

## Samba Figures and Sources for How to Dance Them

The following figures are those standardized by Roundalab on behalf of the round dance movement. There are variations of these figures as well as unphased figures which are found in many dances.

Roundalab Standard Figures		
<b>Phase 4</b>		
Basic Forward & Back Box Copas (Copacabanas) Lazy Samba Turns Left Turns Marchessi Reverse Turn	Samba Runs Samba Walks Side Samba Walk Stationary Walks Traveling Back Locks Traveling Locks Volta	Circular Volta Criss Cross Volta Maypole Spot Volta Traveling Volta Turning Traveling Volta Whisks
<b>Phase 5</b>		
Bota Fogo Bota Fogo to Semi & Rev Semi Contra Bota Fogo	Corta Jaca Natural Roll Plait	Reverse Barrel Roll Shadow Bota Fogos Traveling Bota Fogos
<b>Phase 6</b>		
Cruzado	Rolling Off the Arm	

[Roundalab.org](http://Roundalab.org), defining figures on behalf of the round dance movement, offers subscriptions to Manuals (defining figures) and to Videos of each figure.

[ICBDA.com](http://ICBDA.com) provides to [members](#) a Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) manual with information about the more advanced figures (4-6) and has past convention clinic videos for sale.

### **Clinic Notes** from ICBDA Conventions (*Samba and Latin or Rhythm*)

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### **Samba**

<u>Year: Page</u>	<u>Presenter/s</u>	<u>Title</u>
2006: 98-99	Dwain & Judy Sechrist	"Character & Origin of Samba"
1999: 51-52	Pete & Mary McGee	"Samba"
1998: 58-59	Brent & Mickey Moore	"Where's the Bounce?"

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1997: 14	Kenji & Nobuko Shibata	"Let's Samba: Rhythmic Interpretation of Samba Figures"
1996: 58-59	Warren & Sandy Teague	"Samba Notes"
1993: 26-28	Brent & Mickey Moore	"Samba, Samba!!!"
1991: 63	Rod & Susan Anderson	"Samba Figure Clinic"

There may be some information in the following articles which pertain to Samba:

### Latin or Rhythm

<u>Year: Page</u>	<u>Presenter/s</u>	<u>Title</u>
2008: 66-67	Irv & Betty Easterday	"Who Leads? Who Follows" That Is the Question!: The Latin Way"
2007: 61-64	Sandi & Dan Finch	"Latin Technique"
2006: 76	Chris & Terri Cantrell	"Lead? Follow?"
2006: 100	Michael & Diana Sheridan	"Latin Problem Figures"
2005: 129-130	Al & Carol Lillifield	"The Latin Toolbox"
2005: 131-134	Brent & Judy Moore	"Using Your Arms to Decorate Your Dancing"
2004: 114-117	Chris & Terri Cantrell	"Latin Attitude"
1999: 42-43	Wayne & Barbara Blackford	"The ABC's of Dancing"
1999: 55-58	Jerry & Diana Broadwater	"What's the Difference: American vs. International Latins: Cha Cha, Rumba, Jive"
1998: 54	Bill & Carol Goss	"Learning Latin in Layers"
1998: 55	Curt & Tammy Worlock	"Twists and Turns of Latin Dance"
1997: 18-24	Richard E. Lamberty	"Footwork and Rise: Two Sides of the Same Coin"
1996: 33-37	Richard Lamberty	"Basic Latin Action"
1981: 15-17	Roy & Phyllis Stier	"Styling Clinic"