Music Appreciation

Jazz Genre Webquest

STEP ONE: Research the 5 tracks listed below. Listen to each of them and provide a brief description of what you hear, including instruments, style, form, complexity, etc. You will need this information later!

Track 1: Louis Armstrong – When The Saints Go Marching In

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wyLjbMBpGDA>

Track 2: Benny Goodman – Sing, Sing, Sing

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=r2S1I_ien6A>

Track 3: John Coltrane – Moment’s Notice

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gocGlRuW1bw>

Track 4: Herbie Hancock – Canteloupe Island

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7hQuvnKrGhc>

Track 5: Miles Davis Quartet – My Funny Valentine

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HS2BUr83O-8>

Track 6: Count Basie Orchestra – One O’Clock Jump

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GQi4jglT0Vo>

STEP TWO: Match each of the tracks above with the jazz genre/description listed below. Use your information that you gathered while you were listening to each track to help you classify them correctly. Provide your reasoning for each classification!

* + **Dixieland** – march-like feel; trumpet, clarinet, trombone, banjo, mandolin; call and response; “riffing”
  + **Chicago Swing** – “skipping beats;” solo playing; call and response trading
  + **Big Band** – dance orchestras; saxophone featured
  + **Bebop** – improvised jazz; music for listening; return to smaller ensemble; incredibly complex
  + **Cool** – simpler melody and rhythm; restrained and moody; backlash to bebop
  + **Fusion** – combination of jazz and rock; funk

Track 1 Genre:

Track 2 Genre:

Track 3 Genre:

Track 4 Genre:

Track 5 Genre: