Ingredients

- softened butter
- granulated sugar
- brown sugar
- eggs
- \bullet vanilla extract
- baking soda
- hot water
- salt
- all-purpose flour
- semisweet chocolate chips

Instructions

- 1. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F
- $2. \,$ Cream together the butter, granulated sugar, and brown sugar until smooth
- 3. Beat in eggs slowly in small amounts until well mixed
- 4. Stir in the vanilla extract
- 5. Dissolve baking soda in hot water and add to batter along with the salt
- 6. Stir in the flour and chocolate chips
- 7. Dollop large spoonfulls of batter onto ungreased pans.
- 8. Bake in oven for approximately 10 minutes, or until edges are nicely browned