

# Spice Up Your Fingerpicking Blues with MicroLicks

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Blues Guitar Institute  
Fingerpicking Quickstart

Standard tuning



## MicroLick 1: The Train Whistle Lick

1

*mf*

*mf*

P.M.

P.M.

7 8 0

0 0 0 0

2

w/ additional E chord part

(0) 0 0 0

(0) 1 1 1

0 0 0 0

## Train Whistle Variation

3

P.M.

P.M.

P.M.

P.M.

7 8 0 7 7 7 0

0 0 0 0 0 0

4

(0) 0 0 0

(0) 1 1 1

0 0 0 0

## MicroLick 2

5

P.M.

P.M.

0 3 0

0 0 0 0

6

(0) 0 0 0

(0) 1 1 1

0 0 0 0

### MircoLick 2 Variations

Musical notation for MircoLick 2 Variations, measures 7-8. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#), and a 2/2 time signature. The melody consists of quarter notes and eighth notes, with some triplets. The guitar TAB below shows fret numbers (0, 3) and pickup markings (P.M.).

Musical notation for MircoLick 2 Variations, measures 9-11. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#), and a 2/2 time signature. The melody continues with quarter notes and eighth notes, including triplets. The guitar TAB shows fret numbers (0, 3) and pickup markings (P.M.).

### MicroLick 3

Musical notation for MicroLick 3, measures 12-13. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#), and a 2/2 time signature. The melody starts with a quarter rest followed by quarter notes and eighth notes. The guitar TAB shows fret numbers (0, 3) and pickup markings (P.M.).