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Latin dance combines a blend of various influences that arrived in _____ over the past _____ centuries. Among the popular cultures that helped develop Latin dance and music are the _____, Spanish and _____ cultures that settled mostly in _____ America. Africans, who lived in the countries of Cuba, _____, Haiti and some parts of Brazil, used their musical influence to tell stories of their own culture, while the Spanish-influenced countries of Mexico and Peru depicted dance as a medium for entertainment.

The term became popular as nickname to refer to a variety of different music, from several countries of Hispanic influence: Rhumba, Sn Montuno, Guaracha, _____, _____, Danzn, Sn, Guguanco, Cubop, Guajira, _____, seedbia, Plena, Bomba, Festejo, _____, among others. Many of these have maintained their individuality and many were mixed creating "_____".