



# **Mexican Beef Pitza**

with Queso Blanco & Creamy Slaw





Queso blanco translates to white cheese in Spanish, it's typically a fresh cows milk cheese that has a slightly crumbly texture and a mild savory, milky flavor.

#### What we send

- · taco seasoning
- grass-fed ground beef
- red onion
- roasted red pepper
- · shredded cabbage blend
- fresh cilantro

## What you need

- apple cider vinegar
- kosher salt & ground pepper
- sugar

#### **Tools**

- medium skillet
- rimmed baking sheet

Read through the whole recipe before you start. Rinse and dry all produce before using. Weights may vary slightly.

For recipes containing garlic, you'll find one head of garlic in your box.

We recommend you use coarse kosher salt stored in a container that allows you to grab it with your fingertips, or scoop with measuring spoon.

#### **Allergens**

May contain traces of allergenic ingredients. Packaged in a facility that packages gluten containing products.

#### **Nutrition per serving**

Energy 720.0kcal, Fat 35.0g, Proteins 41.0g, Carbs 59.0g



## 1. Prep pickled onions

Halve, peel, and thinly slice ½ cup onion, then finely chop the remaining onion. In a large bowl, whisk together ½ cup vinegar, 1½ tablespoons sugar, and a pinch each salt and pepper. Transfer sliced onions to bowl with pickling liquid, stirring to combine. Let stand until step 6.



## 2. Prep ingredients

Preheat broiler with top rack 6 inches from heat source. Pat **roasted peppers** dry, then coarsely chop. Pick **2 tablespoons cilantro leaves** and reserve for serving. Finely chop remaining cilantro leaves and **stems** together.



### 3. Toast pitas

Lightly brush **pitas** all over with **oil**. Transfer to a rimmed baking sheet. Broil on top rack until lightly browned on both sides, 1-2 minutes per side (watch closely as broilers vary).



## 4. Cook onions & ground beef

Heat **1 tablespoon oil** in a large skillet over medium-high. Add **chopped onions** and **a pinch each salt and pepper**. Cook, stirring, until tender and browned in spots, 3–4 minutes. Add **ground beef** and cook, stirring, until browned, 4–5 minutes.



5. Finish pitzas

Add roasted peppers and 4½ teaspoons taco seasoning to skillet. Cook until fragrant, 1-2 minutes. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Divide beef mixture between pitas. Drizzle with oil, then crumble queso blanco over top. Broil on top rack until edges of pita are lightly toasted and cheese is melted slightly, about 1 minute (watch closely).



6. Finish salad & serve

Add all of the sour cream and ¼ cup oil to pickled onions, stirring to combine (dressing may look broken, but that is okay). Add cabbage blend and chopped cilantro and stir to combine. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Garnish pitzas with reserved whole cilantro leaves and sprinkle some of the slaw on top. Serve remaining slaw on the side. Enjoy!