# Apple Pie Grits

This recipe makes about 6 cups



## **Ingredients**

1- 20oz can of apple pie filling
1 cup of quick cook grits
4 tbsp butter powder
2 tsp ground cinnamon
¼ tsp nutmeg
¼ cup sugar
½ cup milk

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#### **Directions:**

- 1. Bring 4 cups of water to boil in a saucepan
- 2. While waiting for the water to boil, mash the canned apple pie filling with a fork
- 3. Once the water is boiling, add ¼ tsp salt and 1 cup of Quick Grits. Stir as you add the grits to avoid clumping
- 4. Cook covered over medium heat for about 4 minutes.
- 5. Add butter powder and stir until dissolved
- 6. Add mashed apple pie filling
- 7. Continue stirring and bring the mixture to a boil. Continue to cook for 2-3 minutes
- 8. Remove the pan from the heat
- 9. Stir in spices and sugar.
- 10. Next, add the milk. Stir and bring it back to a boil; reduce heat, cover, and simmer for about 3 minutes or until grits are cooked.
- 11. Ladle into silicone molds and pre-freeze OR pour onto trays, add dividers in 10 portion size and pre-freeze
- 12. Remove frozen pucks from molds and place them on a parchment-lined tray. If using dividers, you can skip this step
- 13. Freeze Dry (we freeze-dried this recipe, and our cycle time with dividers was 32 hours.)
- 14. Store in jars for short-term use or in mylar bags for long-term storage

#### **Rehydration:**

Add 3/4 C of boiling water to 2 pucks OR 1 cup of water to 2 divider portions. Cover and let it sit for 2 minutes. Stir, cover again, and let it sit for a few more minutes. Enjoy