

# Why No One Understands Modes

## Modal Licks For Technique

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Ionian Hybrid Picking E

7 6-7 9-7-6 7 6-7-9-7-6 7 6-7-9-7-6 7 6-7-9-7-6 7 6-8

B E

9 8 6 7 6 8 9 8 6 9 8 9 11 9 8 9 8 9 11 9 8 9 9 11

13 11 9 9 11 13 11 9 9 11 13 11 9 9 (9)

Dorian (Finger Tapping) Em Asus A

3 7 12 0 3 7 12 0 3 7 12 0 3 7 12 0 5 10 12 0 5 10 12 0 5 9 12 0 5 9 12 0

Phrygian String Skipping Em Em/G Em/B

7 7 5 6 0 8 12 17 17 9 9 14 14 17 17 17 17 7 10 14 14

F/A F Em

T 13 10 12 10

A 12 15 15 14 15 8 10 10 10 10

B 0 (0)

Lydian (Legato) Emaj#711

T 16 18 19 18 16 17 16 17 16 16 13 16 13 13 15 16 15 13 14 13 14 13 14 11 14 11 11 13 14 13 11 11 12 11 12

T 12 12 (12)

A 11 13 14 13 11 12 11 14 14 (14)

B 11 13 14 13 11 12 11 11 13 (13)

Mixolydian (Yngwie/Petrucci Lick) E D

T 13 9 11 13 11 9 13 9 11 13 11 9 11 13 11 9 11 13 11 9 11 7 9 11 9 7 11 7 9 11 9 7 9 11 9 7 9 11 9 7

Aeolian (Sweep Picking) Em Am

T 7 12 7 8 5 5 5 8 5 5 5 7

A 9 9 8 7 12 7 8 5 5 5 8 5 5 5 7

B 0 3 7 7 10 9 9 5 8 7 7 5 8 7 5 7

Bm Em

T  
A  
B

Locrian (Two Handed Tapping)  
Edim<sup>b</sup>9<sup>+</sup>

T  
A  
B

T  
A  
B