

ALUNELUL BATUT
 (Ah-loo-NEH-loo BAH-toot)
 (Romania)

Translation: Stamping Alunelul.
 Region: Oltenia.
 Performers: Mostly men, no ptrs.
 Formation: Line dance.
 Position: X position behind.
 Music: 2/4
 Record: Folkraft LP 32, Side A, band 4.

MeasPatternPART I

- 1-3 Moving directly fwd, take three 2-steps beginning with R ft (R,L,R; L,R,L; R,L,R).
 4 Moving bkwd, take two walking steps beginning on L (L,R).

PART II

- 1-2 Crossing step in place; step on L in place, step on R across L in front, step on L in place, step on R beside L; step again on L in place, step on R across L in front, step again on L while raising R ft slightly in the air in front (L,R,L,R; L,R,L).
 3-4 Repeat action of meas 1-2, Part II reversing direction and ftwork.
 5 Step on L in place, step on R across L in front, step on L in place, while raising R ft slightly in the air in front (L,R,L).
 6 Repeat action of meas 5, Part II reversing ftwork.
 7-8 Counter-timed stamping steps in place: step on L, stamp on R slightly fwd (without putting wt on R), step back on R beside L, stamp on L slightly fwd (without putting wt on it), step back on L beside R, stamp twice on R slightly fwd (without putting wt on it). (L,R; R,L; L,R,R).

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