

No-Bake Mini Ricotta Cheesecakes



PREP TIME CHILL TIME SERVES

15 minutes 45 minutes 12 Servings

INGREDIENTS

1. FOR THE CRUST

2 cups (14 sheets) graham cracker crumbs 3 tablespoons granulated sugar

1/2 cup unsalted butter, melted

2. FOR THE FILLING

1 (8-ounce) brick cream cheese, softened

1/2 cup ricotta cheese

1 teaspoon vanilla extract

1/4 cup powdered sugar

Zest of 1/4 lemon

Oregon Growers Fruit Pates

PREPARATION

- 1. In a small bowl, combine the graham cracker crumbs, sugar, and melted butter until the crumbs are moistened.
- 2. Line a cupcake pan with paper liners. Add 3 tablespoons of the graham cracker mixture to each cupcake well and use the back of a spoon or your fingers to press the mixture into the well. Freeze the crusts for 15 minutes while you make the filling.
- **3.** In a medium bowl, mix together the softened cream cheese, ricotta cheese, vanilla extract, powdered sugar, and lemon zest.
- **4.** Divide the filling amongst the chilled crusts and smooth the top with a spoon. Place back in the freezer for 30 minutes to set or leave in the fridge for at least two hours.
- 5. Before serving, top the mini cheesecakes with Oregon Growers Fruit Pates.

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