

= Ice Cream Freeze ( Let 's Chill ) =

" Ice Cream Freeze ( Let 's Chill ) " is a pop song by American recording artist and actress Miley Cyrus , performing as Hannah Montana ? the alter ego of Miley Stewart ? a character she played on the Disney Channel television series Hannah Montana . The song was written by Matthew Gerrard and Robbie Nevil and produced by Gerrard . It was released on June 20 , 2009 , by Walt Disney Records as a promotional single from the series ' third soundtrack , Hannah Montana 3 . A karaoke version is available in Disney 's Karaoke Series : Hannah Montana 3 . It is an instructional dance song with a country pop sound and lyrics referencing ice cream and other frozen foods .

The song garnered negative reactions from contemporary critics but enjoyed humble commercial success for Cyrus in several countries , compared to those of her previous efforts as Montana . " Ice Cream Freeze ( Let 's Chill ) " made its highest peak by charting at number fifty @-@ seven in the Canadian Hot 100 . The song also charted on charts in the United Kingdom and the United States . A music video for " Ice Cream Freeze ( Let 's Chill ) " was released , taken from footage of a concert performance .

= = Background = =

" Ice Cream Freeze ( Let 's Chill ) " was co @-@ written by Matthew Gerrard and Robbie Nevil , a duo of longtime songwriters for Montana ; Together , they wrote her hit " The Best of Both Worlds " ( 2006 ) . A karaoke version is available in Disney 's Karaoke Series : Hannah Montana 3 . " Ice Cream Freeze ( Let 's Chill ) " has corresponding dance moves designed by Jamal Sims , which are heavily influenced by line dancing . It was first titled " Let 's Chill " and leaked into the Internet in November 2008 , along with six other songs from the soundtrack . The song first premiered on Radio Disney on May 22 , 2009 , in order to promote the soundtrack ; it was afterward released as a promotional single from Hannah Montana 3 on June 30 , 2009 , as part of Radio Disney 's iTunes Pass , an exclusive campaign launched by the iTunes Store .

= = Composition = =

" Ice Cream Freeze ( Let 's Chill ) " is country pop song with a length of three minutes and seven seconds . According to Allmusic , " Ice Cream Freeze ( Let 's Chill ) " contains dance @-@ pop and teen pop influences in its musical composition . Warren Truitt of About.com also cited dance music as the song 's " craze " . The song is set in common time and has a moderate dance groove tempo . It is written in the key of F major and it follows the chord progression F ? E ? ? B ? . Peter Larsen of The Orange County Register believed the song was " more or less literally is about ice cream and other frozen delights " , referencing the lines " Do the ice cream freeze , strike a pose / Can you do the milkshake / Shake it , shake it down low " .

= = Reception = =

= = = Critical reception = = =

The song garnered negative reactions from contemporary critics . Heather Phares of Allmusic said , " ' Ice Cream Freeze ( Let 's Chill ) , ' [ ... ] sounds extremely similar to the soundtrack 's ' Hoedown Throwdown . ' That feeling of familiarity extends to the songs that haven 't appeared anywhere else . " Warren Truitt of About.com agreed and described the song to be " silly " and " as awkwardly goofy " as " Hoedown Throwdown " . Peter Larsen of The Orange County Register identified the track to be a " crowd pleaser " .

= = = Chart performance = = =

On the week ending July 25 , 2009 , " Ice Cream Freeze ( Let 's Chill ) " debuted and peaked at number eighty @-@ seven on the Billboard Hot 100 ; in the succeeding week , it dropped from the chart . On the week ending 2009 , the song debuted and peaked at number fifty seven in the Canadian Hot 100 , thus becoming Cyrus ' second highest @-@ charting song as Montana in Canada . The song dropped to number one @-@ hundred in the following week and completely fell the week after . On the week ending August 1 , 2009 , " Ice Cream Freeze ( Let 's Chill ) " entered the UK Singles Chart as number ninety @-@ five . It marked Cyrus ' first entry in the country as Montana since " The Best Both Worlds " , which charted in March 2007 . On the week ending August 8 , 2009 , the song reached its peak on the chart at number ninety .

= = Live performances = =

Cyrus , dressed as Montana , premiered " Ice Cream Freeze ( Let 's Chill ) " , along with eight other songs , at the concert taping for the third season of Hannah Montana , which was set on October 10 in Irvine , California at the Verizon Wireless Amphitheatre . In the performance , Montana dressed in a tee shirt with a pink star , zebra patterned skirt , cowboy boots and a bejeweled vest and performed the corresponding choreography . Six backup dancers , also costumed by Western clothing , later appeared to perform . Peter Larsen of The Orange County Register recalled his two children enjoying the dance and referred to it as " probably one of the most popular of the eight new songs Miley performs tonight . " The performance was later released as the song 's music video on May 22 , 2009 , on Disney Channel .

= = Charts = =