## Mountain Cookies II

A delicious butter cookie with a creamy coconut filling.
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## Ingredients

- 1 cup butter
- 1 cup confectioners' sugar
- 2 teaspoons vanilla extract
- 2 cups all-purpose flour
- $1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
- 1 (3 ounce) package cream cheese, softened
- 1 cup confectioners' sugar
- 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- $1 / 2$ cup chopped pecans
- $1 / 2$ cup flaked coconut
- $1 / 2$ cup semisweet chocolate chips
- 2 tablespoons water
- $1 / 2$ cup confectioners' sugar
- 2 tablespoons butter


## Directions

- Preheat oven to 350 degrees $F$ ( 180 degrees C).
- To Make Dough: In a mixing bowl, cream 1 cup butter, 1 cup confectioner's sugar and 2 teaspoons vanilla. Combine 2 cups flour and $1 / 2$ teaspoon salt. Gradually add to the creamed mixture and mix well.
- Shape into 1 inch balls; place 2 inches apart on ungreased baking sheets. Make a deep indentation in the center of each cookie.
- Bake for 10 to 12 minutes or until the edges just start to brown. Remove to wire racks to cool completely.
- To Make Filling: Beat cream cheese, 1 cup confectioner's sugar, 2 tablespoons flour, and 1 teaspoon vanilla in a mixing bowl. Add pecans and coconut; mix well.
- Spoon $1 / 2$ teaspoon of the filling into each cookie.
- To Make Topping: Heat chocolate chips, 2 tablespoons butter or margarine and water in a small saucepan until melted. Stir in $1 / 2$ cup confectioner's sugar. Drizzle over cookies.

Nutrition Facts

Serving: $\mathbf{4}$ dozen | Calories: $\mathbf{2 1 8 . 6} \mathbf{k c a l} \mid$ Carbohydrates: $\mathbf{2 4 . 4} \mathbf{~ g} \mid$ Protein: $\mathbf{1 . 9} \mathbf{g} \mid$ Saturated fat: $\mathbf{7 . 4} \mathbf{g}$ Cholesterol: $\mathbf{2 6 . 8} \mathbf{~ m g} \mid$ Sodium: $\mathbf{1 2 5 . 4} \mathbf{~ m g} \mid$ Fiber: $\mathbf{0 . 9} \mathbf{~ g ~ | ~ S u g a r : ~} \mathbf{1 4 . 9} \mathbf{g}$

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