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## SOUTHWEST-STYLE PIMENTO CHEESE

- 8 oz sharp cheddar cheese, grated
- 8 oz Monterey jack cheese, grated
- 1 small (5 oz? 4 oz? I forgot to look) jar pimentos, drained, rinsed, and chopped
- 1 (4 oz) can mild or hot diced chilies, drained and chopped
- 1/2 tsp cumin, or more to taste
- 1/2 tsp chili powder, or more to taste
- Black pepper to taste
- Hot sauce (such as Cholula or Tabasco) to taste
- 1 1/2 C mayonnaise

Stir all ingredients until thoroughly combined. Serve with tortilla chips.

