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## Mexican-style Ostrich Mince Fiesta

with diced avocado & corn nachos

You're not going to wanna share this plate of nachos, Chef! Free-range ostrich mince is smothered in Mexican spices & tomato sauce. Poured over a pile of crunchy corn nachos, then topped with homemade cheese sauce, avocado cubes, and a baby tomato & pickled jalapeño salsa.

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**Hands-on Time:** 40 minutes

**Overall Time:** 50 minutes


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**Serves:** 4 People


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**Chef:** Jason Johnson

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 Adventurous Foodie

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## Ingredients & Prep

600g	Free-range Ostrich Mince
2	Onions <i>peeled &amp; finely diced</i>
40ml	Mexican Spice
400ml	Cooked Chopped Tomato
40ml	Cornflour
500ml	Low Fat Fresh Milk
200g	Cheddar Cheese <i>grated</i>
2	Avocados
320g	Baby Tomatoes <i>rinsed &amp; roughly chopped</i>
60g	Sliced Pickled Jalapeños <i>drained &amp; roughly chopped</i>
10g	Fresh Coriander <i>rinsed, picked &amp; finely chopped</i>
320g	Corn Nachos

## From Your Kitchen

Oil (cooking, olive or coconut)  
Salt & Pepper  
Water  
Sugar/Sweetener/Honey  
Milk (optional)  
Butter

**1. FRY THE OSTRICH MINCE** Place a pan over medium-high heat with a drizzle of oil. When hot, fry the mince and work quickly to break it up as it starts to cook. Fry until browned, 5-6 minutes (shifting occasionally).

**2. ADD SOME TOMATO** Add  $\frac{3}{4}$  of the diced onion and fry until soft, 4-5 minutes. Add the Mexican spice and fry until fragrant, 1-2 minutes. Pour in the cooked chopped tomato and 600ml of water. Simmer until reduced and thickened, 15-20 minutes. Add a sweetener and seasoning. Remove from the heat.

**3. CHEESE SAUCE** Place a small pot over medium heat with 40g of butter. Once melted, vigorously mix in the cornflour to form the roux. Cook out the flour, 1-2 minutes (stirring constantly). Slowly whisk in the milk, stirring continuously to prevent lumps. Once the milk is incorporated, mix in the grated cheese until melted. Season and remove from the heat. Add a splash of water or milk (from your kitchen) if the sauce is too thick.

**4. SALSA STEP** Halve the avocados and remove the pips. Peel off the avocado skins. Roughly dice and season. Set aside. In a small bowl, combine the chopped tomatoes, the chopped jalapeño (to taste), the remaining onions (to taste), the chopped coriander, and seasoning.

**5. TIME TO FEAST** Make a bed of the nachos or serve on the side for dunking. Lay down the saucy ostrich mince, drizzle over the cheese sauce, and scatter over the avocado and the tomato salsa. Well done, Chef!

## Nutritional Information

Per 100g

Energy	623kJ
Energy	149kcal
Protein	7g
Carbs	11g
of which sugars	2.8g
Fibre	2.5g
Fat	8.6g
of which saturated	2.3g
Sodium	205mg

## Allergens

Dairy, Allium, Sulphites

Cook  
within  
4 Days