MARLEY SPOON



Sesame Kale Salad & Pan-Fried Plant Chicken

with Edamame, Almonds & Mint



20-30min 2 Servings

This refreshingly crisp salad has layers of flavor and texture, plus plenty of protein to make this dinner-worthy. We toss thinly sliced kale, shredded carrots, and fresh mint in a sesame dressing while we fry sesame-crusted plantbased chicken to crispy perfection. Warm edamame and crunchy almonds round out this hearty salad-perfect for anytime of day!

What we send

- 1 bag carrots
- 1 bunch curly kale
- 2½ oz edamame 1
- 1 oz roasted almonds ²
- 1 oz panko ³
- ¼ oz pkt toasted sesame seeds ⁴
- ¼ oz shichimi togarashi ⁴
- 1/4 oz fresh mint
- 2 oz sesame dressing 4,1,3
- 8 oz pkg plant-based chicken ¹

What you need

- neutral oil
- · apple cider vinegar
- kosher salt & ground pepper

Tools

- box grater
- · medium nonstick skillet

Cooking tip

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Allergens

Soy (1), Tree Nuts (2), Wheat (3), Sesame (4). May contain traces of other allergens. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

Nutrition per serving

Calories 630kcal, Fat 33g, Carbs 50g, Protein 36g



1. Prep plant-based chicken

Break **plant-based chicken** into bite-size pieces. Pat very dry.



2. Prep veggies

Grate **carrot** on the large holes of a box grater. Strip **kale leaves** from tough stems; discard stems and thinly slice leaves.

Transfer **edamame** to a microwave-safe bowl, cover with a damp paper towel, and microwave until beans are warmed through, 1-2 minutes.

Coarsely chop **almonds**.



3. Coat plant chicken

In a medium bowl or plate, combine **panko** with **sesame seeds**. Working one at a time, add **plant-based chicken** to panko mixture and press lightly so panko sticks to plant chicken. Transfer to a 2nd plate and repeat with remaining pieces. Return plant chicken to bowl and coat with another layer of panko, press lightly to help breading adhere.



4. Fry plant chicken

Heat ¼-inch oil in a medium nonstick skillet over medium-high until shimmering. Working in batches so as to not overcrowd the pan, add plant chicken and fry until deeply golden brown, 2-3 minutes per side. Transfer to a paper towel-lined plate and immediately sprinkle with schichimi togarashi.



5. Toss salad & serve

Pick **mint leaves** from stems and coarsely chop; discard stems. Toss **kale, carrots**, and **mint** with **sesame dressing** (optionally add **1 teaspoon vinegar** if dressing is too sweet). Season to taste with **salt** and **pepper**.

Transfer **salad** to plates and top with **edamame, almonds**, and **crispy plant-based chicken**. Enjoy!



Add some spice to this dish by drizzling on Sriracha or sprinkling it with red pepper flakes.