

SHOE-SKIDOO

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RECORD: Hoedown #407-A

POSITION: Skaters

FOOTWORK: Identical throughout - sequence 3 times.

MEAS

PART A

- 1-4 WALK, TWO; FORWARD-CLOSE, BACK-CLOSE; WALK, TWO; FORWARD-CLOSE;
BACK-CLOSE;
In skaters position, both starting L, walk fwd two slow steps, L, R, then in quick time step fwd L, step R beside L with a lilt and step back on L, in place on R. Repeat moving fwd two slow steps, L, R, step fwd L, step R beside L with a lilt, step back L, step R in place.
- 5-8 SWAGGER, TWO; THREE, FOUR; TWO-STEP AWAY, TWO; THREE, FOUR;
Moving fwd in slow tempo, do four steps, L,R,L,R, with "swagger" and a little lilt (coming up on ball of supporting foot) just before stepping each time. Turn away from partner in four two-steps -- fast time -- M L-face, W R-face, in a small circle, coming back to skaters position, (for a real "soft shoe" treatment, add a little "brush" into each two-step).
- 9-16 Repeat meas. 1-8.

PART B

- 17-20 STEP-KICK, STEP, STEP; STEP-KICK, STEP, STEP; CROSS-FLARE, CROSS, STEP;
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Stepping diag, fwd twd wall on L, kick R, step back on R and step L in place while turning to face diag fwd twd COH. Step diag fwd twd COH on R, kick L, step back on L, step R in place as you face fwd LOD. Continuing to face fwd LOD, cross L over R, lift to ball of L as you flare R to side and across in front of L twd COH. Step L to side and again cross R in front twd COH. Flare L to side and across in front of R twd wall, step R to side.
- 21-24 Repeat meas. 17-20.

PART C

- 25-28 WALK, TWO; CROSS, 2, 3; WALK, TWO; TURN, 2, 3;
Walk fwd two slow steps, L, R, then in three quick steps L,R,L, W slides without turning from R to L side of M, progressing fwd as she does so. In this "inverted skaters" position with W on L side of M, walk fwd again two slow steps and with the three quick steps both make $\frac{1}{2}$ L-face turn on 1st quick count to regular skaters position facing RLOD and back up LOD the 2nd and 3rd quick steps. W is now on M's R side.
- 29-32 Repeat Meas. 25-28 moving RLOD, finishing to face fwd LOD.

Ending: Keep L hands joined and on last measure W turns away $\frac{3}{4}$ L-face to bow facing partner and wall. Change hand holds if you wish.