

Plum & Apple Chutney

This is a light bodied chutney but full favoured just like an old fashioned English chutney should be.

Ingredients

- 3 1/2 lbs plums
- 4 1bs apples
- 1 1b red tomatoes
- 2 lb onions
- 3 lb demerara sugar
- 4 oz preserved ginger
- 3 oz salt
- 1/2 oz garlic
- 4 dessertspoons mixed spice
- 2 lb seedless raisins
- 2 pints vinegar

Method

- 1. Wash plums, de-stone and chop finely
- 2. Skin tomatoes then chop finely.
- 3. Chop onions, apples, raisins and ginger very small.
- 4. Place plums and tomatoes in preserving pan. Add vinegar and cook slowly until tender.
- 5. Add the remaining ingredients and cook gently for about two hours.
- 6. Turn into sterilised jars and seal.
- 7. The chutney will be ready to eat after a month and keeps well.

If you want smoother chutney then grate the apples and onions or put them through a mincer or food processer.