UNDERSTANDING RECIPE CODES

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What do the following recipe symbols or codes mean?

NOTE TO TEACHER: Have students refer to any foods text for recipe dictionary and equivalent charts to search out the answers.

Some abbreviations found in recipes:

POUND OZ. OUNCE lb. CUP °F. <u>DEGREE FAHRENHEIT</u> Tbsp. TABLESPOON T. <u>TABLESPOON</u> pt. gal. GALLON PINT tsp. <u>TEASPOO</u>N qt. ___ QUART min. MINUTE hr. HOUR

Some equivalents that are good to know:

1 cup = $\underline{16}$ tablespoons 5 gallons = $\underline{20}$ quarts

3/4 cup = 6 fluid ounces 12 fluid ounces = 1.5 cups

75 tsp. = $\underline{25}$ tablespoons $72 = \underline{6}$ dozen

2 quarts = $\underline{4}$ pints 3 1/2 hours = $\underline{210}$ minutes

1/2 pound = 8 ounces 1/8 cup = 1 fluid ounces

8 tablespoons = 1/2 cup 40 ounces = 2.5 pounds

1/2 tbsp. = 1/2 teaspoon 3 teaspoon = 1 tablespoon

 $1/4 \text{ cup} = \underline{4} \text{ tablespoons}$ 16 tablespoons = $\underline{1} \text{ cup}$

1 pound = $\underline{2}$ cups 1 pound = $\underline{16}$ ounces