

# El Ritmo Caliente

**Choreographer:** Dwight Meessen (July 2012)

**Count:** 64 / **Wall:** 4 / **Level:** Intermediate

**Music:** El Ritmo Caliente by Belle Perez

**Info:** The dance starts from 29 seconds,

**Sec:1 Side, Hold, &, Chasse Right, ½ Chasse Left, Rock Back, Recover**

1,2 RF Step to Right side / Hold

& LF Step next to R

3&4 RF Step to Right side / LF Step next to R / RF Step to right side

5&6 LF ½ Step to Left side **(6)** / RF Step next to L / LF Step to Left Side

7,8 RF Rock back / LF Recover weight

**Sec:2 Side, Hold, &, Chasse Right, ½ Chasse Left, Rock Back, Recover**

1,2 RF Step to Right side / Hold

& LF Step next to R

3&4 RF Step to Right side / LF Step next to R / RF Step to Right Side

5&6 LF ½ Step to Left side **(12)** / RF Step next to L / LF Step to Left side

7,8 RF Rock back / LF Recover weight

**Sec:3 2x Walk Fwd, Rock Fwd, Recover, ½ Right, Rock Fwd, Recover, ½ Left**

1,2 RF Walk fwd / LF Walk fwd

3,4 RF Rock fwd / LF Recover weight

5,6 RF ½ Right(back), Step fwd **(6)** / LF Rock fwd

7,8 RF Recover Weight / LF ½ Turn Left(forward), Step fwd **(12)**

**Sec:4 Pivot ½ Turn(left), Side Rock R, Recover, Jazz Box**

1,2 RF Step fwd / R+L ½ Turn (Left) **(6)**

3,4 RF Rock out to Right side / LF Recover weight

5,6,7,8 RF Cross over L / LF Step back / RF Step to right side / LF Step fwd

**Sec:5 Jazz Box, Side Rock, Recover, Behind, Side, Cross**

1,2,3,4 RF Cross over L / LF Step back / RF Step to right side / LF Step fwd

5,6 RF Rock out to right side / LF Recover weight

7&8 RF Cross behind L / LF Step to Left side / RF Cross over L

**Sec:6 Side Rock L, Recover, Sailor ¼ Turn L, Pivot ½ Turn(left), Shuffle Fwd**

1,2 LF Rock out to Left side / RF Recover weight

3&4 LF ¼ Turn R, Cross step R behind L**(3)** / RF Step in place / LF Step fwd on R

5,6 RF Step fwd / R+L ½ Turn(left) **(9)**

7&8 RF Step fwd / LF Step next to R / RF Step fwd

**Sec:7 Pivot ½ Turn(right), Shuffle Fwd, Side Rock R, Recover, Rock Back, Recover**

1,2 LF Step fwd / L+R ½ Turn (Right) **(3)**

3&4 LF Step fwd / RF Step next to L / LF Step fwd

5,6 RF Rock out to Right side / LF Recover weight

7,8 RF Rock back / LF Recover weight

**Sec:8 Rock Fwd, Recover, Shuffle ½ Turn(right), Pivot ½ Turn(Right), Shuffle Fwd**

1,2 RF Rock fwd / LF Recover weight

3&4 RF ½ Turn back(right), Step fwd **(9)** / LF Step next to R / RF Step fwd

5,6 LF Step fwd / L+R ½ Turn(right) **(3)**

7&8 LF Step fwd / RF Step next to L / LF Step fwd

**Tag: 4 count tag danced end of wall 4**

1,2 RF Rock out to Right side / LF Recover Weight

3,4 RF Rock Back / LF Recover Weight

**Restart: In the 5th wall after 20 counts**