

Linear Scales

Level: Intermediate

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Ex.1 - A minor (Lead with 1st Finger)

T 5 7 8 7 8 10 8 10 12 10 12 13 12 13 15 13 15 17

A

B

T 13 15 17 12 13 15 10 12 13 8 10 12 7 8 10 5 7 8 5

A

B

Ex. 2 - A minor (Lead with 4th Finger)

T 8 7 5 10 8 7 12 10 8 13 12 10 15 13 12 17 15 13

A

B

T 17 15 13 15 13 12 13 12 10 12 10 8 10 8 7 8 7 5

A

B

Ex. 3 - A minor 2-String Pattern

T 5 8 6 5 6 8 7 10 8 6 8 10 8 12 10 8 10 12 10 13 12 10 12 13

A 12 15 13 12 13 15 13 17 15 13 15 17 15 18 17 15 17 18 20 18 17 18 20

B

Ex. 4 - A minor Legato

T 8 7 5 8 6 5 6 8 5 7 8 10 8 7 10 8 6 8 10 7 8 10 12 10 8 12 10 8 10 12 8 10 12 13 12 10 13 12 10 12 13 10 12 13

A 12 10 8 12 10 8 10 12 8 10 12 13 12 10 13 12 10 12 13 10 12 13

B

P P P P H H H H sl. P P P P H H H H sl. P P P P H H H H sl. P P P P H H H H

All these exercises and patterns can be transposed in to other keys, experiment and work them in to your lead playing!