Fermented Fish-Less Fish Sauce | No-Cook

Makes 1 cups | Active Time: 5 minutes | Total Time: 5 minutes



Step 1: Making the Fish-Less Fish Sauce

• 1/3 cup tamari or soy sauce

 1/2 cup vegetarian flavored oyster sauce (a.k.a. mushroom-oyster sauce)*

• 2 tsp rice wine vinegar

• 1/4 cup fermented black beans, made into a paste

• 2 tbsp Shinshu miso (yellow miso)

Blend everything together and store in a sealable jar. This sauce will keep for several weeks in the refrigerator.

Note: The vegetarian oyster sauce can be omitted, if desired — which of course will lead to a thinner sauce.

Substitute 1:1 for regular fish sauce, or to taste. Just note that this sauce is darker than a "typical" fish sauce, which will affect the color of whatever you are making.

Chef's Notes

For a thinner and slightly more fishy-fishless fish sauce, this recipe for Fish-Less Fish Sauce is also really good. Besides the ingredients used, the other difference is that this fish-less sauce is not cooked and it also keeps a bit longer.