

Milk teeth sweets

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Milk teeth are gum sweets shaped like teeth, with a strawberry and vanilla flavour. They are made by Barratt, and the joke is in the name: milk teeth are the baby teeth children lose, not teeth made of milk.

What is in them

Barratt Milk Teeth, as listed by Sweets and Candy. Sugar, glucose syrup, water, maize starch, beef gelatine, lactic acid, flavourings, and carmine and anthocyanins as colours. Open Food Facts records for Barratt's milk teeth packs list the same ingredients, and one photographed pack describes them as strawberry and vanilla flavour teeth shaped gums.

No milk inside

Despite the name, the recipe lists no milk, cream or milk powder. The vanilla taste comes from flavourings. That makes milk teeth different from milk bottles, some recipes for which do contain milk: see [milk bottle sweets](#) and [milk in sweets](#)

How they are shaped

Gum sweets like milk teeth are shaped by pouring the hot mixture into tooth shaped hollows pressed into trays of starch. The sweets are left in drying rooms to set, then tipped out and cleaned: see [how are gummy sweets shaped?](#)

Diet points

- **Gelatine.** Milk teeth are set with beef gelatine, so they are not suitable for vegetarians or vegans, and beef gelatine is only halal if the cattle were slaughtered according to Islamic law: see [gelatine in sweets explained](#)
- **Carmine.** The colour comes from carmine, a red made from insects, and from anthocyanins, plant pigments: see [what is carmine?](#)
- **Other allergens.** Sweets and Candy says its sweets are packed where wheat, gluten, soya, milk, peanuts and nuts are handled: see [pick and mix and allergies](#)

Teeth cousins

For jelly teeth, see [jelly teeth](#)

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