

Elderflower Cordial

20 heads of Elderflower

1.8kg granulated sugar

1.2 ltrs water

6 lemons

50g citric acid

Pick the heads of elderflower and give them a good shake to remove any insects - do not wash.

Put sugar and water into a saucepan and place on a moderate heat and gradually dissolve the sugar, set aside to cool a little.

In a large bowl place elderflower heads, peel from 6 lemons (peel with potato peeler) then slice all 6 lemons and add to bowl with citric acid and cooled sugar water.

Cover and leave overnight then strain through a muslin.

Pour into sterilised bottles and use within 3 months OR fill bottles to only $\frac{3}{4}$ and freeze.