Thai Sirloin Steak Udon Bowl

Thai flavors at their best. We're pairing an irresistible basil peanut sauce with sirloin steak and fresh peppers. Served over a bed of udon noodles, it's a dinner you'll crave again and again.

25 Minutes to the Table

25 Minutes Hands On

1 Whisk Super Easy

Getting Organized

EQUIPMENT Saucepan Large Skillet

FROM YOUR PANTRY Olive Oil Salt & Pepper

4 MEEZ CONTAINERS
Udon Noodles
Steak
Peppers & Onions
Thai Basil Peanut
Sauce

Make The Meal Your Own

Want to add something extra? Chopped toasted nuts are a fun addition to the finished dish. Use whatever you have on hand – peanuts, cashews and almonds all work – and sprinkle over the dish before serving.

If you ordered the **gluten-free version**, you received rice noodles. Add the rice noodles to boiling water and cook until tender, 5-6 minutes. Drain, rinse under cold water and set aside

Good To Know

Be sure to generously season your steak with salt and pepper before cooking; the salt adds flavor while also keeping the meat tender. Chef Max recommends using ½ tsp of each.

If you're making the gluten-free version, we've given you rice noodles, instead.

Health snapshot per serving – 730 Calories, 40g Fat, 45g Protein, 55g Carbs, 21 Smart Points

Lighten Up snapshot per serving - 495 Calories, 25g Fat, 37g Protein, 34g Carbs, 14 Smart Points by using ½ the sauce and udon.

Have questions? The dinner hotline is standing by from 5 to 8 pm at 773.916.6339.



1. Getting Organized

Put a saucepan of water on to boil.

2. Cook the Udon

Salt the boiling water and add the *Udon Noodles*. Cook until they are soft, about 6 to 8 minutes, then drain.

3. Cook the Peppers

While the udon is cooking, heat 2 Tbsp olive oil in a large skillet over medium-high heat. When the oil is smoking, add the **Peppers & Onions** and cook until browned, 4 to 7 minutes. Remove to a bowl or plate.

4. Cook the Steak

Return the now-empty skillet to the stove over high heat. Heat 1 Tbsp of oil in a skillet over high heat. While the skillet is heating, pat the **Steaks** dry with a towel and season generously with salt and pepper (we recommend ½ tsp of each). When the skillet is very hot, add the steaks. Cook until the bottoms brown and the sides start to color, about 3 minutes.

- If you prefer your steak medium-rare, flip and continue cooking 3 minutes. Remove from the heat and let rest for 5 minutes.
- If you prefer your steak medium, flip and continue cooking for 4 minutes. Remove from the heat and let rest for 5 minutes.
- If you prefer your steak medium-well or well done, flip and continue cooking for 5 to 6 minutes. Remove from the heat and let rest for 5 minutes.

After the steaks have rested, place them horizontally on a cutting board. Using a sharp knife, cut the steaks into even strips (we aim for $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 1" pieces). Toss the strips with the **Thai Basil Peanut Sauce**.

5. Put It All Together

Toss the udon noodles with Thai basil beef, peppers and onions.

To test if the skillet is hot enough for the beef, hold your hand about 6 inches above the skillet. If you can feel serious heat, it's ready to go.

Beef continues to cook as it rests, so remove it from the heat when it's a little less done than you like to prevent it from overcooking.

Instructions for two servings.

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