Minor Vamp Chord Progression Chart

i – iv · in A minor: 2 bars

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The progression in A minor

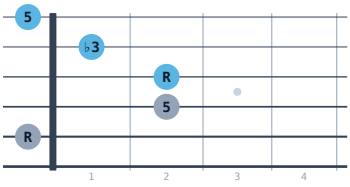
i	iv
Am	Dm

Why it works: The same two-chord shuttle in minor. Because only two chords change, you can spend your attention on tone, phrasing and rhythm.

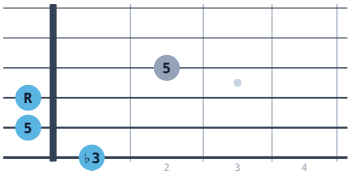
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How to play it in A minor

i · Am · A shape



iv · Dm · E shape



Minor Vamp in every key

Key	i	iv
C minor	Cm	Fm
C♯ minor	C♯m	F♯m
D minor	Dm	Gm
D♯ minor	D♯m	G♯m
E minor	Em	Am
F minor	Fm	B♭m
F♯ minor	F♯m	Bm
G minor	Gm	Cm
G♯ minor	G♯m	C♯m
A minor	Am	Dm
B♭ minor	B♭m	E♭m
B minor	Bm	Em

What to play over it

Over the whole progression: A Natural minor · A Minor pentatonic

Chord by chord: Am: A Natural minor · Dm: D Dorian