

Boyajian Citrus Oils

A Cook's Guide to
Comparing
Citrus Oils to Extracts



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Boyajian citrus oils are made from pure fruit, 100% Citrus Oil, and it is at least ten times stronger than supermarket brand essences. Essences and extracts are made primarily of alcohol and water. Most brands, even the best, contain only 5%-10% citrus oil and 90-95% alcohol or alcohol and water.

In even the most high end products 1 teaspoon of essence typically contains only 1/10th of a teaspoon of citrus oil - a miniscule amount.

Boyajian oil suggests starting with **1/4 tsp per cup of total ingredients**. For example, a cup of dry ingredient plus a cup of liquid would require only 1/2 teaspoon of Boyajian citrus oil. Most conventional recipes call for at least 4 teaspoons of essence or extract; 8 times the amount of pure citrus oil used.



Essences are primarily useful only for baking or adding to a dish that already contains alcohol. The alcohol bakes off during the cooking process.

If used in any other kind of recipe, the alcohol will be noticeable in the finished product. Dressings can be enhanced using a tiny amount of Boyajian citrus oil, but using an essence or extract will add an alcohol taste and watered-down consistency due to the composition of the product. To turn a plain pound cake into a lemon cake, simply add 1/2 tsp. of Boyajian Pure Lemon Oil, and there is no need to adjust the liquid in the recipe.

Only pure citrus oils can be used in chocolate recipes; essences can never be used. Only Boyajian citrus oils are suitable, because they are 100% citrus oil. Chocolate will not seize or bloom as it will if water and alcohol -- the two highest volume ingredients in essence -- are added.

It takes 225 lemons to make one bottle of 3.4 ounce Lemon Oil.

*Boyajian oils are 100% pure citrus oil
Most essences contain only 5%-10% citrus oil
With Boyajian, you always know exactly what you're getting
Use much less Boyajian oil compared to essence*



**It takes 150 oranges
to make one bottle of 3.4 ounce Orange Oil.**

**It takes 300 limes to make one bottle of
3.4 ounce Lime Oil.**

