## Oatmeal Muffins with Molasses

This recipe makes 24 muffins - freeze any extras for a quick breakfast or snack. These muffins are a source of iron. Each muffin provides 15\% DV (daily value) of iron.


## Ingredients:

| 1 cup | All purpose flour | 250 mL |
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| 1 cup | Whole wheat flour | 250 mL |
| 2 cups | Oats, old-fashioned or quick-cooking | 500 mL |
| 1 Tbsp | Baking powder | 15 mL |
| 1 tsp | Cinnamon | 5 mL |
| $1 / 4$ sp | Salt | 1 mL |
| $13 / 4$ cup | $1 \%$ milk | 440 mL |
| $1 / 2$ cup | Dark molasses | 125 mL |
| $1 / 3$ cup | Brown sugar, packed | 80 mL |
| $1 / 4$ cup | Canola oil | 60 mL |
| 2 large | Eggs | 2 large |
| $1 / 2$ cup | Dried fruit, such as raisins, chopped dates or | 125 mL |
|  | apricots |  |
|  | Non-stick cooking spray |  |

## Directions:

1. Preheat the oven to $400^{\circ} \mathrm{F}\left(205^{\circ} \mathrm{C}\right)$.
2. In a large bowl, stir together the flours, oats, baking powder, cinnamon and salt. In another bowl, whisk together the milk, molasses, brown sugar, oil and eggs; add the wet ingredients to the dry and stir a few strokes, then add the dried fruit and stir until just blended.
3. Spoon into muffin tins with paper liners or sprayed with non-stick cooking spray. Bake for 20-25 minutes, until golden and springy to the touch.

## Makes 24 muffins (48 g)

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| Nutrition Facts <br> Per $1 / 24$ of recipe (1 muffin/ 48 g ) |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| Amount | \% Daily Value |
| Calories 140 |  |
| Fat 3.5 g | $\mathbf{5} \%$ |
| Saturated 0 g | $\mathbf{0} \%$ |
| + Trans 0 g |  |
| Cholesterol 0 mg | $\mathbf{3} \%$ |
| Sodium 75 mg | $\mathbf{8} \%$ |
| Carbohydrate 24 g | $\mathbf{8} \%$ |
| Fibre 2 g |  |
| Sugars 10 g | $2 \%$ |
| Protein 4 g | $0 \%$ |
| Vitamin A | $8 \%$ |
| Vitamin C | $15 \%$ |
| Calcium |  |
| Iron |  |


| Nutrient Claim | Amount <br> per serving |
| :--- | :---: |
| Saturated fat free | 0 g |
| Low in sodium | 75 mg |
| Source of potassium | 269 mg |
| Source of calcium | 89 mg |
| Source of magnesium | 29 mg |
| Source of folate | 21 mcg |
| Source of iron | 1.8 mg |


| Canada's Food Guide <br> Food Group | Food Guide <br> servings per <br> recipe serving |
| :--- | :---: |
| Vegetables and Fruit | 0 |
| Grain Products | 1 |
| Milk and Alternatives | 0 |
| Meat and Alternatives | 0 |

This is a Choose Most Often recipe (Grain Products) according to the Alberta Nutrition Guidelines.

Special equipment needed:

- 2-12 cup muffin tins

