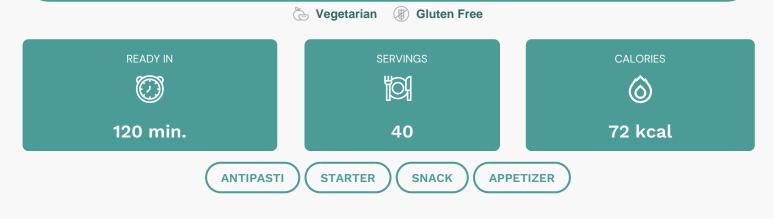


Fried Quesadillas with Two Fillings



Ingredients

2 tablespoons butter unsalted

0.3 cup pecorino (omit if using ricotta salata)
40 servings guacamole
2 cups i would have liked to use an version of masa but i couldn't find one at the time of making the tamal ("masa mix")
0.5 lb mushrooms trimmed
1 cup pecorino fresh crumbled (Mexican cheese)
0.5 teaspoon salt
5 squash blossoms

	3 cups vegetable oil	
	1.3 cups water	
	0.3 cup onion white minced	
	2 teaspoons frangelico dried crumbled chopped	
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Equipment		
	food processor	
	bowl	
	frying pan	
	paper towels	
	plastic wrap	
	wooden spoon	
	kitchen thermometer	
	ziploc bags	
	rolling pin	
	slotted spoon	
Directions		
	Cook onion in butter in a medium nonstick skillet over moderately low heat, stirring, until softened.	
	Pulse mushrooms in a food processor until coarsely chopped and add to onion along with epazote and salt.	
	Cook over moderate heat, stirring, until mushrooms are softened and any liquid is evaporated, about 7 minutes.	
	Remove from heat and cool filling completely.	
	Stir together masa harina, salt, and warm water in a large bowl with a wooden spoon until it forms a dough. Knead dough in bowl with heel of your hand 1 to 2 minutes.	
	Pinch off small pieces of dough and roll into about 40 (scant 1-inch) balls.	
	Transfer balls as formed to a plastic-wrap-lined tray and cover with more plastic wrap.	

	Cut 2 (5-inch) squares from a small plastic bag and use 1 to line lower half of tortilla press. Put a ball of dough in tortilla press and top with second square of plastic. Close tortilla press, pushing gently on lever to flatten dough to a 2 1/2- to 3-inch round. If press doesn't flatten evenly, rotate tortilla 180 degrees and gently flatten again. (Alternatively, use rolling pin to flatten dough between squares of plastic.)	
	Remove top square of plastic and put 1 teaspoon mushroom filling, or about 1 teaspoon crumbled queso fresco with 1/2 teaspoon crema and a piece of squash blossom, in center of round.	
	Fold round, still in plastic, over filling to form a half-moon and pinch edges together to seal. Gently peel off plastic, then transfer quesadilla to another plastic-wrap-lined tray and cover with a second sheet of plastic wrap. Repeat with remaining dough, making about 20 quesadillas of each filling.	
	Heat 1 inch of oil in a deep 10-inch heavy skillet over moderately high heat until deep-fat thermometer registers 375°F, then deep-fry quesadillas in batches of 6 to 8, turning once or twice, until golden, about 4 minutes.	
	Transfer with a slotted spoon to paper towels to drain and return oil to 375°F before adding next batch.	
	Serve quesadillas immediately.	
	·Mushroom filling may be made 1 day ahead and chilled, covered. Quesadillas may be formed, but not fried, 1 day ahead and chilled, covered. Bring to room temperature, and pat dry if necessary, before frying.	
Nutrition Facts		
	PROTEIN 8.81% FAT 64.17% CARBS 27.02%	

Properties

Glycemic Index:3.83, Glycemic Load:0.13, Inflammation Score:-1, Nutrition Score:2.3760869477106%

Flavonoids

Isorhamnetin: 0.05mg, Isorhamnetin: 0.05mg, Isorhamnetin: 0.05mg, Isorhamnetin: 0.05mg Kaempferol: 0.01mg, Kaempferol: 0.01mg, Kaempferol: 0.01mg, Quercetin: 0.2mg, Quercetin: 0.2mg, Quercetin: 0.2mg, Quercetin: 0.2mg

Nutrients (% of daily need)

Calories: 71.5kcal (3.58%), Fat: 5.23g (8.05%), Saturated Fat: 1.56g (9.73%), Carbohydrates: 4.96g (1.65%), Net Carbohydrates: 4.45g (1.62%), Sugar: 0.18g (0.2%), Cholesterol: 5.46mg (1.82%), Sodium: 36.74mg (1.6%), Alcohol: Og (100%), Alcohol %: 0% (100%), Protein: 1.62g (3.23%), Vitamin B1: 0.09mg (6.06%), Vitamin K: 6.36µg (6.06%), Vitamin B2: 0.09mg (5.05%), Vitamin B3: 0.8mg (4%), Folate: 14.98µg (3.74%), Selenium: 2.47µg (3.52%), Phosphorus: 30.42mg (3.04%), Iron: 0.5mg (2.75%), Calcium: 24.83mg (2.48%), Vitamin E: 0.31mg (2.09%), Fiber: 0.51g (2.02%), Vitamin B6: 0.04mg (2%), Magnesium: 7.21mg (1.8%), Copper: 0.03mg (1.68%), Manganese: 0.03mg (1.57%), Zinc: 0.23mg (1.54%), Vitamin A: 70.53IU (1.41%), Potassium: 48.08mg (1.37%), Vitamin B5: 0.13mg (1.28%)