

## OATMEAL COOKIES

1 c. shortening  
1 c. white sugar  
1 c. brown sugar  
1 T. oil  
2 eggs  
1 T. water

2½ c. flour  
1 c. oatmeal  
1 tsp. baking soda  
½ tsp. salt  
1 tsp. vanilla  
1 c. pecans, chopped

Preheat oven to 375°. Combine shortening, sugars, egg, oil and water and mix well. Combine flour, salt, oatmeal, baking soda. Add slowly to shortening mixture. Add vanilla and pecans. Mix well. Drop by teaspoonfuls onto greased cookie sheet. Bake for 8 to 10 minutes. Makes 6 to 8 dozen.

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