

# Bombay Halwa Recipe / Karachi Halwa Recipe



This post is very special and I'm really excited to write my 500th post. Thanks for the comments, support and appreciation as I continue travelling in my culinary journey. Thank you everyone ☺☺ To celebrate I made this delicious bombay halwa recipe / karachi halwa recipe is a popular Indian dessert, it is made with corn flour hence it is called corn flour halwa. I wanted to try this bombay halwa recipe for long time somehow missed it. You need only few ingredients to prepare this delicious halwa recipe. Last week, I made this bombay karachi halwa, it was yummy in taste. This halwa is easy to make but

you need little patience to make it perfect. I love the glossy texture of halwa, when you bite it, the ghee just burst into your mouth and the nuts gives a nice crunchy taste. You can use any colours to make this karachi halwa, I used kesari orange colour. Now lets move on to the recipe, do try sometime and am sure you will love this halwa.

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Karachi Halwa

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Prep time

15 mins

Cook time

35 mins

Total time

50 mins

Bombay Halwa Recipe / Karachi Halwa Recipe is a delicious and popular Indian dessert. Make this easy halwa and surprise your guest and family.

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Recipe type: sweets

Cuisine: Indian

Serves: 4

Ingredients

- 1 and  $\frac{1}{2}$  cups of sugar
- 1 cup of water
- $\frac{1}{2}$  cup of corn flour
- 1 and  $\frac{1}{2}$  cups of water
- Pinch of orange colour or red colour

- 7-8Tbsp of ghee
- 20 cashews
- 10 almonds
- 2 cardamom, crushed
- 1 tsp of lemon juice

## Instructions

1. In a bowl, add corn flour, 1 and  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup of water and orange colour. Mix well, make sure there are no lumps in it and keep it aside.
2. Heat a pan, add 1 cup of water and sugar, boil it until all the sugar melts completely. You don't want to look for syrup consistency. Add lemon juice and mix well, keep it aside.
3. Heat another pan, add corn flour mixture, stir it in a medium flame. When it starts to turn thick, turn it off.
4. Add sugar syrup slowly, only 2 tbsp at a time and mix well. Add another 2 tbsp syrup and mix well. After you mix all the sugar syrup to the corn flour mixture, turn it on.
5. In a medium flame, starting adding ghee slowly to halwa and stir it. Add rest of the ghee as well and stir until all ghee are fully absorbed. Stir it continuously for 15-20 mins until it leaves the sides of the pan.
6. Now you can observe the whole halwa starts to move from one side to the other side of the pan while stirring. In this stage, add all the nuts and cardamom and stir well for another 2-3mins. Now your halwa looks glossy and transparent.
7. To check the consistency, take a tsp of halwa and place it in a clean plate, use your hand (caution it will be super hot) and start rolling it, it will come out like ball. Now turn off the stove. Transfer the halwa to a ghee greased plate or bowl. I used stainless steel tiffin box. Keep it in a room temperature or fridge for half an hour. Using knife, cut into any size or shape as per your wish

8. Yummy karachi halwa is ready to serve.

#### Notes

Always store it in an airtight container.

If your halwa is not cooked good, your halwa would be in rubbery in texture..

If your halwa is overcooked, it will be hard in texture.

Add ghee generously so that your halwa tastes good.

Adding lemon juice to syrup to avoid crystallization.



# Carrot Halwa / Gajar Ka Halwa – Microwave Method / Easy Diwali Sweets

“200th Recipe “



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Hi Friends,

I'm really excited to write my 200th post. Its been 10 months

since I started my blog. I'm very happy that I shared and posted almost 200 recipes. Thanks for the comments, support and appreciation as I continue traveling in my culinary journey. Thank you everyone ☺ ☺

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Carrot Halwa / Gajar Ka Halwa is a traditional Punjabi dessert made with carrot, milk, ghee and sugar. This rich and colorful dessert is getting popular worldwide, also you can see this in Indian restaurant menu card. This is very quick to make dessert using microwave. You can also make this in stove top or pressure cooker. Addition of ghee and nuts makes the dessert more rich and delicious. The cardamom gives good aroma and a flavor to the dish. You can make this halwa for any special occasion. Serve this halwa with ice cream on top. Try this recipe and enjoy ☺ ☺



## Ingredients

- 2 Carrots, Large (1 and 1/4 Cup)
- 1 Cup of 2% Milk
- 6 Tbsp of White Sugar
- 2 -3 Tbsp of Ghee (Clarified Butter)
- 2 Cardamom Pods
- Handful of Roasted Cashew Nuts

## Method

- Wash, peel and grate the carrots, I got 1 Cup of Grated carrots. Crush the cardamom seeds in a mortar and pestle to a fine powder. Keep this aside.
- In a microwave safe bowl, add ghee (1 Tbsp ) and grated carrots. Microwave this for 5 mins.

- Add milk and stir well. Microwave this for another 5 mins, stirring for every 2 mins.
- Add cardamom, ghee(1Tbsp) and sugar, stir well. Microwave this for 12 mins until carrots turns soft and milk fully absorbed, stir it for every 5 mins. Carrot halwa is ready.
- Garnish it with roasted cashews or any nuts of your choice. Serve it warm or cold.



### Tips

- You can use condensed milk instead of adding 2% fat milk.
- Add any nuts of choice for garnish.
- If you have unroasted cashews, roast it in ghee before you serve.
- You can also serve this halwa with ice cream on top.
- It will lasts for 2-3 days so refrigerate it in an air

tight box.

- Adjust the amount of sugar according to your taste.
- When you add sugar, the mixture turns watery so microwave till all the milk is absorbed.



### **Health Benefits of Carrot**

- Good for the eyes.
  - Prevents cancer.
  - Vitamin A and antioxidant in carrot protect the skin from sun damage.
  - Prevents heart disease and stroke.
  - It has anti-aging property.
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