



Coconut Sugar Cake



Serving
12



Prep
15 Minutes



Cook
30 Minutes



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2 cups Grated coconut
3/4 cup Sugar
1 tsp Vanilla extract (optional)
Few drops Food colouring (optional)

DIETITIAN'S MESSAGE

Can anything say Caribbean more than coconut? Also, despite its name, this sweet treat is a candy, not cake. Enjoy it moderation!

1. Grease baking tray or line tray with parchment paper.
2. Heat an iron pot on medium and place ingredients. Add 1 cup of water. Bring to a boil.
3. Stir until ingredients thicken. The mixture should begin to pull away from the sides of the pot after about 12–15 minutes. As the sugar starts to crystallize, it should appear white in colour and grainy in texture at sides of pot and on spoon.
4. Add small amount of food colouring if desired and mix well.
5. Quickly turn heat off and start scooping out mixture of desired size onto tray.
6. Let cool and harden completely before serving.

Variation

Traditionally, around 1.5 cups of sugar are used in this recipe.



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