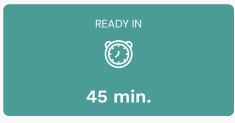


Shortbread

Vegetarian







DESSERT

Ingredients

- 0.5 cup butter softened (1 stick)
- 0.3 cup cornstarch
- 0.8 cup flour
- 1 pinch salt
- 0.3 cup sugar
- 6 servings sugar green
- 0.5 teaspoon vanilla

Equipment

	bowl
	frying pan
	oven
	knife
	hand mixer
	cake form
Directions	
	Preheat the oven to 325°F and lightly grease an 8-inch round cake tin.
	Put the butter in a medium bowl and use a hand mixer to beat until smooth.
	Add the remaining ingredients and mix to combine. Press into the bottom of the prepared pan, smoothing the surface with your fingertips, and chill for 10 minutes in the refrigerator.
	Sprinkle generously with the green sugar and bake for 15 minutes, until just turning golden brown. While still warm, cut into 16 wedges with the tip of a paring knife.
	Let cool completely before removing from pan.
	Raising the Lid on Self-Rising Flour
	The Irish often use self-rising flour for baking, although it's much less common in the US. If you're following a recipe from an Irish book or site that calls for self-rising flour, many American substitution charts will tell you to substitute 1 cup all-purpose flour plus 1 teaspoon baking powder. Do not do this! It's far too much baking powder and you'll end up with a cake or biscuits that taste like salty aluminum. A far better proportion is 1 teaspoon baking powder for every 2 cups of all-purpose flour.
	From Real Irish Food by David Bowers, (C) © 2012 Skyhorse Publishing
Nutrition Facts	
	PROTEIN 2.42% FAT 47.38% CARBS 50.2%

Properties

Glycemic Index:44.2, Glycemic Load:22.83, Inflammation Score:-3, Nutrition Score:2.9391304228617%

Nutrients (% of daily need)

Calories: 292.07kcal (14.6%), Fat: 15.56g (23.94%), Saturated Fat: 9.75g (60.92%), Carbohydrates: 37.1g (12.37%), Net Carbohydrates: 36.63g (13.32%), Sugar: 20.39g (22.65%), Cholesterol: 40.67mg (13.56%), Sodium: 129.12mg (5.61%), Alcohol: 0.11g (100%), Alcohol %: 0.24% (100%), Protein: 1.79g (3.58%), Vitamin A: 472.73IU (9.45%), Vitamin B1: 0.12mg (8.24%), Selenium: 5.76µg (8.22%), Folate: 29.16µg (7.29%), Manganese: 0.11mg (5.55%), Vitamin B2: 0.09mg (5.16%), Vitamin B3: 0.93mg (4.66%), Iron: 0.76mg (4.25%), Vitamin E: 0.45mg (2.99%), Phosphorus: 22.13mg (2.21%), Fiber: 0.47g (1.88%), Copper: 0.03mg (1.34%), Vitamin K: 1.37µg (1.31%)