

OVERALL time: 20 mins

SUPER QUICK CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP

Not sure what to do with that bit of leftover roast chicken? Turn it into a super quick 15- minute chicken noodle soup!

Metric

Number of servings : 2

ingredients

Main

- 240 ml Finely Chopped White Onion
- 10 ml Vegetable Oil
- 15 ml Butter
- 1 Large Stick of Celery, finely sliced
- 1 L Water
- 2.5 ml **Cape Herb and Spice Extra Bold Pepper**
- 17.5 ml **Cape Herb and Spice Sweet & Sticky Chicken Shaker**
- 1 Bay leaf
- 4 Whole Cloves
- 1 Cup Torn Leftover Roast Chicken
- 1 Block 2- Minute Noodles or Chinese Noodles
- To garnish Chopped Parsely, To garnish

THIS IS WHAT YOU WILL NEED TO DO

PREP TIME: 5 mins | COOKING TIME: 15 mins

Fry the onion, carrot and celery in the vegetable oil and butter until soft. Add the garlic and fry for a further minute or two. Add the water, the peppercorns, the **Cape Herb & Spice Sweet & Sticky Chicken Shaker** spice along with the bay leaf and cloves. Turn the heat down low, place a lid on and simmer for five minutes – this is just to give the aromatics time to develop their flavour. Then add the chicken and the noodles and boil until the noodles are cooked through.

(Cook's note: If you are using a packet of two-minute noodles, it will take just 2-3 minutes to cook through. In this case don't add the small sachet contents from the 2-minute noodle pack as your

soup will already contain all the aromatics and salt it needs. If you are using a block of normal Chinese noodles, it will need to cook a few minutes longer as they are thicker than 2-minute noodles.) Serve right away with a generously sprinkling of finely chopped parsley for a burst of herby freshness.

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