

Watermelon Lemonade

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Ingredients:

- 1/2 cup sugar
- 4-oz water
- Zest of 2 lemons
- 6-oz lemon juice
- 24-oz watermelon juice
- Club soda
- Lemon slices, watermelon wedges and mint as garnish



Instructions:

1. Combine sugar, water and zest in a microwave safe measuring cup and microwave until sugar has dissolved, about 2 minutes.
2. Give it a stir and cool slightly by adding 6 to 8 ice cubes.
3. In a pitcher with ice, strain the syrup through a fine mesh sieve and combine with the lemon and watermelon juices.
4. Serve in ice filled glasses with a splash of soda and garnish of your choice of lemon slices, watermelon wedges or mint.