Keralan Fish Curry

South Indian fish curry





Ingredients

750g firm white fish cut into chunks

½ tsp turmeric

½ tsp salt

 $1\,tbsp\,Coconut\,oil$

1 tsp mustard seeds

20 curry leaves

5 shallots, finely sliced

4 garlic cloves, finely sliced

3cm piece of ginger, finely sliced

2 green chilli, finely sliced

1 tbsp chilli powder

½ tsp turmeric

4 tomatoes, chopped

400ml tin coconut milk

Handful coriander, chopped

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- **01** Coat the fish in salt and turmeric
- **02** Heat a tbsp of coconut oil in a shallow large based pan.
- **03** Add the mustard seeds with the curry leaves till the seeds start to pop.
- **04** Add the sliced shallots, garlic, ginger and chilli, and cook on a medium heat for 5 minutes, till softened.
- **05** Mix together the chilli powder and turmeric with a splash of water to make a paste (this stops the turmeric burning), and then stir into the pan.
- **06** Add the coconut milk and heat through. When you are ready to serve add the chopped tomatoes and stir in the fish. Cook on a gentle heat for about 5 minutes until the fish is cooked through.
- **07** Check the seasoning then sprinkled with fresh chopped coriander and some with fragrant basmati rice.

