

TOMATO KETCHUP

Season:

Summer, autumn

From the garden:

Tomatoes

Type:

Condiment

Difficulty:

Easy

Country of origin:

China

Serves:

30 tastes

Source:

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Equipment

*chopping board and knife

*measuring spoons

*frying pan

*wooden spoon

*food processor

Ingredients

*1 kg tomatoes

*1 medium onion

*2 garlic cloves

*2 tbsp brown sugar

*2 tbsp white vinegar

*2 tbsp tomato paste

*1 tsp worcester sauce

*1/2 tsp salt and pepper to taste

*a pinch each: mixed spice, chilli, coriander

*2 whole cloves

*1 bay leaf

Method

1.chop tomatoes, onion and garlic

2.heat a little oil in a frying pan and a cook the onion and garlic until translucent

3.add the other ingredients and cook on medium heat for around 20 minutes. Give the mixture an occasional stir to make sure it does not stick to the pan

4.transfer the mixture to a food to a food processor and blend until smooth 5.return to the pan and cook until desired consistency is reached. Taste and adjust seasoning if necessary

Note: The word "ketchup" comes from china, where it was used for a fish-based sauce. Tomato-based ketchup has been around since the 19th century

Skills: measuring, chopping, frying, blending