## Hora de la Chircani

Source: Taught by Nicolaas Hilferink at Autumn Leaves XXL, Nashville International Folk Dancers, 2004
Formation: Hands" hora" hold. Rhythm: 4/4 Introduction: 8 measures.

| Measure Counter |  | Variation A | Measure | Counter | Variation C |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 1,2,3,4 | Facing center, step R FWD across | 1 | 1,2 | Facing and travelling R (RLOD), touch R in front of L |
| 2 | 1,2,3,4 | Step L BKWD |  | 3, 4 | Step R |
| 3 | 1,2 | Step R to R | 2 | 1,2 | Touch L in front of R |
|  | 3, 4 | Step L beside R |  | 3, 4 | Step L |
| 4 | 1,2,3,4 | Step R to R | 3 | 1 | Step R |
|  |  |  |  | 2 | Step L beside R |
| 5-8 | - | REPEAT measures 1-4 w/opposite footwork |  | 3,4 | Step R |
| 9-16 | - | REPEAT measures 1-8 | 4 | 1 | Step L |
|  |  |  |  | 2 | Step R beside L |
|  |  | Variation B |  | 3, 4 | Step L |
| 1 | 1 | Facing center and travelling L diagonally FWD, |  |  |  |
|  |  | Step R across L | 5-8 | - | REPEAT measures 1-4 |
|  | 2 | Step L beside R |  |  |  |
|  | 3,4 | Step R across L (2-step) | 9-12 | - | REPEAT measures 1-4 |
| 2 | 1 | Step L | 13 | 1,2 | Facing and travelling LLOD, step R across L |
|  | 2 | Step R beside L |  | 3, 4 | Facing center step L to L |
|  | 3, 4 | Step L (2-step) |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 14 | 1,2 | Facing RLOD, step R behind L |
| 3 | 1,2 | Travelling straight BKWD, step R |  | 3, 4 | Facing center, step L to L |
|  | 3, 4 | Step L (back, back) |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | 15 | 1,2 | Facing LLOD, bounce on both feet, R FWD of L |
| 4 | 1 | Step R to R |  | 3, 4 | Step down on R |
|  | 2 | Step L beside R |  |  |  |
|  | 3, 4 | Step R to R (side 2-step) | 16 | 1 | Facing center and on the spot, step L |
|  |  |  |  | 2 | Step R |
| 5-8 | - | Facing center and travelling R diagonally FWD, REPEAT measures $1-4 \mathrm{w} /$ opposite footwork |  | 3, 4 | Step L |
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| 9-16 | - | REPEAT measures 1-8 |  |  |  |

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| Measure |  | Variation D |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 1,2,3,4 | Facing center, step and lean R to R (sway R) |
| 2 | 1,2,3,4 | Step and lean L to L (sway L) |
| 3 | 1,2 | Travelling CCW, step R to R |
|  | 3, 4 | Step L side behind R ( 3,4 ) |
| 4 | 1,2,3,4 | Step R to R (1, 2, 3, 4) |
| 5-6 | - | REPEAT measures 1-2 w/opposite footwork; sway L, R, hold |
| 7 | 1,2 | Step L behind R |
|  | 3, 4 | Step R behind side to R |
| 8 | 1,2 | Step L behind R |
|  | 3, 4 | Touch R beside L |
| 9 | 1,2 | Facing center and travelling R diagonally FWD, step R |
|  | 3, 4 | Step L (drag R, 2) |
| 10 | 1 | Turning to face LLOD and on the spot, step R |
|  | 2 | Step L |
|  | 3, 4 | Step R (R hip in) |
| 11 | 1 | Turning to face RLOD, step L |
|  | 2 | Step R |
|  | 3, 4 | Step L (L hip in) |
| 12 | 1,2,3,4 | REPEAT measure $10 \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{R}$ hip in counts 2,3 |
| 13 | 1,2 | Travelling R diagonally BKWD, step L |
|  | 3, 4 | Step R |
| 14 | 1 | Turning to face RLOD, and on the spot, step L |
|  | 2 | Step R |
|  | 3, 4 | Step L (L hip in) |
| 15 | - | REPEAT measure 10 (R hip) |
| 16 | 1,2,3,4 | REPEAT measures 11 (L hip) |
| 17-32 | - | REPEAT measures 1-16 |

Measure Count Variation E
11 Facing and travelling RLOD, bounce on both feet R FWD on L
2 Bounce on L
3,4 Step R FWD

REPEAT measure $1 \mathrm{w} /$ opposite footwork

REPEAT measures 1-2 7 more times.

SEQUENCE: A, B, C, D, E
A, B, C, D, E

