

# Milk Chocolate Semifreddo with Star Anise Carrot Cake



### Ingredients

- 0.1 teaspoon double-acting baking powder
- 0.5 teaspoon baking soda
- 2 cups carrot juice fresh
- 2 cups carrots shredded with greens reserved (for garnish, optional)
- 1 pinch coarse salt
  - 2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 2 egg whites
  - 2 large eggs

- 1 cup cup heavy whipping cream
- 8 ounces chocolate chopped
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1.5 teaspoons star anise
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 0.8 cup flour whole-wheat

## Equipment

bowl
frying pan
sauce pan
ladle
oven
knife
whisk
loaf pan
baking pan
hand mixer
microwave

### Directions



Make the semifreddo

Put the chocolate in a heatproof glass bowl and melt slowly in the microwave. Alternatively, you can set the bowl over a pan of simmering water (don't let the bowl touch the water) and stir until the chocolate is completely melted and just warm. Set aside.

Using a handheld electric mixer, whip the cream in a medium bowl until it forms soft peaks; set aside.

Combine the egg whites and sugar in a heat-proof bowl and place over a pan of simmering water.

Whisk continually until the whites are just hot, about 2 minutes.

Remove from the heat and transfer to a large bowl. Beat the egg white-sugar mixture with a handheld electric mixer until stiff peaks form and the egg whites are shiny and glossy, 3 to 5 minutes.
Fold the cream into the melted chocolate, then carefully fold the meringue into the chocolate mixture.
Pour the chocolate mixture into a 9 x 13-inch pan and put in the freezer until firm, at least 3 hours or overnight until frozen.
Make the cake
Heat the oven to 350°F.
Combine the eggs, oil, sugar, salt, flour, star anise, baking powder, and baking soda in a large bowl.
Mix until just incorporated; add the carrots.
Line an 8 X 4-inch (or 4-cup) loaf pan with parchment or use a nonstick baking pan.
Pour the cake batter into the pan and bake for 45 minutes, or until the center springs back when lightly touched.
When cool enough to handle, unmold onto a baking rack (run a small knife around the edges if necessary to release the cake from the pan) and let cool.
Cut into 2-inch slices then cut each slice in half and set aside.
Make the soup
In a small saucepan, heat the carrot juice over medium heat, then add the cornstarch, and whisk until the carrot juice mixture thickens, about 2 minutes.
Remove from the heat. Chill for 1 hour or until cold. Season with sugar and salt to taste.
To serve
Ladle a small amount of carrot soup in a shallow bowl.
Place 5 to 8 carrot cake pieces on top of the carrot soup.
Place 3 to 4 small scoops of the chocolate semifreddo on top the carrot cake.
Garnish with carrot greens, if desired.
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### **Nutrition Facts**

#### **Properties**

Glycemic Index:37.44, Glycemic Load:10.88, Inflammation Score:-10, Nutrition Score:16.01434777094%

#### Flavonoids

Luteolin: 0.04mg, Luteolin: 0.04mg, Luteolin: 0.04mg, Luteolin: 0.04mg Kaempferol: 0.08mg, Kaempferol: 0.08mg, Kaempferol: 0.08mg Myricetin: 0.01mg, Myricetin: 0.01mg, Myricetin: 0.01mg, Myricetin: 0.01mg, Quercetin: 0.07mg, Quercetin: 0.07mg, Quercetin: 0.07mg, Quercetin: 0.07mg

#### Nutrients (% of daily need)

Calories: 389.15kcal (19.46%), Fat: 25.74g (39.6%), Saturated Fat: 13.49g (84.31%), Carbohydrates: 38.56g (12.85%), Net Carbohydrates: 34.27g (12.46%), Sugar: 20.93g (23.25%), Cholesterol: 80.12mg (26.71%), Sodium: 184.3mg (8.01%), Alcohol: Og (100%), Alcohol %: O% (100%), Caffeine: 18.71mg (6.24%), Protein: 6.86g (13.71%), Vitamin A: 17137.83IU (342.76%), Manganese: 0.75mg (37.37%), Selenium: 14.47µg (20.68%), Vitamin K: 18.47µg (17.59%), Fiber: 4.29g (17.14%), Vitamin B2: 0.29mg (16.86%), Phosphorus: 166.7mg (16.67%), Magnesium: 65.63mg (16.41%), Copper: 0.27mg (13.7%), Vitamin B6: 0.27mg (13.41%), Potassium: 469.12mg (13.4%), Vitamin E: 1.96mg (13.05%), Iron: 2.19mg (12.18%), Vitamin B1: 0.15mg (10.13%), Vitamin C: 7.28mg (8.82%), Zinc: 1.19mg (7.91%), Calcium: 72.33mg (7.23%), Vitamin B3: 1.35mg (6.77%), Vitamin B5: 0.6mg (5.99%), Folate: 21.7µg (5.42%), Vitamin D: 0.73µg (4.84%), Vitamin B12: 0.17µg (2.76%)