

Oh Me Gusta

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Count: 96 **Wall:** 2 **Level:** Phrased High Intermediate

Choreographer: Jason Takahashi – June 2019

Music: "Me Gusta" by Mikolas Josef

Dance begins after 8 counts

Sequence: ABCD^ ABCD^ ACCD^^D

Section A: 32 Counts

A[1-9] Side, Cross Rock, Recover, Side, Cross, ¼ R Step Back, Cha Cha Right, Cross, Spiral ¾ R

- 1, 2&3** Step R to R (1), Cross Rock L over R (2), Recover weight on R (&), Step L to L (3) [12:00]
4, 5, 6&7 Cross R over L (4), Turn ¼ R Stepping Back on L [3:00] (5), Turn ¼ R Stepping R to R [6:00] (6), Step L next to R (&), Step R to R (7) [6:00]
8, 1 Cross L over R (8), ¾ Spiral Turn to R keeping weight on L (1) [3:00]

A[10-17] Side Rock, Recover, Cross, Side Rock, Recover, Behind, Side, Forward, Step, Full Spiral L

- 2&3** Rock R to R (2), Recover weight on L (&), Cross R over L (3) [3:00]
4, 5 Rock L to L (4), Recover weight on R (5) [3:00]
6&7 Cross L behind R (6), Step R to R (&), Step L Forward (7) [3:00]
8, 1 Step R Forward (8), Full Spiral Turn to L keeping weight on R (1) [3:00]

A[18-24] Forward Lock Step, Rock, Recover w/ Sweep, Behind, ¼ L Step Forward, Step, Pivot ½ L

- 2&3** Step L Forward (2), Lock R behind L (&), Step L Forward (3) [3:00]
4, 5 Rock R Forward (4), Recover weight on L while Sweeping R from Front to Back (5) [3:00]
6&7 Cross R behind L (6), Turn ¼ L Stepping L Forward [12:00] (&), Step R Forward (7) [12:00]
8 Pivot ½ Turn L finishing with weight on L (8) [6:00]

A[25-32] ½ L Step Back, Back Lock Step, Back Rock, Recover, Mambo, Collect, Step

- 1, 2&3** Turn ½ L Stepping Back on R [12:00] (1), Step L Back (2), Lock R over L (&), Step L Back (3) [12:00]

- 4, 5 Rock R Back (4), Recover weight on L (5) [12:00]
- 6&7 Rock R Forward (6), Recover weight on L (&), Step R next to L (7) [12:00]
- 8 Step L Forward (8) [12:00]

Section B: 32 Counts

B[1-8] Heel Grind R & L, Cross, Cha Cha Left w/ Flick, Cross

- 1-2& Cross R Heel over L and press into floor(1), Fan Toes from L to R (1-2), Step L to L (2), Close R next to L (&) [12:00]
- 3-4& Cross L Heel over R and press into floor (3), Fan Toes from R to L (3-4), Step R to R (4), Close L next to R (&) [12:00]
- 5, 6&7*, 8 Cross R over L (5), Step L to L (6), Step R next to L (&), Step L to L while Flicking R Heel up (7), Cross R over L (8) [12:00]**

***Style Note: Slight jump as you Step L to L (7) to give Flick more emphasis**

B[9-16] ½ L Step Forward w/ Sweep, Cross, Side, Behind, Side Rock, Recover, Behind, Out, Out, Together, Run x2

- 1 Turn ½ L Stepping Forward on L while Sweeping R from Back to Front (1) [6:00]
- 2&3 Cross R over L (2), Step L to L (&), Cross R behind L (3) [6:00]
- 4&5 Rock L to L (4), Recover weight on R (&), Cross L behind R (5) [6:00]
- 6&7 Step R to R (6), Step L to L (&) (Should be about shoulder width apart), Slide both feet together to Center with small jump (7) [6:00]
- 8& Step R Forward (8), Step L Forward (&) [6:00]

B[17-24] Hip Rock, Recover, Step, Hold (x2)

- 1, 2, 3-4** Rock R Forward on Ball, pushing Hips Forward (1), Recover weight on L, pushing Hips Back (2), Step R Forward (3), Hold (4) [6:00]**
- 5, 6, 7-8** Rock L Forward on Ball, pushing Hips Forward (5), Recover weight on R, pushing Hips Back (6), Step L Forward (7), Hold (8) [6:00]**

**** Style Note: Slowly transfer weight after stepping forward, pushing hips slightly forward, to fill out count instead of a static hold**

B[25-32] Rock, Recover, Touch, Body Roll, Back, ½ R Step Forward, Side Rock, Recover, Cross

- 1, 2, 3-4** Rock R Forward (1), Recover weight on L (2), Touch R Back (3), Body Roll back to weight on R (3-4) [6:00]
- 5, 6** Step L Back (5), Turn ½ R Stepping Forward on R (6) [12:00]
- 7&8** Rock L to L (7), Recover weight on R (&), Cross L over R (8) [12:00]

Section C: 16 Counts

C[1-8] Samba Whisk x2, ⅓ R Botafogo, ⅝ L Volta

- 1&2** Step R to R (1), Rock L behind R (&), Recover weight on R across L (2) [12:00]
- 3&4** Step L to L (3), Rock R behind L (&), Recover weight on L across R (4) [12:00]
- 5&6** Turn ⅓ R Crossing R slightly over L [1:30] (5), Rock L to L (&), Recover weight on R (6) [1:30]
- 7&8&** Make a ⅝ Turn over L Stepping L slightly to L (7), Close R behind L (&), Repeat L(8), R(&) [6:00]

C[9-16] Touch & Cross x2, Rock, Recover, Touch x2

- 1&2** Touch L to Front, weight still on R, twisting body slightly to L (1), Close L next to R (&), Cross R over L (2) [6:00]
- &3&4** Step L to L (&), Touch R to Front, weight still on L, twisting body slightly to R (3), Close R next to L (&), Cross L over R (4) [6:00]
- 5, 6** Rock R Forward (5), Recover weight on L (6) [6:00]
- &7&8***** **Step R Back (&), Touch L Toe in Front (7), Step L Back (&), Touch R Toe in Front (8)**

*****Style Note: May stylize the toe touches as batucadas**

Section D: 16 Counts

D[1-8] ¾ Diamond to L w/ Hitches, Back, Coaster Step

- &1&2&** Turn ⅓ R Stepping Forward on R [7:30] (&), Cross L over R (1), Turn ⅓ L Stepping R to R [6:00] (&), Turn ⅓ L Stepping L Back [4:30] (2), Hitch R (&) [4:30]
- 3&4&** Step R Back (3), Turn ⅓ L Stepping L to L [3:00] (&), Turn ⅓ L Stepping Forward on R [1:30] (4), Hitch L (&) [1:30]

5&6& Cross L over R (5), Turn $\frac{1}{8}$ L Stepping R to R [12:00] (&), Turn $\frac{1}{8}$ L Stepping L Back [10:30] (6), Hitch R (&) [10:30]

7, 8&1 Step R back (7), Step L back (8), Step R next to L (&), Step L Forward (1) [10:30]

D[10-16] Syncopated High Lock x2, $\frac{1}{4}$ L Side Rock, Recover, Cross, $\frac{1}{8}$ R Step Back

&2&3 Step R Forward on Ball (&), Lock L behind R on Ball (2), Step R Forward (&), Step L Forward (3) [10:30]

&4&5 Step R Forward on Ball (&), Lock L behind R on Ball (4), Step R Forward (&), Step L Forward (5) [10:30]

6&7 Turn $\frac{1}{4}$ L Rocking R to R [7:30] (6), Recover weight on L (&), Cross R over L (7) [7:30]

8 Turn $\frac{1}{8}$ R Stepping Back on L [9:00] (8)

^D to A

1 Turn $\frac{1}{4}$ R Stepping R to R [12:00]

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& Turn $\frac{3}{8}$ R Stepping R Forward [7:30]

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