# Hard Boiled Candy

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### Definition

"It is a confection made from concentrated solution of sugar and water that is heated upto hard crack stage and the flavor and colors are added".

Hard crack stage



- Hard-Crack Stage is a cooking term meaning that a sugar syrup being heated has reached 149 – 154 °C (300 – 310 °F)
- It is a test of how hot a sugar syrup is, and of how much water is left in it. At this point of heating, the sugar concentration in the syrup is 99%.

## Ingredients

#### **Major Ingredients:**

- 1. Sugar (Sucrose, glucose, fructose)
- 2. water

#### **Minor Ingredients:**

- 1. Color
- 2. Flavor

# **Functions of Sugar**

### **Sugar Syrup:**

- Sweetness
- Texture
- Increase shelf life

#### Liquid glucose:

- Prevent crystallization
- Texture
- Improve flavour

# Manufacturing Process

#### 1. Syrup formation



