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# Easy Cajun Beef Pasta

with fresh basil

Diced onion is fried until silky & golden, then doused in the aromatic tanginess of tomato paste & garlic. Beef mince is browned and cooked in a special Cajun-spiced mix with milk. This creamy beef sensation is served with all dente tagliatelle pasta and fresh basil.

Hands-on Time: 25 minutes

Overall Time: 40 minutes

**Serves:** 2 People

Chef: Megan Bure

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Chardonnay

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# Ingredients & Prep

200g	Tagliatelle Pasta
1	Onion peel & roughly dice
2	Garlic Cloves peel & grate
30ml	Tomato Paste
300g	Beef Mince

Rub & Flour 50<sub>m</sub>l (30ml NOMU Cajun Rub & 20ml Cornflour)

200ml Low Fat UHT Milk

> Fresh Basil rinse, pick & roughly tear

#### From Your Kitchen

5g

Water

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut) Salt & Pepper

1. PERFECT PASTA Bring a pot of salted water to a boil for the pasta. Cook the pasta until al dente, 10-12 minutes. Drain, reserving a cup of pasta water, and toss through a drizzle of olive oil.

2. CAJUN TOMATO SAUCE Boil the kettle. Place a pan over medium heat with a drizzle of oil. When hot, fry the diced onion until golden, 4-5 minutes (shifting occasionally). Mix through the grated garlic and tomato paste and fry until fragrant, 30 seconds - 1 minute (shifting constantly). Add the mince and work quickly to break it up as it starts to cook. Fry until browned, 4-5 minutes (shifting occasionally). Mix in the rub & flour, the milk and 200ml of water. Simmer until reduced, 6-8 minutes (shifting occasionally).

3. BRING ON THE BASIL Once the sauce is done, mix through the cooked pasta, ½ the torn basil and season. Add some pasta water if too thick.

4. EAT TO YOUR HEART'S DELIGHT Serve up a hearty bowl of the Cajun

pasta and garnish with the remaining basil.

# **Nutritional Information**

Per 100g

Energy	/2/kJ
Energy	174kcal
Protein	8.3g
Carbs	17g
of which sugars	3.5g
Fibre	1.5g
Fat	6.6g
of which saturated	2.5g
Sodium	185mg

### **Allergens**

Gluten, Allium, Wheat, Cow's Milk

Eat Within

3 Days