

RHYTHM # 9

BOSSA NOVA

BOUNCE



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This rhythm is easier to explain diagrammatically than verbally.

Try tapping the following rhythm out.

Count out loud and accentuate the numbers where the beats come in.

ie “**ONE** and two **AND** three **AND FOUR AND ONE** and two **AND** three **AND FOUR AND**”

Notice the RIGHT hand chord beat **between** beats 2 and 3

Try it VERY slowly at first

RH						
LH						
count	1	and	2	and	3	and
					4	and

Now try it with a C Chord right hand and a C note left hand. Keep repeating it.

## C chord

1 and 2 and 3 and 4 and 1 and 2 and 3 and 4 and

C

*You don't really need the pedal*

Try the rhythm with the songs on the next page.

# BOSSA NOVA BOUNCE PRACTICE PROGRESSIONS

## Rhythm - Bossa Nova Bounce (ISN'T SHE LOVELY - Stevie Wonder)

Em7	A	C/D	G	Keep repeating
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## Rhythm - Bossa Nova Bounce (UP ON THE ROOF - The Drifters)

G	Em	C	D	G	C/D
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## Rhythm - Bossa Nova Bounce (WITH A LITTLE LUCK - Paul McCartney)

C	C/E	F	F/G
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## Rhythm - Bossa Nova Bounce (IN THE AIR TONIGHT - Phil Collins)

Dm	C/D	Bb/D	C/D	Keep repeating
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## Rhythm - Bossa Nova Bounce (THE RIVER - Bruce Springsteen)

Em	G	D	C	Em	G	C	G
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## Rhythm - Bossa Nova Bounce (ALWAYS SOMETHING THERE TO REMIND ME)

C	Cmaj7	C7	F	Fm	C
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## Rhythm - Bossa Nova Bounce (IT'S STILL ROCK AND ROLL TO ME - B. Joel)

C	Em	Bb	F	C	Em	Bb	F
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\*The above progressions are for improvisational purposes only.

You can find the complete chord progressions, with lyrics, for FREE at [ultimate-guitar.com](http://ultimate-guitar.com)

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