

Pata Pata

South Africa

FORMATION: Individuals facing one wall

	count 1	2	3	4
Bar 1	touch R toe to R	Step on R next to Left	touch L toe to L	Step on L next to right
2	rock on heels and put both toes pointing out both hands are up in W position	rock on toes and put heels out hands point down (M position)	rock on toes and put heels in hands point up (W position)	rock on heels and put toes in hands point down (M position)
3	bring R knee up to touch left elbow	touch R to R	bring R knee up to touch Left elbow	step on R in place
4	kick L foot forward and clap	step L turning 1/4 to the Left to face next wall	step R in place	step L in place

lyrics: (Miriam Makeba)

Saguquga sathi bega nantsi Pata Pata x4
 Hiyo mama hiyo ma nantsi Pata Pata x4
 Saguquga sathi bega nantsi Pata Pata x4
 "Pata Pata" is the name of a dance
 We do down Johannesburg way;
 And ev'ry body starts to move
 As soon as Pata Pata starts to play.
 Ev'ry Friday and Saturday nights, It's Pata time.
 The dance keeps going all night long
 Till the morning sun begins to shine.