



# Steamed Abalone

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35 minutes

Preparation time

1 hour, 45 minutes

Cooking time

6 servings

Serves

#### **INGREDIENTS**

#### To Assemble

250 g rockmelon Juice of 1/2 lemon 75 ml grapeseed oil Sea Salt 20 g dill, chopped 3 portions abalone 250 ml warm dressing 1 cup panko breadcrumbs 2 eggs, lightly beaten ½ cup rice flour 100 ml vegetable oil Asian greens to garnish, such as shiso and wasabi leaf

#### **Abalone**

500 ml Chinese cooking wine 500 ml light mushroom soy sauce 200 ml oyster sauce 1 onion, roughly chopped 3 cloves garlic, crushed 50 g ginger, peeled and sliced 2 star anise 1 cinnamon quill 20 g coriander seeds, dry roasted and crushed 20 g cardamom pods, crushed and dry roasted 1 dried chilli, split in half

3 litres fish stock

without shell

3 abalone (180 g-200 g each), raw, cleaned and

## **Warm Dressing**

200 ml cooking juices, from abalone 100 g brown butter 50 g sherry vinegar Sea Salt Sheep sorrel and red garnet, to serve

#### **Miele Accessories**

Steam tray

#### **METHOD**

#### Steamed abalone

- 1. Place all ingredients for the abalone in a deep solid steam tray.
- 2. Cover with foil or a lid, place in the steam oven and pressure steam at 100°C for 3 hour or until tender. If using a larger abalone, allow extra cooking time. To test if the abalone is ready, take a metal skewer and push it into the fattest part of the abalone, there should be absolutely no resistance.
- 3. Rest the abalone until they have come to room temperature, at this stage, store the abalone in cooking juices until required.

### **Warm Dressing**

1. In a heavy based saucepan over a medium heat, Induction setting 6, reduce 150ml of the cooking liquid by a quarter, then add the brown butter and vinegar to taste, remove from heat. Season with salt to taste.

#### To Serve

- 1. Pat the abalone dry with a paper towel.
- 2. Place egg in a small bowl, place rice flour onto a plate and on a separate plate place panko breadcrumbs.
- 3. Dip each abalone in the rice flour then the egg mixture, and then panko breadcrumbs.
- 4. Place a deep heavy based frying pan on medium-high heat, Induction 7, add 100 ml of vegetable oil and proceed to shallow fry the abalone until golden.
- 5. Remove and rest on paper towel.
- 6. Using a sharp knife, cut each abalone in half lengthways, and place one half on each plate.
- 7. Remove skin from melon, shave thinly on a mandolin, dress with lemon juice, oil, salt and dill and place on each plate.
- 8. Drizzle a little of the warm dressing over the abalone. Place sheep sorrel and red garnet on each plate and serve