# Mambo Rhythm



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音乐: Don't Touch My Tempo - Arrow



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This dance won 3rd place in non-country choreography at the "Dance Round-up" in Mystic Lake, Minnesota, October 2000

For ease of teaching, instead of counting "1&2&" it may be better to count "1-2-3-4" (or "Hold-2-3-4")

# HOLD, KICK, CROSS, TOUCH (2X); HOLD, KICK, CROSS, KICK, CROSS, TOE, HEEL, CROSS

1&2&	Hold, kick left forward, cross left in front, touch right to side
3&4&	Hold, kick right forward, cross right in front, touch left to side
58.68.	Hold kick left forward cross left in front kick right forward cross

Hold, kick left forward, cross left in front, kick right forward, cross right in front Touch left toe at right instep, touch left heel at right instep, cross left in front

# HOLD, KICK, CROSS, KICK, CROSS, TOE, HEEL, CROSS; HOLD, KICK, CROSS, TOUCH (2X)

1&2&	Hold, kick right forward, cross right in front, kick left forward, cross left in front
3&4&	Touch right toe at left instep, touch right heel at left instep, cross right in front
5&6&	Hold, kick left forward, cross left in front, touch right to side

7&8& Hold, kick right forward, cross right in front, touch left to side

# KICKS & CROSSING TRIPLES (2X); KICK, CROSS, RONDÉ, STOP, HOLD, UNWIND, STOP

1&2& Kick left forward, cross left in front, step right backward, step left backward and to the side 3&4& Kick right forward, cross right in front, step left backward, step right backward and to the side These are like jazz boxes traveling backward

Kick left forward, cross left in front, slide (rondé) right toe to the left to left side of left foot Stop rondé with right toe crossed to the left side of the left foot and weight evenly distributed

on both feet

7&8& Hold (7), unwind 3/4 left (&8), stop unwind (&)

### HOLD, STEP, CROSS, TOUCH (2X); HOLD, SYNCOPATED WEAVE

1&2&	Hold, step left to the side and backward, cross right in front (traveling left), touch left toe to
	side & face left

3&4& Hold, step left behind right (5th pos.), cross right in front (traveling left), touch left toe to side & face left

Hold, cross left behind, step right to side, cross left in front

7&8& Step right to side, cross left behind, step right to side, cross left in front

# HOLD, STEP, CROSS, TOUCH (2X); HOLD, SYNCOPATED WEAVE, TURN, STEP, HOLD

1&2& Hold, step right to the side and backward, cross left in front (traveling right), touch right toe to side & face right

3&4& Hold, step right behind left (5th pos.), cross left in front (traveling right), touch right toe to side & face right

Hold, cross right behind, step left to side, cross right in front

7&8& Step left to side, hitch right knee & pivot ½ left on ball of left foot, step (or stomp) right to side,

hold

#### HOLD, SHAKE YOUR TUSH!; HOLD, STEP, TURN, STEP (2X)

1 Hold

5&6&

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&2&3&4 With weight on the balls of both feet, alternate pumping the left heel down while bringing the

right heel up

On counts &2&3&4&: between those counts, pump the right heel down while bringing the left heel up. The

knees will alternate moving forward and back.

Option: Scoot slightly forward on the balls of both feet. This will shake your tush! Tighten the thigh muscles to get more shake!

& Stop shaking your tush and shift your weight to the right foot

5&6& Hold, step left forward (5th pos.), pivot ½ right, step left forward (5th pos.)
7&8& Hold, step right forward (5th pos.), pivot ½ left, step right forward (5th pos.)

# **REPEAT**