Bearnaise Mayonnaise

for grilled meats, chicken and seafood

I fove béarnaise sauce but not always the hassle of making it. This béarnaise mayonnaise is a key to easily elevating my weekday meals by adding a dab of butter to a variety of meats, fish and vegetables.



1/4 cup	white-wine vinegar
1 small	shallot, peeled and minced
1⁄2 teaspoon	freshly cracked black pepper
2 tablespoon	chopped fresh tarragon leaves
3/4 cup	mayonnaise
1/4 cup	sour cream

4 tablespoons chopped fresh tarragon1 tablespoons dry vermouth1 tablespoons lemon juicePinch of kosher salt

Pinch of black pepper

- Put the vinegar, shallots, black pepper and 1 tablespoon of tarragon leaves into a small saucepan, and set over a medium flame. Bring just to a boil, and then reduce heat to a simmer until there are only a few tablespoons of liquid left, approximately 5 minutes. Remove from heat, and set aside to cool (the cooling process can be expedited if you place the bowl over ice or spread the mixture out on a cool baking sheet).
- 2. In a mixing bowl add the cooled reduction mixture, mayonnaise, sour cream, tarragon, vermouth, lemon juice, salt and pepper. Whisk until well combined, about 30 seconds.
- 3. Place the mayonnaise in an airtight container. The sauce will last up to a week in the refrigerator.