# SHREDDED CHICKEN-STYLE SEITAN

### Make at home seitan kit

#### WHAT YOU'LL NEED

1 stock cube

#### **EQUIPMENT**

Cup measurement

Bowl

Oven dish

#### PREP TIME

10 mins

COOK TIME

1 hour

### 1) Make stock

Make 1 cup (250ml) of stock using 1/2 of the stock cube

## Mix ingredients

Add the seitan mix to a bowl, add the stock and mix. It is quite a dry mix, so start with a spoon and then mix and squeeze it in with your hands to form a ball

### 3 Knead (2 mins) then rest (10 mins)

Knead the dough for 2 minutes on a clean, dry surface. It will be a firm dough that will get stickier as you go. Place it back in the bowl with a damp tea towel covering the top of the bowl then allow to rest for 10 minutes

### (4) Pleat and knot

Shape the seitan into a long sausage by squeezing, pulling and rolling it as long as it will stretch without breaking. Then, place it on a chopping board and flatten it by hand. Cut 2 lengthways lines about 1cm from the top, so that you have 3 strands of seitan connected at one end. Pleat the 3 strands tightly together and pinch together at the bottom. Lastly, tie the seitan into 2 or 3 knots- make them as tight as you can without it tearing

### (5) Cook in oven (1 hour)

Make a cup of stock using the other 1/2 of the stock cube. Place the seitan and the stock in an ovenproof dish, and cook for 1 hour at 160 degrees, turning it over half way. Leave the seitan to rest overnight for the best texture and taste results!





#### KNOTTING

Don't worry if your seitan isn't perfectly pleated or knotted - it will still taste great! Pleating it tightly should help when knotting it at the end

#### TIPS

Shred apart by hand or with a fork, and fry in quality oil to get a delicious crispy coat! You can add additional seasoning to suit different dishes such as fajitas, nachos, pasta or chow mein

#### STORAGE

Store in an airtight container and keep in the fridge for up to 4 days. Freeze whole or cut into portions, and defrost fully before consuming