

KRIČI KRIČI TIČEK I
(Kree'-chee Kree'-chee Tee'-check)
(Croatian)

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SOURCE: Learned from natives in Yugoslavia.
MUSIC: Record: MH 3021-A, The Duquesne University Tamburitzans.
FORMATION: Done either in circle or in couples (See below).

MUSIC: PATTERN

Meas

CIRCLE FORM

Even number of M & W, alternating in circle, W on M's R. W join hands at M's backs. M join hands over W's arms in back, forming a basket.

PART I *hop-step-steps* CW

- 1 Ct 1 facing 1/8 L, hop on R ft, extending L leg stiffly out of circle, about 3 inches off the ground. Ct & step on L ft directly below its extended pos, moving fwd. Ct 2 step on R ft continuing fwd CW. Ct & hold.
- 2-8 Repeat above step 7 more times (8 total) continuing to move CW throughout.

PART II *walking* CW, CCW

- 9-12 Continue moving CW with 7 walking steps, pivoting on L ft to face 1/8 R on last beat of meas 12. (L-R-L-R-L-R-L-pivot). During the pivot on the L ft, point R ft to R in preparation for the following meas 13.
- 13-16 Moving R (CCW), take 8 walking steps (R-L-R-L-R-L-R-L). Note that this is not the same as in meas 9-12. There is no pivot here. You end up facing 1/8 R with wt on L ft.

PART III *hop-step-steps* CCW

- 1-8 This is the same as Part I but with opp ftwk, and moving CCW, hop on L ft, step on R ft, step on L ft --done 8 times.

PART IV *walking* CCW, CW

- 9-12 Seven steps with pivot (R-L-R-L-R-L-R-pivot), still moving CCW.
- 13-16 Eight walking steps (L-R-L-R-L-R-L-R), moving CW.

COUPLE FORM

Cpls in shldr waist pos, do the same steps as shown under circle form.

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NOTE: Be sure to keep inactive leg stiff and extended during parts I and III. This is NOT the so-called broken-ankle step of "Seljancica and other kolos. During the walking steps, the circle does not dip, but remains completely level throughout.

WORDS

Krici, krici, ticek, na suhem grmeku, //
 Kaj je tebi, ah moj ticek, kaj si tak turoben? //

Kaj si zgubil dragu, kaj te je lubila? //
 Kaj je tebe a moj ticek, draga ostavila? //

Ni je mene moja draga ostavila //
 Vec sam zgubil lake krila, nem'rem poleteti. //

Whistle little bird, in the dusty bushes.
 Why do you sing so sadly?

Have you lost your sweetheart, your love?
 Tell me, little bird, did your love leave?

No, I have not lost my loved one,
 But I have lost my light wings, and I can no longer fly.

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