

Common 12-Bar Blues

Progressions

Three common progressions of the 12-Bar Blues in the key of C major.

1 2 3 4 5 6

C⁷ F⁷ C⁷ F⁷

7 8 9 10 11 12

C⁷ Dm⁷ G⁷ C⁷

13 14 15 16 17 18

C⁷ F⁷ C⁷ Gm⁷ C⁷ F⁷ F#^{o7}

19 20 21 22 23 24

C⁷ A⁷ Dm⁷ G⁷ C⁷ A⁷ Dm⁷ G⁷

25 26 27 28 29 30

C⁷ F⁷ C⁷ Gm⁷ C⁷ F⁷ F#^{o7}

31 32 33 34 35 36

C⁷ B⁷ Bb⁷ A⁷ Dm⁷ G⁷ C⁷ A⁷ Dm⁷ G⁷