

Sugar Cookie

Recipe from The Joy of Cooking

Ingredients

Whisk together thoroughly:

- 3 1/4 cups all purpose flour
- 1 1/2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt

Beat on medium speed until very fluffy and well blended:

- 20 tablespoons (2 ½ sticks) unsalted butter, softened
- 1 cup sugar

Add and beat until well combined:

- 1 large egg
- 1 tablespoon milk
- 1 teaspoons vanilla

Directions

- 1. Preheat the oven to 375° F. Grease cookie sheets or use parchment or Silpat.
- 2. Gradually add the flour mixture into the butter mixture until well blended and smooth.
- 3. Split the dough into two discs, place in plastic wrap and chill for at least 30 minutes before rolling out and cutting out shapes.
- 4. Bake cookies for 6-9 minutes until just lightly colored on top and slightly darker at the edges.