



Simple chocolate cake

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20 minutes

Preparation Time

45 minutes

Cooking Time

8-10 serves

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INGREDIENTS

305 g unsalted French butter2 cups hazelnut meal250 g dark coverture chocolate6 large organic eggs1 cup caster sugar

METHOD

- 1. Pre-heat Oven on Conventional at 160°C.
- 2. Using 50 g of the butter, grease a 26 cm cake tin, and line the edges and bottom with baking paper.
- 3. Break the chocolate pieces and melt with the butter in a medium sized saucepan on low heat, Induction setting 2, stirring occasionally until melted. Cool, and then fold into the hazelnuts.
- 4. Separate the eggs. In a stand mixer, whisk the yolks and sugar until pale and doubled in size.
- 5. Fold in the chocolate.
- 6. Whisk the egg whites until stiff, and then carefully fold into the chocolate mixture. Pour into the greased and lined cake tin.
- 7. Place on shelf position 2 and bake for 45 minutes, or until a skewer comes out clean. Cool in the tin.