

## **Peppermint Divinity Bars**



## Ingredients

| 1 tablespoon double-acting baking powder        |
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| 1.3 cups butter softened                        |
| O.3 cup plus light                              |
| 2 large egg whites                              |
| 3 cups flour all-purpose                        |
| 1 teaspoon kosher salt                          |
| 0.8 cup peppermint candies hard divided crushed |
| O.3 teaspoon peppermint extract                 |
| 2 cups sugar divided                            |

|    | 1 vanilla pod  |
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| Εq | uipment  |
|    | bowl   |
|    | frying pan   |
|    | sauce pan  |
|    | baking paper   |
|    | oven   |
|    | whisk  |
|    | blender  |
|    | stand mixer  |
|    | offset spatula   |
|    | butter knife   |
|    | candy thermometer  |
| Di | rections   |
|    | Preheat oven to 37   |
|    | Stir together first 3 ingredients.   |
|    | Split vanilla bean; scrape seeds into bowl of a heavy-duty electric stand mixer.   |
|    | Add butter and 1 cup sugar; beat at medium speed 2 minutes or until creamy.  |
|    | Add flour mixture; beat until blended.   |
|    | Line bottom and sides of a 13- x 9-inch pan with parchment paper, allowing 2 to 3 inches to extend over sides; lightly grease parchment paper. Press dough into bottom of prepared pan.  |
|    | Bake at 375 for 20 minutes or until edges are golden brown.  |
|    | Meanwhile, stir together corn syrup, 1/4 cup water, and remaining 1 cup sugar in a small saucepan over high heat, stirring just until sugar dissolves. Cook, without stirring, until a candy thermometer registers 250 (7 to 8 minutes). |
|    | While syrup cooks, beat egg whites at medium speed, using whisk attachment, until foamy.   |

| Nutrition Facts   |
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| Lift mixture from pan, using parchment paper sides as handles; cut into 32 bars.  |
| Sprinkle with remaining 1/4 cup crushed peppermints, and cool.  |
| Working quickly, spread mixture on warm cookie base, using a butter knife or offset spatula.  |
| Add vanilla and peppermint extracts, and beat at medium speed just until combined. Fold in 1/2 cup peppermint candies.  |
| Mixture should still be warm.)  |
| When syrup reaches 250, beat egg whites at medium-high speed until soft peaks form. While mixer is running, gradually add hot syrup to egg whites. Increase speed to high; beat until stiff peaks form. ( |

PROTEIN 3.32% FAT 36.48% CARBS 60.2%

## **Properties**

Glycemic Index:7.52, Glycemic Load:11.73, Inflammation Score:-1, Nutrition Score:1.3986956360547%

## Nutrients (% of daily need)

Calories: 115.28kcal (5.76%), Fat: 4.72g (7.26%), Saturated Fat: 2.93g (18.3%), Carbohydrates: 17.53g (5.84%), Net Carbohydrates: 17.33g (6.3%), Sugar: 11.06g (12.29%), Cholesterol: 12.2mg (4.07%), Sodium: 111.93mg (4.87%), Alcohol: 0.03g (100%), Alcohol %: 0.16% (100%), Protein: 0.97g (1.93%), Selenium: 2.92µg (4.18%), Vitamin B1: 0.06mg (4.02%), Folate: 13.95µg (3.49%), Vitamin A: 141.82IU (2.84%), Vitamin B2: 0.05mg (2.73%), Manganese: 0.05mg (2.6%), Vitamin B3: 0.45mg (2.23%), Iron: 0.38mg (2.12%), Calcium: 17.02mg (1.7%), Phosphorus: 14.92mg (1.49%)