Basic Relative and Parallel Scales for Saxophone

Diatonc Scales of C Major and A Minor

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C Major, Scale degree I



Dominant Myxolydian, Scale degree V



Blues, elaboration of Myxoldian scale degree V with its Parallel Minor



Dorian Minor, Scale degree ii



Natural Minor, Scale degree vi



Harmonic Minor, Scale degree vi





C Major



Dominant, the V of F Major, b7



Blues, elaboration of the V of F Major, b7, b3, b5



Dorian Minor, the ii of Bb Major, b7 b3



Nautral (Parallel) Minor, the vi of Eb Major, b7 b3 b6



Harmonic Minor, for the the V7 of C Minor, Dominant G7b9





G Major, Scale degree I



Dominant Myxolydian, Scale degree V



Blues, elaboration of Myxoldian scale degree V with its Parallel Minor



Dorian Minor, Scale degree ii



Natural Minor, Scale degree vi



Harmonic Minor, Scale degree vi





G Major



Dominant, the V of C Major, b7



Blues, elaboration of the V of C Major, b7, b3, b5



Dorian Minor, the ii of F Major, b7 b3



Nautral (Parallel) Minor, the vi of Bb Major, b7 b3 b6



Harmonic Minor, for the the V7 of G Minor, Dominant D7b9





F Major, Scale degree I



Dominant Myxolydian, Scale degree V



Blues, elaboration of Myxoldian scale degree V with its Parallel Minor



Dorian Minor, Scale degree ii



Natural Minor, Scale degree vi



Harmonic Minor, Scale degree vi





F Major



Dominant, the V of Bb Major, b7



Blues, elaboration of the V of Bb Major, b7, b3, b5



Dorian Minor, the ii of Eb Major, b7 b3



Nautral (Parallel) Minor, the vi of Ab Major, b7 b3 b6



Harmonic Minor, for the the V7 of F Minor, Dominant C7b9





D Major, Scale degree I



Dominant Myxolydian, Scale degree V



Blues, elaboration of Myxoldian scale degree V with its Parallel Minor



Dorian Minor, Scale degree ii



Natural Minor, Scale degree vi



Harmonic Minor, Scale degree vi





D Major



Dominant, the V of G Major, b7



Blues, elaboration of the V of G Major, b7, b3, b5



Dorian Minor, the ii of C Major, b7 b3



Nautral (Parallel) Minor, the vi of F Major, b7 b3 b6



Harmonic Minor, for the the V7 of D Minor, Dominant A7b9





Bb Major, Scale degree I



Dominant Myxolydian, Scale degree V



Blues, elaboration of Myxoldian scale degree V with its Parallel Minor



Dorian Minor, Scale degree ii



Natural Minor, Scale degree vi



Harmonic Minor, Scale degree vi





Bb Major



Dominant, the V of Eb Major, b7



Blues, elaboration of the V of Eb Major, b7, b3, b5



Dorian Minor, the ii of Ab Major, b7 b3



Nautral (Parallel) Minor, the vi of Db Major, b7 b3 b6



Harmonic Minor, for the the V7 of Bb Minor, Dominant F7b9





A Major, Scale degree I



Dominant Myxolydian, Scale degree V



Blues, elaboration of Myxoldian scale degree V with its Parallel Minor



Dorian Minor, Scale degree ii



Natural Minor, Scale degree vi



Harmonic Minor, Scale degree vi





A Major



Dominant, the V of D Major, b7



Blues, elaboration of the V of D Major, b7, b3, b5



Dorian Minor, the ii of G Major, b7 b3



Nautral (Parallel) Minor, the vi of C Major, b7 b3 b6



Harmonic Minor, for the the V7 of A Minor, Dominant E7b9





Eb Major, Scale degree I



Dominant Myxolydian, Scale degree V



Blues, elaboration of Myxoldian scale degree V with its Parallel Minor



Dorian Minor, Scale degree ii



Natural Minor, Scale degree vi



Harmonic Minor, Scale degree vi





Eb Major



Dominant, the V of Ab Major, b7



Blues, elaboration of the V of Ab Major, b7, b3, b5



Dorian Minor, the ii of Db Major, b7 b3



Nautral (Parallel) Minor, the vi of Gb Major, b7 b3 b6



Harmonic Minor, for the the V7 of Eb Minor, Dominant Bb7b9



