

Skank by Numbers

Mustard Plug

One! Get off your seat

Two! Stomp your boots to the beat

Three! Throw your knees in the air

Four! Like you don't care We don't want to see you slammin' in the pit, NO

We don't want to see our girlfriends kicked, NO

We just want to see you movin' faster and faster

To the beat of the super ska master

Phonys like to slam to the beat of ska

We're not against that, but for us there's more

To dance with us you needn't act like a jerk

Skankin's meant for fun, not for getting hurt Skankin' by numbers every night and day

Skankin' by numbers is the only way

Get off your seat and take a chance

Skankin' by numbers is the only way to dance You can shave your head or pierce your nose, NOSE

Dress up in flannels or rudeboy clothes, CLOTHES

But where it matters is with your shoes

That's where ska's for your stylin' moves

Skankin' aint just dancing it's our way of life

Away from trouble, away from strife

Afraid of fun? Then you had better beware

Because on the dance floor, we don't have a care One! Get off your seat

Two! Stomp your boots to the beat

Three! Throw your knees in the air

Four! Like you don't care Time to hit the floor, do it soon, SOON

Ska music's set to fill the room, ROOM

Have never skanked? Well it's time to start

Soon you will be a rudeboy hot

Finally we'd like to stop and thank our roots

Respect the Specials, Maytals, and Toots

Wailing Wailers, Laurel Aitken, and (english) Beat

But most of all the Skatalites, they're music complete Skankin' by numbers every night and day

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