ALTITUDE ADJUSTMENTS FOR CANNING

Water Bath Canning Altitude Chart

If you are preserving HIGH ACID FOODS at an altitude higher than 1,000 feet above sea level, adjust boiling water processing time as indicated.

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FEET	METERS	INCREASE IN PROCESSING TIME			
1,001 - 3,000	306 - 915	5 minutes			
3,001 - 6,000	916 - 1,830	10 minutes			
6,001 - 8,000	1,831 - 2,440	15 minutes			
8,001 - 10,000	2,441 - 3,050	20 minutes			

If you are preserving LOW-ACID FOODS at an altitude higher than 1,000 feet above sea level, adjust pressure pounds as indicated.

Pressure Canning Altitude Chart

ALTITUDE		WEIGHTED-GUAGE		DIAL-GUAGE	
FEET	METERS	lb	kPa	lb	kPa
0 - 1,000	0 - 305	10	69	11	76
1,001 - 2,000	306 - 609	15	103	11	76
2,001 - 4,000	610 - 1,219	15	103	12	83
4,001 - 6,000	1,220 - 1,828	15	103	13	90
6,001 - 8,000	1,829 - 2,438	15	103	14	97
8,001 - 10,000	2,439 - 3,048	15	103	15	103

