

Bb Based Parallel Modes

Track by Kris Norris | Key of Bb

Here's a backing track that allows you to practice your modes. Each mode lasts for 8 bars. Then, the harmony switches to the next mode. The modes change in the order of the diatonic series.

Use the following modes with this track:

Ionian
Dorian
Phrygian
Lydian
Mixolydian
Aeolian
Locrian

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Bb BASED PARALLEL

DIATONIC MODES

Kris Norris

Standard tuning

Moderately ♩ = 120



*Piano arranged for gtr. - 00:00 + 02:04 + 04:04

Bb Ionian - Key of Bb major

Bb **Eb** **F7(b9)**

mf

T	6	(6)	4	6	6	8
A	6	(6)		4	4	7
B	8	(8)	7	7	7	10-10

Bb **Eb** **F**

[sounds 8va higher]

T	6	6	6	6	8	8	8	8	8	8
A	6	6	6	6	8	8	8	8	8	8
B	7	7	7	7	8	8	6	8	10	10

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Bb Dorian - Key of Ab major

Bb m **Eb/Bb** **Fm**

T	(6)	6	6	6	(6)	8
A	(6)	6	6	6	(8)	
B	(8)	8	8	8	(8)	10

[sounds 8va higher] **Bb m** **Eb** **Fm**

[sounds 8va higher]

T	6	9	6	(6)	4	6	6
A	6	11	8	(8)	5	6	6
B	8	10	8	(8)	8	8	8

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Bb Phrygian - Key of Gb major

Chords: Bb m, Cb maj7, Fm7(b5)

Chords: Bb m, Eb m, Cb maj7, Fm7(b5)

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Bb Lydian - Key of F major (Bb)

Chords: Dm 3, F/Bb

Chords: Bb, Eo7, (Bb)

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Bb Mixolydian - Key of Eb major

Chords: Bb-9, Eb/Bb, Fm/Bb

Chord progression: Bb, Eb, (Fm)

TAB: (6) (8), (6) (7) (8), (8) (8) (8), (8) (8) (8), 10 8 9 10 8

01:24 + 03:24 + 05:24
Bb Aeolian - Key of Db major
 Bb 7sus4 [sounds 8va higher] Eb m7/Bb

TAB: 11 9 10 8, 8, 7 6 8 6, 8 9 10

Chord progression: Bb sus, Eb m, Fm

TAB: 6 8 6, 8 8 8, 7 8, (7) (8) (8), 7 8 6, (6) (5) (6), 6 6 5

01:40 + 03:41 + 05:40
Bb (A#) Locrian - Key of B major
 (A#m7(b5)) Eb m/Bb E A#°7

TAB: (6) (5) (5), 6 5, 6 5 5, 7 8, 7 8, 7 9 8, 8 8 8

Chord progression: Eb m, E

TAB: 8 8 8, 8 8 8, 7 8, (7) (8) (8), 6, 7 9 8 6

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Four Bar Tag

F

F7

simile/ad lib on repeat

1-2.

F9 Bb

[sounds 8va higher- - - - -]

3.

F6 Bb

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