## Buttercream Filling (Makes about $1 / 2 \mathrm{cup}$ )

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- $1 / 4$ cup Vegetable shortening
- $1 / 4$ cup ( $1 / 2$ stick) room temperature butter
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 2-3 cups powder sugar
- 2 Tablespoons heavy cream OR milk

Cream together butter, shortening and vanilla extract. Add in powdered sugar one cup at a time, check consistency after two cups, if not at desired thickness add a little more powdered sugar. Add in 1-2 Tablespoon of cream/milk and cream together, beat for 4-5 minutes for super smooth and fluffy buttercream.

