## Lemon Cookies

## Ingredients

- 1/2 cup (1 stick) butter, softened
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 egg yolk
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1 tablespoon water
- 2 teaspoons fresh lemon juice
- Grated rind of 1 medium lemon
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1 cup all purpose flour
- Round cookie cutter

## Directions

- 1. In a bowl, beat butter and sugar together until light and creamy.
- 2. Stir in egg yolk, salt, water, lemon juice, lemon rind, and vanilla. Add flour and mix well.
- 3. Form dough into a ball, wrap in waxed paper, and refrigerate for at least 2 hours.
- 4. Preheat oven to 350 F. Roll out dough on floured surface. Cut with cookie cutter and place on ungreased cookie sheets.

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5. Bake for 8-10 minutes or until edges are lightly browned, then remove cookies from oven immediately and cool on wire racks.

Makes 5 dozen.

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