

String Bends, Lesson 6: 'Repeat Pick' Bends

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Ex. 1) Fret the G string at the 7th fret, with your 3rd finger. Place your 1st and 2nd fingers on the same string, on the 5th and 6th frets. The note you are playing is a D. Repeatedly pick the string whilst slowly bending it up a tone to E. Repeat until you get it in tune every time. Make sure you LISTEN!

The image shows musical notation for a string bend exercise. It consists of two staves: a standard musical staff and a guitar tablature staff. The musical staff is in 4/4 time and contains a sequence of eight eighth notes on the G string, followed by a whole note. A bracket above the notes indicates a 'Gradual bend' that occurs over the first seven notes, reaching a 'full' bend at the eighth note. The tablature staff shows fret numbers: seven '7's for the first seven notes, and a '(9)' for the eighth note, indicating the final fret position after the full bend.

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