

Tangos Explained Compas Materials

For the compás lessons I feel strongly that it is better to learn from the videos than from notation or TABs, therefore some but not all sections from the Compás videos are notated

-Traditional

From Tangos Basic
Compás Video at 26:29

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i i c a m i

i m i i m i i i i

T	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A	5	4	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
B	5	4	3	2	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

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i i i i a m i i i i

T	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
A	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	2	2	X	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	2	2
B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
B	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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T	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
A	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	
B	X	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	X	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
B	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
B	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

2
10

T
A
B

13

T
A
B

16

T
A
B

19

T
A
B

22

T
A
B

25

T
A
B

28

T
A
B

31

T
A
B

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Tangos Compas 2 Video at 12:37

Tangos Compas 2 Video at 18:02

34

Musical notation for measures 34-37. The top staff shows a treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a 3-measure triplet. The bottom staff shows guitar tablature for strings T, A, and B. Measure 34 starts with an 'X' on the A string. Measure 37 ends with an 'X' on the B string.

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Musical notation for measures 38-39. The top staff shows a treble clef. The bottom staff shows guitar tablature for strings T, A, and B. Measure 39 has an 'X' on the A string.

40

Musical notation for measures 40-42. The top staff shows a treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The bottom staff shows guitar tablature for strings T, A, and B. Measure 42 has an 'X' on the A string.

43

Musical notation for measures 43-45. The top staff shows a treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The bottom staff shows guitar tablature for strings T, A, and B. Measure 45 has an 'X' on the A string.

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T
A
B

64

T
A
B

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Tangos Compas 2 Video at 21:44

T
A
B

71

T
A
B

