



MIK'S MIXING METHOD FOR LIGHTER SHADES

ICING COLOR FORMULAS + RATIOS (CHEFMASTER)

COLOR	FORMULA	RATIO	CONSISTENCY NEEDED
DARK GREEN	SKY BLUE + LEMON YELLOW (ADD FOREST GREEN AFTER TO DARKEN)	1:1 + 2	HYBRID
LIGHT GREEN	USE MIK'S MIXING METHOD TO CREATE A LIGHTER SHADE WITH THE DARK GREEN ICING		HYBRID
LIME GREEN	SKY BLUE + LEMON YELLOW	1:2	HYBRID
YELLOW	LEMON YELLOW	1	HYBRID
CORAL RED	GEORGIA PEACH	2	HYBRID
WARM WHITE (VERY FAINT PINK)	USE MIK'S MIXING METHOD TO CREATE A LIGHTER SHADE WITH THE CORAL RED ICING		HYBRID
*BLACK	BLACK DIAMOND	2	HYBRID

When mixing colors, you can make lighter shades without using more food coloring.

How to make the pairing light tone to each color:



1. Leave a small amount of the colored icing in the mixing bowl.
2. Then add fresh white icing to the bowl
3. Mix, incorporating the remaining icing into the white icing

- The lightness of the next color will depend on how much colored icing remains in the bowl when you add white icing – if it's just scraps, the tones will be very light.
- I create my lighter tones by adding white icing to a true color because it creates a harmonious color shade and reduces the amount of coloring used.