



## FOOD PRESERVATION RESOURCES

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<b>National Center for Home Food Preservation:</b> Provides a wealth of current research-based recommendations on many areas of food preservation. Provides on-going research.	Website	<a href="http://www.uga.edu/nchfp/">http://www.uga.edu/nchfp/</a>
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<b>University of Minnesota Extension:</b> Provides links to current research-based publications and information.	Website	<a href="http://www.extension.umn.edu/foodsafety/components/foodpreservation.htm">http://www.extension.umn.edu/foodsafety/components/foodpreservation.htm</a>
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<b>Pressure Canner Dial Gauge Testing:</b> Dial gauges should be checked every year to ensure they are reading correctly (weighted gauge canners do not have to be checked). Presto Industries offers a free calibration or testing.	Send Dial Gauges	National Presto Industries, Inc. 3925 North Hastings Way Eau Claire, Wisconsin 54703-3703  NOTE: Carefully remove dial gauge from canner and package in foam or newspaper to avoid shipping damage. You will need to pay postage.
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:contact@gopresto.com">contact@gopresto.com</a>
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	More Details	<a href="http://www1.extension.umn.edu/food-safety/preserving/canning/testing-dial-pressure-canner-gauges/">http://www1.extension.umn.edu/food-safety/preserving/canning/testing-dial-pressure-canner-gauges/</a>

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