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,		3,4	Step L	
		REPEAT measures 1-4 w/opposite footwork				
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		Variation D	Measure		Variation E
1	1, 2, 3, 4	Facing center, step and lean R to R (sway R)	1	1	Facing and travelling RLOD,
					bounce on both feet R FWD on L
2	1, 2, 3, 4	Step and lean L to L (sway L)		2	Bounce on L
				3,4	Step R FWD
3	1, 2	Travelling CCW, step R to R			
	3,4	Step L side behind R (3, 4)	2		REPEAT measure 1 w/opposite footwork
4	1, 2, 3, 4	Step R to R (1, 2, 3, 4)	3-16		REPEAT measures 1–27 more times.
5-6	—	REPEAT measures 1-2 w/opposite footwork;			SEQUENCE : A, B, C, D, E
		sway L, R, hold			A, B, C, D, E
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)			
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12	1, 2, 3, 4	REPEAT measure 10 w/R hip in counts 2, 3			
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13	1, 2	Travelling R diagonally BKWD, step L			
	3, 4	Step R			
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14	1	Turning to face RLOD, and on the spot, step L			
	2	Step R			
	3,4	Step L (L hip in)			
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15	_	REPEAT measure 10 (R hip)			
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16	1.2.3.4	REPEAT measures 11 (L hip)			
10	1, 2, 3, 1	A stringer and the strip			
17-32		REPEAT measures 1–16			
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