

Chord Back-up Lesson 1

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Key of A:
A major scale

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 I IV V IV V IV V

A D E D E D E

Detailed description: This block shows the A major scale on a treble clef staff with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The scale is written as a sequence of eighth notes: A4, B4, C#5, D5, E5, F#5, G#5, A5. Below the scale, the first seven chords are shown as block chords on a single staff. The chords are labeled with Roman numerals: I (A), IV (D), V (E), IV (D), V (E), IV (D), and V (E). The chord diagrams show the notes on the staff: A (A), D (A, D), E (A, E), D (A, D), E (A, E), D (A, D), and E (A, E).

A D A E A D A E A

I IV I V I IV I V I

Detailed description: This block shows a chord progression in the key of A major. The chords are written as block chords on a single staff. The chords are labeled with Roman numerals: I (A), IV (D), I (A), V (E), I (A), IV (D), I (A), V (E), and I (A). The chord diagrams show the notes on the staff: A (A), D (A, D), A (A), E (A, E), A (A), D (A, D), A (A), E (A, E), and A (A).

Key of D:
D major scale

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 I IV V IV V IV V

D G A G A G A

Detailed description: This block shows the D major scale on a treble clef staff with a key signature of two sharps (F#, C#). The scale is written as a sequence of eighth notes: D4, E4, F#4, G#4, A4, B4, C#5, D5. Below the scale, the first seven chords are shown as block chords on a single staff. The chords are labeled with Roman numerals: I (D), IV (G), V (A), IV (G), V (A), IV (G), and V (A). The chord diagrams show the notes on the staff: D (D), G (D, G), A (D, A), G (D, G), A (D, A), G (D, G), and A (D, A).

D G D A D G D A D

I IV I V I IV I V I

Detailed description: This block shows a chord progression in the key of D major. The chords are written as block chords on a single staff. The chords are labeled with Roman numerals: I (D), IV (G), I (D), V (A), I (D), IV (G), I (D), V (A), and I (D). The chord diagrams show the notes on the staff: D (D), G (D, G), D (D), A (D, A), D (D), G (D, G), D (D), A (D, A), and D (D).

Key of G:
G major scale

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 I IV V IV V IV V

G C D C D C D

Detailed description: This block shows the G major scale on a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The scale is written as a sequence of eighth notes: G4, A4, B4, C#5, D5, E5, F#5, G5. Below the scale, the first seven chords are shown as block chords on a single staff. The chords are labeled with Roman numerals: I (G), IV (C), V (D), IV (C), V (D), IV (C), and V (D). The chord diagrams show the notes on the staff: G (G), C (G, C), D (G, D), C (G, C), D (G, D), C (G, C), and D (G, D).

G C G D G C G D G

I IV I V I IV I V I

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