

Chocolate Black Bean Brownies

Served at: Bean Seminar

Pairs with our 2012 Meritage

Ingredients:

1 1/2 cups black beans (1 15-oz can, drained and rinsed very well)

2 tbsp cocoa powder

1/2 cup quick oats (40g) (See nutrition link below for substitutions)

1/4 tsp salt

1/3 cup pure maple syrup or honey

1/4 cup coconut or vegetable oil

2 tsp pure vanilla extract

1/2 tsp baking powder

1/2 cup to 2/3 cup chocolate chips

optional: more chips, for presentation

Directions

Preheat oven to 350 F. Combine all ingredients except chips in a good food processor, and blend until completely smooth. Really blend well. Stir in the chips, then pour into a greased 8×8 pan. Optional: sprinkle extra chocolate chips over the top. Cook the black bean brownies 15-18 minutes, then let cool at least 10 minutes before trying to cut. If they still look a bit undercooked, you can place them in the fridge overnight. Makes 9-12 brownies.

This recipe is from Chocolate Covered Katie