

# **HAMBURGERS**



Preparation: 10 min - Resting: 1 hr - Cooking: 10 min - Equipment: -

## Ingredients: 6

- BREAD BUNS - 120 ml of water - 300 g of strong white flour - 10 g of fresh yeast - 25 g of sugar - 1 egg - 1 beaten egg with 15 ml of milk - 40 g of melted butter - 3 g of salt - Sesame seeds (optional) - MINCED MEAT - 400 g lean beef - ½ red onion - 1 tbsp olive oil - Salt & pepper - GARNISH - 2 tomatoes - ½ red onion - 1 ?Little Gem' lettuce - 6 cheese slices - Mayonnaise, tomato ketchup

### TO MAKE THE BREAD BUNS

- 1. Stir the yeast into the warm (35 °C) water with a fork until it dissolves. Allow to rest for 1 minute.
- 2. Put the salt, flour, sugar, butter, egg and yeast liquid in the main bowl fitted with the dough blade.
- 3. Process for 30 seconds.
- 4. Transfer the dough to a floured mixing bowl using the spatula. Cover with cling film or a damp cloth. Leave to rest for 30 minutes.
  - 5. Knock the dough down by giving it a few gentle punches. Turn out onto a floured worktop.
- 6. Divide into 6 equal pieces using a sharp knife. Shape the dough into smoothtopped buns so that they have a uniform appearance after baking.
- 7. Take a shelf out of the oven and line it with baking parchment. Arrange the buns on top, cover with a damp cloth and prove for 30 minutes.

- 8. Preheat your oven to 220 °C (gas mark 7).
- 9. Brush the buns with the egg-and-milk mixture.
- 10. Scatter with sesame seeds.
- 11. Bake in the oven for 10 minutes, or until golden.
- 12. Allow to cool before eating.

#### TO MAKE THE BURGERS AND GARNISH

- 1. Wash the lettuce. Peel and halve the onion. Slice the tomatoes, one of the onion halves and the lettuce in the midi bowl with the 2-mm slicing disc. Set aside.
- 2. Cut the remaining half-onion into pieces, transfer to the main bowl with the metal blade and pulse 5 times.
- 3. Cut the meat into large pieces. Add to the onion in the main bowl. Pulse a few times the meat should be minced, not hashed. Season. Pulse 2 more times.
- 4. Shape the hamburgers with your hands. Fry them in a frying pan with a little olive oil for about 2 minutes on each side.
  - 5. Top each hamburger with a cheese slice. Cover the frying pan until it is time to serve.
- 6. Make the mayonnaise according to the recipe on p.28, halving the amounts.
- 7. Split the buns, fill with tomato, lettuce, steak, mayonnaise and ketchup.
- 8. Eat while they are hot.

#### Chef?s tip:

you can replace the sesame seeds with poppy or sunflower seeds. For people with a healthy appetite, make four buns instead of six.for even tastier hamburgers, add a slice of bacon to each one. Serve with french fries

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