

# MAMBO ITALIANO

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**Count:** 32      **Wall:** 4      **Level:** beginner/intermediate

**Choreographer:** Lyn Cooper, Karen Norris & Renata Yates

**Music:** Mambo Italiano by Shaft

## SIDE, ROCK, CROSS, HOLD TWICE

1-4      Step right to right side, rock onto left, step right across left, hold & clap

1-4      Step left to left side, rock onto right, step left across right, hold & clap

## BACK, BACK, COASTER STEP

1-2      Step right back, step left back

3&4      Step right back, step left together, step right forward

## LEFT HEEL FRONT, LEFT TOE BACK, LEFT SHUFFLE FORWARD

1-2      Touch left heel forward, touch left toe back

3&4      Step left forward, step right together, step left forward

## RIGHT HEEL FRONT, RIGHT TOE BACK, ¼ LEFT PIVOT

1-2      Touch right heel forward, touch right toe back

3-4      Step forward on right, pivot ¼ turn left taking weight on left

## CROSS SHUFFLE, ½ RIGHT HINGE STEP

1&2      Step right across left, step left to left side, step right across left

3-4      Step left to left side, turning ½ right step right to right side (hinge step)

## LEFT SAILOR STEP, RIGHT SAILOR STEP

1&2      Step left behind right, step right to right side, step left to center

3&4      Step right behind left, step left to left side, step right to center

## 45 DEGREES LEFT ROCK FORWARD, BACK, CHA-CHA-CHA ON THE SPOT

1-2      Step/rock left forward at 45 degrees, rock back onto right

3&4      Step left-right-left in place

## REPEAT

**Due to the long introduction of the song and to get into the mood we start the dance after 48 beats as follows. This is not a bridge and is only done once in the intro**

- 1-8**            Four right hips, four left hips
- 9-16**          Two right hips, two left hips, single hips right-left-right-left
- 17-24**        Two right hips, two left hips, single hips right-left-right-left
- 25-28**        Stomp right, hold & clap, stomp right, hold & clap
- 29-32**        Four stomps with right foot

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