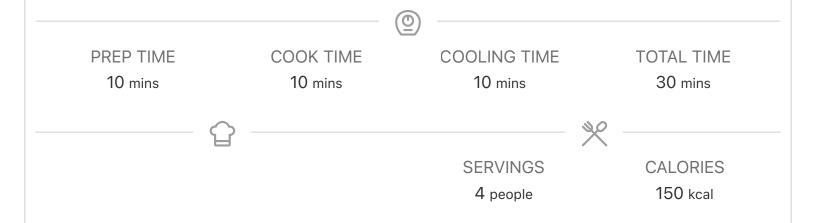
Tanghulu With a Twist



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A traditional Chinese street snack is taking new generations by storm. Growing in popularity quickly, this sweet treat has kids raving about the fruit!



INGREDIENTS

- 8-10 strawberries hulled
- 2-4 kiwi peeled and sliced into thick chunks
- 1/4 pineapple cut into bite-sized pieces
- 1 cup sugar granulated

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. **Prep the Fruit:** Wash and thoroughly dry all your fruit. Moisture should be avoided to achieve a good sugar crackle. Skewer your fruits in any combo you like!
- 2. **Make the Candy Syrup:** In a small saucepan over medium heat, add the sugar and water. Stir gently until sugar dissolves, then stop stirring. Let the mixture boil until it reaches 300°F (hard crack stage). Use a candy thermometer for best results. A meat thermometer will work too.
- 3. **Dip & Twirl:** Working quickly, dip each fruit skewer into the syrup and twist to coat. Let excess drip off, then place the skewer on parchment paper or a silicone mat to cool and harden.

4. **Cool, Crack, Enjoy:** Let the skewers cool for 10 minutes. When you bite in, you should hear that signature *crack!* This part makes tanghulu fun (and addictive).

NOTES

Additional items needed:

- Bamboo skewers
- Parchment paper or silicone mat

Serving Size: 3–4 tanghulu fruit pieces (a mix of strawberry, kiwi, and pineapple skewered and coated in the sugar shell) *This recipe yields 4–5 servings, depending on the size of the fruit and the skewer portions*.

Nutritional Facts (per serving):

Calories 140–160 kcal

Total Fat 0.3 g

Saturated Fat 0 g

Cholesterol 0 mg

Sodium 0–5 mg

Total Carbohydrates 38-40 g

– Sugars 33–35 g

Dietary Fiber2–3 g

Protein 0.6 g

Vitamin C 70–90% DV

Calcium 1–2% DV

Iron 1–2% DV

1. These values are estimates and may vary based on the exact size of fruits, amount of sugar coating, and serving size.