

Habitant Pea Soup

Ingredients

1 lb. split yellow peas
2 qts. water
1 small carrot, grated

1 medium onion, diced
2 tsp. salt
2 sprigs parsley, minced

1 bay leaf
2 thick slices heavily smoked
bacon
pepper

Instructions

1. Soak the peas in water overnight.
2. Bring to a boil in a large saucepan and add carrot, onion and salt. Reduce to a simmer.
3. Add parsley, bay leaf, and chopped bacon. Simmer for 3 - 4 hours until thick, adding water if needed.
4. Remove bay leaf, adjust seasonings, and serve.