



LESSON NOTES FOR “FOGGY MOUNTAIN SPECIAL”

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Here's some information that you might find helpful before you start work on the lesson.

Foggy Mountain Special is in the key of G major.

There are two different tempos for Foggy Mountain Special – Learning and Performance. There is no Slow Jam Tempo as it is a medium tempo tune. The tempos for the different versions are:

Learning Tempo: 50bpm
Performance Tempo: 92bpm

The Learning Tempo has six mp3s (except for bass, which has four). The easier and advanced breaks come in separate mp3s, with the band, solo with a metronome click, and a version without your instrument so that you can practice playing along. We recorded the advanced breaks over a backing with a more 'swingy' feel, so there is a set of 3 mp3s for each break.

The Performance Tempo has three mp3s – with and without your instrument and an excerpt showing different styles of backup; the bass has a rhythm track only version. The 'swingy' feel kicks in half way through.