

Alto Saxophone

Giant Steps Exercise

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Fast!

Ab B7 E G7 Cmaj7 F#m7 B7 E G7 C Eb7 Abmaj7

Musical staff 1: Treble clef, 4/4 time signature. Chords: Ab, B7, E, G7, Cmaj7, F#m7, B7, E, G7, C, Eb7, Abmaj7.

Dm7 G7 Cmaj7 F#m7 B7 Emaj7 Bbm7 Eb7 Abmaj7 Dm7 G7 Cmaj7

Musical staff 2: Treble clef. Chords: Dm7, G7, Cmaj7, F#m7, B7, Emaj7, Bbm7, Eb7, Abmaj7, Dm7, G7, Cmaj7.

Bbm7 Eb7

Musical staff 3: Treble clef. Chords: Bbm7, Eb7.

Musical staff 4: Treble clef.

Musical staff 5: Treble clef.

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Ab B7 E G7 Cmaj7 F#m7 B7

Musical staff 6: Treble clef. Chords: Ab, B7, E, G7, Cmaj7, F#m7, B7.

E G7 C Eb7 Abmaj7 Dm7 G7

Musical staff 7: Treble clef. Chords: E, G7, C, Eb7, Abmaj7, Dm7, G7.

Cmaj7 F#m7 B7 Emaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

Musical staff 8: Treble clef. Chords: Cmaj7, F#m7, B7, Emaj7, Bbm7, Eb7.

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2 Ab B7 E G7 Cmaj7 F#m7 B7

E G7 C Eb7 Abmaj7 Dm7 G7 Cmaj7

F#m7 B7 Emaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

Abmaj7 Dm7 G7 Cmaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

3 Ab B7 E G7 Cmaj7 F#m7 B7 E G7

C Eb7 Abmaj7 Dm7 G7 Cmaj7 F#m7 B7

Emaj7 Bbm7 Eb7 Abmaj7

Dm7 G7 Cmaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

4 Ab B7 E G7 Cmaj7 F#m7 B7

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E G7 C Eb7 Abmaj7 Dm7 G7

Cmaj7 F#m7 B7 Emaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

Abmaj7 Dm7 G7 Cmaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

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Ab B7 E G7 Cmaj7 F#m7 B7

E G7 C Eb7 Abmaj7 Dm7 G7 Cmaj7

F#m7 B7 Emaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

Abmaj7 Dm7 G7 Cmaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

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Ab B7 E G7 Cmaj7 F#m7 B7

E G7 C Eb7 Abmaj7 Dm7 G7 Cmaj7

F#m7 B7 Emaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

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$A\flat\text{maj}7$ $Dm7$ $G7$ $C\text{maj}7$ $B\flat m7$ $E\flat7$

7 $A\flat$ $B7$ E $G7$ $C\text{maj}7$ $F\sharp m7$ $B7$

E $G7$ C $E\flat7$ $A\flat\text{maj}7$ $Dm7$ $G7$ $C\text{maj}7$

$F\sharp m7$ $B7$ $E\text{maj}7$ $B\flat m7$ $E\flat7$

$A\flat\text{maj}7$ $Dm7$ $G7$ $C\text{maj}7$ $B\flat m7$ $E\flat7$

8 $A\flat$ $B7$ E $G7$ $C\text{maj}7$ $F\sharp m7$ $B7$ E $G7$ C $E\flat7$ $A\flat\text{maj}7$

$Dm7$ $G7$ $C\text{maj}7$ $F\sharp m7$ $B7$ $E\text{maj}7$

$B\flat m7$ $E\flat7$ $A\flat\text{maj}7$ $Dm7$ $G7$ $C\text{maj}7$ $B\flat m7$ $E\flat7$

9 $A\flat$ $B7$ E $G7$ $C\text{maj}7$ $F\sharp m7$ $B7$

E $G7$ C $E\flat7$ $A\flat\text{maj}7$ $Dm7$ $G7$ $C\text{maj}7$ $F\sharp m7$ $B7$

Detailed description of the sheet music: The page contains nine measures of music for an Alto Saxophone. Each measure is represented by a staff with a treble clef and a key signature of two flats (Bb and Eb). Measure 1: Chords are Abmaj7, Dm7, G7, Cmaj7, Bbm7, and Eb7. Measure 2: Chords are Ab, B7, E, G7, Cmaj7, F#m7, and B7. Measure 3: Chords are E, G7, C, Eb7, Abmaj7, Dm7, G7, and Cmaj7. Measure 4: Chords are F#m7, B7, Emaj7, Bbm7, and Eb7. Measure 5: Chords are Abmaj7, Dm7, G7, Cmaj7, Bbm7, and Eb7. Measure 6: Chords are Ab, B7, E, G7, Cmaj7, F#m7, B7, E, G7, C, Eb7, and Abmaj7. Measure 7: Chords are Dm7, G7, Cmaj7, F#m7, B7, and Emaj7. Measure 8: Chords are Bbm7, Eb7, Abmaj7, Dm7, G7, Cmaj7, Bbm7, and Eb7. Measure 9: Chords are Ab, B7, E, G7, Cmaj7, F#m7, B7, E, G7, C, Eb7, and Abmaj7. A triplet of eighth notes is indicated in measure 6. The music consists of eighth and quarter notes, with some rests and ties.

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Emaj7 Bbm7 Eb7 Abmaj7

12 $A\flat$ B^7 E G^7 $Cmaj^7$ $F\sharp m^7$ B^7

E G^7 C $E\flat^7$ $A\flat maj^7$ Dm^7 G^7 $Cmaj^7$

$F\sharp m^7$ B^7 $E maj^7$ $B\flat m^7$ $E\flat^7$ $A\flat maj^7$

Dm^7 G^7 $Cmaj^7$ $B\flat m^7$ $E\flat^7$

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13 $A\flat$ B^7 E G^7 $Cmaj^7$ $F\sharp m^7$ B^7

E G^7 C $E\flat^7$ $A\flat maj^7$ Dm^7 G^7 $Cmaj^7$

$F\sharp m^7$ B^7 $E maj^7$ $B\flat m^7$ $E\flat^7$ $A\flat maj^7$

Dm^7 G^7 $Cmaj^7$ $B\flat m^7$ $E\flat^7$

14 $A\flat$ B^7 E G^7 $Cmaj^7$ $F\sharp m^7$ B^7

E G^7 C $E\flat^7$ $A\flat maj^7$ Dm^7 G^7 $Cmaj^7$

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F#m7 B7 Emaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

Abmaj7 Dm7 G7 Cmaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

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Ab B7 E G7 Cmaj7 F#m7 B7 E G7

C Eb7 Abmaj7 Dm7 G7 Cmaj7 F#m7 B7

Emaj7 Bbm7 Eb7 Abmaj7

Dm7 G7 Cmaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

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Ab B7 E G7 Cmaj7 F#m7 B7

E G7 C Eb7 Abmaj7 Dm7 G7 Cmaj7

F#m7 B7 Emaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

Abmaj7 Dm7 G7 Cmaj7 Bbm7 Eb7

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17 $A\flat$ B^7 E G^7 C^{maj7} $F\sharp m^7$ B^7 E G^7

C $E\flat^7$ $A\flat^{maj7}$ Dm^7 G^7 C^{maj7}

$F\sharp m^7$ B^7 E^{maj7} $B\flat m^7$ $E\flat^7$

$A\flat^{maj7}$ Dm^7 G^7 C^{maj7} $B\flat m^7$ $E\flat^7$

18 $A\flat$ B^7 E G^7 C^{maj7} $F\sharp m^7$ B^7 E G^7

C $E\flat^7$ $A\flat^{maj7}$ Dm^7 G^7 C^{maj7}

$F\sharp m^7$ B^7 E^{maj7} $B\flat m^7$ $E\flat^7$

$A\flat^{maj7}$ Dm^7 G^7 C^{maj7} $B\flat m^7$ $E\flat^7$