

Citrus Marmalade

Without added pectin. National Center for Home Food Preservation

Ingredients

Note: when peeling citrus fruits for marmalades, be sure to include some of the white membrane found just under the skin. This is where most of the pectin is located. 3/4 cup grapefruit peel (from grapefruit)
3/4 cup orange peel (1 orange)
1/3 cup lemon peel (1 lemon)
1 quart cold water
pulp of 1 grapefruit pulp of 4 medium-sized oranges 2 cups boiling water 3 cups sugar

Yield: About 3 or 4 half-pint jars

Instructions

- Sterilize canning jars and prepare two-piece canning lids according to manufacturer's directions.
- Wash and peel fruit. Cut peel in thin strips into a saucepan. Add cold water and simmer, covered, until tender (about 30 minutes). Drain.
- **3.** Remove seeds and membrane from peeled fruit. Cut fruit into small pieces.
- 4. Combine peel and fruit in saucepan, add boiling water and sugar. Boil rapidly over high heat, stirring frequently, until the temperature measures 8°F above the boiling point of water (220°F at sea level), about 20 minutes.
- Remove from heat; skim. Pour hot marmalade into hot, sterile jars, leaving 1/4-inch headspace. Wipe rims of jars with a dampened clean paper towel; adjust two-piece metal canning lids.
- **6.** Process in a Boiling Water Canner.

Recommended process time for Citrus Marmalade in a boiling water canner

		Process Time at Altitudes of		
Pack Style	Jar Size	0-1,000 ft	1,001-6,000 ft	Above 6,000 ft
Hot	Half-pints or Pints	5 minutes	10 minutes	15 minutes

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