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A New Approach to Jazz Improvisation by Jamey Aebersold

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INTRODUCTION

The tunes on this album represent the essence of the New York bebop sound as recorded by the Blue Note label . . . the last decade or so that it was run by the original owners, Alfred Lion and Francis Wolff. Many of the tracks show the influence of Miles Davis through his sidemen: John Coltrane, Cannonball Adderley, Hank Mobley and Art Blakey. Miles himself recorded for Blue Note in the early fifties.

In 1957, John Coltrane got a release from his exclusive contract with Prestige to make one album for Blue Note. This was a pivotal time for him, as he was getting his personal life together while a steady gig with Thelonious Monk enabled him to move permanently to New York. The album, Blue Train, is considered one of his finest, and the four originals from it are included here. The title track and Locomotion are blues (the latter has a bridge); Lazy Bird and Moment's Notice show experiments with chords that would culminate with Giant Steps (Play-A-Long Volume 28).

Several months later Cannonball Adderley recorded his only album for Blue Note (Miles got a release from his Columbia contract to appear as a sideman), represented here by **One for Daddy-O**, a minor blues tribute to Chicago disc jockey Daddy-O Daylie. Hank Mobley, who replaced Coltrane in the Davis group, wrote **This I Dig of You** for the **Soul Station** LP and **Home At Last** for a 1970 session. Art Blakey appeared on a number of Davis records in the early fifties, but he was an established leader by the time he recorded Wayne Shorter's **El Toro** in 1961.

The other tunes on this album are identified with several jazzmen whose careers first flourished on Blue Note in the early sixties. Freddie Hubbard's first solo album, Ready for Freddie, included Wayne Shorter's Marie Antoinette as well as the leader's Crisis. Joe Henderson's debut album Page One yielded Blue Bossa by Kenny Dorham as well as Joe's own Recorda-Me; Joe's Inner Urge LP included the title cut and Isotope, both Henderson originals. Trumpeter Blue Mitchell kept Horace Silver's old group together by hiring the then-unknown Chick Corea on piano when Horace organized a new group; Corea supplied Chick's Tune, a variation on You Stepped Out of A Dream. Stanley Turrentine's greatest successes were ahead of him when he wrote Shirley for a 1964 date. And Lee Morgan, a longtime Blue Note artist, wrote the attractive bossa nova Ceora for his Cornbread album in 1965.

From a playing point of view, these tunes represent the best of the hard bop techniques that are still being explored in the mid-eighties. Historically, they depict the heyday of the Blue Note label in the late fifties and early sixties.

Phil Bailey January, 1986

DISCOGRAPHY

NOTE: Many of these recordings are out of print; However, with the revitalization of the Blue Note label most of the original recordings by the original artists are once again available. Probable original recording is marked *.

Blue Train (1957)

J. Coltrane (Blue Note 81577*)

El Toro (1961)

A. Blakey (Blue Note 84156*)

One for Daddy-O (1958)

C. Adderley (Blue Note 81595*)

Crisis (1961)

A. Blakey (Blue Note 84090)

W. Herman (RCA BGL2-2203)

F. Hubbard (Blue Note 84085*)

F. Hubbard (Columbia KC 33048)

This I Dig of You (1960)

H. Mobley (Blue Note 84031*)

Shirley (1964)

S. Turrentine (Blue Note LT 1075*)

Inner Urge (1964)

J. Henderson (Blue Note 84189*)

M. Miller (Landmark LLP 1507)

Isotope (1964)

J. Henderson (Blue Note 84189*; Miles. 9024)

Lazy Bird (1957)

J. Coltrane (Blue Note 81577*)

C. Earland (Prestige 10029)

B. Hardman (Muse 5184)

W. Herman (Fantasy 9452)

P. Martino (Prestige 7562)

P. Robertson (Palo Alto 8013)

M. Tyner (Atlantic 1696)

Moment's Notice (1957)

J. Coltrane (Blue Note 81577*)

C. Corea/L. Hampton (WWJ 21016)

P. D'Rivera (Columbia FC-38177)

S. Giordano (Muse 5211)

D. Gordon (Columbia PC-35608)

J. Griffith Trio (Workshop Jazz 205)

B. James (Mercury SR 60768)

B. Rich (WWJ 21006)

G. Russell (Decca DL (7)9220

M. Tyner (Miles. 55003)

Ceora (1965)

L. Morgan (Blue Note 84222*)

Locomotion (1957)

J. Coltrane (Blue Note 81577*)

Home At Last (1970)

H. Mobley (Blue Note LT 1045*)

B. Forman (Muse 5315)

Marie Antoinette (1961)

F. Hubbard (Blue Note 84085*)

Solar Energy (Omnisound N-1029)

Blue Bossa (1963)

G. Benson, etc. (ACD SN-7113)

W. Bishop Jr. (Black Jazz)

N. Brignola (Sea Breeze 2003)

R. Brown Trio (Concord 102)

K. Burrell (Concord 121)

R. Cole (Muse 5245)

R. Davis (Muse 5093)

Defunkt (HBL 1311)

A. Farmer (Mainstream MRL 322)

T. Flanagan (Pablo 2310 854; 2308 202)

J. Henderson (Blue Note 84140*; Miles. 9028; 9047)

Jackson/Pass/Brown (Pablo 2310 757)

P. Martino (Muse 5075)

Nashville Jazz Machine (AM-PM AM-14)

Chick's Tune (1964)

B. Mitchell (Blue Note 84178*)

Recorda-Me (1963)

Blue Wisp Big Band (WKRC-TV 106078X)

C. Earland (Bellaphon: 6562; listed as No me esqueca)

J. Henderson (Blue Note 84140*; Miles. 9034;

latter listed as No me esqueca)

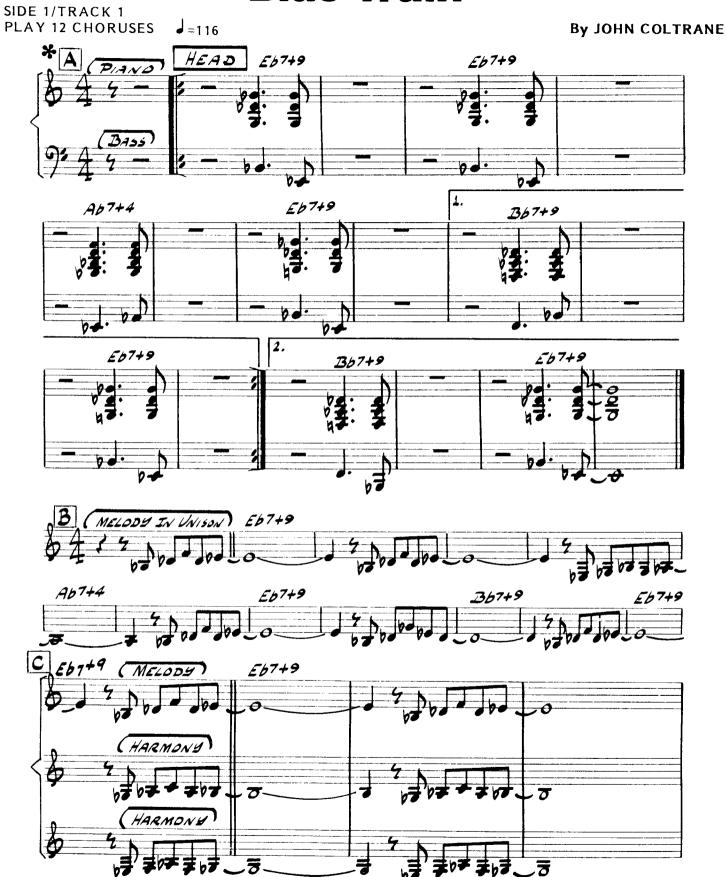
NOTE: The following recordings are based on the chord changes of LAZY BIRD:

E.T.A. (Art Blakey: Concord 168.)

Trane Changes (S. Jones: Xanadu 150)

Blue Train









El Toro



SIDE 1/TRACK 2
PLAY 17 CHORUSES ==208

By WAYNE SHORTER



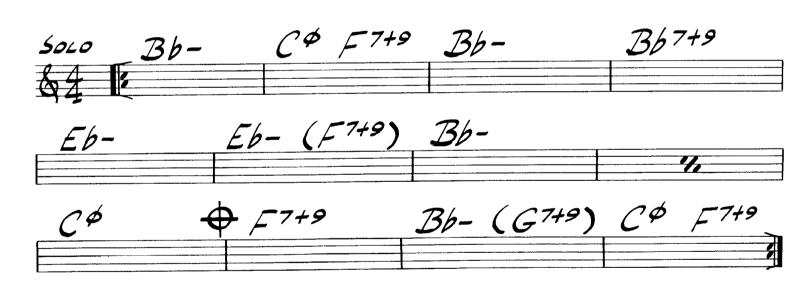
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One For Daddy-O

By NAT ADDERLEY







Crisis



SIDE 1/TRACK 4
PLAY 4 CHORUSES =172

By FREDDIE HUBBARD



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This I Dig of You

SIDE 2/ TRACK 1 PLAY 11 CHORUSES

J=224

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Shirley



SIDE 2/TRACK 2 PLAY 4 CHORUSES

=112

By STANLEY TURRENTINE



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Inner Urge

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Isotope



SIDE 2/TRACK 4 PLAY 23 CHORUSES

J = 188

By JOE HENDERSON

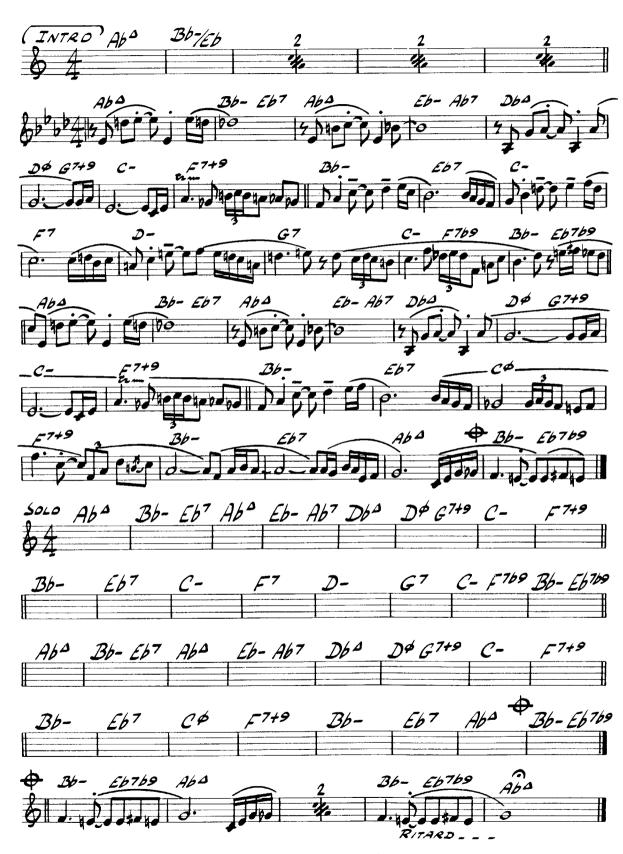






Ceora

By LEE MORGAN



Locomotion



SIDE 3/TRACK 2
PLAY 8 CHORUSES =232

By JOHN COLTRANE

[This is a blues with a bridge. The form is AABA. The "A" sections are the blues and the "B" section is the bridge.]



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Home At Last

SIDE 3/TRACK 3
PLAY 4 CHORUSES ==114

By HANK MOBLEY



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Marie Antoinette



SIDE 3/TRACK 4 PLAY 15 CHORUSES

J=196

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Blue Bossa

SIDE 4/TRACK 1 PLAY 14 CHORUSES

=208

By KENNY DORHAM



Lazy Bird

By JOHN COLTRANE



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Moment's Notice

SIDE 4/TRACK 3 PLAY 8 CHORUSES

J=240

By JOHN COLTRANE



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Chick's Tune



By CHICK COREA



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Recorda-Me

SIDE 4/TRACK 5 PLAY 14 CHORUSES

=184

By JOE HENDERSON



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INTRODUCTION TO SCALE SYLLABUS

Each chord/scale symbol (C7, C \rightarrow , C \triangle +4, etc.) represents a series of tones which the improvisor can use when improvising or soloing. Scales and chords are the backbone of our music and the better you equip yourself, the more fun you will have playing music. These series of tones have traditionally been called scales.

I list the scales in the Scale Syllabus in the same key (C) so you can have a frame of reference and can compare their similarities and differences. You are urged to write and practice them in all twelve keys.

Be sure to listen to David Liebman soloing on all of these scales in the Scale Syllabus – Volume 26. It can really help one's ears to hear what these scales actually sound like with saxophone and piano. His transcribed solos are also available in book form.

This Scale Syllabus is intended to give the improvisor a variety of scale choices which may be used over any chord—major, minor, dominant 7th, half-diminished and diminished. Western music, especially jazz and pop, uses major, dominant 7th, dorian minor scales and chords and the Blues scale more than any other. Scales and chords used less often are the half-diminished and diminished. If we agree on these five chord/scale families as being the most predominant, then we can set them up as categories and list substitute scales beneath each heading . . . see Scale Syllabus page.

Each category begins with the scale most clearly resembling the chord/scale symbol given to the left. The scales are arranged according to the degree of dissonance they produce in relation to the basic chord/scale sound. Scales near the top of each category will sound mild or consonant and scale choices further down the list will become increasingly tense or dissonant. Each player is urged to start with the scales at the top and with practice and experimentation gradually work his way down the list to the more dissonant or tension producing scales. You should work with a new scale sound on your instrument until your ears and fingers become comfortable with all the tones in the scale. Also try singing the scale with your voice. Improvise with your voice over the scale you are learning and then play on your instrument what your voice sang.

Music is made of tension and release. Scale tones produce tension or they produce relaxation. The improvisor's ability to control the amount and frequency of tension and release will in large measure determine whether he is successful in communicating to the listener. Remember – you, the player are also a listener! Read in Volume 1 – A New Approach To Jazz Improvisation for a more detailed explanation of tension and release in melodic development.

Any of the various practice procedures and patterns listed in Volumes 1, 2, 3, 21 or 24 can be applied to the learning and assimilation of any of the scale choices listed in this Scale Syllabus. Needless to say, any scale you want to learn should be transposed and practiced in all twelve keys. The column on whole and half step construction I have listed for each scale on the syllabus should prove helpful when transposing a scale to any of the twelve keys.

For additional information on scale substitution, I recommend Scales For Jazz Improvisation by Dan Haerle, Jazz Improvisation by David Baker, Patterns for Jazz and Complete Method for Jazz Improvisation by Jerry Coker, the Repository of Scales & Melodic Patterns by Yusef Lateef and the Lydian Chromatic Concept by George Russell. These books are available from Jamey Aebersold, 1211 Aebersold Drive, New Albany, IN 47150 U.S.A. or possibly at your local music store.

Several play-a-long sets offer you an opportunity to practice the various scales in all twelve keys. They are: Vol. 24 – Major & Minor; Vol. 21 – Gettin' It Together; Vol. 16 – Turnarounds, Cycles & II/V7's; Vol. 42 – Blues In All Keys and Vol. 47 – "Rhythm" In All Keys.

SCALE SYLLABUS

LEGEND: H = Half Step, W = Whole Step. Δ = Major 7th; + or # = raise H; b or - = lower H; Ø = Half-diminsihed; -3 = 3H (Minor Third)

CHORD/SCALE SYMBOL	D,W = Whole Step. Δ = Major /th; + or $-$ SCALE NAME.	# = raise H; b or - = lower WHOLE & HALF STEP	SCALE IN KEY OF C	
C C7 C-CØ C° FIVE BASIC CATEGORIES	Major Dominant 7th Minor(Dorian) Half Diminished(Locrian) Diminished(8 tone scale)	CONSTRUCTION W W H W W W H W W H W W H W W H W W H W H W W H W W H W W H W W H	CDEFGABC CDEFGABbC CDEbFGABbC CDbEbFGbAbBbC CDEbFGbAbABC	IN KEY OF C CEGBD CEGBbD CEbGBbD CEbGbBb CEbGbA(Bbb)
1.MAJOR SCALE	SCALE NAME	W & H CONSTRUCTION	SCALE IN KEY OF C	BASIC CHORD IN KEY OF C
CHOICES CΔ(Can be written C) CΔ+4 CΔ CΔb6 CΔ+5, +4 C	Major(don't emphasize the 4th) Lydian(major scale with +4) Bebop Scale Harmonic Major Lydian Augmented Augmented 6th Mode of Harmonic Minor Diminished(begin with H step) Blues Scale Major Pentatonic	W W H W W W H W W W H W W H W W H W H -3 H W W W W H W H -3 H -3 H -3 H -3 H W H W W H H W H W H W H W -3 W H H -3 W W W -3 W -3	CDEFGABC CDEF#GABC CDEFGG#ABC CDEFGAbBC CDEF#G#ABC CD#EGAbBC CD#EGAbBC CD#EF#GABC CDbD#EF#GABC CEbFF#GBbC CDEGAC	CEGBD CEGBD CEGBD CEGBD CEGBD CEGBD CEGBD CEGBD CEGBD CEGBD
2.DOMINANT 7th	SCALE NAME	W & H CONSTRUCTION	SCALE IN KEY OF C	BASIC CHORD IN KEY OF C
SCALE CHOICES C7 C7 C7 b9 C7+4 C7b6 C7+ (has #4 & #5) C7b9(also has #9 & #4) C7+9(also has b9, #4, #5) C7 C7 DOMINANT 7th SUSPENDED 4th	Dominant 7th Bebop Scale Spanish or Jewish scale Lydian Dominant Hindu Whole Tone(6 tone scale) Diminished(begin with H step) Diminished Whole Tone Blues Scale Major Pentatonic	W W H W W H W W W H W W H H H H -3 H W H W W W W W H W H W W W W W W W W W W W	CDEFGABbC CDEFGABbBC CDbEFGABbBC CDEF#GABbC CDEFGABBC CDEFGABBC CDEF#GABBC CDEF#GABBC CDbD#EF#GABbC CDbD#EF#GBBC CDb D# CCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCCC	CEGBbD CEGBbD CEGBbD CEGBbD CEGBbD CEGBbD CEGBbD CEGBbD CEGBBDD CEGBBDD CEGBBDD CEGBBDD(D#) CEGBBDD(D#) CEGBBDD(D#)
C7 sus 4	Dom. 7th scale but don't emphasize the third Major Pentatonic built on b7 Bebop Scale	W W H W W H W W W -3 W -3 W W H W W H H H	CDEFGABbC BbCDFGBb CDEFGABbBC	CFGBbD CFGBbD CFGBbD
3.MINOR SCALE CHOICES*	SCALE NAME	W & H CONSTRUCTION	SCALE IN KEY OF C	BASIC CHORD IN KEY OF C
C- or C-7 C- or C-7 C-Δ (maj. 7th) C- or C-7 C- or C-7 C- or C-7 C-Δ (b6 & maj. 7th) C- or C-7 C- or C-59b6 C- or C-b6	Minor(Dorian) Bebop Scale Melodic Minor(ascending) Bebop Minor Blues Scale Pentatonic(Minor Pentatonic) Harmonic Minor Diminished(begin with W step) Phrygian Pure or Natural Minor, Aeolian	W H W W W H W W H H H W W H W W H W W W H W H W W H H W H -3 W H H -3 W -3 W W -3 W W H W W H -3 H W H W H W H W H H W W W H W W W H W W H W W	CDEbFGABbCCDEbFGABCCDEbFGABCCDEbFGG#ABCCEbFF#GBbCCCDEbFGAbBCCDEbFGAbBCCCDEbFGAbBCCCDEbFGAbBCCCDEbFGAbBbCCCDEbFGAbBbC	CEBGBBDF CEBGBDF CEBGBD CEBGBD CEBGBDD CEBGBBD CEBGBDD CEBGBDF CEBGBDF CEBGBDF CEBGBDF CEBGBDF CEBGBDF
4.HALF DIMINISHED SCALE CHOICES	SCALE NAME	W & H CONSTRUCTION	SCALE IN KEY OF C	BASIC CHORD IN KEY OF C
CØ#2 CØ(with or without #2)	Half Diminished(Locrian) Half Diminished #2(Locrian #2) Bebop Scale	HWWHWWW WHWHWWW HWWHHHWW	C Db Eb F Gb Ab Bb C C D Eb F Gb Ab Bb C C Db Eb F Gb G Ab Bb C	C Eb Gb Bb C Eb Gb Bb D C Eb Gb Bb
5.DIMINISHED SCALE CHOICES	SCALE NAME	W & H CONSTRUCTION	SCALE IN KEY OF C	BASIC CHORD IN KEY OF C
Co	Diminished(8 tone scale)	WHWHWH	C D Eb F Gb Ab A B C	

NOTE: The above chord symbol guide is my system of notation. I feel it best represents the sounds I hear in jazz. The player should be aware that each chord symbol represents a series of tones called a scale. Even though a C7+9 would appear to have only a raised 9th, it also has a b9, +4 & +5. The entire C7+9 scale would look like: Root, b9, +9, 3rd, +4, +5, b7 & root (C, Db, D#, E, F#, G#, Bb, C). My chord symbol abbreviation is C7+9 and the name of this scale is Diminished Whole Tone sometimes called Super Locrian or Altered Scale.

C7b9 appears to have only one altered tone (b9) but actually has three: b9, +9 and +4. The entire scale looks like this: Root b9, +9

C7b9 appears to have only one altered tone (b9) but actually has three: b9, +9 and +4. The entire scale looks like this: Root, b9, +9, 3rd, +4, 5th, 6th, b7 & root (C, Db, D#, E, F#, G, A, Bb, C). This is called a Diminished scale and my chord symbol abbreviation is C7b9.

All scales under the Dominant 7th category are scales that embellish the basic Dominant 7th sound. Some scales provide much more tension than the basic dominant 7th sound and require practice and patience to grasp the essence of their meaning. I encourage you to work with the first side of Volume 3 "The II–V7–I Progression" since it emphasizes Diminished and Diminished Whole Tone scales and chords. *- In category #3, MINOR SCALE CHOICES, the PURE MINOR scale choice is not used very often. I have found the order of preference to be Dorian, Bebop, Melodic, Blues, Pentatonic, and then any of the remaining Minor scale choices.