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Ingredients:

- 1 c. *shortening*
- 1 c. *packed brown sugar*
- 1/2 c. *sugar*
- 2 t. *vanilla*
- 2 *eggs*
- 1 t. *salt*
- 2 1/4 c. *flour*
- 1 t. *baking soda*
- 1 1/2 c. *M and Ms*

Directions:

1. Blend shortening and sugars in large bowl.
2. Beat in vanilla and eggs.
3. Sift dry ingredients together; add to mixture, blending well.
4. Stir in 1/2 c. of M and Ms. Drop by teaspoonfuls on ungreased baking sheet.
5. Decorate tops with remaining candy.
6. Bake at 375° for 10 minutes or until golden brown. Some cracking may occur.

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