## Winnie's Mini Rhubarb & Strawberry Pies

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## Yield: 2 dozen pies

3 tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca
4 cups fresh strawberries, sliced
2 cups fresh rhubarb, sliced
3/4 cup sugar
1 teaspoon grated orange peel
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
1/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon salt
3 drops red food coloring (optional)
pastry for a nine-inch double crust pie

Preparation Time: 25 minutes Bake: 15 minutes

Preheat the oven to 425 degrees.

Place the tapioca in a small food processor or a spice grinder. Process until finely ground.

In a large saucepan, combine the strawberries, rhubarb, sugar, orange peel, vanilla, cinnamon, salt, ground tapioca and, if desired, the food coloring. Bring to a boil. Reduce the heat and simmer, covered, for 15 to 20 minutes or until the strawberries are tender, stirring occasionally. Transfer to a large bowl. Refrigerate, covered, until cold.

On a lightly floured surface, roll one-half of the dough to an eighteen-inch circle. Cut twelve circles with a four-inch biscuit cutter, rerolling the scraps as necessary. Press the circles onto the bottom and up the sides of ungreased muffin cups. Repeat with the remaining dough.

Spoon strawberry mixture into the muffin cups.

Bake for 12 to 15 minutes or until the filling is bubbly and the crust is golden brown.

Cool in the pan for 5 minutes. Remove to wire racks to cool.

Per Serving (excluding unknown items): 774 Calories; 2g Fat (2.2% calories from fat); 3g Protein; 193g Carbohydrate; 14g Dietary Fiber; 0mg Cholesterol; 541mg Sodium. Exchanges: 0 Grain(Starch); 3 Fruit; 0 Fat; 10 Other Carbohydrates.

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Calories (kcal):	774	Vitamin B6 (mg):	trace
% Calories from Fat:	2.2%	Vitamin B12 (mcg):	0mcg
% Calories from Carbohydrates:	96.0%	Thiamin B1 (mg):	0mg
% Calories from Protein:	1.7%	Riboflavin B2 (mg):	trace
Total Fat (g):	2g	Folacin (mcg):	105mcg
Saturated Fat (g):	trace	Niacin (mg):	1mg
Monounsaturated Fat (g):	trace	Caffeine (mg):	0mg
Polyunsaturated Fat (g):	1g	Alcohol (kcal):	13 0.0%
Cholesterol (mg):	0mg		
Carbohydrate (g):	193g	Food Exchanges	
Dietary Fiber (g):	14g	Grain (Starch):	0
Protein (g):	3g	Lean Meat:	0
Sodium (mg):	541mg	Vegetable:	0
Potassium (mg):	991mg	Fruit:	3
Calcium (mg):	98mg	Non-Fat Milk:	0
Iron (mg):	2mg	Fat:	0
Zinc (mg):	1mg	Other Carbohydrates:	10
Vitamin C (mg):	338mg	-	
Vitamin A (i.u.):	169IU		
Vitamin A (r.e.):	18 1/2RE		

## **Nutrition Facts**

Amount	Per	Serving
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Calories 774	Calories from Fat: 17
	% Daily Values*
Total Fat 2g	3%
Saturated Fat trace	0%
Cholesterol Omg	0%
Sodium 541mg	23%
Total Carbohydrates 193g	64%
Dietary Fiber 14g	55%
Protein 3g	
Vitamin A	3%
Vitamin C	563%
Calcium	10%
Iron	13%

<sup>\*</sup> Percent Daily Values are based on a 2000 calorie diet.