DOUBLETREE

CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES





INGREDIENTS

Servings: 26 cookies

- ½ pound butter, softened (2 sticks)
- ¾ cup + 1 tablespoon granulated sugar
- ¾ cup packed light brown sugar
- 2 large eggs
- 1¼ teaspoons vanilla extract
- ¼ teaspoon freshly squeezed lemon juice

- 2 1/4 cups flour
- ½ cup rolled oats
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1 teaspoon salt
- Pinch cinnamon
- 2 3/3 cups Nestle Tollhouse semi-sweet chocolate chips
- 1¾ cups chopped walnuts

DIRECTIONS

- 1. Cream butter, sugar and brown sugar in the bowl of a stand mixer on medium speed for about 2 minutes.
- 2. Add eggs, vanilla and lemon juice, blending with mixer on low speed for 30 seconds, then medium speed for about 2 minutes, or until light and fluffy, scraping down bowl.
- 3. With mixer on low speed, add flour, oats, baking soda, salt and cinnamon, blending for about 45 seconds. Don't overmix.
- 4. Remove bowl from mixer and stir in chocolate chips and walnuts.

DIRECTIONS

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- **5.** Portion dough with a scoop (about 3 tablespoons) onto a baking sheet lined with parchment paper about 2 inches apart.
- **6.** Preheat oven to 300°F. Bake for 20 to 23 minutes, or until edges are golden brown and center is still soft.
- 7. Remove from oven and cool on baking sheet for about 1 hour.

8. Cook's note

You can freeze the unbaked cookies, and there's no need to thaw. Preheat oven to 300°F and place frozen cookies on parchment paper-lined baking sheet about 2 inches apart. Bake until edges are golden brown and center is still soft.