

Decadent Fudgy Brownies

Prep Time: 15 mins

Cook Time: 25 mins

Total Time: 40 mins

Servings: 12 squares

Ingredients:

- 1/2 cup unsalted butter, melted
- 1 cup granulated sugar
- 2 large eggs
- 1 tsp vanilla extract
- 1/3 cup unsweetened cocoa powder
- 1/2 cup all-purpose flour
- 1/4 tsp salt
- 1/4 tsp baking powder
- 1/2 cup chocolate chips (optional)

Instructions:

1. Preheat oven to 350°F (175°C). Grease an 8x8-inch baking pan.
2. In a medium bowl, mix melted butter and sugar until smooth.
3. Beat in eggs and vanilla extract until fully combined.
4. Sift together cocoa powder, flour, salt, and baking powder. Gradually fold into wet ingredients.
5. Stir in chocolate chips if using.
6. Pour batter into prepared pan and smooth the top.
7. Bake for 20–25 minutes, or until a toothpick inserted comes out with a few moist crumbs.
8. Allow to cool completely before cutting into 12 squares.

Nutrition (per serving):

- Calories: 210
- Protein: 3g
- Fat: 10g
- Carbohydrates: 30g
- Fiber: 2g
- Sugar: 20g