

# **Ingredients**

#### Crust

- 1 1/2 cup (375 mL) graham cracker crumbs
- 1/4 cup (60 mL) butter melted
- 2 tbsp (30 mL) sugar

## Frozen cheese Filling

- 8 oz (250 g) Canadian Cream cheese softened
- 1/2 cup (125 mL) sugar
- 6 cups (1.5 L) strawberry ice cream

## **Fresh Strawberries and Mint Topping**

- 2 cups (500 mL) fresh strawberries cubed
- 1/4 cup (60 mL) fresh mint chopped
- 1/4 cup (60 mL) maple syrup

## **Directions**

- **1.** In a bowl, combine graham cracker crumbs, butter and sugar. Press crust mixture into bottom of an 8 inch (20 cm) springform pan and freeze for 30 minutes.
- 2. In the bowl of a stand mixer or large bowl using an electric hand mixer, beat Cream cheese with sugar for 2 minutes or until sugar is dissolved. Gradually add strawberry ice cream and beat until combined. Spread filling evenly on the crust. Freeze for 4 hours or until solid.
- **3.** Fresh Strawberries and Mint Topping: Combine strawberries with maple syrup and mint in a small saucepan. Cook over low heat for 5 minutes or until strawberries have sof-tened. Remove from heat and let cool.
- **4.** Unmold frozen cheesecake and serve in wedges with strawberry mint topping. Garnish with more fresh mint if desired.

**Tip:** If strawberries are large, quarter or slice them.

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# **Shopping List**

## **Pantry Staples**

- graham cracker crumbs
- sugar
- maple syrup

#### Produce

- 2 cups strawberries
- 1/4 cup fresh mint

### **Refrigerator & Freezer**

- 1/4 cup butter
- 8 oz cream cheese
- 8 cups strawberry ice cream

#### **Notes:**