

marzipan['mɑːzɪpæn] = *marchpane*

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marzipan**mar·zi·pan** [ˈmɑːzɪpæn ˈmɑːzɪpænz ˈmɑːzɪpænd ˈmɑːzɪpænɪŋ] *BrE*[ˈmɑːzɪpæn] *BrE* [ˈmɑːzɪpæn] *NAmE* [ˈmɑːrtsəpæɪ] *NAmE* [ˈmɑːrzəpæɪ] *noun uncountable*

a sweet firm substance, sometimes with yellow colour added, made from ↑**almonds**, sugar and eggs and used to make sweets/candy and to cover cakes

Word Origin:

late 15th cent. (as marchpane): from Italian **marzapane**, perhaps from Arabic. The form marchpane (influenced by ↑**March** and obsolete pain 'bread') was more usual until the late 19th cent., when marzipan (influenced by German **Marzipan**) displaced it.

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mar·zi·pan /ˈmɑːzɪpæn, ˈmɑːzɪpæɪ, ˈmɑːrtse-, ˈmɑːrze-/ *BrE* *AmE* *noun* [uncountable][**Date:** 1400-1500; **Language:** German; **Origin:** Italian marzapane '*medieval coin, marzipan*', from Arabic mawthaban '*medieval coin*']

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