Rock Vamp Chord Progression Chart

I – ♭VII · in C Mixolydian: 2 bars

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The progression in C Mixolydian

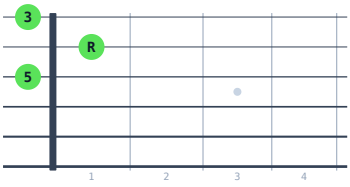
I	♭VII
C	B♭

Why it works: A mixolydian two-chord shuttle, I and bVII. A staple of rock and blues-rock. The flat 7 chord does not pull home, so the loop just keeps rolling.

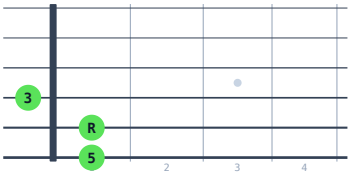
Heard in: Classic rock · Hard rock · Blues rock · Punk · Funk

How to play it in C Mixolydian

I · C · D shape



♭VII · B♭ · C shape



Rock Vamp in every key

Key	I	♭VII
C Mixolydian	C	B♭
D♭ Mixolydian	D♭	B
D Mixolydian	D	C
E♭ Mixolydian	E♭	D♭
E Mixolydian	E	D
F Mixolydian	F	E♭
F♯ Mixolydian	F♯	E
G Mixolydian	G	F
A♭ Mixolydian	A♭	G♭
A Mixolydian	A	G
B♭ Mixolydian	B♭	A♭
B Mixolydian	B	A

What to play over it

Over the whole progression: C Mixolydian · C Major pentatonic

Chord by chord: C: C Mixolydian · B♭: B♭ Lydian