

Take the "A" Train

Moderately Fast Swing

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*The following short segments are altered and simplified versions of Measures 1-2 and 7 from Mark Hanson's arrangement of "Take the 'A' Train" from *Great American Songbook for Solo Fingerstyle Guitar* book/CD, available at www.AccentOnMusic.com.

Simplified Measure 7.

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Notes: 1) Measures 1-2 are easier to play with a cutaway guitar. The original version has this passage one octave lower, in first position. 2) If Measures 5-6 in the original arrangement are too hard to play, substitute Measures 23-24 for them.