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## Guide to the Miles Davis Music Manuscript

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives Center, National Museum of American History
<b>Title:</b>	Miles Davis Music Manuscript
<b>Date:</b>	1959
<b>Identifier:</b>	NMAH.AC.0920
<b>Creator:</b>	Miles Davis Properties. Davis, Miles Evans, Gil, 1912-1988
<b>Extent:</b>	0.15 Cubic feet (1 box)
<b>Language:</b>	English .
<b>Digital Content:</b>	<a href="#">Image(s): Miles Davis Music Manuscript</a>

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## Administrative Information

### Immediate Source of Acquisition

Collection donated by Miles Davis Properties, through Vince Wilburn.

### Ownership and Custodial History

Donated in 2006 by Miles Davis Properties.

### Processing Information

Collection is unprocessed.

### Preferred Citation

Miles Davis Music Manuscript, 1959, Archives Center, National Museum of American History.

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## Biographical Note

Jazz trumpeter, 1926-1991.

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## Scope and Contents

Manuscript for "Summertime", recorded by Davis and Gil Evans in 1959.

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## Arrangement

1 series.

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## Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Jazz -- 20th century -- United States  
Music -- 20th century -- United States

Types of Materials:

Manuscripts -- Music -- 20th century

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## Container Listing

Map-folder 1

Reference copy of manuscript, 1959