

Original Mexican Limonada “Limeade”



**Just follow this simple recipe and enjoy!!
This recipe has a very refreshing taste!!**

Ingredients:

- **1 ³/₄ Cup Water (14 oz) or see the second version below**
- **3 Key Limes (not juice or concentrate) (About 20ml / ³/₄ oz)
you can get regular limes but the taste is not quite the same.**
- **3-Teaspoon Regular Sugar or your Favorite Sweetener. (I like using regular sugar for the flavor but if you cannot use it, use a substitute)**
- **3, 4 or more ice cubes (As required but do not add to many or you would water down the flavor)**

Instructions: (follow in the sequence shown or the taste won't be the same)

- **Mix water and sugar first in a large container until sugar is dissolved**
 - **Add freshly squeezed lime juice (not juice or concentrate)**
 - **Serve with or without ice (I recommend adding ice).**

This is an excellent summer drink!! Impress your friends when they visit!!

To make about 2 Quarts (64 oz), use 1 cup of regular sugar or your favorite sweetener, 56 oz of water and about 20 to 25 key limes (depending on size).

**Since people like different flavors, modify the recipe to suit your taste.
(I personally like it as described)**

**** There is a second version: in Mexico, they use Topo Chico Mineral Water instead of water or they use a 50%/50% mix - mineral water / regular water ****