

IRISH SPIRIT

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Level: Intermediate
Tempo: 128 Beats per Minute **Time:** 2:30 Minutes
Wait: 16 Beats
Order: A B C D E A B C D End

PART A (32 beats)

1 – Bonanza (left foot lead)
1 – Joey
1 – Charleston

1 – Bonanza (right foot lead)
1 – Joey
1 – Charleston

PART B (32 beats)

1 – Showoff
1 – Triple
1 – Drag & Skip

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1 – Drag & Skip

Part C (32 beats)

1 – Rooster Run
1 – Vine Rock Slur
1 – Turning Pushoff (full circle)
1 – Stomp Double

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PART D (32 beats)

2 – Cotton Eyed Joes
2 – Flea Flickers
1 – Basket Ball Turn with a Basic—1/2 Right
2 – Flea Flickers
1 – Basket Ball Turn with a Basic—1/2 Left
1 – Brake
1 – Slur Basic

(NOTE: Basket Ball Turn aka Toe Pivot Basic)

PART E (32 beats)

1 – Syncopated Step
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PART E (10 beats)

1 – Syncopated Step
1 – Triple
1 – Run Jump Touch

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STEP DESCRIPTIONS:

BONANZA

	XIF				XIB						
<u>DS</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>Dbl</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>Dbl</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>RS</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>Br</u>	<u>H</u>	
L	R	L	R	L	R	L	RL	R	L	R	
&a1	&a2	&a	3	&a	4	&a5	&6	&a7	&	8	

Repeat opposite footwork.

JOEY

	OTS	XIB	OTS	OTS	XIB	OTS	OTS				
<u>DB</u>	<u>Ball</u>	<u>Ball</u>	<u>Ball</u>	<u>Ball</u>	<u>Ball</u>	<u>Ball</u>	<u>Step</u>				
L	R	L	R	L	R	L	L				
&a1	&	2	&	3	&	4					

Repeat opposite footwork.

CHARLESTON

	IF			AT ARCH	IB						
<u>DS</u>	<u>Touch</u>	<u>Heel</u>	<u>Toe</u>	<u>Heel</u>	<u>Touch</u>	<u>Heel</u>					
L	R	L	R	R	L	R					
&a1	&	2	&	3	&	4					

Repeat opposite footwork.

SHOWOFF

	XIF	OTS	XIF	OTS							
<u>DS</u>	<u>RS</u>	<u>Sw</u>	<u>Sw</u>	<u>Sw</u>	<u>Sw</u>	<u>RS</u>	<u>Ba</u>	<u>Sl</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>RS</u>	
L	RL	R	R	R	R	RL	R	R	L	RL	
&a1	&2	&	3	&	4	&5	&	6	&a7	&8	

NOTE: Left heel click on Beats 3 and 4 when right leg is swinging out.

TRIPLE

<u>DS</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>RS</u>								
R	L	R	LR								
&a1	&a2	&a3	&4								

DRAG & SKIP

	(B)	(1/2 R)	(F)	(F)	(F)	(F)					
<u>Dr</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>Sl</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>Sl</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>Sl</u>	<u>S</u>				
R	L	L	R	R	L	L	R				
&	1	&	2	&	3	&	4				

ROOSTER RUN

	XIF	OTS	XIB	OTS	XIF						
<u>DS</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>Ba</u>	<u>Ba</u>	<u>Ba</u>	<u>Step</u>						
L	R	L	R	L	R						
&a1	&a2	&	3	&	4						

Repeat opposite footwork.

VINE ROCK SLUR

	XIB		OTS	Together							
<u>DS</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>R</u>	<u>H*</u>	<u>Slur</u>	<u>S</u>						
L	R	L	R	L	L						
&a1	&a2	&	3	&	4						

Repeat opposite footwork.

TURNING PUSHOFF (Turn full 360)

<u>DS</u>	<u>RS</u>	<u>RS</u>	<u>RS</u>								
R	LR	LR	LR								
&a1	&2	&3	&4								

Repeat opposite footwork.

STOMP DOUBLE

<u>Stomp</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>RS</u>								
L	R	L	RL								
1	&a2	&a3	&4								

Repeat opposite footwork.

COTTON EYED JOE

<u>Kick</u>	<u>Swing In/H</u>	<u>Kick</u>	<u>Swing Out/H</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>RS</u>						
L		L/R	L	L/R	L	RL					
&		1	&	2	&a3	&4					

This step can be done with a heel click, but is more commonly done with a drag/slide (shuffle) Repeat opposite footwork.

FLEA FLICKERS

<u>Dbl</u>	<u>Heel</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>Dbl</u>	<u>Heel</u>	<u>DS</u>						
L	R	L	R	L	R						
&a	1	&a2	&a	3	&a4						

Repeat opposite footwork.

BASKETBALL TURN aka Toe Pivot Basic

	FWD	1/2 Right	FWD								
(pause)	<u>Step</u>	<u>Pivot</u>	<u>Step</u>	<u>DS</u>	<u>RS</u>						
	L	L	R	L	RL						
&	1	&	2	&a3	&4						

BRAKE

(F)			(B)								
<u>DS/Brake</u>	(p)	<u>Kick/Step</u>	(p)	<u>S</u>	<u>RS</u>						
L/R		R/L		L	RL						
&a1	&	2	&	3	&4						

NOTE: The "brake".....right foot rolls forward to tip of toe.

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SLUR BASIC

DS	Slur	Step	DS	RS
R	L	L	R	LR
&a1	&	2	&a3	&4

SYNCOATED STEP

Step	DS	Step	DS	Step
L	R	L	R	L
1	&a2	&	a3&	4

RUN JUMP TOUCH

	(HOP)	XIF
DS	Jump	Touch
L	R	L

Abbreviations:

Ba = Ball
Bo = Bounce
Br = Brush
Dbl = Double
DB = Double Ball
Dr = Drag
DS = Double Step
Fla = Flange
H = Heel
H* = Heel takes Weight
HB = Heel Ball
HD = Heel Dig
H/T = Heel/Toe
K = Kick
(p) = Pause
R = Rock
RS = Rock Step
S = Step
Sl = Slide
Sto = Stomp
Sw = Swing
T = Toe
Tch = Touch

L = Left Foot
R = Right Foot

(B) = back
(F) = front
XIB = cross in back
XIF = cross in front
OTS = out to side