

ACANO MLADA NEVESTO--Skopje region (Line dance for couples)

Macedonia

Translation: Acana, Young Bride.

Rhythm: 11/16 (The Rhythm

4-and, 5-and, or "slow quick quick quick quick".

Record: Folkraft LP-15 side A band 6 (2:56).

Formation: Open or broken circle, or line, of couples, woman

on partner's right.

Starting Position: "V" position. Right foot free.



Music 11/16 Measure

PART I (Music AABB)

Facing slightly and moving right, lift on left foot (count 1),

Step forward on right foot (counts and-ah),

LIFT-STEP (right) forward (counts 2-3),

Turning to face center, leap sideward right on right foot (count 4),

Cross and step on left foot in back of right (count 5).

Turning to face slightly left but still moving right, LIFT-STEP

(left) backward (counts 1-and), pause (count "ah"),

Continuing, LIFT-STEP (right) backward (counts 2-3),

Turning to face slightly and moving right, two walking steps (right, left) forward (counts 4-5),

REPEAT pattern of measures 1-2 five more times (6 times in all),

PART II (Music CC)

Release hands, placing left hand akimbo and right hand taking handkerchief (which was stuck in own belt) to wave:

Wave:
13-20 Woman: REPEAT exactly the pattern of Part I, measures 1-2 (4 times in all), teasing man with Handkerchief.

13-20 Following partner, step forward on right foot, bending knees halway and opening arms, beckoning toward her (count 1),

Step forward on left foot (counts 2-3),

Straightening knees and rising, placing hands akimbo, two walking steps (right, left) forward (counts 4-5); and REPEAT seven times (8 times in all)



