

Sophisticated Blues (Study 1 - Rhythm)

♩ = 92 Swing 16ths

Part 1a: Funky 16ths Blues (Arpeggio Riffs)

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Musical notation for measures 1-3. Chords: G7, C7, G7. Includes a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 4/4 time signature. The bass staff shows guitar tablature with fret numbers and a 1/4 note pickup mark.

Musical notation for measures 4-6. Chords: G7, C7. Includes a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 4/4 time signature. The bass staff shows guitar tablature with fret numbers and a 1/4 note pickup mark.

Musical notation for measures 7-9. Chords: G7, G7, D7. Includes a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 4/4 time signature. The bass staff shows guitar tablature with fret numbers.

Musical notation for measures 10-12. Chords: C7, G7, D7. Includes a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 4/4 time signature. The bass staff shows guitar tablature with fret numbers and a 1/4 note pickup mark.

Part 1b: Funky 16ths Blues (9th Chords & Sidestepping)

13 G⁹ C⁹ G⁹ A^{b9}

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T	3 3 3 3	3 3	3 3 3 3	3 3	3 3 3 3	3 3	3 3 3 3	3	4
A	2 2 2 2	2 2	2 2 2 2	2 2	2 2 2 2	2 2	2 2 2 2	2	3
B	2 2 2 2	2 2	2 2 2 2	2 2	2 2 2 2	2 2	2 2 2 2	2	3

16 G⁹ C⁹ B⁹ C⁹

T	3 3 3 3	3 3	3 3 3 3	3 2	3 3 3 3	8 8	8 8
A	2 2 2 2	2 2	2 2 2 2	2 1	2 2 2 2	7 7	7 7
B	2 2 2 2	2 2	3 3 3 3	3 2	3 3 3 3	8 8	7 7

19 G⁹ A^{b9} G⁹ G¹³ D⁹ D^{b9}

T	10 10 10 10	10 11	10 10 10 10	8 8	10 10 10 10	10 9	9 8
A	10 10 10 10	10 11	10 10 10 10	9 9	9 9 9 9	9 8	8 8
B	9 9 9 9	9 10	9 9 9 9	9 9	10 10 10 10	10 9	9 8
B	10 10 10 10	10 11	10 10 10 10	8 8	9 9 9 9	9 8	8 8

22 C⁹ F⁹ F^{#9} G⁹ (D⁷)

T	8 8 8 8	8 9	10 10 10 10	10 10	12 10	10 12	12 12
A	7 7 7 7	8 9	10 10 10 10	10 10	12 10	10 12	12 12
B	8 8 8 8	7 8	9 9 9 9	9 9	12 10	10 12	9 12
B	7 7 7 7	7 8	9 9 9 9	9 9	12 10	10 12	9 12