

Spiced Hot Cocoa Mix

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For a wonderful winter welcome, whisk about 1/4 cup of the hot cocoa mix below with an equal amount of hot milk in the bottom of a mug. Mix to blend completely, then top off the mug with more hot milk, and finish with your favorite puffy cocoa complement.

TIME: 10 minutes

MAKES: About 10 mugs spiced hot cocoa

1 (10-ounce) container unsweetened cocoa powder, such as Ghirardelli

1 1/2 cups sugar

1 1/2 teaspoons ground cinnamon

1/2 teaspoon ground ginger

1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg

1/4 teaspoon ground cardamom

In a large mixing bowl, whisk all the ingredients together until well blended. Store in an airtight container until ready to use.