

## Dorset Gooseberry Cake

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## **INGREDIENTS**

225g (8 oz) self-raising flour
½ level teaspoon baking powder
115g (4 oz) mixed fats (half margarine, half white fat)
¼ level teaspoon salt
225g (8 oz) prepared gooseberries or cooking apples
115g (4 oz) granulated sugar + extra sugar

## **PREPARATION**

Grease, base line and re-grease an 18 cm (7 inch) sandwich tin Heat oven to 175°C/350°F/Gas mark 3-4 (155-160°C for fan-assisted ovens)

## **METHOD**

Halve gooseberries/chop prepared apples small
Cover fruit with sugar on a large plate
Sift baking powder, salt and flour together
Rub in fats
When moist, mix fruit into flour
Press into tin, ensuring fruit does not touch the sides
Bake for 1- 1¼ hours
Turn out on to wire cooling tray
Remove lining paper
Sprinkle with extra sugar
Serve with cream