

HORA DIN GOICESTI
(Romania)

- Source: Hora din Goicesti is a circle dance from southern Romania, the region Bucharest. This dance was learned by Mihai David while performing with the Romanian State Folk Dance Ensemble.
- Music: "The Lark" FLDR
side one, band one 4/4
- Formation: Closed circle.
- Style: There is a light, bouncy quality throughout the dance in the feet and legs, as well as the arms when raised.
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<u>Measure</u>	<u>Introduction</u>
1-8	Hold
	<u>Part I</u> - Travel in and out of circle, hands at shoulder level, elbows bent.
1	Run into center stepping R (ct.1) L (ct.2) cont. fwd. with R,L,R (cts. 3, &, 4).
2	Back out of circle with L,R,L (cts. 1&2) step fwd. with R,L,R (cts.3&4).
3	Backing out of circle stepping L (ct.1) R (ct.2) cont. back with L,R,L (cts.3, &, 4).
4	Step fwd with R,L,R (cts. 1, &, 2) step back L,R,L (cts. 3, &, 4).
5-8	Repeat measures 1-4.
	<u>Part II</u> - Travel around circle in LOD arms coming down to handhold.
1	Run R,L,R (cts. 1, &, 2), run L,R,L (cts. 3, &, 4).
2	Run R,L,R (cts. 1, &, 2), run L (ct.3), R (ct. 4).
3-4	Repeat measures 1-2 using opposite footwork cont. in LOD.
5-8	Repeat measures 1-4.

To finish dance continue to alternate Parts I & II.