

DAFINO VINO

Rhythm 11/8 – SQQQQ ; 7/8b - SQQ

From the village of Kavrakirovo, West Pirin Mountains

This is a men's led dance, which is done to the right side in a circle. The hands are held in W position. The leader waves a handkerchief. The main features of men's style of dancing in this area are high curves and large wide movements. LOD-right side in the circle.

The 2 meas. of 7/8b appear only on the Second meas. of the song. The instrumental part is in rhythm 11/8. The dance can be done only in 11/8 also.

Figure 1 - 4 meas.

Meas.1 –facing LOD

- 11/8**
- 1.Lift on L ft while R ft slowly goes from high curve and kick fwd to LOD
 - 2.Lift on L ft
 - 3.Step on R ft to LOD
 - 4.Lift on R ft while L ft does a very high curve from bkwd to fwd
 - 5.Step on L ft fwd to LOD

Meas.2 –facing LOD

- 7/8b**
- 1.Lift on L ft while R ft slowly goes from high curve to kick fwd to LOD
 - 2.Lift on L ft
 - 3.Step on R ft fwd to LOD while turning the body to facing center

- 7/8b**
- 1.Bending L ft very high-across the right foot
 - 2.Hold
 - 3.Hold

Meas.3-facing center

- 11/8**
- 1.Lift on R ft while kicking with L ft fwd
 - 2.Lift on R ft while bending L ft very high
 - 3.Step on L ft behind R ft
 - 4.Low leap onto R ft bkwd
 - 5.Step on L ft bkwd

Meas.4-facing LOD

- 11/8**
- 1.Step on R ft fwd to LOD
 - 2.Lift on R ft
 - 3.Step on L ft fwd to LOD
 - 4.Bending L knee while turning the body facing center and bending R knee across L ft
 - 5.Straighten L knee while turning the body and R knee to LOD

Sequence: Introduction – 8 meas. Repeat the figure to the end of the melody.

