

Blues In The Closet

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Blues in the Closet is a 12-bar blues with a motific melody. One melody note gets changed in measure 5 so that the melody matches the chord changes. This was originally played with a medium-slow swing feel.

For your use

Supplemental Material - Blues In The Closet

Sample Piano Voicings

Basic 3-note voicings

Rootless voicings

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D ⁷	G ⁷
E _M I ⁷	A ⁷
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E _M I ⁷	A ⁷
Fingerings: $\begin{matrix} b7 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{matrix}$	Fingerings: $\begin{matrix} 3 \\ b7 \\ 1 \end{matrix}$
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Fingerings: $\begin{matrix} 3 \\ b7 \\ 1 \end{matrix}$	Fingerings: $\begin{matrix} 9 \\ b7 \\ 3 \end{matrix}$
Fingerings: $\begin{matrix} 3 \\ b7 \\ 1 \end{matrix}$	Fingerings: $\begin{matrix} 5 \\ b3 \\ b7 \end{matrix}$
Fingerings: $\begin{matrix} 5 \\ 3 \\ b7 \end{matrix}$	Fingerings: $\begin{matrix} 9 \\ b7 \\ 3 \end{matrix}$

Useful Scales

D Blues Scale

Sample Bass Line