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Rock Essentials

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Rock Technique Builder

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Rotating Lick 2

We'll up the difficulty with a winder stretch for our second rotating lick. This lick is potentially more fiddly than the last as well, so please do take it slow. Remember that the lick is designed to play at speed, so there are only a few notes. Once you get the loop in your fingers, it's easy to start getting into that flow! Check it out in the **Guitar Tabs** section.

The lick is based in the E minor pentatonic box 1 as well as box 2, which you can see in the **Fretboard Diagrams**. We would recommend trying to **flatten your thumb on the back of the neck** for this lick, as it takes a good amount of stretching. The thumb over the top feel will make this a bit harder (although the advice is always to do what feels best for you!).

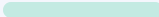


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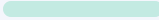
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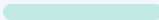
Up to this point, we've been diving into great rock tracks and working through all the skills, techniques and theories behind all of them. In this unit, we're going to take a break from learning full tracks and focus instead on building your technique.

Lessons:

-  Rotating Lick 1
-  Rotating Lick 2
-  Finger Strength 1
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UNIT 4

Slow Jam

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