## Chicken broth for Vietnamese pho

## **Ingredients**

- 6 litres chicken stock
- 180 ml fish sauce
- 6 slices galangal
- 12 slices fresh ginger
- 12 tablespoon chopped chives
- 2 cinnamon sticks
- 5 star anise
- 3 tablespoons castor sugar
- 2 teaspoons freshly ground black pepper

## Equipment

- large saucepan or stockpot
- fine mesh sieve

## What to do

- 1. To make the broth, heat all ingredients together in a saucepan to simmering point and then simmer over gentle heat for 10 minutes until flavours infuse.
- 2. Taste and adjust seasoning if necessary with extra fish sauce and lemon juice.
- 3. Strain broth through fine mesh sieve into a clean pot, discard solids.
- 4. Return the broth to the stove and keep warm.