

# Baloo

**Count:** 32

**Wall:** 4

**Level:** Beginner

**Choreographer:** Mark Wuyts (BEL) - March 2022

**Music:** The Bare Necessities - Tony Bennett

or: Bare Necessities (modified) - Jungle Book



## #2 versions:

Tony Bennett's slow version has no tags or restarts, and is ideal for teaching the dance to beginners.

The fast and fun modified version from "Jungle Book" has 2 tags, repeat counts 5-8 of S4 on wall 6 and 11.

**Intro:** Start on "Bare Necessities".

### **S1: Box;;**

- 1-4 R side, L close to R, R forward, hold;
- 5-8 L side, R close to L, L backward, hold;

### **S2: Backward toe strut 2x; Coasterstep;**

- 1-2 Touch R toe backward, drop R heel (change weight to R)
- 3-4 Touch L toe backward, drop L heel (change weight to L)
- 5-8 Back R, close L, forward R, hold;

### **S3: Vine 3, ¼ L brush; Rocking chair;**

- 1-4 Side L, cross R in back, side L, turn ¼ L - brush;
- 5-8 Rock R forward, Recover on L, Rock R back, Recover on L;

### **S4: Side, touch 2x; forward, cross touch, back, touch;**

- 1-4 Side R, touch L together, Side L, touch R together;
- 5-8 Step R forward, cross touch L behind R, step L back, touch R together;

### **Music:**

For the fast version you can use the music from the demo: <https://youtu.be/qBXUBiGJ8Pw>

Or You can email me for the music: [melodia@telenet.be](mailto:melodia@telenet.be)

Happy Dancing !