### **Elite by Fondx VS. Fondx**

- Q What is the difference between **Elite by Fondx** and **Fondx**?
- A **Elite by Fondx** is a premium fondant made with white chocolate for increased pliability. **Fondx** is a more traditional ready to roll fondant, with the exceptional working characteristics and the consistency which you expect with in afondant.
- Q Are **Elite by Fondx** and **Fondx** flavored?
- A **Elite by Fondx** is flavored with a hint of raspberry, while **Fondx** has a marshmallow or Oreo® 'like' flavor.
- Q Why is **Elite by Fondx** more expensive? Is it worth the few extra dollars?
- A As **Elite by Fondx** is made with white chocolate, it is more expensive to produce. The result is a fondant that can stretch like no other commercially available fondant. Perfect for making bows, ribbons & other decorative pieces. **Why not try both and decide for yourself?**

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

#### Where is FondX made?

FondX is made in Indianapolis, Indiana, U.S.A.

#### What are the difference between FondX and other Brands?

Fondx is a more forgiving rolled fondant. It is easier to knead, roll out and has no cracking when applied on the cake.

#### **How many months will FondX last?**

FondX will last 12 months or longer in an un-opened pail.

### **How should FondX be stored?**

FondX should be stored in room temperature with the bag sealed and lid tight.

## Can I refrigerate un-used FondX?

Yes, you can refrigerate your un-used FondX, but this is not required.

## Can I refrigerate cake covered FondX?

Yes, you can refrigerate cake covered FondX. However, it is best to box the cake to avoid condensation build up from an opening/closing door situation.

#### Is FondX Kosher?

FondX is a Kosher dairy product.

## **Does FondX contain Nuts or Gluten?**

FondX does not contain either ingredient.

## What is FondX made of?

FondX is made of powdered sugar, corn syrup, assorted gums, shortening, vanilla flavor, glycerin, citric acid and preservative.

## Can FondX be colored?

Yes, FondX will absorb color very nicely. Use an oil base colour or gel colour. DO NOT knead airbrush colour into fondant. FondX also comes pre-coloured.

#### How much FondX do I need to cover a cake?

This will depend on the thickness of FondX that you would like to wrap the cake with. We recommended 3/16 of an inch to be the best thickness. Here are some suggestions:

# Table for 3/16" thick of FondX:

4" Round Cake - 1.50 lbs 6" Round Cake - 2.25 lbs 9" Round Cake - 3.00 lbs 12" Round Cake - 5.00 lbs 14" Round Cake - 7.00 lbs 16" Round Cake - 8.50 lbs 18" Round Cake - 11.00 lbs 1/4 Sheet Cake - 3.50 lbs 1/2 Sheet Cake - 8.00 lbs Full Sheet Cake - 15.00 lbs

## Why does rolled fondant often crack and tear?

There are several different reasons why it cracks, here are some ideas;

- Not enough kneading time; meaning the rolled fondant is still in stiff status. Give it more kneading time, but do not knead too much all at one time.
- You are working in a drier environment, thus the fondant is drying out prior to covering. Try kneading in some shortening or rolling out on a shortening coated silicone or vinyl mat.
- The fondant was exposed to air for too long a period of time when rolling, and has dried out in the process.
- The fondant was rolled out too thick.

For more information about FondX and Rolled Fondant in general, feel free to contact Flour Confections at (905) 492-2692 or <a href="mailto:info@flourconfections.ca">info@flourconfections.ca</a>.