Kosher-style Beef Sausage - Note use all kosher ingredients for a true kosher product.

U.S.	Ingredient	Metric	Percent
5 lb.	Beef chuck, fresh	2270.0 g	88.0
3∕4 cup	Onion	115.0 g	4.5
11/4 cup	Soy protein (TVP)*	80.0 g	3.0
3 Tbs.	Kosher Salt	38.0 g	1.5
¹⁄₄ cup	Garlic	30.0 g	1.2
2½ Tbs.	Rice gel binder*	25.0 g	1.0
4 tsp.	Pepper	8.5 g	0.33
$2\frac{1}{2}$ tsp.	Mustard seed, whole	8.0 g	0.31
1 tsp.	Chili flakes, red	2.3 g	0.10
½ tsp.	Nutmeg	1.3 g	0.05
2 tsp.	Sage	1.3 g	0.05
1 tsp.	Savory, summer	1.3 g	0.05
	Casings**		
5 lb.	← Totals →	2.5 Kg	100%



This formulation is based on metric measures; U.S. measures are approximate!

Method:

Note: Use fresh (not previously frozen) beef for a more juicy sausage. Frozen beef tend to be dry and needs pork fat for better "mouth feel".

- 1. Cut the beef into 1-inch cubes; Chill it to near freezing and grind through the small (6.5mm) plate.
- 2. Add the salt to the ground beef chuck and mix it well until the meat becomes very sticky; then mix in the TVP.
- 3. Place the onion and garlic in a mini-chopper and process fine.
- 4. Reserve the rice binder; Place the remaining dry ingredients [except the mustard seed] in a spice mill and process to a fine powder.
- 5. Add the wet and powdered ingredients to the meat and blend them well.
- 6. Now add the rice binder along with 2-3 tablespoons of cold water and blend the entire mixture again.
- 7. Stuff into hog casings (use beef rounds or large sheep casings if you want no pork at all) and tie off into 5-inch links.
- 8. These sausages do not contain any preservative so use them as soon as possible. Note: freezing will alter the taste and texture!) They can be grilled, roasted or baked.

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^{*} The TVP and rice gel binder improves the texture and "mouth-feel" but can be omitted if desired.

^{**} Use large sheep casings or beef rounds for kosher sausage; for kosher-style you can use hog casings