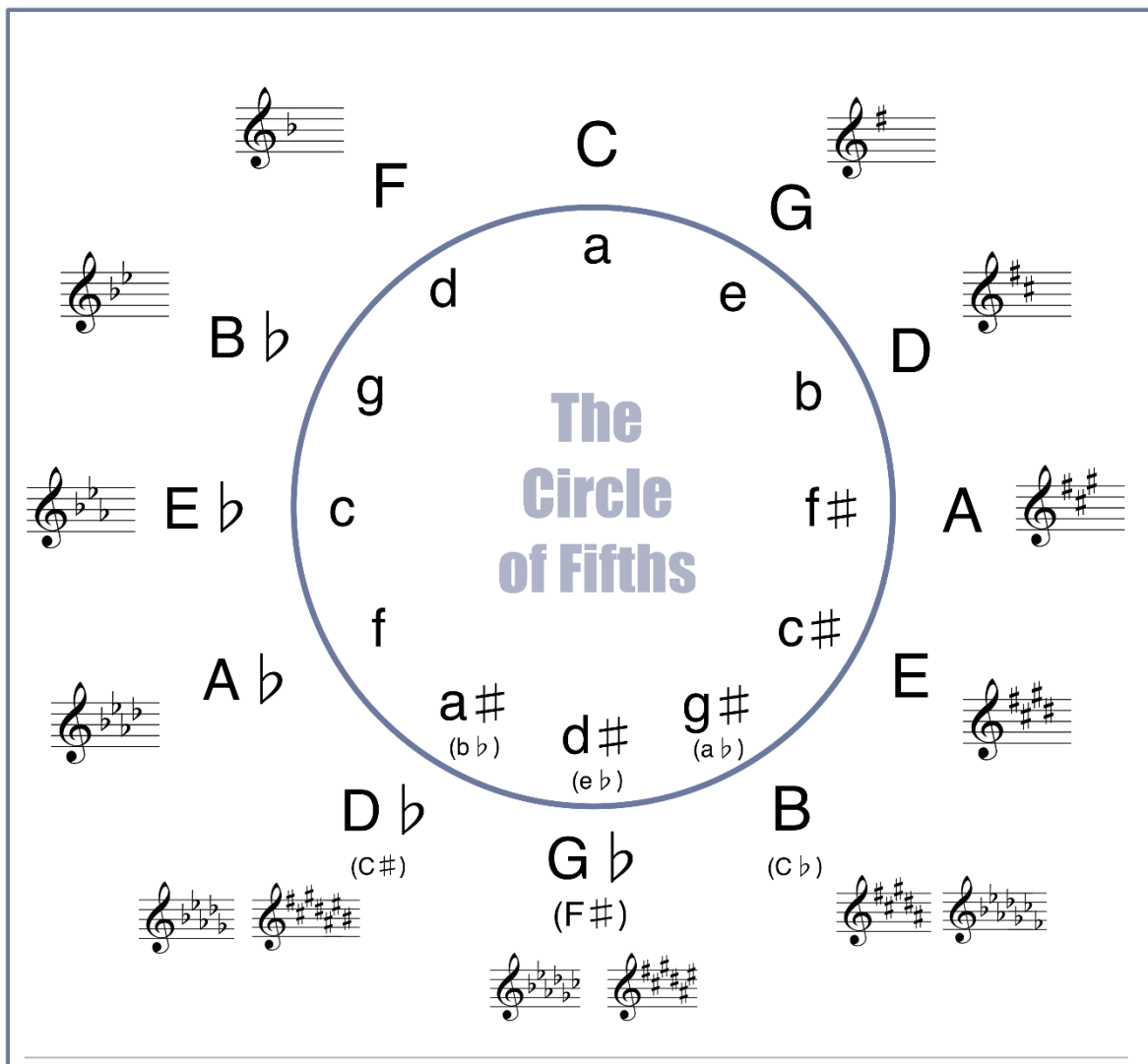


Figuring out 5-Finger Patterns & 1-Octave Major Scales *using the Circle of Fifths*

Order of Sharps: F C G D A E B (**F**ather **C**harlie **G**oes **D**own **A**nd **E**nds **B**attle)

Order of Flats: B E A D G C F (**B**attle **E**nds **A**nd **D**own **G**oes **C**harlie's **F**ather)

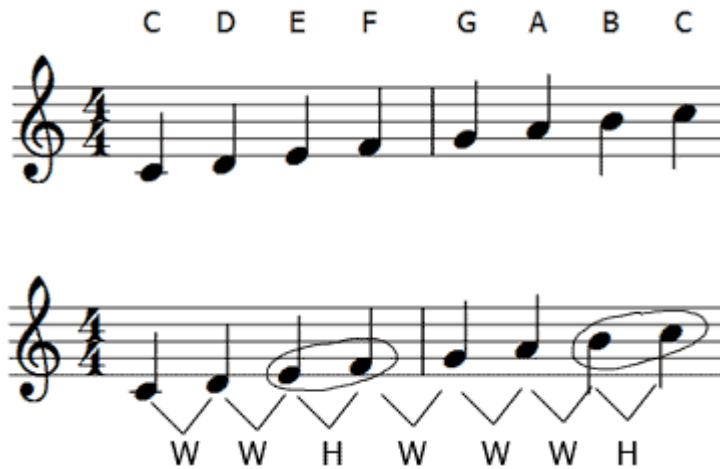
1. Example: Group 1 Scales - Learn scales in the order of the *Circle of Fifths* shown below.
 - a. C has no sharps or flats
 - b. G has 1 sharp
 - c. D has 2 sharps
 - d. A has 3 sharps
 - e. E has 4 sharps
2. Figure out what sharps that scale will have using the "Order of Sharps" acronym above
 - a. Think: *G Major has 1 sharp and the 1st sharp is F#. So, a G Major scale will have an F#.*



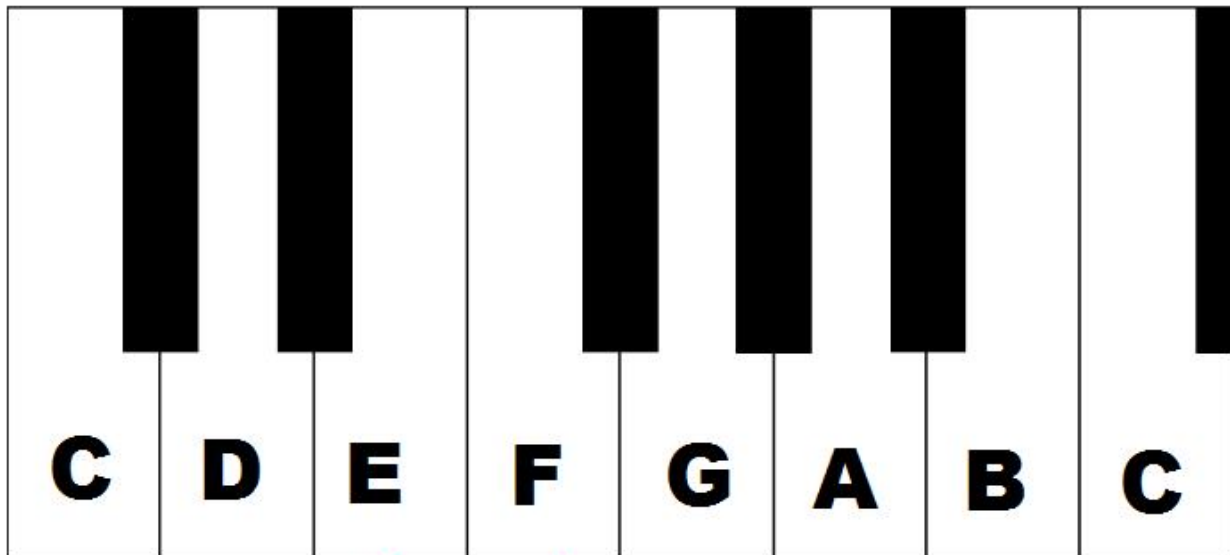
5-Finger Patterns & 1-Octave Major Scales

using Whole and Half Steps

Every major scale follows the same pattern of whole steps and half steps.



Major Scale Formula



Whole Step - Whole Step - Half Step -
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1 Octave Scale Fingering Work Sheet

Write the fingering for your Major 1 Octave Scales over the correct keys

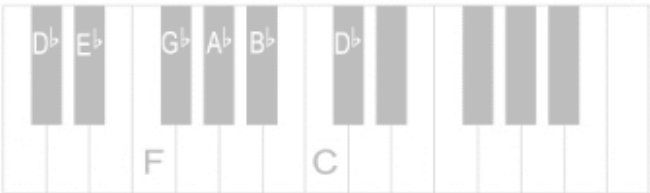
C Major Scale



C# Major Scale



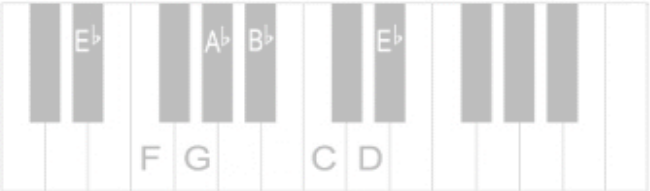
Db Major Scale



D Major Scale



Eb Major Scale



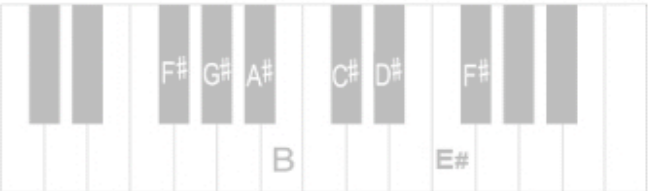
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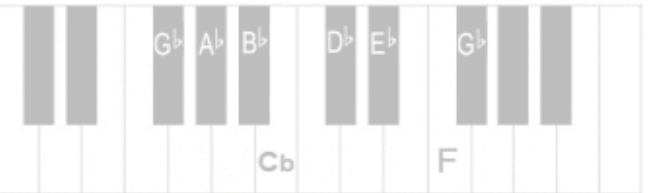
F Major Scale



F# Major Scale



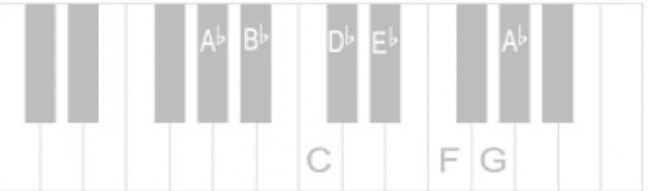
G flat major scale



G Major Scale



Ab Major Scale



A Major Scale



Bb Major Scale



B Major Scale

