Skillet Maple Pear Pie

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Servings: 8

3 tablespoons unsalted butter 1/2 cup maple syrup 1/4 cup sugar 1/4 teaspoon salt 4 large ripe pears, cut into quarters lengthwise and cored pie dough for a nine-inch pie, chilled Preheat the oven to 400 degrees.

Heat a nine- or ten-inch cast-iron skillet over medium heat. Add the butter, maple syrup, sugar and salt. Bring to a boil. Reduce the heat to medium and continue boiling for 1 minute. Remove from the heat.

Working with one quarter at a time, place the pear pieces on a cutting board. Using a sharp knife, slice each into three or four sections, leaving one end intact. Fan out the sections and place in the pan, skin side up. (Don't worry if they break apart.) Fill in any gaps with the individual sections of pears to form a compact layer.

Roll the pie dough on lightly floured wax paper until slightly larger than your pan. Drape over the fruit, tucking the edges down along the inside of the pan. Cut three or four steam vents in the crust.

Bake for 25 minutes.

Reduce the temperature to 375 degrees and continue baking for 20 minutes, until golden and bubbly.

Remove from the oven and place on a wire rack. Let cool for at least 10 minutes before serving.

Serve with a spoon.

Per Serving (excluding unknown items): 114 Calories; 4g Fat (33.4% calories from fat); trace Protein; 19g Carbohydrate; 0g Dietary Fiber; 12mg Cholesterol; 69mg Sodium. Exchanges: 1 Fat; 1 1/2 Other Carbohydrates.

Desserts

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Calories (kcal):	114
% Calories from Fat:	33.4%
% Calories from Carbohydrates:	66.4%
% Calories from Protein:	0.2%
Total Fat (g):	4g
Saturated Fat (g):	3g
Monounsaturated Fat (g):	1g
Polyunsaturated Fat (g):	trace
Cholesterol (mg):	12mg
Carbohydrate (g):	19g
Dietary Fiber (g):	0g
Protein (g):	trace
Sodium (mg):	69mg
Potassium (mg):	42mg
Calcium (mg):	22mg
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Zinc (mg):	trace
Vitamin C (mg):	0mg
Vitamin A (i.u.):	163IU
Vitamin A (r.e.):	40RE

Vitamin B6 (mg): Vitamin B12 (mcg): Thiamin B1 (mg): Riboflavin B2 (mg): Folacin (mcg): Niacin (mcg): Caffeine (mg): Alcohol (kcal):	0mg trace trace trace trace 0mg 0 0.0%
Food Exchanges	
Grain (Starch):	0
Lean Meat:	0
Vegetable:	0
Fruit:	0
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Non-Fat Milk:	0
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Nutrition Facts

Servings per Recipe: 8

Amount Per Serving

Calories 114	Calories from Fat: 38
	% Daily Values*
Total Fat 4g	7%
Saturated Fat 3g	13%
Cholesterol 12mg	4%
Sodium 69mg	3%
Total Carbohydrates 19g	6%
Dietary Fiber 0g	0%
Protein trace	
Vitamin A	3%
Vitamin C	0%
Calcium	2%
Iron	1%

* Percent Daily Values are based on a 2000 calorie diet.