

## **Cantaloupe Agua Fresca**

Adapted from [Chow](#)

Ingredients:

1 (3 pound) ripe cantaloupe or other melon, diced (about 4 cups)

3 cups cold water

2 teaspoons lime juice

2 teaspoons sugar, plus more as needed

Ice

*Preparation:*

Place the cantaloupe, 1 1/2 cups water, lime juice and sugar in a blender and puree until smooth.

Strain through a fine mesh strainer over a large pitcher, using a ladle or wooden spoon to press down on the solids. Discard the solids.

Add the remaining 1 1/2 cups water and stir to combine. Taste and add more sugar as needed. Refrigerate until cold, at least 1 hour. Serve over ice.

Yield: 5 cups

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