

These chewy little chocolatey treats are whipped together in a flash, and they solidify in the fridge in less than a half hour. Or, if you can't wait that long, toss some cookie "dough" on top of your favorite non-dairy ice cream or yogurt for a delicious snack packed with hearty oats!

ABOUT 25 COOKIES

¼ cup brown rice syrup

1/4 cup maple syrup

¼ cup almond butter (or other nut butter)

1 teaspoon vanilla

¼ cup cocoa powder

1/4 teaspoon salt

3 cups rolled oats

- 1. In a saucepan, combine the first four wet ingredients and heat on low until liquefied.
- 2. Thoroughly stir in the cocoa powder and salt, then mix in the oats until well coated.
- 3. With wet hands, pack the mixture into small cookies and place on a large oiled cookie sheet or on wax paper.
- 4. Refrigerate for 30 minutes or until the cookies solidify.