What you need

- kosher salt & ground pepper
- sugar
- 1 large egg <sup>1</sup>
- ¼ cup all-purpose flour <sup>2</sup>

## Tools

- small saucepan
- meat mallet (or heavy skillet)
- large skillet

## Allergens

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

## Nutrition per serving

Calories 750kcal, Fat 16g, Carbs 107g, Protein 48g



### 1. Cook rice

Rinse **rice** in a fine-mesh sieve until water runs clear. Add to a small saucepan with **1¼ cups water** and **½ teaspoon salt**. Bring to a boil. Cover and cook over low heat until rice is tender and water is absorbed, about 17 minutes. Cover to keep warm off heat.



### 2. Make pickles

Trim ends from **celery** and **cucumbers**, then thinly slice.

In a medium bowl, whisk together **rice vinegar**, **1 teaspoon sugar**, **¼ teaspoon salt**, and **a few grinds of pepper**. Add celery and cucumbers and toss to combine.



### 3. Prep pork

Trim any excess fat from **pork**. Working one at a time, place 1 pork cutlet between 2 layers of plastic wrap. Using a meat mallet or heavy skillet, pound to an even ¼-inch thickness.



### 4. Bread pork

In a large bowl, whisk together **1 large egg** and **Dijon mustard**. Place **¼ cup flour** in a second bowl. Place **panko** in a third bowl. Season each bowl with **a pinch each of salt and pepper**.

Coat **pork** in flour, then egg. Let excess egg drip back into bowl, then dip in panko, pressing to help breading adhere. Transfer to a plate.



### 5. Pan-fry pork

Heat **¼-inch oil** in a large skillet over medium-high until shimmering (add a pinch of flour and it should sizzle vigorously). Add **pork** and fry until golden-brown and cooked through, flipping halfway through, 5-8 minutes. Transfer to a paper towel-lined plate and lightly sprinkle with **salt**.



### 6. Add scallions & serve

Trim ends from **scallions**, then thinly slice. Add half of the scallions to **rice** and stir to combine. Add remaining scallions to **cucumber-celery pickles**.

Serve **crispy pork cutlets** with **rice**, **pickles**, and **pickling liquid** drizzled over top. Enjoy!