CHRISTMAS CHEX MIX

6 c. Rice Chex cereal
1 (12 oz) bag white baking chips
1/3 c. coarsely crushed hard peppermint OR cinnamon candy
couple drops peppermint or cinnamon oil (optional)

Line large cookie sheet with foil or waxed paper. Place cereal in a large bowl. In microwavable bowl, microwave baking chips uncovered on high about 1 minute 30 seconds, stirring every 15 seconds, until chips can be stirred smooth. Stir in half the crushed candy. Pour over cereal and stir to evenly coat. Spread mixture in single layer on the cookie sheet. Immediately sprinkle remaining candy over all. Let stand until set, about 20 minutes. Gently break up coated cereal. Store in airtight container.