

## **Potato Pancakes (Deruny)**

Deruny, or Ukrainian potato pancakes, are a simple and delicious comfort food. They have crispy edges and a soft, tasty center, making them perfect for breakfast, a snack, or even dinner. Made with basic ingredients like potatoes, eggs, and flour, they come together quickly and are super easy to make. Traditionally served with sour cream, Deruny are a warm and satisfying dish that brings a little taste of Ukraine to your table!

Serves: 6-8

Serving Size: 2-3 pancakes

## **Ingredients**

- 4 large Yukon potatoes (about 2 lbs)
- 1 small yellow onion (4 oz)
- 3 tablespoons all-purpose flour
- 1 large egg
- ½ teaspoon fine salt (or to taste)
- 1/4 teaspoon baking soda
- Cooking spray

## **Directions**

- 1. Peel and grate the potatoes and onion using the star-shaped side of a grater. Let them drain in a sieve over a bowl.
- 2. After a few minutes, you'll notice liquid collecting in the bowl. Carefully pour off the liquid, but leave the white potato starch that settles at the bottom—this helps bind the batter.
- 3. Transfer the grated potatoes and onion to the bowl with the starch. Mix in flour, egg, salt, and baking soda until well combined. The batter should be thick but spoonable.
- 4. Heat a nonstick skillet over medium heat with cooking spray or a small amount of oil.
- 5. Spoon heaping tablespoons of batter into the pan, spacing them about 1 inch apart. Cook for 3-4 minutes per side until golden brown.
- 6. Serve warm with a dollop of Greek yogurt for a healthier alternative to sour cream.

## **Nutrition Info per pancake:**

Calories: 83, Saturated Fat: 0.1 g, Sodium: 102.5 mg, Added Sugars: 0 g, Fiber: 2.1 g,

Protein: 2.5 g

Recipe from:

https://www.olgainthekitchen.com/deruny/