

Oatmeal Raisin Cookies

A true American classic!

 Level: Medium

3-4 dozen cookies

Kids' Tool Kit

Mixer
Large mixing bowl
Measuring cup
Measuring spoons
Small dish
Baking sheet
Spatula
Rubber spatula
Spoons



Ingredients:

1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup white sugar
1 egg, beaten
1 tablespoon water
3/4 cup flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg



Directions:

Remember to wash your hands!

1. Preheat oven to 375 degrees.
2. Cream together shortening and sugars.
3. Stir in egg and water.
4. Add dry ingredients and raisins. Mix well.
5. Drop by teaspoonsful onto ungreased baking sheet.
6. Bake for 9 to 10 minutes.

Chef's Choice

Oatmeal Raisin Cookie
Apple slices
Milk

Nutrition Facts

Serving Size 1 cookie (24g)
Servings Per Container 36-48 cookies

Amount Per Serving		Calories from Fat 30
		% Daily Value*
Total Fat	3.5g	5%
Saturated Fat	1g	4%
Cholesterol	5mg	2%
Sodium	55mg	2%
Total Carbohydrate	16g	5%
Dietary Fiber	less than 1 gram	4%
Sugars	9g	
Protein	2g	
Vitamin A	0%	Vitamin C 0%
Calcium	2%	Iron 4%

*Percent Daily Values are based on a 2,000 calorie diet. Your daily values may be higher or lower depending on your calorie needs:

	Calories: 2,000	2,500
Total Fat	Less than 65g	80g
Saturated Fat	Less than 20g	25g
Cholesterol	Less than 300mg	300mg
Sodium	Less than 2,400mg	2,400mg
Total Carbohydrate	300g	375g
Dietary Fiber	25g	30g

Calories per gram:
Fat 9 • Carbohydrate 4 • Protein 4



Helpful Hints: For a tender cookie, combine the shortening or margarine together with the sugars until creamy. Dry ingredients are measured and mixed together in a separate bowl, then added to the wet ingredients. Mix only until ingredients are moistened. Don't overmix. Most cookies are made this way.



Safety Tip: Remember, the raw egg in this cookie dough makes it unsafe to eat until it is baked. The hot baking temperature kills any bacteria in the egg, and the finished cookies are safe and delicious.

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