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- 1 large onion, diced
- 1 tablespoon of your choice of oil
- 1 can of beef
- 1 box of macaroni and cheese
- 1 cup shredded mozzarella cheese (optional)
- 3 tablespoons tomato paste (optional)
- Optional seasonings: black pepper, oregano, cumin, chopped garlic, chili powder, salt

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- <u>Step 1</u> Heat oil in a large skillet over mediumhigh heat. Add onion and cook, stirring occasionally, until softened, about 7 minutes.
- <u>Step 2</u> Add 1 can of beef and season with any seasonings you choose. Heat it over medium heat until it reaches your desired temperature, about 5-10 minutes. Stir occasionally to ensure even heating. Drain fat.
- <u>Step 3</u> Cook macaroni and cheese according to package instructions and set aside. Add tomato paste and stir to coat the macaroni. Stir in shredded mozzarella cheese until melted.
- <u>Step 4</u> Combine beef with the macaroni and cheese, then serve.

#### **Notes**

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