

IT AIN'T EASY GOIN' GREEN BY

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JAZZ ENSEMBLE

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INSTRUMENTATION

ALTO SAX 1

ALTO SAX 2

TENOR SAX 1

TENOR SAX 2

BARITONE SAX

TRUMPET 1

TRUMPET 2

TRUMPET 3

TRUMPET 4

TROMBONE 1

TROMBONE 2

TROMBONE 3

TROMBONE 4

PIANO/GUITAR

BASS

DRUMS

THE PARTS LISTED BELOW ARE OPTIONAL AND MAY BE ADDED TO EXPAND YOUR ENSEMBLE

FLUTE (OPTIONAL)

CLARINET (OPTIONAL)

FRENCH HORN (OPTIONAL)

TUBA (OPTIONAL)



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FULL SCORE

Easy Bossa @ 120

The musical score is arranged for a full band. The saxophone section (Alto Sax 1 & 2, Tenor Sax 1 & 2, Bari Sax) plays a melodic line with various articulations. The trumpet section (Trumpet 1-4) and trombone section (Trombone 1-4) provide harmonic support. The piano and guitar play chords, with the guitar part including a solo section for Trombone 1. The bass and drums provide a steady rhythmic foundation.

Chord progression for Piano and Guitar:

- Measures 1-2: EbMaj9
- Measures 3-4: Ab9
- Measures 5-6: D7b9
- Measures 7-8: Gm6
- Measures 9-10: Gm7
- Measures 11-12: C9
- Measures 13-14: Cm9
- Measures 15-16: F7b9
- Measures 17-18: BbMaj9
- Measures 19-20: F7b9
- Measures 21-22: BbMaj9
- Measures 23-24: F7b9

A.Sax1

A.Sax2

T.Sax1

T.Sax2

Bari

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

Tpt. 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Tbn. 4

Pa/Gtr.

Bass

Drums

BbMaj9

Bb6

Am7b5

D7b9

Gm9

Gm6

Gbm6

Fm9

Bb9#5

con't.

17

A.Sax1

A.Sax2

T.Sax1

T.Sax2

Bari

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

Tpt. 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Tbn. 4

Pa/Gtr.

Bass

Drums

EbMaj9

Ab9

D7b9

Gm6

C9

Cm9

F7b9(#5)

A.Sax1
 A.Sax2
 T.Sax1
 T.Sax2
 Bari
 Tpt. 1
 Tpt. 2
 Tpt. 3
 Tpt. 4
 Tbn. 1
 Tbn. 2
 Tbn. 3
 Tbn. 4
 Pa/Gtr.
 Bass
 Drums

BbMaj9 Bb6 Am7b5 D7b9 Gm9 Gm6 Gbm6 Fm9 Bb9#5

con't.

33

A.Sax1

A.Sax2

T.Sax1

T.Sax2

Bari

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

Tpt. 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Tbn. 4

Pa/Gtr.

Bass

Drums

EbMaj9

Ab9

D7b9

Gm6

C9

Cm9

F7b9

BbMaj9

F7b9

BbMaj9

F7b9

41

A.Sax1

A.Sax2

T.Sax1

T.Sax2

Bari

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

Tpt. 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Tbn. 4

Pa/Gtr.

Bass

Drums

BbMaj9 Bb6 Am7b5 D7b9 Gm9 Gm6 Fm9 Bb9#5

BbMaj9 Bb6 Am7b5 D7b9 Gm9 Gm6 Fm9 Bb9#5

49

A.Sax1

A.Sax2

T.Sax1

T.Sax2

Bari

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

Tpt. 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Tbn. 4

EbMaj9 Ab9 D7b9 Gm6 C9

Pa/Gtr.

Bass

Drums

EbMaj9 Ab9 D7b9 Gm6 C9 Cm9 F7b9(#5)

57

A.Sax1
 A.Sax2
 T.Sax1
 T.Sax2
 Bari
 Tpt. 1
 Tpt. 2
 Tpt. 3
 Tpt. 4
 Tbn. 1
 Tbn. 2
 Tbn. 3
 Tbn. 4
 Pa/Gtr.
 Bass
 Drums

Chords: BbMaj9, Bb6, Am7b5, D7b9, Gm9, Gm6, Gbm6, Fm9, Bb9#5
 Drums: con't.

65

A.Sax1

A.Sax2

T.Sax1

T.Sax2

Bari

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

Tpt. 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Tbn. 4

Pa/Gtr.

Bass

Drums

EbMaj9 Ab9 D7b9 Gm6 C9 Cm9 F7b9 BbMaj9 F7b9 BbMaj9 F7b9

EbMaj9 Ab9 D7b9 Gm6 C9 Cm9 F7b9 BbMaj9 F7b9 BbMaj9 F7b9

73

A.Sax1

A.Sax2

T.Sax1

T.Sax2

Bari

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

Tpt. 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Tbn. 4

Pa/Gtr.

Bass

Drums

Gm9

Gm6

Gm7

Fm9

Bb9#5

con't.

81

A.Sax1
 A.Sax2
 T.Sax1
 T.Sax2
 Bari
 Tpt. 1
 Tpt. 2
 Tpt. 3
 Tpt. 4
 Tbn. 1
 Tbn. 2
 Tbn. 3
 Tbn. 4
 Pa/Gtr.
 Bass
 Drums

EbMaj9 SOLO Ab9 D7b9 Gm6 C9 Cm9 F7b9(#5)

89

A.Sax1

A.Sax2

T.Sax1

T.Sax2

Bari

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

Tpt. 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Tbn. 4

SOLO

Pa/Gtr.

Bass

Drums

BbMaj9

Bb6

Am7b5

D7b9

Gm9

Gm6

Gbm6

Fm9

Bb9#5

con't.

97

A.Sax1

A.Sax2

T.Sax1

T.Sax2

Bari

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

Tpt. 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Tbn. 4

Pa/Gtr.

Bass

Drums

105

A.Sax1

A.Sax2

T.Sax1

T.Sax2

Bari

Tpt. 1

Tpt. 2

Tpt. 3

Tpt. 4

Tbn. 1

Tbn. 2

Tbn. 3

Tbn. 4

Pa/Gtr.

Bass

Drums

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