truffle Apresyan (En-Ru)

['tr Λ f(ə)l] n

1. бот. трюфельнастоящий (Tuber brumale)

truffle bed - грядка трюфелей

truffle dog /hound/ - собака, натасканная на отыскивание трюфелей

2. трюфель(шоколадная конфета)

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Oxford Advanced Learners Dictionary 8th Ed.

truf-fle [truffle truffles] BrE ['trʌfl] NAmE ['trʌfl] nou

- 1. an expensive type of fungus that grows underground, used in cooking
- 2. a soft round sweet/candy made of chocolate

Word Origin:

late 16th cent.: probably via Dutch from obsolete French truffle, perhaps based on Latin tubera, plural of tuber 'hump, swelling'.

Sense 2 dates from the 1920s.

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Longman DOCE 5th Ed. (En-En)

truffle /'trʌfəl/ BrE * AmE * noun [countable]

[Date: 1500-1600; Language: French; Origin: trufe, from Old Provençal trufa, from Vulgar Latin tufera, from Latin tuber; ⇒ †tuber]

- 1. a black or light brown †fungus that grows underground, and is a very expensive food
- 2. a soft creamy sweet made with chocolate:
 - a rum truffle

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