RECIPE

Ingredients:

375g (12oz) mixed fruit 150g (3/4 cup) brown sugar 1 tsp mixed spice 125ml (½ cup) water 125g (4oz) butter ½ tsp bicarbonate soda 2 eggs - lightly beaten 2 tbl marmalade 150g (1 cup) self-raising flour 150g (1 cup) plain flour 1/4 tsp salt 125ml (½ cup) sherry

Method:

Preheat oven to moderately slow (approximately 150 degrees). Grease and line a 20cm round cake tin, Place mixed fruit, sugar, mixed spice, water and butter in a large saucepan and bring to the boil. Simmer gently for 3 minutes, then remove and allow to cool. Add the sherry, eggs and marmalade, mixing well. Fold in the sifted dry ingredients. Pour mixture into prepared pan. Bake for approximately 1 hour, or until cooked.