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Ionian Solo

It's now time to take those 5 shapes and start to see how you can apply them to some Ionian soloing! This track works through a range of those shapes putting together a very melodic solo, in keeping with the Ionian theme. Your basic task is to really get your head around the licks, and the shapes that they are using. Along the way, we'll also push your lead guitar skills with some speedy, dynamic and vocal sounding licks.

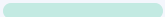
notice the pentatonic...

As you play the licks, notice how a lot of them are rooted within those pentatonic boxes, adding the 4th and 7th degrees to really highlight those key scale notes that make Ionian, Ionian! Let's take a look at the tab first in the guitar tab section.

In this lesson, we will be tackling licks 1 and 2 from the solo. These are all based around box 4 of the pentatonic and full scale in G major, exactly as we learnt them. Be sure you can visualise the shapes in the fretboard diagrams.

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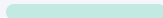
In this unit, we will be getting familiar with how this scale sounds and feels, and the important notes within this scale that give it its defining qualities.

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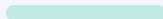
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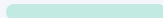
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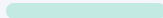
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