

# A Touch Of Samba.

Description: Beginner: 32 Count: 4 Wall.

Music: Cochito by Meri Rinaldi

Choreographer: Shanthie De Mel, Australia. January 2025.

Intro: 48 Count instrumental. Start at vocals. 116 BPM. No Tags or Restarts.  
Right rotation.

(1-8) **SAMBA WHISK x3. SWAY. SWAY.**

- 1 a 2 Step R to right side. Cross on L ball behind R. Step down on R across L
- 3 a 4 Step L to left side. Cross on R ball behind L. Step down on L across R.
- 5 a 6 Step R to right side. Cross on L ball behind R. Step down on R across L.
- 7, 8 Step L to left side with sway. Step R to right side with sway. (12:00)

Optional: Do Samba bounce & hip action.

(9-16) **VOLTAS TO RIGHT. HOLD. HIP BUMPS TO RIGHT & LEFT SIDES.**

- 1, a Cross L over R moving to right. Step R on ball behind L.
- 2 a Cross L over R moving to right. Step R on ball behind L.
- 3 a Cross L over R moving to right. Step R on ball behind L.
- 4 Cross L over R moving to right.
- 5&6 Step R to right side doing 2 hip bumps.
- 7&8 Step L to left side doing 2 hip bumps.(12:00)

Optional: Do Samba bounce & hip action.

(17-24) **BOTAFOGA MOVING FORWARD. HITCH. STOMP.**

- 1 a 2 Cross R across L. Rock L on ball to left side. Recover R slightly forward.
- 3 a 4 Cross L across R. Rock R on ball to right side. Recover L to left slightly forward.
- 5 a 6 Cross R across L. Rock L on ball to left side. Recover R to right slightly forward.
- 7, 8 Hitch L. Stomp L together. (12:00)

Optional: Do Samba bounce & hip action.

(25-32) **SHIMMY RIGHT. TURN ¼ RIGHT TOUCH. HOLD.**

- 1, 2 Step R to right shimming shoulders & hips for 2 counts.
- 3, 4 Touch L to R. Hold.
- 5, 6 Turning ¼ right step L to left shimming shoulders & hips for 2 counts.
- 7, 8 Touch R to L. Hold. (3:00)

Enjoy the dance. Stay happy!