

Molten Chocolate Mini Cakes

Sunflower oil to spray
175g good chocolate (70% plus cocoa)
115g butter (don't be tempted to use marg instead, it won't work)
3 whole eggs
3 egg yolks
175g icing sugar – sifted
90g plain flour
Icing sugar to dust and cream/ice cream to serve

- 1 Preheat oven to 200 degrees (a little less if your oven fan assisted or generally very hot)
- 2 Spray silicone floral cupcake pan with kitchen spritzer using sunflower oil
- 3 Coarsely chop chocolate using chopper or chef's knife, combine with butter in classic batter bowl. Microwave until smooth and melted, checking every 20 secs. Leave to cool for 5 mins
- 4 Whisk eggs and yolks together and then add into chocolate mixture. Add icing sugar and flour and mix to incorporate
- 5 Divide mixture between flowers in cupcake pan. Bake for 12-14 minutes until outsides set and middles runny/sqidgy). Do not overcook they will come out solid if you give them even an extra minute
- Remove from pan immediately by inverting over a large round platter and pressing tops to loosen cakes. Sprinkle with icing sugar and serve ASAP as they will continue cooking and become firmer the slower you are.