

## Spirited Cooking: Orangecello Chocolate Cheesecake Squares

Vegetarian

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servings

12

DESSERT

## Ingredients

1 tablespoons plus light
16 ounces cream cheese softened
4.5 ounces chocolate dark chopped
4 large eggs
1 cup granulated sugar

720 min.

1 teaspoon orange zest freshly grated

12 ounces ricotta cheese room temperature

	6 tablespoons butter unsalted cut into pieces
	1.3 cup graham crackers crushed
Εq	uipment
	bowl
	frying pan
	oven
	knife
	wire rack
	double boiler
	hand mixer
	roasting pan
	aluminum foil
Di	rections
	Heat oven to 350°. Line 8"x8" pan with foil and coat with cooking spray or butter.
	Combine chocolate crumbs, orange zest, and butter in a small bowl until mixture comes together easily when pressed in your palm. Press into the bottom of prepared pan.
	Bake crust for 15 minutes.
	Let cool.
	Beat ricotta in electric mixer until smooth.
	Add cream cheese and sugar; beat until fluffy.
	Add orangecello and zest; add eggs one at a time, beating well between each addition. Scrape down bowl as needed.
	Pour filling into crust and place pan in larger dish or roasting pan for a water bath.
	Pour hot water in the larger pan halfway up the side of the cheesecake pan.
	Bake for 1 hour or until cheesecake jiggles only slightly when shaken.
	Cool on wire cooling rack for 1 hour. Refrigerate until cheesecake is cold, at least 8 hours or overnight.

Heat all glaze ingredients in double boiler over gently simmering water. Stir until melted and combined.
Pour over chilled cheesecake, tilting pan to coat. Refrigerate uncovered for 30 minutes.
Cut cheesecake into squares, cleaning knife between each slice for neat edges.
Nutrition Facts
PROTEIN 8 42% FAT 60 81% CARRS 30 77%

## **Properties**

Glycemic Index:20.01, Glycemic Load:18.94, Inflammation Score:-5, Nutrition Score:7.9643479028474%

## **Nutrients** (% of daily need)

Calories: 431.14kcal (21.56%), Fat: 29.53g (45.44%), Saturated Fat: 16.86g (105.4%), Carbohydrates: 33.62g (11.21%), Net Carbohydrates: 32.11g (11.67%), Sugar: 24.46g (27.17%), Cholesterol: 130mg (43.33%), Sodium: 236.27mg (10.27%), Alcohol: Og (100%), Alcohol %: O% (100%), Caffeine: 8.5mg (2.83%), Protein: 9.21g (18.41%), Selenium: 13.39µg (19.12%), Vitamin A: 903.58IU (18.07%), Phosphorus: 172.9mg (17.29%), Vitamin B2: 0.26mg (15.08%), Calcium: 122.7mg (12.27%), Iron: 2.13mg (11.83%), Manganese: 0.22mg (10.93%), Copper: 0.22mg (10.9%), Magnesium: 38.85mg (9.71%), Zinc: 1.3mg (8.63%), Vitamin B12: 0.37µg (6.16%), Fiber: 1.52g (6.07%), Vitamin B5: 0.58mg (5.84%), Potassium: 198.76mg (5.68%), Vitamin E: 0.76mg (5.05%), Folate: 19.5µg (4.87%), Vitamin B6: 0.08mg (3.81%), Vitamin D: 0.5µg (3.3%), Vitamin B1: 0.05mg (3.14%), Vitamin B3: 0.57mg (2.85%), Vitamin K: 2.42µg (2.31%)