



# Diced Salmon, Avocado Cream, Coconut Gel, Lemon Gel, Fried Wakame

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12 hours

15 minutes

6

Serves

## **INGREDIENTS**

500g Salmon, deboned and skinned 1 shallot, finely diced ½ bunch chives, finely sliced

# Salmon cure

350g salt
250g sugar
zest of 1 lemon
zest of 1 lime
½ a vanilla bean
2 star anise

# Soy dressing

50ml soy sauce 50g sugar 60ml sherry vinegar 50ml olive oil 100ml canola oil

# Lemon gel

100 grams lemon juice150 grams caster sugar2 grams agar agar

# Coconut gel

250ml coconut cream 20gsugar 60g trimoline 20ml lime juice 1.5 grams agar agar

#### Avocado cream

350g avocado flesh 100ml milk 30ml lemon juice 6 grams sea salt

# Fried wakame

10g wakame canola oil, for deep frying

#### **METHOD**

## Salmon Cure

- 1. Place the sugar and aromatics into a blender and blitz to a fine texture. Cover the salmon with the mixture and cure overnight. (If you don't use all the cure, the remaining mix can keep for up to 2 months.
- 2. Wash off cure mix, then dice the salmon to 3mm cubes.

# Soy Dressing

- 1. Boil the soy and sugar together for 1 minute.
- 2. Cool, then mix with remaining ingredients.

## **Coconut Gel**

- 1. Bring the coconut, sugar, trimoline and lime to a boil, induction setting 8. Add the agar agar and whisk until smooth.
- 2. Pour the mixture into a container and leave to set.
- 3. Once the gel has set, place in a blender and blend until smooth. Then place into a piping bag.

#### **Lemon Gel**

- 1. Bring the lemon and sugar, to a boil, induction setting 8. Add the agar agar and whisk until smooth.
- 2. Pour the mixture into a container and leave to set.
- 3. Once the gel has set, place in a blender and blend until smooth. Then place into a piping bag.

#### **Avocado Cream**

1. Place all the ingredients into a blender and blend until smooth. Then place into a piping bag.

## **Fried Wakame**

- 1. Place the canola oil in a small pot and bring up to 150°C.
- 2. Deep fry the wakame for 3 minutes then remove and drain on kitchen paper.

#### To serve

- 1. In a bowl, mix 70 grams cured salmon with 1 teaspoon chives, 1 teaspoon shallots, 1 tablespoon soy dressing, then place on a plate to desired shape.
- 2. Finish with small dots of lemon gel, coconut gel and avocado cream, using your artistic flair. Sprinkle with fried wakame.