

## Apricot Casserole

2 (15-oz) cans apricot halves  
½ cup plus 2 Tbsp butter, divided  
1 cup brown sugar  
¼ cup flour  
1 1/3 cups crushed butter crackers (36)

Drain apricots, reserve ¾ cup juice. Place apricots in a greased 11 by 7 by 2 inch baking dish. In a pan, melt ½ cup butter, then add brown sugar, flour, and reserved juice. Mix well and pour over apricots. \

Bake, uncovered, at 350 degrees F for 20 minutes.

Melt rest of butter and toss with crackers. Sprinkle over top. Bake 20 minutes longer.