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NINJA®
Foodi
The pressure cooker that crisps.

45+ mouthwatering recipes and charts for unlimited possibilities
Pressure, meet Crisp

What you’re about to experience is a way of cooking that’s never been done before. TenderCrisp™ Technology allows you to harness the speed of pressure cooking to quickly cook ingredients, then the revolutionary crisping lid gives your meals a crispy, golden finish that other pressure cookers can only dream of.
Pressure Lid
With this lid on, the Foodi™ is the ultimate pressure cooker. Transform the toughest ingredients into tender, juicy, and flavorful meals in an instant.

PRESSURE COOK
Pressurized steam infuses moisture into ingredients and quickly cooks them from the inside out.

SLOW COOK
Cook low and slow to create your favorite chilis and stews.

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Steam infuses moisture, seals in flavor, and maintains the texture of your food.

SEAR/SAUTÉ
Five stovetop temperature settings allow you to build flavor by searing, sautéing, simmering, and more.

Crisping Lid
Start or finish recipes by dropping this top to unleash super-hot, rapid-moving air around your food to crisp and caramelize to golden-brown perfection.

AIR CRISP
Want that crispy, golden, texture without all the fat and oil? Air Crisping is for you.

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Don’t waste time waiting for your oven to preheat. Make your favorite casseroles and roasted veggies in way less time.

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Finish off your meals by sealing in flavor and giving them just the right amount of caramelize or crispiness.

DEHYDRATE
Remove moisture from your favorite fruits, veggies, and meats to create delicious homemade chips and jerky.
Start with pressure cooking. Finish with the crisping method of your choice. That's how you get TenderCrisp results.

The best part? There's more than one way to TenderCrisp. You can start with ingredients that are frozen or fresh. You can cook chicken, veggies, or fish. You can prepare your favorite chili or stew, too. But when you TenderCrisp, you always finish with a crispy, delicious twist.
DIRECTIONS

Remove packet of giblets, if included in cavity of the chicken. Rinse chicken and tie legs together with cooking twine.

In a small bowl, mix together lemon juice, hot water, honey, and 2 tablespoons salt. Pour mixture into the pot. Place whole peppercorns, thyme, and garlic in the pot.

Place chicken into the Cook & Crisp™ Basket and place basket in pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position. Select PRESSURE and set to high (HI). Set time to 22 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

When pressure cooking is complete, allow pressure to natural release for 5 minutes. After 5 minutes, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.

Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 400°F, and set time to 8 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin. Cook until desired level of crispness is reached, adding up to 10 additional minutes.

Let chicken rest for 5–10 minutes. Cooking is complete when internal temperature reaches 165°F. Remove chicken from basket using the Ninja® roast lifters* (or 2 large serving forks).

TenderCrisp™ 101
Herb-Roasted Chicken

BEGINNER RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES  |  TOTAL COOK TIME: 30–41 MINUTES  |  MAKES: 4 SERVINGS

APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES  |  PRESSURE COOK: 22 MINUTES  |  PRESSURE RELEASE: 5 MINUTE  |  AIR CRISP: 8–18 MINUTES

INGREDIENTS

1 whole uncooked chicken (4 1/2–5 pounds)
Juice of 2 lemons (1/4 cup lemon juice)
1/4 cup hot water
1/4 cup honey
2 tablespoons plus 2 teaspoons kosher salt, divided

1 tablespoon whole black peppercorns
5 sprigs fresh thyme
5 cloves garlic, peeled, smashed
1 tablespoon canola oil
2 teaspoons ground black pepper

TIP: Use cooking spray in place of oil to evenly coat large cuts of protein in the Cook & Crisp Basket.

*The Ninja roast lifters are sold separately on ninjaaccessories.com.
In a small bowl, stir together barbecue spice rub, salt, and brown sugar. Season ribs evenly with spice mix.

Pour beer into pot. Place ribs into Cook & Crisp™ Basket and place basket in pot.

Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 19 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

When pressure cooking is complete, quick release pressure by turning the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove pressure lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.

Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 400°F, and set time to 15 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

After 10 minutes, open lid and liberally brush ribs with barbecue sauce. Close lid to resume cooking for 5 more minutes.

When internal temperature reaches 185°F, cooking is complete and ribs are ready to serve.

TIP: The Ninja® roasting rack insert makes it easy to hold up the ribs while cooking. It is available for purchase on ninjaaccessories.com.
Panko-Crusted Cod with Quinoa

**TenderCrisp™ 101**

**BEGINNER RECIPE**

**PREP:** 10 MINUTES  |  **TOTAL COOK TIME:** 23 MINUTES  |  **MAKES:** 4-6 SERVINGS

**APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD:** 8 MINUTES  |  **PRESSURE COOK:** 2 MINUTES  |  **PRESSURE RELEASE:** 1 MINUTE  |  **BAKE/ROAST:** 12-14 MINUTES

**INGREDIENTS**

- 1 1/2 cups white quinoa
- 3 teaspoons kosher salt, divided
- 1 1/2 cups water
- 1 cup panko bread crumbs
- 1/2 stick (1/4 cup) butter, melted

- 1/4 cup fresh parsley, minced
- Zest and juice of 2 lemons
- 4 fresh cod fillets (5-6 ounces each)
- 1 bunch asparagus, stems trimmed
- 1 teaspoon extra virgin olive oil

**DIRECTIONS**

1. Place the quinoa, 1 teaspoon salt, and water into the pot.
2. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position. Select PRESSURE and set to high (HI). Set time to 2 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
3. While quinoa is cooking, in a bowl, stir together the bread crumbs with butter, parsley, lemon zest and juice, and 1 teaspoon salt. Press panko mixture evenly onto the top of each cod fillet.
4. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
5. Toss the asparagus with olive oil and 1 teaspoon salt. Lay asparagus evenly on top of quinoa.
6. Place the reversible rack in the pot over the quinoa and asparagus, making sure it is in the higher position. Place the cod fillets on the rack, breading side up.
7. Close the crisping lid. Select BAKE/ROAST, set the temperature to 350°F, and set the time to 12 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin. Cook for up to an additional 2 minutes if necessary.

Cooking is complete when internal temperature reaches 145°F. Serve cod with quinoa and asparagus.
**TenderCrisp™ 101**

**Baked Macaroni & Cheese**

**BEGINNER RECIPE**

**PREP:** 10 MINUTES  |  **TOTAL COOK TIME:** 24 MINUTES  |  **MAKES:** 6–8 SERVINGS

**APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD:** 7 MINUTES  |  **PRESSURE COOK:** 0 MINUTES  |  **PRESSURE RELEASE:** 10 MINUTES  |  **AIR CRISP:** 7 MINUTES

**INGREDIENTS**

- 1 tablespoon baking soda
- 1/2 cup lemon juice
- 5 cups water
- 1 box (16 ounces) dry elbow pasta
- 1 cup heavy cream
- 1 bag (16 ounces) shredded cheese
- 2 tablespoons kosher salt

- 1 tablespoon ground black pepper
- 1 tablespoon onion powder
- 1 tablespoon garlic powder
- 1 teaspoon mustard powder
- 2 cups panko or Italian bread crumbs
- 1 stick (1/2 cup) butter, melted

**DIRECTIONS**

Place baking soda and lemon juice into the pot. Stir until dissolved and bubbling has stopped. Add the water and dry pasta, stirring to incorporate.

Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position. Select PRESSURE and set to low (LO). Set time to 0 minutes (the time the unit takes to pressurize is long enough to cook the pasta). Select START/STOP to begin.

When pressure cooking is complete, allow pressure to natural release for 10 minutes. After 10 minutes, quick release remaining pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.

Add remaining ingredients, except bread crumbs and butter, to the pot.

In a bowl, stir together the bread crumbs and melted butter. Cover pasta evenly with the mixture.

Stir well to melt cheese and ensure all ingredients are combined.

Close the crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set the temperature to 360°F, and set the time to 7 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

When cooking is complete, serve immediately.

**TIP** To make this mac & cheese more kid friendly, remove onion powder, garlic powder, and mustard powder, and serve the kids before adding the bread crumb topping.
Place rice, chicken stock, frozen vegetables, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon pepper, and Adobo seasoning into the pot; stir to combine.

Place chicken breasts on reversible rack, making sure rack is in the higher position. Place rack inside pot over rice mixture.

Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position. Select PRESSURE and set to high (HI). Set time to 2 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

While chicken and rice are cooking, toss broccoli in a bowl with the olive oil and remaining salt and pepper.

When pressure cooking is complete, allow pressure to natural release for 10 minutes. After 10 minutes, quick release any remaining pressure by turning the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.

Brush tops of chicken breasts liberally with teriyaki sauce. Add broccoli to rack around chicken.

Close crisping lid. Select BROIL and set time to 12 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

Check after 10 minutes for desired doneness. Cooking is complete when internal temperature of chicken reaches 165°F. Serve chicken with rice and broccoli.
Choose Your Own TenderCrisp™ Adventure

Feeling adventurous? Simply choose an ingredient from each column to customize and create your very own TenderCrisp meals.

Pick a Grain or Starch and place with liquid on pot
- 1 cup white rice with 1 cup stock
- 1 cup quinoa with 1 cup stock
- 1 lb russet potatoes, cubed, with 1/2 cup water
- 1 cup pearled couscous with 1 cup stock

Pick a Protein and place on reversible rack
- 1 lb fresh boneless skinless chicken thighs
- 4 fresh boneless chicken breasts (6-8 oz each)
- 2 frozen New York strip steaks (8-13 oz each, 1-inch thick)

Pick a vegetable, oil and season to taste, then place on rack around protein
- 1 large or 2 small zucchini, cut in 3-in x 1/2-in sticks
- 4 carrots, cut in 3-in x 1/2-inch sticks
- 1/2 head cauliflower, cut in small florets

Adding the Rack on the reversible rack
ADD the reversible rack in the higher position

Pressure Cook
HIGH FOR 2 MINS

Pressure Release
QUICK RELEASE PRESSURE, CAREFULLY REMOVE LID

Finishing touch
brush your protein with sauce or rub of your choice
Barbecue
Teriyaki
Sweet & sour
Blackening seasoning
Adobo spice rub
Your favorite spice blend

Broil
DROP THE CRISPING LID AND BROIL FOR 10 MINS

TIP: If you want to keep meat drippings from falling off the reversible rack and onto your starchy and grains below, place a layer of aluminum foil under the meat to keep everything tidy and clean.

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BUFFALO CHICKEN WINGS

BEGINNER RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES  |  COOK: 20 MINUTES  |  MAKES: 4–6 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES  |  PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

INGREDIENTS

1/2 cup water
2 pounds frozen chicken wings, drums and flats separated
2 tablespoons canola oil
2 tablespoons Buffalo sauce
2 teaspoons kosher salt

DIRECTIONS

1. Pour water into pot. Place wings into the Cook & Crisp™ Basket and place basket into pot. Assemble the pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.

2. Select PRESSURE and set HIGH. Set time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

3. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by turning the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.

4. Pat wings dry with paper towels and toss with 2 tablespoons oil in the basket.

5. Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 390°F, and set time to 15 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

6. After 7 minutes, open lid, then lift basket and shake wings or toss them with silicone-tipped tongs. Lower basket back into pot and close lid to resume cooking.

7. While the wings are cooking, stir together Buffalo sauce and salt in a large mixing bowl.

8. When cooking is complete, transfer wings to the bowl with Buffalo sauce and toss to coat.

TIP: Want to use fresh wings instead of frozen? Rather than pressure cooking, simply place fresh wings in the basket and toss with 2 tablespoons canola oil. Then Air Crisp at 390°F for 24–28 minutes.

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TenderCrisp™
Frozen to Crispy

Procrastinators rejoice. With a Ninja® Foodi™ on your counter, frozen is the new fresh. Pressure cook frozen meats to quickly defrost and tenderize them at the same time. Then use the crisping lid to crisp your meal the way you want.
FROZEN CHICKEN DINNER

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES | COOK: 37–40 MINUTES | MAKES: 2 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 8 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: NATURAL 10 MINUTES

INGREDIENTS
2 tablespoons olive oil, divided
1 small onion, peeled, diced
1 cup wild rice blend
3 teaspoons kosher salt, divided
1 tablespoon Moroccan seasoning “Ras el Hanout”
1/4 cup chicken stock

DIRECTIONS
1 Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to HIGH. Allow to preheat for 5 minutes.
2 After 5 minutes, add 1 tablespoon oil and onion. Cook, stirring occasionally, for 3 minutes, until onions are fragrant. Add wild rice, 2 teaspoons salt, and Moroccan seasoning. Cook, stirring frequently, until the rice is coated with oil and very shiny. Add chicken stock and stir to incorporate.
3 Place frozen chicken breasts on reversible rack, making sure rack is in the higher position. Place rack inside pot over rice mixture.
4 Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
5 Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 22 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
6 While chicken and rice are cooking, toss green beans in a bowl with the remaining oil, salt, and pepper.
7 When pressure cooking is complete, allow pressure to naturally release for 10 minutes. After 10 minutes, quick release any remaining pressure by turning the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
8 Lift reversible rack out of the pot. Stir parsley into rice, then add green beans directly on top of the rice.
9 Brush chicken breasts on all sides with honey mustard sauce, then return the reversible rack to the pot over rice and green beans.
10 Close crisping lid. Select BROIL and set time to 10 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
11 Cooking is complete when internal temperature reaches 165°F. Serve chicken with green beans and rice.

TIP This recipe is for frozen chicken only. To use fresh chicken, see the Choose Your Own TenderCrisp™ Adventure chart on pages 16–17.

MISO-GLAZED SALMON & BOK CHOY

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES | COOK: 7–9 MINUTES | MAKES: 4 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 5 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

INGREDIENTS
1 cup jasmine rice, rinsed
1/4 cup water
4 frozen skinless salmon fillets (4 ounces, 1-inch thick each)
1 teaspoon kosher salt
2 tablespoons red miso paste
2 tablespoons butter, softened
2 heads baby bok choy, stems on, rinsed, cut in half
1/4 cup mirin
1 teaspoon sesame oil
Sesame seeds, for garnish

DIRECTIONS
1 Place rice and water into the pot. Stir to combine. Place reversible rack in pot, making sure rack is in the higher position.
2 Season salmon with salt, then place on rack. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
3 Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 2 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
4 While salmon and rice are cooking, stir together miso and butter to form a paste. Toss bok choy with mirin and sesame oil.
5 When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
6 Gently pat salmon dry with paper towel, then spread miso butter evenly on top of the fillets. Add bok choy to the rack.
7 Close crisping lid. Select BROIL and set time to 7 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin, checking for doneness after 5 minutes.
8 When cooking is complete, remove salmon from rack and serve with bok choy and rice. Garnish with sesame seeds, if desired.

TIP Want to use fresh salmon instead of frozen? Pressure cook only the white rice. Add the fresh salmon fillets as instructed in step 6. At step 7, broil the salmon for up to 15 minutes, or until the internal temperature reaches 145°F.
UPSIDE-DOWN LOADED
CHICKEN NACHOS

DIRECTIONS

1. Place frozen chicken and salsa into the pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.

2. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 20 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

3. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.

4. Using silicone-tipped utensils, shred the chicken in the pot. Add the refried beans, salt, and taco seasoning and stir well to incorporate.

5. Arrange half the tortilla chips evenly on top of the chicken mixture, then cover chips with half the cheese. Repeat with a second layer of the remaining tortilla chips topped with the remaining cheese.

6. Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 360°F, and set time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin. For crispier results, add additional time.

7. When cooking is complete, garnish nachos with guacamole, sour cream, and scallions and serve.

INGREDIENTS

4 frozen boneless skinless chicken breasts (8–12 ounces each)
1 jar (16 ounces) red salsa
1 can (14 ounces) refried beans
1 tablespoon kosher salt
2 tablespoons taco seasoning
1/2 bag (4 ounces) tortilla chips, divided
1 1/2 bags (12 ounces) Mexican cheese blend, divided

Toppings

Guacamole
Sour cream
Fresh scallions, sliced

TenderCrisp™ Apps & Entrees

Pressure + crisp = unlimited flavor combinations. Make everything from party favorites like nachos and wings to tender, chewy BBQ-style ribs and authentic street tacos.

Want to TenderCrisp your way?
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WHOLE ROASTED SICILIAN CAULIFLOWER

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES | COOK: 13 MINUTES | MAKES: 4 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 5 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

INGREDIENTS
1/2 cup water
1 medium head cauliflower, leaves removed
1/4 cup olive oil
4 cloves garlic, peeled, minced
2 tablespoons capers, rinsed, minced
1 teaspoon crushed red pepper
1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese
1 tablespoon fresh parsley, chopped, for garnish

DIRECTIONS
1. Place water and Cook & Crisp™ Basket in pot.
2. With a knife, cut an X into the head of cauliflower, slicing about halfway down. Place cauliflower into the basket.
3. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position. Select PRESSURE and set to LOW. Set time to 3 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
4. In a small bowl, stir together olive oil, garlic, capers, and crushed red pepper.
5. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
6. Spread the oil mixture evenly over the cauliflower, placing some of it into the center of the cauliflower. Sprinkle Parmesan cheese evenly over the cauliflower.
7. Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 390°F, and set time to 10 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
8. When cooking is complete, transfer cauliflower to a serving platter using a large spatula. Garnish with fresh parsley.

TIP Since capers are briny, be sure to taste the cauliflower before adding salt to this dish.

POTATO WEDGES

BEGINNER RECIPE

PREP: 15 MINUTES | COOK: 15–21 MINUTES | MAKES: 4 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 5 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

INGREDIENTS
1/2 cup water
4 Idaho potatoes, cut in 2-inch wedges
2 tablespoons extra virgin olive oil, divided
1 tablespoon fresh oregano leaves, minced
4 cloves garlic, peeled, minced
Juice of 1 lemon
2 teaspoons kosher salt
1 teaspoon ground black pepper

DIRECTIONS
1. Pour water into the pot. Place potatoes into the Cook & Crisp™ Basket and place basket into pot.
2. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position. Select PRESSURE and set to LOW. Set time to 3 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
3. While potatoes are cooking, stir together 1 tablespoon olive oil with oregano, garlic, lemon juice, salt, and pepper in a small bowl. Set aside.
4. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
5. Pour remaining olive oil over the potatoes in the basket. Toss with oregano dressing and serve.

TIP For crispier results, add another teaspoon of oil in step 5, and when Air Crisping, shake the basket or toss potatoes with silicone-tipped tongs every 6 minutes.
CARNITAS TACOS

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 15 MINUTES | COOK: 40 MINUTES | MAKES: 12 TACOS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 7 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

INGREDIENTS
- 2 pounds uncooked boneless pork shoulder, cut in 1-inch cubes
- 6 cloves garlic, peeled, crushed
- Juice and zest of 1/2 orange
- 1 teaspoon dried oregano (or 20 leaves fresh)
- 1/2 cup chicken stock or vegetable stock
- 2 tablespoons agave nectar
- 1 tablespoon fresh cilantro or parsley, chopped
- 12 (6-inch) corn or flour tortillas, for serving

DIRECTIONS
1. Place pork, garlic, orange juice and zest, oregano, salt, pepper, and chili powder in pot. Stir to combine.
2. Place onion and stock in pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
3. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 20 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
4. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
5. Select SEAR/SAUTE and set to MD:HI. Select START/STOP. Using silicone-tipped tongs, remove onion from pot and shred pork. Allow pork to simmer for 10 minutes, or until the liquid in pot is reduced, stirring occasionally.
6. Once liquid is reduced, stir agave nectar into the shredded pork. Close crisping lid. Select BROIL and set time to 8 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
7. When cooking is complete, stir in cilantro or parsley and add salt if needed. Place carnitas into tortillas and assemble with your favorite toppings.

BUFFALO CAULIFLOWER BITES

ADVANCED RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES | CHILL: 30 MINUTES | COOK: 42 MINUTES | MAKES: 6 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

INGREDIENTS
- 2 heads cauliflower, trimmed, cut in 2-inch florets
- 1/2 cups water, divided
- 1 1/2 cups cornstarch
- 1/2 cup all-purpose flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1 teaspoon onion powder
- 1 teaspoon kosher salt
- 2 eggs
- 1/2 cup buffalo wing sauce

DIRECTIONS
1. Place cauliflower and 1/2 cup water into the pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
2. Select PRESSURE and set to LOW. Set time to 2 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
3. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by turning the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure. Drain cauliflower and chill in refrigerator until cooled, about 10 minutes.
4. Whisk together cornstarch, flour, baking powder, garlic powder, onion powder, salt, and pepper. Whisk in eggs and 1 cup water until batter is smooth. Add chilled cauliflower to bowl with batter and gently toss until well coated. Transfer coated cauliflower to baking sheet and chill in freezer for 20 minutes.
5. Close crisping lid. Preheat the unit by selecting AIR CRISP, setting the temperature to 360°F, and setting the time to 5 minutes.
6. Meanwhile, arrange half the cauliflower in an even layer in the bottom of the Cook & Crisp™ Basket. After 5 minutes, place basket into the pot.
7. Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 360°F, and set time to 20 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin. When first batch of cauliflower is crisp and golden, transfer to a bowl. Repeat with remaining chilled cauliflower.
8. When cooking is complete, microwave hot sauce for 30 seconds, then toss with cooked cauliflower. Serve immediately.
**TEX-MEX MEATLOAF**

**INTERMEDIATE RECIPE**

**PREP:** 15 MINUTES  |  **COOK:** 30 MINUTES  |  **MAKES:** 6–8 SERVINGS  
**APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD:** 6 MINUTES  |  **PRESSURE RELEASE:** QUICK

**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Stir together beef, egg, bell pepper, jalapeño pepper, onion, tortillas, spices, cilantro, and 2 tablespoons barbecue sauce in a large mixing bowl.

2. Place meat mixture in the Ninja ® loaf pan* (or an 8 1/2-inch loaf pan) and cover tightly with aluminum foil.

3. Pour water into pot. Place the loaf pan on the reversible rack, making sure rack is in the lower position. Place rack with pan in pot. Assemble the pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.

4. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 15 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

5. When pressure cooking is complete, quickly release any remaining pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.

6. Carefully remove foil from loaf pan and close crisping lid. Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 360°F, and set time to 15 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

7. While the meatloaf is cooking, stir together the crushed corn chips and 2 tablespoons barbecue sauce in the Ninja ® loaf pan*

8. After 7 minutes, open lid and top meatloaf with the corn chip mixture. Close lid to resume cooking.

9. When cooking is complete, remove meatloaf from pot and allow to cool for 10 minutes before serving.

**INGREDIENTS**

- 1 pound uncooked ground beef
- 1 egg
- 1 bell pepper, diced
- 1/2 jalapeño pepper, seeds removed, minced
- 1 small onion, peeled, diced
- 3 corn tortillas, roughly chopped
- 1 tablespoon garlic powder
- 2 teaspoons ground cumin
- 2 teaspoons chili powder
- 1 teaspoon cayenne pepper
- 2 teaspoons kosher salt
- 1/4 cup fresh cilantro leaves
- 1/4 cup fresh lime juice

*The Ninja loaf pan is sold separately on ninjaaccessories.com.

**TIP**

Save remaining spice blend and use it for roasting vegetables or seasoning fish.

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**STUFFED PEPPERS**

**BEGINNER RECIPE**

**PREP:** 10 MINUTES  |  **COOK:** 30 MINUTES  |  **MAKES:** 6 SERVINGS  
**APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD:** 8 MINUTES  |  **PRESSURE RELEASE:** NATURAL 10 MINUTES

**INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Stir together the garlic powder, black pepper, cinnamon, cloves, 1 1/2 teaspoons salt, paprika, and cumin; set aside.

2. Add beef, onion, rice, stock, wine, and 2 tablespoons spice mix to the pot, breaking apart meat. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.

3. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 15 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

4. When pressure cooking is complete, naturally release the pressure for 10 minutes, then quickly release any remaining pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.

5. Stir meat mixture, then add chopped pepper tops, cashews, parsley, and remaining salt. Using a rubber or wooden spoon, stuff mixture into the 4 bell peppers.

6. Place stuffed peppers in the pot. Close crisping lid. Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 360°F, and set time to 15 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

7. When cooking is complete, serve immediately.

**INGREDIENTS**

- 1 tablespoon garlic powder
- 1 teaspoon black pepper
- 1 tablespoon ground cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon ground cloves
- 1 1/2 tablespoons kosher salt, divided
- 3 tablespoons paprika
- 1/2 teaspoons ground cumin
- 1 pound uncooked ground beef
- 1 small onion, peeled, finely chopped
- 1 cup brown rice
- 1 cup chicken stock
- 1/4 cup dry white wine
- 4 large bell peppers, seeds and stems removed, tops chopped
- 1 cup whole cashews, chopped
- 1/2 cup fresh parsley, chopped

**TIP**

Save remaining spice blend and use it for roasting vegetables or seasoning fish.

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CRISPY CHICKEN THIGHS WITH CARROTS & RICE PILAF
BEGINNER RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES | COOK: 14 MINUTES | MAKES: 4 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 7 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

INGREDIENTS
1 box (6 ounces) rice pilaf
1 1/4 cups water
1 tablespoon butter
4 carrots, peeled, cut in half, lengthwise
4 uncooked boneless skin-on chicken thighs
2 tablespoons honey, warmed
1/2 teaspoon smoked paprika
1/2 teaspoon ground cumin
2 teaspoons kosher salt, divided
1 tablespoon extra virgin olive oil
2 teaspoons poultry spice

DIRECTIONS
1. Place rice pilaf, water, and butter into pot; stir to incorporate.
2. Place reversible rack in the pot, making sure rack is in the higher position. Place carrots in center of rack. Arrange chicken thighs, skin side up, around the carrots. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
3. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 4 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
4. While chicken and rice are cooking, stir together warm honey, smoked paprika, cumin, and 1 teaspoon salt. Set aside.
5. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
6. Brush carrots with seasoned honey. Brush chicken with olive oil, then season evenly with poultry spice and remaining salt.
7. Close crisping lid. Select BROIL and set time to 10 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
8. When cooking is complete, serve chicken with carrots and rice.

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STEAK, MASHED POTATOES & ASPARAGUS

BEGINNER RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES | COOK: 9–13 MINUTES | MAKES: 2–4 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 9 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

DIRECTIONS

1. Place potatoes and water into the pot.
2. Place the reversible rack in the pot over potatoes, making sure rack is in the higher position. Season steaks with 1 tablespoon salt and 1 teaspoon pepper, then place them on the rack.
3. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position. Select PRESSURE and set to high (HI). Set time to 1 minute. Select START/STOP to begin.
4. While the unit is pressure cooking, toss the asparagus with olive oil, 1 teaspoon salt, and 1 teaspoon black pepper.
5. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
6. Remove rack with steaks from pot and pat steaks dry. Mash potatoes with 1/4 cup butter, cream, cheese, 1 teaspoon salt, and 1 teaspoon pepper, using a mashing utensil that won’t scratch the nonstick surface of the pot.
7. Return rack with steaks to pot over mashed potatoes. Place asparagus on rack next to steaks. Close crisping lid. Select BROIL and set time to 8 minutes for medium steak or 12 minutes for well-done. Select START/STOP to begin.
8. When cooking is complete, remove steaks from rack and allow to rest for 5 minutes before serving with mashed potatoes and asparagus.

INGREDIENTS

5 Russet potatoes, peeled, cut in 1/2-inch pieces
1/2 cup water
1/4 cup butter
1/2 cup heavy cream
1 cup shredded cheddar cheese
1 tablespoon plus 2 teaspoons kosher salt, divided
3 teaspoons ground black pepper, divided
2 frozen New York strip steaks (12 ounces each, 1 1/2 inches thick)
1 bunch asparagus, Trimmed
1 tablespoon olive oil

WANT TO USE FRESH STEAKS INSTEAD OF FROZEN?

Don’t pressure cook them—just add them to the rack over the mashed potatoes as instructed in step 7. Broil the fresh steaks until internal temperature is at least 130˚F. Flip them over halfway through broiling.

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GARLIC SHRIMP WITH RISOTTO PRIMAVERA

PREP: 15 MINUTES | COOK: 24 MINUTES | MAKES: 4–5 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: NATURAL 10 MINUTES

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE • • •

INGREDIENTS
2 tablespoons olive oil, divided
1 small onion, peeled, finely diced
4 cloves garlic, peeled, minced, divided
3 teaspoons kosher salt, divided
5 1/2 cups chicken or vegetable stock
2 cups Arborio rice
16 uncooked jumbo shrimp (fresh or defrosted), peeled, deveined
2 teaspoons garlic powder
1 teaspoon ground black pepper
1/2 teaspoon crushed red pepper (optional)
2 tablespoons butter
Juice of 1 lemon
1 bunch asparagus, trimmed, cut in 1-inch pieces
1/2 cups grated Parmesan cheese, plus more for serving

DIRECTIONS
1 Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to MD:HI. Select START/STOP to begin. Allow to preheat for 5 minutes.
2 Add 1 tablespoon oil and onion to pot. Sauté until softened, about 5 minutes. Add half the garlic and cook until fragrant, about 1 minute. Season with 2 teaspoons salt.
3 Add stock and rice to pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
4 Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 7 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
5 While rice is cooking, toss shrimp in the remaining oil, garlic, salt, garlic powder, black pepper, and crushed red pepper in a mixing bowl.
6 When pressure cooking is complete, allow pressure to natural release for 10 minutes. After 10 minutes, quick release remaining pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
7 Stir butter, lemon juice, and asparagus into the rice until evenly incorporated.
8 Place reversible rack inside pot over risotto, making sure rack is in the higher position.
9 Place shrimp into the risotto. Top with shrimp and Parmesan and serve immediately.

CHICKEN PARMESAN WITH PENNE & BROCCOLINI

PREP: 15 MINUTES | COOK: 22 MINUTES | MAKES: 4 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE • • •

INGREDIENTS
1 pound uncooked penne pasta
4 cups water
4 teaspoons kosher salt, divided
4 uncooked chicken cutlets (4 ounces each)
2 eggs, beaten
1 cup all-purpose flour
1 cup seasoned bread crumbs
1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese, plus more for garnish
1 jar (24 ounces) marinara sauce, 1/4 cup reserved
2 tablespoons olive oil
1 bunch broccoli, cut in 1-inch pieces
1 cup mozzarella cheese
Fresh parsley, minced, for garnish

DIRECTIONS
1 Place pasta, water, and 2 teaspoons salt into the pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
2 Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 2 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
3 While pasta is cooking, place flour and remaining salt in a shallow bowl and stir to combine. Add eggs and 2 tablespoons water to another bowl, whisking to combine. Place bread crumbs and Parmesan cheese into a third bowl.
4 Working in small batches, toss chicken in flour. Tap off excess, then coat chicken in egg wash. Transfer chicken to bread crumbs, tossing well to evenly coat. Set aside.
5 When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
6 Pour marinara sauce over the cooked penne, reserving 1/4 cup sauce. Add broccoli and stir to incorporate.
7 Place reversible rack inside pot over the pasta, making sure rack is in the higher position. Place the breaded chicken on the rack and brush with oil.
8 Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 325°F, and set time to 15 minutes. Press START/STOP to begin.
9 When cooking is complete, spread remaining 1/4 cup sauce on top of chicken. Top with mozzarella cheese.
10 Close crisping lid. Select BROIL and set time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
11 When cooking is complete, top chicken with fresh parsley.
BREADED CHICKEN TENDERS WITH ROASTED BROCCOLI

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 15 MINUTES  |  COOK: 12 MINUTES  |  MAKES: 4 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 7 MINUTES  |  PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

DIRECTIONS

1. Place flour in a shallow bowl or plate. Add eggs and 2 tablespoons water to another bowl, whisking to combine. Place bread crumbs into a third bowl or plate.
2. Working in small batches, toss chicken in flour. Tap off excess, then coat chicken in egg wash. Transfer chicken to bread crumbs, tossing well to evenly coat. Set aside.
3. Place broccoli and 1/2 cup water in the pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
4. Select PRESSURE and set to LOW. Set time to 0 minutes (the time the unit takes to pressurize is long enough to partially cook the broccoli). Select START/STOP to begin.
5. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
6. Place reversible rack in pot over the broccoli, making sure it is in the higher position. Lay chicken tenders on rack, spacing out evenly without overlapping.
7. Close crisping lid. Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 360°F, and set time to 12 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
8. When cooking is complete, season chicken and broccoli with salt and serve with your favorite condiments.

INGREDIENTS

1 cup all-purpose flour
2 eggs, beaten
1/2 cup plus 2 tablespoons water, divided
2 cups Italian bread crumbs
1 pound uncooked chicken tenderloins
1 large broccoli crown, cut in 2-inch florets
1 teaspoon kosher salt

FOR SERVING

Ketchup
Honey mustard
Ranch dressing

SHRIMP & GRITS

ADVANCED RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES  |  COOK: 14 MINUTES  |  MAKES: 4 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES  |  PRESSURE RELEASE: NATURAL 10 MINUTES

DIRECTIONS

1. Pour 1/3 cup water into the pot.
2. Place grits, 2 teaspoons salt, and remaining 2 1/2 cups water into the Ninja® multi-purpose pan* (or an 8-inch baking pan). Stir to combine.
3. Place pan onto the reversible rack, making sure rack is in the lower position. Place rack with pan in pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
4. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 4 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
5. While grits are cooking, place shrimp in a medium bowl and toss them with lemon juice, olive oil, garlic, chili powder, garlic powder, pepper, and remaining salt. Coat thoroughly; set aside.
6. When pressure cooking is complete, allow pressure to natural release for 10 minutes. After 10 minutes, quick release remaining pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
7. Stir the butter and cheese into the grits until completely melted.
8. Lay shrimp on top of grits and close crisping lid.
9. Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 375°F, and set time to 10 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
10. When cooking is complete, garnish with parsley and scallions and serve.

INGREDIENTS

3 cups water, divided
1 cup grits (or coarse grind cornmeal)
3 teaspoons kosher salt, divided
16 frozen uncooked jumbo shrimp, peeled, deveined, patted dry
Juice of 1 lemon
1 teaspoon olive oil
2 cloves garlic, peeled, minced
1 teaspoon chili powder
1 teaspoon garlic powder
1 teaspoon black pepper
1/4 cup butter, cut in 8 pieces
1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese
2 tablespoons fresh parsley, chopped, for garnish
2 scallions, thinly sliced, for garnish

*The Ninja multi-purpose pan is sold separately on ninjaaccessories.com.
SHORT RIBS & ROOT VEGETABLES

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE  ⚪️  ⚪️  ⚪️

PREP: 15 MINUTES  |  COOK: 1 HOUR  |  MAKES: 4–6 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 10 MINUTES  |  PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

DIRECTIONS

1. Season short ribs on all sides with 1 teaspoon salt and 1 teaspoon pepper. Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to HIGH. Select START/STOP to begin. Heat 1 tablespoon oil in the pot for 3 minutes.

2. After 3 minutes, add short ribs to pot and cook until browned on all sides, about 10 minutes.

3. Add onion, wine, broth, brown sugar, garlic, 1 tablespoon thyme, ½ teaspoon salt, and ½ teaspoon pepper to pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.

4. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 40 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

5. Toss carrots, parsnips, and pearl onions with remaining oil, thyme, salt, and pepper.

6. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.

7. Place the reversible rack inside pot over ribs, making sure rack is in the higher position. Place vegetable mixture on rack.

8. Close crisping lid. Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 350°F, and set time to 15 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

9. Once vegetables are tender and roasted, transfer them and the ribs to a serving tray and tent loosely with aluminum foil to keep warm.

10. Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to HIGH. Bring liquid in pot to simmer for 5 minutes. Transfer to bowl and let sit for 2 minutes, then spoon off top layer of fat. Stir in parsley.

11. When cooking is complete, serve sauce with vegetables and ribs.

INGREDIENTS

6 uncooked bone-in beef short ribs (about 3 pounds), trimmed of excess fat and silver skin
2 teaspoons kosher salt, divided
2 teaspoons black pepper, divided
2 tablespoons olive oil, divided
1 onion, peeled, chopped
1/4 cup Marsala wine

1/4 cup beef broth
2 tablespoons brown sugar
3 cloves garlic, peeled, minced
2 tablespoons fresh thyme, minced, divided
3 carrots, peeled, cut in 1-inch pieces
3 parsnips, peeled, cut in 1-inch pieces
1 cup pearl onions
1/4 cup fresh parsley, minced
CHINESE BBQ PORK WITH GINGER COCONUT SWEET POTATOES

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 15 MINUTES | MARINATE: 15 MINUTES | COOK: 14–19 MINUTES | MAKES: 4 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 10 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

INGREDIENTS

3 sweet potatoes, peeled, cut in 1-inch cubes
1/2 cup unsweetened coconut milk
4 frozen uncooked boneless pork chops (8 ounces each)
1/4 cup hoisin sauce
1/3 cup honey
1 1/2 tablespoons soy sauce
1 teaspoon Chinese five spice powder
1/2 stick (1/4 cup) butter
1 tablespoon fresh ginger, peeled, minced
1 teaspoon kosher salt
1/2 teaspoon white pepper

DIRECTIONS

1. Place potatoes and coconut milk into the pot. Place reversible rack inside pot over potatoes, making sure rack is in the higher position.
2. Place pork chops on rack. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
3. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 4 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
4. While pork chops and potatoes are cooking, whisk together hoisin sauce, honey, soy sauce, and Chinese five spice powder.
5. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
6. Remove rack with pork from pot. Mash sweet potatoes with butter, ginger, salt, and pepper, using a mashing utensil that won’t scratch the nonstick surface of the pot. Place rack with pork back in pot and brush top of pork generously with 1/2 of sauce mixture.
7. Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 325°F, and set time to 15 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin. Halfway through cooking, flip the tofu.
8. When cooking is complete, add tofu to the grains and greens and serve with your favorite toppings.

TIP: You can swap out the tofu for a 3/4-pound chicken breast cut in 1/2-inch cubes.

GRAINS, GREENS & TOFU BOWL

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 15 MINUTES | MARINATE: 15 MINUTES | COOK: 25 MINUTES | MAKES: 4–6 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

INGREDIENTS

1/4 cup plus 2 tablespoons soy sauce, divided
3 tablespoons mirin, divided
1 tablespoon brown sugar
1 tablespoon plus 2 teaspoons toasted sesame oil, divided
1 teaspoon fish sauce
1 teaspoon garlic powder
1 block (14 ounces) super-firm tofu, drained, cut in 1/2-inch cubes
1/2 cup farro, rinsed
1/2 cup wild rice, rinsed
1 cup vegetable stock or water
1 bunch kale or collard greens, sliced

Toppings

Shredded carrots
Pickled garden vegetables
Kimchi
Avocado, sliced
Thai peanut dressing
Steamed edamame

DIRECTIONS

1. In a large bowl, stir together 2 tablespoons soy sauce, 1 tablespoon mirin, brown sugar, 2 teaspoons sesame oil, fish sauce, and garlic powder. Add tofu and coat in the marinade. Let marinade for at least 15 minutes.
2. Place farro, wild rice, stock or water, kale, remaining soy sauce, mirin, and sesame oil to the pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
3. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 10 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
4. When pressure cooking is complete, quickly release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
5. Place reversible rack inside pot over the rice, making sure rack is in the higher position. Cover rack with aluminum foil, then place tofu on rack.
6. Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 325°F, and set time to 15 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin. Halfway through cooking, flip the tofu.
7. When cooking is complete, add tofu to the grains and greens and serve with your favorite toppings.

TIP: You can swap out the tofu for a 3/4-pound chicken breast cut in 1/2-inch cubes.
Elevate your favorite casseroles, stews, chilis, and desserts with a crispy or bubbly layer of your favorite topping.

PHILLY CHEESESTEAK CASSEROLE

BEGINNER RECIPE

PREP: 15 MINUTES | COOK: 22–25 MINUTES | MAKES: 6–8 SERVINGS

DIRECTIONS

1. Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to MD:HI. Select START/STOP to begin. Allow to preheat for 5 minutes.

2. After 5 minutes, place oil, onion, and pepper into the pot. Cook until vegetables are soft, about 5 minutes. Season with salt. Add mushrooms and cook for another 5 minutes, until mushrooms are soft and have released most of their liquid.

3. Add shaved steak, garlic powder, onion powder, black pepper, and Worcestershire sauce. Cook for 5 minutes, or until steak is cooked through.

4. Fold in the cubed sub rolls, allowing them to soak up the juices from the steak. Evenly lay the cheese slices on top of mixture.

5. Close crisping lid. Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 375°F, and set time to 7-10 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin. Check frequently to avoid burning the cheese.

6. When cooking is complete, serve immediately.

INGREDIENTS

- 2 tablespoons canola oil
- 1 large onion, peeled, thinly sliced
- 1 green bell pepper, thinly sliced
- 1 tablespoon kosher salt
- 1 package (8 ounces) button mushrooms, thinly sliced
- 1 1/2 pounds uncooked shaved steak or chuck roast, thinly sliced
- 2 teaspoons garlic powder
- 2 teaspoons onion powder
- 1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 3 sub rolls, cut in 1-inch cubes
- 10 slices American or provolone cheese
BISCUITS & SAUSAGE GRAVY

INGREDIENTS
1 package (12 ounces) uncooked ground breakfast sausage, crumbled
1 tablespoon kosher salt
2 teaspoons black pepper
2 tablespoons butter
½ cup all-purpose flour
3 cups whole milk
½ cup shredded cheddar cheese
1 tube (16.3 ounces) refrigerated biscuit dough

DIRECTIONS
1. Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to HIGH. Select START/STOP to begin. Allow to preheat for 5 minutes.
2. After 5 minutes, add the sausage, salt, and pepper to the pot. Cook for 5 minutes, or until sausage browns, breaking it apart with a wooden spoon as it cooks.
3. Add the butter and melt completely. Then add flour and stir to combine. Cook for 2 minutes, then whisk in milk. Bring to a simmer, then cook for 5 minutes, or until thickened.
4. While gravy is cooking, gently separate biscuits and fill each with cheddar cheese, sandwich style.
5. Coat the reversible rack with cooking spray, making sure rack is in the lower position. Place stuffed biscuits on rack. Once gravy has thickened, lower rack with biscuits into pot.
6. Close crisping lid. Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 325°F, and set time to 10 minutes. Check after 8 minutes, cooking for an additional 2 minutes if biscuits need more browning.
7. When cooking is complete, serve immediately.

PULLED PORK WITH CRISPY BISCUITS

INGREDIENTS
2 1/2–3 pounds uncooked boneless pork shoulder, fat trimmed, cut in 2-inch cubes
3 tablespoons barbecue seasoning
1 tablespoon garlic powder
2 teaspoons kosher salt
1 cup apple cider vinegar
1 can (6 ounces) tomato paste
1 tube (16.3 ounces) refrigerated biscuit dough

DIRECTIONS
1. Place pork, spices, and vinegar in the pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
2. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 35 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
3. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
4. Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to MD:HI. Select START/STOP to begin.
5. Add tomato paste and stir to incorporate. Allow pork to simmer for 10 minutes, or until the liquid has reduced by half. Stir occasionally, using a wooden spoon or silicone tongs to shred the pork.
6. Tear each uncooked biscuit so that it is in two halves, like a hamburger bun. Place biscuit halves evenly across the surface of the pork.
7. Close crisping lid. Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 350°F, and set time to 10 minutes. Check after 8 minutes, cooking for an additional 2 minutes if biscuits need more browning.
8. When cooking is complete, serve immediately.

TIP
If you prefer slightly sweeter BBQ, add 1 to 2 tablespoons brown sugar in step 5.
CREAMY TOMATO SOUP WITH GRILLED CHEESE CROUTONS

PREP: 15 MINUTES | COOK: 25 MINUTES | MAKES: 8–10 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 8 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

DIRECTIONS
1 Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to HIGH. Select START/STOP to begin. Allow to preheat for 5 minutes.
2 Add canola oil, onions, and garlic to pot. Cook, stirring occasionally, for 5 minutes.
3 Add crushed tomatoes, tomato puree, heavy cream, 1 tablespoon salt, Worcestershire sauce, and crushed red pepper to pot. Continue cooking for another 5 minutes. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
4 Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 10 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
5 When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure. Allow soup to stop boiling before proceeding to next step.
6 Lay bread slices evenly across the top of the soup. Top bread slices liberally with both mozzarella and Parmesan cheeses.
7 Close crisping lid. Select BROIL and set time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
8 When cooking is complete, serve immediately.

INGREDIENTS
2 tablespoons canola oil
2 white onions, peeled, diced
8 cloves garlic, peeled, minced
1 can (28 ounces) crushed tomatoes
1 can (28 ounces) tomato puree
2 cups heavy cream
1 tablespoon kosher salt
1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
1 teaspoon crushed red pepper
1/2 crusty French baguette, sliced in 16 rounds
1/2 cup shredded mozzarella cheese
1/2 cup shredded Parmesan cheese

TIP If you don’t have a crusty French baguette, use lightly toasted sliced bread instead.

FRENCH ONION SOUP AU GRATIN

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 15 MINUTES | COOK: 43 MINUTES | MAKES: 4 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 4 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

DIRECTIONS
1 Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to MD:HI. Allow to preheat for 5 minutes.
2 Add butter and onions to pot and cook, stirring occasionally, for 10 minutes.
3 Add tomato paste, soy sauce, and Worcestershire sauce to pot. Cook for 5 minutes. Add beef stock, salt, and pepper and cook for an additional 5 minutes. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
4 Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 15 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
5 When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
6 Arrange the French bread cubes over the surface of the soup, then place the cheese evenly on top of the bread.
7 Close crisping lid. Select BROIL and set time to 8 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
8 When cooking is complete, soup is ready to serve.

INGREDIENTS
2 tablespoons butter
2 large white onions, peeled, cut in ¼-inch slices
1 tablespoon tomato paste
1 tablespoon soy sauce
1 tablespoon Worcestershire sauce
1 box (32 ounces) beef stock
1 teaspoon kosher salt
1 teaspoon ground black pepper
4 cups crusty French bread, cut in 1-inch cubes
2 cups shredded Mozzarella (or Gruyère) cheese
CHICKEN POT PIE

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES | COOK: 25 MINUTES | MAKES: 6 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

DIRECTIONS

1. Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to MD:HI. Select START/STOP to begin. Allow to preheat for 5 minutes.
2. After 5 minutes, add butter to pot. Once it melts, add onion, carrot, and garlic, and sauté until softened, about 3 minutes.
3. Add chicken and broth to the pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
4. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
5. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
6. Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to MD:HI. Select START/STOP to begin. Add remaining ingredients to pot, except pie crust. Stir until sauce thickens and bubbles, about 3 minutes.
7. Lay pie crust evenly on top of the filling mixture, folding over edges if necessary. Make a small cut in center of pie crust so that steam can escape during baking.
8. Close the crisping lid. Select BROIL and set time to 10 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
9. When cooking is complete, remove pot from unit and place on a heat-resistant surface. Let rest 10 to 15 minutes before serving.

INGREDIENTS

1/2 stick (1/4 cup) unsalted butter
1/2 large onion, peeled, diced
1 large carrot, peeled, diced
2 cloves garlic, peeled, minced
2 pounds uncooked boneless skinless chicken breasts, cut in 1-inch cubes
1 cup chicken broth
1 stalk celery, diced
1/2 cup frozen peas
1 1/2 teaspoons fresh thyme, minced
1 tablespoon fresh Italian parsley, minced
2 teaspoons kosher salt
1/2 teaspoon black pepper
1/2 cup heavy cream
1/4 cup all-purpose flour
1 refrigerated store-bought pie crust, room temperature

TIP: If you don’t have all the vegetables listed, you can substitute similar vegetables that you have on hand, like potatoes, frozen peas and carrots, and corn.
PENNE & SAUSAGE RAGU
INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 20 MINUTES | COOK: 18 MINUTES | MAKES: 6 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

INGREDIENTS
2 tablespoons canola oil
1 pound raw Italian sausage, casings removed
1 pound smoked sausage, diced
2 carrots, peeled, diced
4 cloves garlic, peeled, minced
2 jars (24 ounces each) roasted red peppers, strained, pureed
1 cup chicken stock
1 cup heavy cream
1 tablespoon kosher salt
1 tablespoon fresh rosemary, minced
1 box (16 ounces) dry penne pasta
1/2 block (4 ounces) whole-milk mozzarella cheese, diced
1 cup shredded mozzarella cheese

DIRECTIONS
1 Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to HIGH. Select START/STOP to begin. Allow to preheat for 5 minutes.
2 Add canola oil and both sausages to the pot. Cook for 5 minutes, stirring occasionally to break up the meat.
3 Add carrots, celery, onion, and garlic to pot and cook for an additional 5 minutes, stirring occasionally.
4 Add pureed red peppers, stock, cream, salt, rosemary, and pasta. Stir well to combine. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
5 Select PRESSURE and set to LOW. Set time to 3 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
6 When pressure cooking is complete, allow pressure to natural release for 10 minutes. After 10 minutes, quick release any remaining pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
7 Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to MEDIUM. Select START/STOP to begin. Stir ingredients, then add meatballs and simmer for 10 minutes. Turn down heat if sauce comes to a boil.
8 After 10 minutes, stir in ricotta. Cover pasta mixture with mozzarella.
9 Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 325°F, and set time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
10 When cooking is complete, serve immediately.

MEATBALL PASTA BAKE
INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES | COOK: 25-30 MINUTES | MAKES: 10 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: NATURAL 10 MINUTES

INGREDIENTS
2 pounds uncooked ground beef
2 large eggs
1/2 cup shredded (or 1/4 cup grated) Parmesan cheese
1/4 cup milk
1/4 cup seasoned bread crumbs
1/4 cup fresh parsley, chopped
2 teaspoons granulated garlic
2 teaspoons kosher salt
3 tablespoons olive oil
2 jars (24 ounces each) marinara sauce
1 cup water
1 cup dry red wine
1 box (16 ounces) dry cavatappi pasta
1 cup ricotta cheese
1 cup shredded mozzarella cheese

DIRECTIONS
1 In a large mixing bowl, stir together ground beef, eggs, Parmesan cheese, milk, bread crumbs, parsley, garlic, and salt. Mix until fully incorporated.
2 Form mixture into 20 meatballs; set aside.
3 Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to HI. Select START/STOP to begin. Allow to preheat for 5 minutes.
4 After 5 minutes, add oil to pot, then add half the meatballs in one layer. Brown meatballs on all sides. Transfer meatballs to a bowl. Repeat with remaining meatballs.
5 Add marinara sauce, water, wine, and pasta to the pot; stirring to incorporate.
6 Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position. Select PRESSURE and set to LOW. Set time to 2 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
7 When pressure cooking is complete, allow pressure to natural release for 10 minutes. After 10 minutes, quick release any remaining pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
8 Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to MD. Select START/STOP to begin. Stir ingredients, then add meatballs and simmer for 10 minutes. Turn down heat if sauce comes to a boil.
9 After 10 minutes, stir in ricotta. Cover pasta mixture with mozzarella.
10 Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 325°F, and set time to 5 minutes, or until cheese is melted, bubbly, and slightly browned.
11 When cooking is complete, serve immediately.

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BEEF CHILI & CORN BREAD CASSEROLE

INTERMEDIATE RECIPe • • •

PREP: 20 MINUTES | COOK: 37–45 MINUTES | MAKES: 8 SERVINGS

APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 8 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

DIRECTIONS

1. Place beef, beans, tomatoes, and stock into the pot, breaking apart meat. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 15 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

2. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.

3. Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to MD. Select START/STOP. Add onion, green bell pepper, jalapeño pepper, garlic, and spices; stir to incorporate. Bring to a simmer and cook for 5 minutes, stirring occasionally.

4. Dollop corn bread batter evenly over the top of the chili.

5. Close crisping lid. Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 360°F, and set time to 26 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

6. After 15 minutes, open lid and insert a wooden toothpick into the center of the corn bread. If toothpick comes out clean, skip to step 7. If corn bread is not done, close lid to resume cooking for another 8 minutes.

7. When corn bread is done, sprinkle it with cheese and close lid to resume cooking for 3 minutes, or until cheese is melted.

8. When cooking is complete, top with sour cream and serve.

TIP: You can use the extra corn bread batter to make muffins. Cook 6 muffins at 350°F for 25–30 minutes.

INGREDIENTS

2 pounds uncooked ground beef
3 cans (14 ounces each) kidney beans, rinsed, drained
1 can (28 ounces) crushed tomatoes
1 cup beef stock
1 large white onion, peeled, diced
1 green bell pepper, diced
1 jalapeño pepper, diced, seeds removed
4 cloves garlic, peeled, minced
2 tablespoons kosher salt
2 tablespoons ground black pepper
1 tablespoon ground cumin
1 tablespoon onion powder
1 tablespoon garlic powder
2 cups Cheddar Corn Bread batter, uncooked (see recipe page 61)
1 cup shredded Mexican cheese blend
Sour cream, for serving

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PEPPERONI PIZZA PASTA BAKE

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES | COOK: 28–30 MINUTES | MAKES: 6–8 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: NATURAL 10 MINUTES

DIRECTIONS
1 Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to MD:HI. Select START/STOP to begin. Allow to preheat for 5 minutes.
2 After 5 minutes, place onion and olive oil into the pot. Cook for 2 minutes, then add salt, oregano, basil, black pepper, and crushed red pepper. Continue cooking, stirring occasionally, until onions are lightly browned and translucent, about 5 minutes.
3 Add remaining ingredients, except mozzarella and pepperoni slices, to pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
4 Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 6 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
5 When pressure cooking is complete, allow pressure to natural release for 10 minutes. After 10 minutes, quick release remaining pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
6 Stir the sauce with a wooden spoon, crushing tomatoes in the process.
7 Cover pasta mixture evenly with 3 cups shredded mozzarella. Lay pepperoni slices across mozzarella. Sprinkle remaining mozzarella over pepperoni slices.
8 Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 400°F, and set time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
9 When cooking is complete, serve immediately.

INGREDIENTS
1 large onion, peeled, cut in half, sliced in half-moon shapes
2 tablespoons extra virgin olive oil
1 teaspoon kosher salt
1/2 teaspoon dried oregano
1/2 teaspoon dried basil
1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper
1/4 teaspoon crushed red pepper
6 large cloves garlic, peeled, minced
1 can (28 ounces) peeled San Marzano tomatoes
1 can (28 ounces) San Marzano tomato puree
1 cup red wine
2 cups chicken stock
1 pepperoni sausage (about 8 inches), cut in small pieces
1 box (16 ounces) dry rigatoni pasta
4 cups shredded mozzarella cheese, divided
1 package (6 ounces) thin-sliced pepperoni
BERRY UPSIDE-DOWN CAKE
INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 15 MINUTES | COOK: 55 MINUTES | MAKES: 6–8 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: NATURAL 5 MINUTES

INGREDIENTS
1 bag (12 ounces) frozen cherries
1 bag (12 ounces) frozen blueberries
1 stick (1/2 cup) butter, divided
2 tablespoons lemon juice
2 teaspoons cornstarch
1 cup plus 3 tablespoons sugar, divided
2 cups all-purpose flour
1/4 teaspoon baking soda
2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon kosher salt
3 large eggs
1 cup sour cream

DIRECTIONS
1. Place frozen fruit, 3 tablespoons butter, lemon juice, cornstarch, and 3 tablespoons sugar in the pot; stir to combine. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
2. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
3. When pressure cooking is complete, allow pressure to natural release for 5 minutes. After 5 minutes, quick release remaining pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
4. Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to MD:HI. Allow liquid to simmer for about 10 minutes, until it begins to thicken and look syrupy.
5. Remove pot from unit and place on a heat-resistant surface. Let cool for 15 minutes.
6. Meanwhile, place all-purpose flour, remaining sugar, baking soda, baking powder, and salt into a mixing bowl. Whisk to incorporate.
7. Melt remaining 5 tablespoons butter in a separate mixing bowl, then whisk in eggs and sour cream.
8. Slowly add flour mixture to egg mixture. Beat until batter is thick and smooth.
9. Gently dollop and smooth batter evenly over the top of the cooled berry mixture.
10. Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 325°F, and set time to 40 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
11. When cooking is complete, remove pot from unit and place on a heat-resistant surface. Let cool for 15 to 20 minutes before serving with toppings of your choice.

TOPPINGS
Crème Fraîche
Mascarpone
Whipped Cream
Vanilla Ice Cream

TIP: To mix it up, use your favorite frozen fruit in place of the frozen peaches or cherries.

PEACH CHERRY CRUMBLE
BEGINNER RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES | COOK: 22 MINUTES | MAKES: 4 SERVINGS
APPROX. PRESSURE BUILD: 6 MINUTES | PRESSURE RELEASE: QUICK

INGREDIENTS
1 package (16 ounces) frozen peaches
1 cup frozen cherries
2 tablespoons cornstarch
1 cup water, divided
1 teaspoon fresh lemon juice
3 tablespoons sugar
1/2 cup flour
1/2 cup rolled oats
1/4 cup brown sugar
2 tablespoons granulated sugar
1/2 cup butter, cut in pieces
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon

DIRECTIONS
1. Place peaches and cherries into the Ninja® multi-purpose pan* (or a 1 1/2-quart round ceramic baking dish). In a separate bowl, stir together the cornstarch, 1/4 cup water, lemon juice, and sugar; pour over the fruit.
2. Place pan on reversible rack, making sure rack is in the lower position, and cover pan with foil. Pour 1/2 cup water into pot and add rack to the pot. Assemble pressure lid, making sure the pressure release valve is in the SEAL position.
3. Select PRESSURE and set to HIGH. Set time to 10 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
4. In a separate bowl, combine all topping ingredients until incorporated.
5. When pressure cooking is complete, quick release the pressure by moving the pressure release valve to the VENT position. Carefully remove lid when unit has finished releasing pressure.
6. Remove foil and evenly spread topping over the fruit. Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 400°F, and set time to 12 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin. Cook until top is browned and fruit is bubbling.
7. When cooking is complete, remove rack with pan from pot and serve.

TIP: To mix it up, use your favorite frozen fruit in place of the frozen peaches or cherries.

*T he Ninja multi-purpose pan is sold separately on ninjaaccessories.com.
ZUCCHINI FRIES WITH MARINARA SAUCE

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 20 MINUTES | CHILL: 30–45 MINUTES | COOK: 20–25 MINUTES | MAKES: 8 SERVINGS

INGREDIENTS
2 large zucchini, cut in sticks 3-inches long and¼-inch thick
2 teaspoons kosher salt
2 cups all-purpose flour
3 eggs, beaten
3 cups seasoned bread crumbs
½ cup grated Parmesan cheese
1 tablespoon garlic powder
2 teaspoons onion powder
Marinara sauce, for serving

DIRECTIONS
1. Place the zucchini sticks onto a plate and sprinkle with salt. Allow to sit at room temperature for 15 minutes to remove excess liquid. Pat dry.

2. Place flour into a bowl. Place beaten eggs in another bowl. Combine bread crumbs, Parmesan, garlic powder, and onion powder in a third bowl.

3. First, dredge fries in the flour, then shake off any excess and coat in the egg. Then coat in bread crumb mixture and return to a clean plate. Repeat with remaining zucchini. Cover plate with plastic wrap and place in the freezer for 30 to 45 minutes.

4. Once coating has hardened, place the Cook & Crisp™ Basket in the pot. Close crisping lid. Preheat the unit by selecting AIR CRISP, setting the temperature to 360°F, and setting the time to 5 minutes. Press START/STOP to begin.

5. After 5 minutes, open lid and add zucchini fries to basket. Close lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 360°F, and set time to 24 minutes. Press START/STOP to begin.

6. After 12 minutes, open lid, then lift basket and shake zucchini fries or toss them with silicone-tipped tongs. Lower basket back into pot and close lid to resume cooking.

7. After 20 minutes, check fries for desired doneness. Cook for up to 5 more minutes for crispier results. When cooking is complete, serve fries immediately with marinara sauce.

Elevating your go-to weeknight meals is as easy as adding any of these appetizers, sides, or desserts to your menu.
**BEEF JERKY**

BEGINNER RECIPE  ●  ○

PREP: 15 MINUTES  |  MARINATE: 8 HOURS  |  COOK: 5–7 HOURS 15 MINUTES  |  MAKES: 4 CUPS (8 OUNCES) DRIED JERKY

**CHEDDAR CORN BREAD**

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE  ●  ○

PREP: 10 MINUTES  |  COOK: 20-25 MINUTES  |  MAKES: 8 SERVINGS

**INGREDIENTS**

**BEEF JERKY**

- 1/4 cup soy sauce
- 2 tablespoons Worcestershire sauce
- 2 tablespoons dark brown sugar
- 1 teaspoon ground black pepper
- 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1 teaspoon onion powder
- 2 teaspoons kosher salt
- 1 1/2 pounds (24 ounces) uncooked beef eye of round, cut in 1/4-inch slices

**CHEDDAR CORN BREAD**

- 1 1/4 cups all-purpose flour
- 1/2 cup cornmeal
- 1 cup whole milk
- 1/4 cup canola oil
- 1 cup shredded cheddar cheese

**DIRECTIONS**

**BEEF JERKY**

1. Whisk together all ingredients, except beef. Place mixture into a large resealable plastic bag.
2. Place sliced beef in bag with seasonings and rub to coat. Marinate in refrigerator for at least 8 hours or overnight.
3. Strain meat; discard excess liquid.
4. Lay meat slices flat on the Ninja ® dehydrating rack* or Ninja Cook & Crisp™ Layered Insert**. Arrange them in a single layer, without any slices touching each other.
5. Place dehydrating rack or Cook & Crisp Layered Insert in Cook & Crisp Basket. Place basket in pot and close crisping lid.
6. Press DEHYDRATE, set temperature to 155°F, and set time to 7 hours. Select START/STOP to begin.
7. Jerky will be pliable and soft after 5 hours, continue cooking for up to 7 hours if crispier jerky is desired.
8. When cooking is complete, remove dehydrating rack or Cook & Crisp Layered Insert from pot. Transfer jerky to an airtight container.

**TIP** When dehydrating meat or poultry, make sure to trim off all fat before dehydrating. Fat does not dry out and could turn rancid.

**CHEDDAR CORN BREAD**

1. Place the Ninja® multi-purpose pan* (or an 8-inch baking pan) on the reversible rack, making sure rack is in the lower position. Place rack in pot. Close crisping lid. Preheat the unit and pan by selecting BROIL and setting the time to 10 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
2. In a medium bowl, whisk together the flour, cornmeal, sugar, baking powder, and salt.
3. Add egg, milk, and oil to the dry ingredients and whisk to combine. Add cheese and stir to incorporate.
4. Once unit and pan have preheated for 10 minutes, open lid and spray pan with cooking spray. Pour batter into pan.
5. Close crisping lid. Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 350°F, and set time to 25 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin. Bake for at least 20 minutes, until corn bread is golden brown, and a wooden toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.
6. When cooking is complete, remove rack with pan from unit and let cool on a cooling rack for 5 minutes before serving. If desired, toast thick slices of corn bread in butter using the SEAR/SAUTÉ (MD:HI) setting.

*The Ninja dehydrating rack is sold separately on ninjaaccessories.com.
**The Ninja multi-purpose pan is sold separately on ninjaaccessories.com.
*The Ninja Cook & Crisp Layered Insert is not included with your unit; it can be purchased on ninjaaccessories.com.
**DIRECTIONS**

1. **Place milk into the pot. Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to MD:HI. Select START/STOP to begin.** Bring to a gentle simmer, then press the START/STOP button to turn off SEAR/SAUTÉ.

2. **Remove pot from unit, stir in the butter and sugar, and let cool until below 110°F.**

3. **In a small bowl, stir together yeast and 1/4 cup warm water. Let sit until foamy, about 10 minutes.**

4. **Once milk mixture is cooled, add 2 eggs, yeast mixture, salt, and 1 1/2 cups flour to a mixer fitted with a dough attachment. Mix until a smooth paste has formed. Add the remaining flour, 1/2 cup at a time, and stir until a smooth ball forms. Add additional flour, 1/2 tablespoon at a time, if dough appears too sticky.**

5. **Remove dough from the bowl and knead by hand on a floured surface for about 5 minutes.**

6. **Wipe out the pot, then lightly grease it with butter. Place kneaded dough in pot. Cover dough with plastic wrap and let rise in a warm place, until doubled in size, about 1 hour.**

7. **Turn the dough out onto a floured surface. Punch down the dough, then divide evenly into 12 pieces. Shape each piece into a small ball and place in a greased Ninja® multi-purpose pan* (or an 8-inch baking pan). Rolls should be touching with visible gaps in between.**

8. **Beat remaining egg with 1 teaspoon water. Gently brush tops of rolls with egg wash. Add 3 tablespoons water to the pot. Place pan on the reversible rack, making sure rack is in the lower position. Then place rack with pan in pot.**

9. **Select SEAR/SAUTÉ and set to LO. Select START/STOP to begin. Cook for 5 minutes, then press the START/STOP button to turn off SEAR/SAUTÉ. Allow rolls to rise for another 15 minutes in the warm pot.**

10. **Remove rack and pan from pot. Close crisping lid. Preheat the unit by selecting BAKE/ROAST, setting the temperature to 325°F, and setting the time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.**

11. **After 5 minutes, place rack with pan in pot. Sprinkle rolls with coarse sea salt, then close lid. Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 325°F, and set time to 25 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.**

12. **When cooking is complete, allow the rolls to cool, then pull apart and serve.**

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**INGREDIENTS**

- 1/4 cup milk
- 1/2 stick (1/4 cup) unsalted butter, cut in pieces, plus more for greasing
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1/2 package (1 1/4 teaspoons) active dry yeast
- 3/4 cup plus 3 1/2 tablespoons warm water, divided
- 3 large eggs, divided
- 1/2 teaspoon kosher salt
- 3 cups plus 1 tablespoon all-purpose flour
- Coarse sea salt, for sprinkling

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*The Ninja multi-purpose pan is sold separately on ninjaaccessories.com.*
CHEESY CHICKEN CRUNCHADILLA

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 15 MINUTES  |  COOK: 8 MINUTES  |  MAKES: 2 SERVINGS

INGREDIENTS
1 flour tortilla (12 inches)
1 cup cooked chicken meat, shredded, divided
1/2 package (4 ounces) prepared cheese product, cut in 1/4-inch cubes, divided
1 Roma tomato, diced, divided
2 scallions, thinly sliced, divided
2 corn tostadas, divided
1/4 cup shredded Mexican cheese blend

DIRECTIONS
1. Lay flour tortilla onto a clean surface. Place 1/2 cup shredded chicken onto center of tortilla. Sprinkle half of the cubed cheese evenly on top of shredded chicken, then sprinkle with half the tomatoes and half the scallions.
2. Place one tostada on top. Repeat step 1 with layers of remaining chicken, cubed cheese, tomatoes, and scallions. Top with second tostada and shredded cheese.
3. Gently fold flour tortilla over the layers in a concentric pattern, about 4 folds, until the crunchadilla is securely wrapped.
4. Using a broken piece of tostada or a torn piece of tortilla, cover the center opening of the crunchadilla so all contents remain secure during cooking.
5. Gently flip crunchadilla over, seam-side down, and coat the top with cooking spray.
6. Place crunchadilla in Cook & Crisp Basket. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 360°F, and set time to 8 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
7. When cooking is complete, crunchadilla is ready to serve.

TIP: If you can’t find tostadas at your grocery store, use layers of round tortilla chips instead. (Triangular chips could poke holes in the flour tortilla.)
BANANA BREAD
INTERMEDIATE RECIPE
PREP: 15 MINUTES  |  COOK: 40 MINUTES  |  MAKES: 1 (2-POUND) LOAF

DIRECTIONS
1 Close crisping lid. Preheat the unit by selecting BAKE/ROAST, setting the temperature to 325°F, and setting the time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
2 Meanwhile, in a bowl, stir together flour, baking soda, and salt.
3 In a separate bowl, beat together butter and brown sugar. Add eggs and bananas and stir to combine.
4 Slowly add dry mixture to wet mixture, stirring until just combined.
5 Grease the Ninja® loaf pan* (or an 8-inch baking pan) and add batter to pan.
6 Once unit has preheated, place pan on reversible rack, making sure rack is in the lower position. Close crisping lid. Select BAKE/ROAST; set temperature to 325°F, and set time to 40 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
7 When cooking is complete, remove pan from pot and place on a cooling rack. Allow bread to cool 30 minutes before serving.

INGREDIENTS
2 cups all-purpose flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
1/4 teaspoon kosher salt
1 stick (1/2 cup) butter, softened
1/4 cup dark brown sugar
2 eggs, beaten
3 medium ripe bananas, mashed

CRISPY BRUSSELS SPROUTS WITH SRIRACHA MAYO
BEGINNER RECIPE
PREP: 5 MINUTES  |  COOK: 12–15 MINUTES  |  MAKES: 4 SERVINGS

DIRECTIONS
1 Place Cook & Crisp™ Basket in pot. Close crisping lid. Preheat the unit by selecting AIR CRISP, setting the temperature to 390°F, and setting the time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
2 Meanwhile, in a bowl, toss Brussels sprouts with olive oil, salt, and pepper.
3 After 5 minutes, add Brussels sprouts to basket. Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 390°F, and set time to 12 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
4 After 6 minutes, open lid, then lift basket and shake Brussels sprouts or toss them with silicone-tipped tongs. Lower basket back into pot and close lid to resume cooking.
5 Check Brussels sprouts for desired doneness; for crispier results, add up to 3 more minutes. When cooking is complete, remove Brussels sprouts from basket. Toss with sriracha mayo and serve.

INGREDIENTS
1 pound Brussels sprouts, cut in half
2 tablespoons extra virgin olive oil
1 teaspoon kosher salt
1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper
2 tablespoons sriracha mayo, for serving

TIP
For more tender Brussels sprouts, steam with 2 cups of water for 4 minutes before Air Crisping.
CHILI-RUBBED CHICKEN & CHIMICHURRI

BEGINNER RECIPE

PREP: 15 MINUTES | COOK: 25–35 MINUTES | MAKES: 2 SERVINGS

INGREDIENTS
2 teaspoons kosher salt
1 tablespoon ground paprika
1 tablespoon chili powder
1 tablespoon ground fennel
1 teaspoon fresh cracked black pepper
1 teaspoon onion powder
1 teaspoon garlic powder
1 teaspoon ground cumin
2 uncooked bone-in, skin-on chicken breasts (3/4–1 1/4 pounds each)
1 tablespoon canola oil

CHIMICHURRI
1/4 cup olive oil
1/5 bunch fresh cilantro
1/5 bunch fresh parsley
1 shallot, peeled, cut in quarters
4 cloves garlic, peeled
Zest and juice of 1 lemon
1 teaspoon kosher salt

DIRECTIONS
1. In a small mixing bowl, stir together all the dried spices.
2. Pat chicken breasts dry. Coat with canola oil, then season them liberally on all sides with the spice mixture.
3. Preheat unit by selecting AIR CRISP, setting the temperature to 375°F, and setting the time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.
4. After 5 minutes, add chicken to Cook & Crisp™ Basket. Close crisping lid. Select AIR CRISP, set temperature to 375°F, and set time to 35 minutes.
5. While chicken is cooking, combine the chimichurri ingredients in the bowl of a food processor and process until finely minced, being careful not to over-blend.
6. After 25 minutes, check chicken for doneness. Cooking is complete when internal temperature reaches 165°F. Cook for up to 35 minutes. When cooking is complete, allow chicken to cool for 5 minutes, then serve with a generous amount of chimichurri.
CHOCOLATE CHIP SKILLET COOKIE

INTERMEDIATE RECIPE

PREP: 10 MINUTES | COOK: 23 MINUTES | MAKES: 4–6 SERVINGS

DIRECTIONS

1. Close crisping lid. Preheat the unit by selecting BAKE/ROAST, setting the temperature to 325°F, and setting the time to 5 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

2. While unit is preheating, whisk together flour, baking soda, and salt in a mixing bowl.

3. In a separate mixing bowl, beat together the butter, sugars, and vanilla until creamy. Add egg and beat until smooth and fully incorporated.

4. Slowly add the dry ingredients to the egg mixture, about 1/3 at a time. Use a rubber spatula to scrape down the sides so all dry ingredients get incorporated. Make sure not to over-mix, or the cookie will become dense when baked.

5. Fold the chocolate chips and nuts into the cookie dough until they are evenly distributed.

6. Generously grease the bottom of the Ninja® multi-purpose pan* (or an 8-inch baking pan). Add the cookie dough to the pan, making sure it is evenly distributed.

7. Once unit has preheated, place the pan onto the reversible rack, making sure rack is in the lower position. Place rack with pan in pot. Close crisping lid. Select BAKE/ROAST, set temperature to 325°F, and set time to 23 minutes. Select START/STOP to begin.

8. When cooking is complete, allow cookie to cool for 5 minutes. Then serve warm with toppings of your choice.

INGREDIENTS

1 cup + 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 teaspoon kosher salt
1 stick (1/2 cup) unsalted butter, softened, plus more for greasing
6 tablespoons granulated sugar
6 tablespoons packed brown sugar
1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
1 large egg
1 cup semi-sweet chocolate chips
1/2 cup chopped walnuts, pecans, or almonds, if desired

*The Ninja multi-purpose pan is sold separately on ninjaaccessories.com.

TIP: For a softer, gooey center, shorten cooking time in step 7 to 20 minutes.
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TIP: Use hot water for pressure cooking to build pressure quicker.

†Remove immediately when complete and place in ice bath.
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*The time the unit takes to pressurize is long enough to cook this food.
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*After releasing pressure, stir for 30 seconds to 1 minute, then let sit for 5 minutes.

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TIP For best results, rinse rice and grains thoroughly before pressure cooking.
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# Steam Chart for the Reversible Rack

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<td>Whole, trimmed</td>
<td>2 cups</td>
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<td>24 oz</td>
<td>Peeled, cut in 1-inch cubes</td>
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<td>Cabbage</td>
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<td>Cut in half, sliced in 1/2-inch strips, core removed</td>
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## Air Crisp Cooking Chart

### for the Cook & Crisp™ Basket

**TIP** Before using Air Crisp, allow the unit to preheat for 5 minutes as you would your conventional oven.

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<td>390°F</td>
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<td>Beets</td>
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<td>None</td>
<td>400°F</td>
<td>25–30 mins</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Broccoli</td>
<td>1 head</td>
<td>Cut in 1-2-inch florets</td>
<td>1 Tbsp</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>10–13 mins</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Brussels sprouts</td>
<td>1 lb</td>
<td>Cut in half, stem removed</td>
<td>1 Tbsp</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>15–18 mins</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Butternut squash</td>
<td>1-1/2 lbs</td>
<td>Cut in 1-2-inch pieces</td>
<td>1 Tbsp</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>20–25 mins</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Carrots</td>
<td>1 lb</td>
<td>Peeled, cut in 1/2-inch pieces</td>
<td>1 Tbsp</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>14–16 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Cauliflower</td>
<td>1 head</td>
<td>Cut in 1-2-inch florets</td>
<td>2 Tbsp</td>
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<tr>
<td>Corn on the cob</td>
<td>4 ears, cut in half</td>
<td>Whole ears, husks removed</td>
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<td>390°F</td>
<td>12–15 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Green beans</td>
<td>1 bag (12 oz)</td>
<td>Trimmed</td>
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<td>300°F</td>
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<tr>
<td>Kale (for chips)</td>
<td>6 cups, packed</td>
<td>Torn in pieces, stems removed</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>300°F</td>
<td>7–10 mins</td>
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<td>Mushrooms</td>
<td>8 oz</td>
<td>Rinsed, cut in quarters</td>
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<tr>
<td>Potatoes, russet</td>
<td>1/2 lb</td>
<td>Cut in 1-inch wedges</td>
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<td>20–25 mins</td>
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<td></td>
<td>1 lb</td>
<td>Hand-cut fries, thin</td>
<td>1/2–1 Tbsp canola</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>20–25 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>1 lb</td>
<td>Hand-cut fries, soak 30 mins in cold water and pat dry</td>
<td>1/2–1 Tbsp canola</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>24–27 mins</td>
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<td></td>
<td>4 whole (6-8 oz)</td>
<td>Pierced with fork 3 times</td>
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<td>350°F</td>
<td>35–40 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Potatoes, sweet</td>
<td>2 lbs</td>
<td>Cut in 1-inch chunks</td>
<td>1 Tbsp</td>
<td>390°F</td>
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<td></td>
<td>4 whole (6-8 oz)</td>
<td>Pierced with fork 3 times</td>
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<tr>
<td>Zucchini</td>
<td>1 lb</td>
<td>Cut in quarters lengthwise, then cut in 1-inch pieces</td>
<td>1 Tbsp</td>
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<td><strong>POULTRY</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>Chicken breasts</td>
<td>2 breasts (3/4–1 1/2 lbs each)</td>
<td>Bone in</td>
<td>Brushed with oil</td>
<td>375°F</td>
<td>25–35 mins</td>
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<td></td>
<td>2 breasts (1/2–3/4 lb each)</td>
<td>Boneless</td>
<td>Brushed with oil</td>
<td>375°F</td>
<td>22–25 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Chicken thighs</td>
<td>4 thighs (6-10 oz each)</td>
<td>Bone in</td>
<td>Brushed with oil</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>22–28 mins</td>
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<td></td>
<td>4 thighs (4-8 oz each)</td>
<td>Boneless</td>
<td>Brushed with oil</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>18–22 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Chicken wings</td>
<td>2 lbs</td>
<td>Drumettes &amp; flats</td>
<td>1 Tbsp</td>
<td>350°F</td>
<td>24–28 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Chicken, whole</td>
<td>1 chicken (3-5 lbs)</td>
<td>Trussed</td>
<td>Brushed with oil</td>
<td>375°F</td>
<td>55–75 mins</td>
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<td>Chicken drumsticks</td>
<td>2 lbs</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>1 Tbsp</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>20–22 mins</td>
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**Air Crisp Cooking Chart**

For best results, shake, toss, or flip often.

We recommend frequently checking your food and shaking, tossing, or flipping it to ensure desired results. Use these cook times as a guide, adjusting to your preference.

Shake your food

Toss or flip with silicone-tipped tongs

Remove food immediately after cook time is complete and your desired level of doneness is achieved. We recommend using an instant-read thermometer to monitor the internal temperature of proteins.

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## Air Crisp Cooking Chart for the Cook & Crisp™ Basket, continued

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<td>Burgers</td>
<td>4 quarter-pound patties, 80% lean</td>
<td>1-inch thick</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>375°F</td>
<td>10-12 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Steaks</td>
<td>2 steaks (8 oz each)</td>
<td>Whole</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>10-20 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td><strong>PORK &amp; LAMB</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>Bacon</td>
<td>1 strip to 1 (16 oz) package</td>
<td>Lay strips evenly over edge of basket</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>330°F</td>
<td>13-16 mins (no preheat)</td>
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<td>Pork chops</td>
<td>2 thick-cut, bone-in chops (10-12 ounces each)</td>
<td>Bone in</td>
<td>Brushed with oil</td>
<td>375°F</td>
<td>15-17 mins</td>
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<td></td>
<td>4 boneless chops (6-8 ounces each)</td>
<td>Boneless</td>
<td>Brushed with oil</td>
<td>375°F</td>
<td>15-18 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Pork tenderloins</td>
<td>2 tenderloins (1-1 1/2 lbs each)</td>
<td>Whole</td>
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<td>25-35 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Sausages</td>
<td>4 sausages</td>
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<td>None</td>
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<td>8-10 mins</td>
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<td><strong>FISH &amp; SEAFOOD</strong></td>
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<td>Crab cakes</td>
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<td>None</td>
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<td>Lobster tails</td>
<td>4 tails (3-4 oz each)</td>
<td>Whole</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>375°F</td>
<td>7-10 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Salmon fillets</td>
<td>2 fillets (4 oz each)</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>Brushed with oil</td>
<td>390°F</td>
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<tr>
<td>Shrimp</td>
<td>16 jumbo</td>
<td>Raw, whole, peeled, tails on</td>
<td>1 Tbsp</td>
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<td><strong>FROZEN FOODS</strong></td>
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<td>Chicken nuggets</td>
<td>1 box (12 oz)</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>None</td>
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<td>11-13 mins</td>
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<td>Fish fillets</td>
<td>1 box (6 fillets)</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>None</td>
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<td>13-15 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Fish sticks</td>
<td>1 box (14.8 oz)</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>9-11 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>French fries</td>
<td>1 lb</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>360°F</td>
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<td></td>
<td>2 lbs</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>360°F</td>
<td>28-32 mins</td>
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<td>Mozzarella sticks</td>
<td>1 box (11 oz)</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>375°F</td>
<td>6-9 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Pot stickers</td>
<td>1 bag (10 count)</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>Toss with 1 tsp canola oil</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>11-14 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Pizza Rolls</td>
<td>1 bag (20 oz, 40 count)</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>390°F</td>
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<td>Popcorn shrimp</td>
<td>1 box (16 oz)</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>390°F</td>
<td>8-10 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Tater Tots</td>
<td>1 lb</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>None</td>
<td>360°F</td>
<td>19-21 mins</td>
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**TIP** Before using Air Crisp, allow the unit to preheat for 5 minutes as you would your conventional oven.

**Shake your food OR Toss or flip with silicone-tipped tongs**

We recommend frequently checking your food and shaking, tossing, or flipping it to ensure desired results. Use these cook times as a guide, adjusting to your preference.

Remove food immediately after cook time is complete and your desired level of doneness is achieved. We recommend using an instant-read thermometer to monitor the internal temperature of proteins.
## Dehydrate Chart for the Cook & Crisp™ Basket with the Cook & Crisp Layered Insert* or Dehydrating Rack**

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<tr>
<td><strong>FRUITS &amp; VEGETABLES</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>Apple Chips</td>
<td>Core removed, cut in 1/8-inch slices, rinsed in lemon water, patted dry</td>
<td>135°F</td>
<td>7–8 hrs</td>
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<tr>
<td>Asparagus</td>
<td>Cut in 1-inch pieces, blanch</td>
<td>135°F</td>
<td>6–8 hrs</td>
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<tr>
<td>Bananas</td>
<td>Peeled, cut in 1/4-inch slices</td>
<td>135°F</td>
<td>8–10 hrs</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Beet Chips</td>
<td>Peeled, cut in 1/8-inch slices</td>
<td>135°F</td>
<td>7–8 hrs</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Eggplant</td>
<td>Peeled, cut in 1/8-inch slices, blanch</td>
<td>135°F</td>
<td>6–8 hrs</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Fresh Herbs</td>
<td>Rinsed, patted dry, stems removed</td>
<td>135°F</td>
<td>4–6 hrs</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Ginger Root</td>
<td>Cut in 1/8-inch slices</td>
<td>135°F</td>
<td>6 hrs</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Mangoes</td>
<td>Peeled, cut in 1/8-inch slices, pit removed</td>
<td>135°F</td>
<td>6–8 hrs</td>
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<tr>
<td>Mushrooms</td>
<td>Cleaned with soft brush (do not wash)</td>
<td>135°F</td>
<td>6–8 hrs</td>
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<tr>
<td>Pineapple</td>
<td>Peeled, cored, cut in 1/8-1/2-inch slices</td>
<td>135°F</td>
<td>6–8 hrs</td>
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<tr>
<td>Strawberries</td>
<td>Cut in half or in 1/8-inch slices</td>
<td>135°F</td>
<td>6–8 hrs</td>
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<tr>
<td>Tomatoes</td>
<td>Cut in 1/8-inch slices or grated; steam if planning to rehydrate</td>
<td>135°F</td>
<td>6–8 hrs</td>
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<td><strong>JERKY – MEAT, POULTRY, FISH</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>Beef Jerky</td>
<td>Cut in 1/4-inch slices, marinated overnight (refer to Beef Jerky recipe page 60)</td>
<td>150°F</td>
<td>5–7 hrs</td>
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<tr>
<td>Chicken Jerky</td>
<td>Cut in 1/4-inch slices, marinated overnight (refer to Beef Jerky recipe page 60)</td>
<td>150°F</td>
<td>5–7 hrs</td>
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<tr>
<td>Turkey Jerky</td>
<td>Cut in 1/4-inch slices, marinated overnight (refer to Beef Jerky recipe page 60)</td>
<td>150°F</td>
<td>5–7 hrs</td>
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<tr>
<td>Salmon Jerky</td>
<td>Cut in 1/4-inch slices, marinated overnight (refer to Beef Jerky recipe page 60)</td>
<td>165°F</td>
<td>5–8 hrs</td>
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*If the Ninja Cook & Crisp Layered Insert is not included with your unit, it can be purchased on ninjaaccessories.com.
**The Ninja dehydrating rack is sold separately on ninjaaccessories.com.

TIP: Most fruits and vegetables take between 6 and 8 hours (at 135°F) to dehydrate; meats take between 5 and 7 hours (at 150°F). The longer you dehydrate your ingredients, the crispier they will be.
# TenderCrisp™ Chart

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<th>PROTEIN</th>
<th>AMOUNT</th>
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<th>PRESSURE COOK</th>
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<th>CRISPING LID</th>
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<tr>
<td>Whole chicken</td>
<td>1 chicken (4–5 lbs)</td>
<td>Cook &amp; Crisp™ Basket</td>
<td>1/2 c</td>
<td>High for 22 mins</td>
<td>Natural release pressure 5 mins, Quick release and carefully remove lid</td>
<td>Air Crisp at 400°F for 8–18 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>St. Louis ribs</td>
<td>1 rack, cut in quarters</td>
<td>Cook &amp; Crisp Basket</td>
<td>1/2 c</td>
<td>High for 19 mins</td>
<td></td>
<td>Air Crisp at 400°F for 10–15 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Frozen chicken breasts</td>
<td>2 frozen breasts (6–8 oz each)</td>
<td>Reversible rack in higher position</td>
<td>1/2 c</td>
<td>High for 10 mins</td>
<td></td>
<td>Air Crisp at 400°F for 8–18 mins</td>
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<tr>
<td>Frozen New York strip steaks</td>
<td>2 frozen New York strip steaks (10 oz each)</td>
<td>Reversible rack in higher position</td>
<td>1/2 c</td>
<td>High for 2 mins</td>
<td>Quick release pressure, Carefully remove lid.</td>
<td>Broil for 13–16 mins or until desired doneness</td>
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<td>Frozen New York strip steaks</td>
<td>2 frozen New York strip steaks (12 oz each)</td>
<td>Reversible rack in higher position</td>
<td>1/2 c</td>
<td>High for 2 mins</td>
<td></td>
<td>Broil for 13–16 mins or until desired doneness</td>
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<td>Frozen New York strip steaks</td>
<td>2 frozen New York strip steaks (16 oz each)</td>
<td>Reversible rack in higher position</td>
<td>1/2 c</td>
<td>High for 3 mins</td>
<td>Pat protein dry with paper towel and brush with oil or sauce.</td>
<td>Broil for 13–16 mins or until desired doneness</td>
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<td>Frozen chicken wings</td>
<td>1 lb frozen chicken wings</td>
<td>Cook &amp; Crisp Basket</td>
<td>1/2 c</td>
<td>High for 5 mins</td>
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<td>Air Crisp at 390°F for 15–20 mins</td>
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<td>Bone-in skin-on chicken thighs</td>
<td>4 bone-in skin-on chicken thighs (6–8 oz)</td>
<td>Cook &amp; Crisp Basket</td>
<td>1/2 c</td>
<td>High for 2 mins</td>
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<td>Air Crisp at 400°F for 10 mins</td>
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<td>Frozen pork chops</td>
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<td>Air Crisp at 400°F for 10–15 mins</td>
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<td>Frozen jumbo shrimp</td>
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<td>Air Crisp at 400°F for 5 mins</td>
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