

All exercises designed to be played in all 12 major keys (try minor too!)

4-Mallet Exercises

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Chords

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Back Down Scale

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Detailed description: This section contains two staves of musical notation. The first staff shows measures 1 through 8, featuring a series of chords in a 4/4 time signature. The second staff, starting at measure 5, continues the exercise with a 'Back Down Scale' of chords.

Locs & Bagels

Up scale and back down

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Detailed description: This section contains two staves of musical notation for measures 9 through 12. The top staff features eighth-note patterns with fingerings 4 3 4 3 4 3 and 4 3 4 3. The bottom staff features eighth-note patterns with fingerings 1 2 1 2 and 1 2 1 2. The exercise is titled 'Locs & Bagels' and includes the instruction 'Up scale and back down'.

Bagels & Locs

Up scale and back down

13

Detailed description: This section contains two staves of musical notation for measures 13 through 16. The top staff features eighth-note patterns with fingerings 4 3 4 3 and 4 3 4 3. The bottom staff features eighth-note patterns with fingerings 1 2 1 2 and 1 2 1 2. The exercise is titled 'Bagels & Locs' and includes the instruction 'Up scale and back down'.

Scales in Thirds

17

*R R R R etc.
L L L L

21

Detailed description: This section contains two staves of musical notation for measures 17 through 20. The top staff shows chords in thirds with mallet assignments: *R R R R etc. and L L L L. The bottom staff shows a scale in thirds starting at measure 21.

*RH 12 Scales, then LH

Burritt Double Laterals

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2 3 4 1 2 3 2 3 4 1 2 3 2 3 4 4 3 2 3 2 1 4 3 2 3 2 1 4 3 2 3 2 1

1 2 3 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 3 2 3 2 1 1

Double Lateral Scales

30

2 3 4 1 2 3 4 2 3 4 1 2 3 4 2 4 3 2 1 4 3 2 4 3 2 1 4 3 2
 (1 2 3 4 1 2 3 1 2 3 4 1 2 4 2 4 2 1 4 3 2 1 4 2 1 4 3 2 1)

Stevens Octaves

*12 scales RH then 12 scales LH

34

*R R R R R R
 L L L L L L etc.

Moveable Scales

37

4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 3 4 3 4 3 4 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3

2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2

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3 4 3 4 3 4 3 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 3 4 3 4 3 4 3 3 4 3 4 3 4 3 4 4

2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 2