



Elderflower cordial

Ingredients

- 30 elderflower heads
- 6 pints (approx. 3 litres) of boiling water
- 2lb (900g) caster sugar
- 1 packet of citric acid (available from chemists)
- 2 unwaxed oranges
- 3 unwaxed lemons

Method

1. Gently rinse over the elderflowers to remove any dirt or little creatures.
2. Pour the boiling water over the sugar in a very large mixing bowl. Stir well and leave to cool.
3. Add the citric acid, the oranges and lemons sliced, and then the flowers.
4. Leave in a cool place for 24 hours, stirring occasionally.
5. Strain through some muslin and bottle.

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