

# CHOCOLATE AND NUT FLORENTINE COOKIES



## **QimiQ BENEFITS**

- Full taste with less fat content
- Bake stable





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## **INGREDIENTS FOR 30 SERVINGS**

# FOR THE SHORTCRUST PASTRY

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300 g	AP Flour, plain
200 g	Butter, softened
120 g	Powdered sugar
1	Egg(s)
1 pinch(es)	Salt
FOR THE FILLING	
250 g	QimiQ Sauce Base
20 g	Butter
40 g	Walnuts, minced
40 g	Almonds, minced
30 g	Dates, dried, minced
20 g	Candied cherries, minced
30 a	Prunes, minced

# 30 g Candied orange peel 50 g Nutella®

1 pinch(es) Cinnamon, ground

1 pinch(es) Cardamom, ground

## **METHOD**

- 1. For the shortcrust pastry: knead the ingredients together well to form a smooth dough. Wrap in cling film and allow to rest chilled for approx. 30 minutes.
- 2. For the filling: melt the butter in a pan. Add the nuts, almonds, dates, cherries, plums and candied orange peel and roast lightly.
- 3. Add the QimiQ Sauce Base, bring to a boil and remove from the heat.
- 4. Add the Nutella®, cinnamon and cardamom and mix well. Allow to cool.
- 5. Form balls out of the shortcrust pastry and press a recess into each ball to form shells
- 6. Add the filling and bake in a preheated oven at 320 °F (air circulation) for approx. 15 minutes.