

HORA NUȚII
(Muntenia, Romania)

The diminutive for the girl's name Elena or Ileana or Anca is Elenuța, Ileanuța, or Ancuța, or Nuța. The genitive form is Nutii, i.e., Nuta's Hora.

Pronunciation: HAW-rah NOOT-see

Record: "Romeense Volksdansen," Nevofoon 12153, side 2,
band 4. 2/4 meter.

Formation: Closed circle of M and W, hands joined in "W" pos.

MeasPattern

NO INTRODUCTION, or 16 meas.

- 1 Facing ctr and moving diag fwd L, step R (ct 1); step L (ct &); step R (ct 2); stamp L (ct &).
 - 2 Moving diag bkwd R, step L (ct 1); step R (ct &); step L (ct 2); stamp R (ct &).
 - 3 Facing ctr, step fwd R (ct 1); hop R (ct &); step bkwd L (ct 2); hop L (ct &).
 - 4 Moving sdwd R, step R (ct 1); step L in back (ct &); step R (ct 2); stamp L (ct &).
 - 5 Repeat action of meas 4, reversing ftwk and direction.
 - 6 Repeat action of meas 4.
 - 7 Moving L (RLOD), step L (ct 1); close R (ct &); step L (ct 2); stamp R, no wt (ct &).
 - 8 Stamp R, no wt (ct 1); stamp R, no wt (ct 2).
- arms start their downward swing to "V" pos*
arms start their upward swing with arms in "W" pos
Elbows are pulled down sharply on the stamps.

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