

Spritz Cookies

Traditional Christmas cookie with wonderful almond flavor made with cookie press.

Ingredients

- 2¼ cups flour
- ½ tsp baking powder
- Dash salt
- ½ cup softened butter
- ½ cup shortening (Crisco)
- ¾ cup sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 tsp almond extract
- Food Coloring
- Decorative sugar sprinkles

Directions

Heat oven to 375°. Cream all ingredients in mixer except for the flour, then gradually add the flour. Mix in food coloring. Load into cookie press and express dough onto cool cookie sheet, decorate with colored sprinkles if desired. Bake about 7 minutes, transfer to rack to cool. Put in cookie tin, good for 2-3 weeks.

