



# Slow Cooker Yellow Curry Beef

with Potatoes, Celery, Mushrooms & Peppers

Easy kitchen guide for your 2.34 lb sirloin tip roast • Crock pot + rice cooker friendly

 <b>Prep</b> 25-30 min	 <b>Cook</b> LOW 7-8 hr HIGH 4.5-5.5 hr	 <b>Yield</b> About 6-8 servings	 <b>Coconut Milk</b> Use half bottle (12.5-13 oz)
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 Helpful note: Ground Comino/Molido = cumin. In this recipe it is optional - use just 1/2 tsp if you want a little extra earthy depth.

## Ingredients at a Glance

 <b>Beef + Veg</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 2.34 lb sirloin tip roast, cut into 1 1/2- to 2-inch chunks</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 2 tbsp avocado, grapeseed, or olive oil</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 1 large or 2 medium yellow onions, sliced</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 4-6 celery stalks, sliced 1/4- to 1/2-inch thick</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 5-7 garlic cloves, chopped</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 1-2 tbsp fresh ginger, minced</li> </ul>	 <b>Add Later</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 1 package white mushrooms, halved or quartered</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 2 bell peppers, cut into chunks</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Chopped cilantro for serving</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Lemon wedge or small squeeze of juice, optional</li> </ul>
 <b>In the Crock Pot</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 4-5 russet potatoes, peeled and cut into chunks</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 1 jar Thai yellow curry simmer sauce</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 1/2 bottle lite coconut milk (12.5-13 oz / about 1 1/2 cups)</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 1/2-3/4 cup water + 1 tsp Better Than Bouillon vegetable base</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 2 tbsp tomato paste</li> </ul>	 <b>Beef Seasoning</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 1 tsp salt</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 1/2 tsp black pepper</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 1 tsp curry powder</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 1/2 tsp turmeric</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> 1/2 tsp cumin / Ground Comino-Molido (optional)</li> </ul>

 Rice cooker note: Rinse your basmati or jasmine rice first, then use your cooker's normal white-rice setting.

 **Start the rice about 35-45 minutes before you want to eat.**

## Kitchen Steps

**1 Season the beef** Toss the beef chunks with 1 tsp salt, 1/2 tsp black pepper, 1 tsp curry powder, 1/2 tsp turmeric, and optional 1/2 tsp cumin. Let it sit while you prep the rest.

**2 Brown in batches** Heat 2 tbsp oil in a large skillet over medium-high heat. Brown the beef in batches so the pan does not get crowded. You only want color on the outside - not fully cooked. Move browned beef into the crock pot.

**3 Build the flavor base** In the same pan, cook the onions and celery for 5-7 minutes. Add the garlic and ginger and cook 1 minute more. Stir in 2 tbsp tomato paste and cook 1 minute, just until it darkens a little and smells richer.

**4 Add the sauce** Pour in the yellow curry sauce, the 1/2 bottle of lite coconut milk, and the 1/2-3/4 cup water mixed with 1 tsp Better Than Bouillon. Scrape up the browned bits from the pan and pour everything into the crock pot.

**5 Slow cook** Add the potatoes to the crock pot. Cover and cook on LOW for 7-8 hours or HIGH for 4.5-5.5 hours.

**6 Add mushrooms + peppers later** Add the mushrooms and bell peppers during the last 60-90 minutes so they stay tender but do not disappear into the sauce.

**7 Finish and serve** Taste and adjust if needed. Add a pinch more salt if flat. A small squeeze of lemon can brighten it. Stir in chopped cilantro right before serving over rice.

### Finish Line Tips

- ♦ Too thin? Crack the lid on HIGH for 20-30 minutes.
- ♦ Too thick? Add a small splash of water.
- ♦ Want richer sauce? Stir a spoon of sour cream or yogurt into your own bowl.

 Leftovers: Excellent the next day.

 Fridge life: About 3-4 days.

 Best sides: Rice, warm greens, or a spoon of yogurt.

*Made from your current pantry + produce list • Happy cooking //*