

SOUTHERN-STYLE CHOCOLATE GRAVY

- 1/4 cup cocoa
- 3 tablespoons all-purpose flour
- 3/4 cup white sugar
- 2 cups milk
- 1 tablespoon butter, softened
- 2 teaspoons vanilla

1. Whisk the cocoa, flour, and sugar together in a bowl until there are no lumps.
2. Pour the milk into the mixture and whisk until well incorporated.
3. Transfer the mixture to a saucepan and cook over medium heat, stirring frequently, until its consistency is similar to gravy, 7 to 10 minutes.
4. Remove from heat and stir the butter and vanilla into the mixture until the butter is melted. Serve immediately.