

# Olive Oil Couscous Cake with Crème Fraîche and Date Syrup







DESSERT

## Ingredients

0.5 cup date syrup

1 cup all purpose flour
2.5 teaspoons double-acting baking powder
O.5 teaspoon coarse kosher salt
0.5 cup couscous uncooked
0.3 cup crème fraîche chilled

12 dates pitted thinly sliced (such as Deglet Noor or Medjool)

	6 large egg yolks
	3 large eggs
	1 cup heavy whipping cream chilled
	0.3 cup muscat wine sweet (such as Beaumes-de-Venise or Bonny Doon)
	0.8 cup olive oil extra-virgin
	1 tablespoon orange peel finely grated
	1 cup sugar
Eq	uipment
	bowl
	frying pan
	baking paper
	oven
	whisk
	hand mixer
	cake form
	aluminum foil
	stand mixer
	spatula
Di	rections
	Preheat oven to 375°F.
	Brush 9-inch-diameter cake pan with 3-inch-high sides with olive oil. Line bottom of pan with parchment paper round; brush parchment with olive oil. Sift flour, baking powder, and salt into medium bowl. Stir in couscous.
	Whisk olive oil and Muscat in another medium bowl to blend.
	Using stand mixer fitted with whisk attachment, beat egg yolks, eggs, and 1 cup sugar on high speed in large bowl until thick and pale yellow, about 7 minutes.
	Transfer to large wide bowl. Stir in orange peel. Using rubber spatula, gently fold in flour mixture alternately with olive oil mixture in 4 additions each (mixture may deflate slightly).

	Transfer batter to prepared pan. Tap pan lightly on work surface to eliminate any air bubbles.	
	Bake cake until dark brown and beginning to pull away from sides of pan and tester inserted into center comes out clean, about 45 minutes.	
	Transfer cake to rack and cool in pan at least 30 minutes. Turn cake out onto platter (cake may fall slightly in center). Do ahead Can be made 1 day ahead. Cool. Cover with foil and store at room temperature.	
	Using electric mixer, beat cream and créme fraîche in large bowl until soft peaks form.	
	Cut cake into wedges.	
	Place 1 cake wedge on each plate.	
	Drizzle date syrup over. Spoon whipped cream alongside.	
	Sprinkle dates over.	
Nutrition Facts		
PROTEIN 7.39% FAT 40.59% CARBS 52.02%		

### **Properties**

Glycemic Index:50.76, Glycemic Load:38.34, Inflammation Score:-5, Nutrition Score:10.546956388847%

#### **Flavonoids**

Cyanidin: 0.33mg, Cyanidin: 0.33mg, Cyanidin: 0.33mg, Cyanidin: 0.33mg Apigenin: 0.02mg, Apigenin: 0.02mg, Apigenin: 0.02mg, Apigenin: 0.02mg, Luteolin: 0.02mg, Luteolin: 0.02mg, Luteolin: 0.02mg, Luteolin: 0.02mg, Luteolin: 0.02mg, Luteolin: 0.18mg, Quercetin: 0.18mg, Quercetin: 0.18mg

### Nutrients (% of daily need)

Calories: 475.8kcal (23.79%), Fat: 21.73g (33.43%), Saturated Fat: 9.98g (62.34%), Carbohydrates: 62.65g (20.88%), Net Carbohydrates: 60.03g (21.83%), Sugar: 38.73g (43.03%), Cholesterol: 245.31mg (81.77%), Sodium: 322.99mg (14.04%), Alcohol: 0.65g (100%), Alcohol %: 0.49% (100%), Protein: 8.9g (17.81%), Selenium: 20.1µg (28.72%), Vitamin B2: 0.33mg (19.12%), Phosphorus: 184.57mg (18.46%), Folate: 63.77µg (15.94%), Vitamin A: 772.33IU (15.45%), Calcium: 141.5mg (14.15%), Manganese: 0.26mg (12.87%), Vitamin B1: 0.19mg (12.58%), Vitamin B5: 1.09mg (10.91%), Iron: 1.93mg (10.74%), Fiber: 2.62g (10.48%), Vitamin D: 1.54µg (10.26%), Vitamin E: 1.43mg (9.54%), Vitamin B3: 1.6mg (8%), Vitamin B12: 0.48µg (7.97%), Vitamin B6: 0.14mg (7.12%), Potassium: 243.25mg (6.95%), Copper: 0.12mg (6.02%), Zinc: 0.89mg (5.94%), Magnesium: 22.86mg (5.71%), Vitamin K: 4.22µg (4.02%), Vitamin C: 1.34mg (1.63%)