

**VIII Counter Circling Step:**

Step AIV(1) (dosey do). Two simple forward running steps and two simple backward running steps. Boys keep backs to center of circle and girls keep backs toward outside of circle. Boys keep hands on small of back, and girls keep hands on hips as they circle around each other.

**IX Circling Step:**

Do step CI or CII four times. Partners circle each other face to face after arriving at original position, perform AIV(1) to finish dance. Couples follow one another off the floor in either counter-clockwise or clockwise direction.

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**Characteristics:** Gay; with small, quick, gliding springs.

**Formation:** Open circle, moving counter-clockwise with regular W handhold.

**Time:** 2/4

**Steps:**

- 1 { (% of a count) Cross r. in front of l.  
(% of a count) Step l. forward to l. oblique,  
weight on ball of l. f.
- 2 Bring r. up to, but behind, l. heel.
- 1 { (% of a count) Cross l. behind r.  
(% of a count) Side r., weight on ball of r. f.
- 2 Bring l. up to, but behind, r. heel.

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