

How should I practice the Arban?

Sections of the Arban

The Complete Arban is broken into sections

First studies from pages 11-22

(Play 1 page daily for a week)

Syncopation 23-36

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Slurs 39-56

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Scale studies 59-87

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Turns, trills, shakes..... 91-122

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Intervals, Triplets & sixteenth notes 125-141

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Chords 142-152

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Triple Tonguing 155-174

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Double & Applied Tonguing 175-190

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After some of the smaller sections of the Arban are complete and you are used to this you can start working on one of the 14 Characteristic Studies Pages 285-299 and/or One of the 12 Fantasies & variations pages 301-347.

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