Cheese Scones (makes 8)

Ingredients: 175g self raising flour Pinch of pepper 1 x 2.5ml spoon mustard powder 40g reduced fat margarine 75g reduced fat grated cheese [or choose a filling from below] 1 medium egg 30 ml semi-skimmed milk



Equipment: mixing bowl, scales, knife, baking tray, cheese grater, measuring jug, scone cutter, pastry brush, sieve, rolling pin

Method: Preheat the oven to 220°C, Gas mark 7, lightly grease the baking tray

- Sieve the flour into the bowl, add the pepper, rub in the margarine to resemble fine 1. breadcrumbs.
- 2. Stir in the cheese, reserving some cheese for the top of the scones.
- Add the egg & milk, (reserving a little to brush on the scones) mix to a soft dough.
- 3. 4. On a lightly floured surface, lightly knead the dough.
- 5. Roll out on a lightly floured surface to 1.5cm thick & cut out using the scone cutter.
- 6. 7. Place the scones on the greased baking tray.
- Brush the tops with the egg & milk, sprinkle with some cheese.
- Bake in the oven for 10-15 minutes until cooked & golden brown. 8.

Total Cost: £1.10

Cost per scone: 14p

Scones can be made using finely chopped onions, parmesan cheese, olives, red pepper, herbs, diced & sauteed leeks, sesame seeds, poppy seeds

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Total Cost: