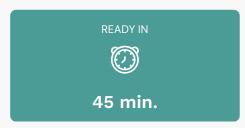


White Chocolate Tiramisu Trifle with Spiced Pears







DESSERT

Ingredients

	3 pounds anjou pear firm ripe peeled
	12 servings chocolate white
	2 cinnamon sticks
	0.3 cup candied ginger minced
	750 ml wine dry white
	4 inch ginger fresh peeled (each 1/)
П	12 cardamom pods whole green with mallet crushed

2 cups cup heavy whipping cream chilled

	9 ounce ladyfingers separated soft
	8.8 ounce mascarpone cheese
	2 cups pear nectar
	1 tablespoon powdered sugar
	1.3 cups sugar
	0.5 vanilla pod split
	0.3 cup water
	7 ounces chocolate white finely chopped (such as Lindt or Perugina)
	0.3 cup frangelico (clear pear brandy)
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Eq	uipment
	bowl
	sauce pan
	knife
	whisk
	sieve
	double boiler
	hand mixer
	microwave
	measuring cup
	slotted spoon
	pastry bag
	offset spatula
	peeler
Diı	rections
	Combine first 6 ingredients in large saucepan. Stir over medium-high heat until sugar dissolves.

Ш	Add pears and bring to boil. Reduce heat to medium, cover, and simmer until pears are just tender when pierced with knife, about 35 minutes.
	Transfer liquid with pears to large bowl and refrigerate until cold, about 3 hours.
	Using slotted spoon, transfer pears to plate. Boil poaching liquid in heavy large saucepan over medium-high heat until slightly thickened and reduced to generous 11/2 cups, about 15 minutes. Strain into 2-cup measuring cup; discard spices in strainer. Cool. Cover and chill pears and pear syrup until cold.
	Combine white chocolate, pear brandy, and 1/4 cup water in top of double boiler set over simmering water. Stir until smooth (mixture will be very liquidy). Scrape in seeds from vanilla bean; discard bean.
	Transfer white chocolate mixture to large bowl; gradually add mascarpone, whisking until mixture is smooth. Cool mascarpone mixture until barely lukewarm.
	Using electric mixer, beat 1 cup cream in medium bowl until peaks form. Fold whipped cream into mascarpone mixture in 4 additions. Cover and chill white chocolate mousse until set, about 3 hours. DO AHEAD: Pears and mousse can be made 1 day ahead. Keep chilled.
	Cut pears lengthwise in half and remove cores and stems; cut halves lengthwise into 1/4-inch-thick slices.
	Arrange ladyfingers, rounded sides down, in single layer in bottom of 12-cup trifle dish (about 8 inches in diameter and 5 inches deep), covering bottom completely (using about 15 ladyfingers).
	Drizzle 5 tablespoons pear syrup evenly over ladyfingers. Using small offset spatula, spread 1/3 of white chocolate mousse over ladyfingers, making layer slightly thicker around outer edges of dish to allow mousse to be more visible (center of mousse layer will be thin). Starting at outer edges of dish, place pear slices in single layer with curved edges against sides of dish atop mousse, covering completely. Repeat layering of ladyfingers, syrup, mousse, and pears 2 more times. Cover with fourth layer of ladyfingers (some ladyfingers and pear slices may be left over).
	Drizzle ladyfingers evenly with 5 tablespoons syrup. DO AHEAD: Can be made 1 day ahead. Cover and refrigerate trifle and remaining pear syrup separately.
	Using electric mixer, beat 2 cups whipping cream in large bowl until soft peaks form.
	Add 1/4 cup pear syrup and beat until stiff peaks form. Working in batches, transfer cream to large pastry bag fitted with large star tip. Pipe rosettes all over top of trifle, mounding slightly in center.
	Sprinkle with crystallized ginger.

Garnish with chocolate curls. DO AHEAD: Can be made 6 hours ahead. Keep refrigerated.
Sift powdered sugar over trifle justbefore serving.
* Mascarpone is an Italian cream cheese; sold at many supermarkets and at Italian markets.
** Available in the bakery or bread section of some supermarkets and at specialty foods stores.
To make chocolate curls, place one 3 1/2-ounce bar of high-quality white chocolate (such as Lindt or Perugina) on a plate and microwave on high at 5-second intervals just until slightly softened, but not hot or beginning to melt. Using vegetable peeler and starting at one long edge of the chocolate bar, shave white chocolate into curls. If the shaved chocolate breaks into small shards, it's not soft enough, so place in microwave again for a few seconds. If the chocolate becomes too soft, let it stand at room temperature or chill briefly until it firms up a bit.

Nutrition Facts

PROTEIN 4.32% FAT 46.26% CARBS 49.42%

Properties

Glycemic Index:23.9, Glycemic Load:27.18, Inflammation Score:-7, Nutrition Score:9.9743476328642%

Flavonoids

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Nutrients (% of daily need)

Calories: 644.37kcal (32.22%), Fat: 31.66g (48.71%), Saturated Fat: 19.13g (119.57%), Carbohydrates: 76.11g (25.37%), Net Carbohydrates: 71.18g (25.88%), Sugar: 53.21g (59.12%), Cholesterol: 116.29mg (38.76%), Sodium: 76.79mg (3.34%), Alcohol: 6.53g (100%), Alcohol %: 2.35% (100%), Protein: 6.64g (13.29%), Manganese: 0.86mg (43.1%), Vitamin A: 1028.12IU (20.56%), Fiber: 4.93g (19.72%), Vitamin B2: 0.27mg (15.78%), Calcium: 132.41mg (13.24%),

Phosphorus: 121.65mg (12.17%), Potassium: 328.85mg (9.4%), Iron: 1.68mg (9.33%), Copper: 0.18mg (8.79%), Vitamin K: 9.04μg (8.61%), Vitamin C: 6.22mg (7.54%), Magnesium: 28.94mg (7.24%), Folate: 28.47μg (7.12%), Vitamin B1: 0.1mg (6.78%), Vitamin B6: 0.13mg (6.47%), Zinc: 0.86mg (5.71%), Vitamin B5: 0.55mg (5.45%), Vitamin B12: 0.32μg (5.35%), Vitamin B3: 0.96mg (4.78%), Vitamin E: 0.71mg (4.73%), Vitamin D: 0.63μg (4.23%), Selenium: 2.32μg (3.31%)