A♭ Major Scale Guitar Chart

Also called A♭ Ionian · notes A♭ B♭ C D♭ E♭ F G · formula 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 · steps W W H W W W H

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Formula

W	W	H	W	W	W	H
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

A♭ Major is the 1st mode of the Major family.

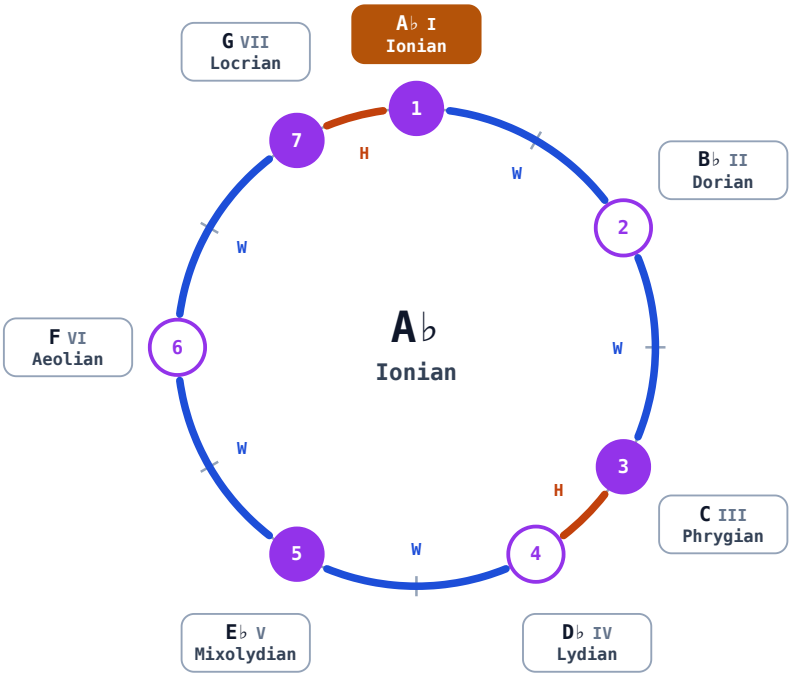
Sound: Plain major: settled, happy, home

Where it is used: Plain major: pop, folk, rock and classical melodies in major keys. Over a maj7 chord, pass through the 4th rather than rest on it.

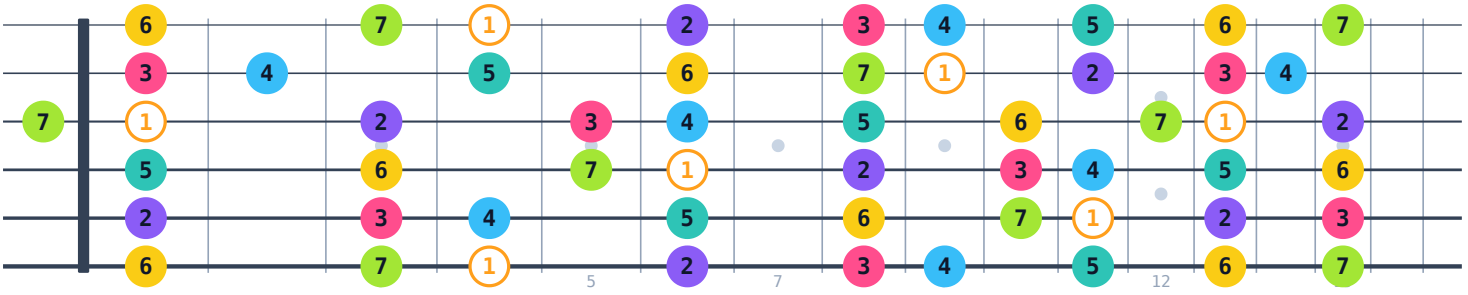
Chords in the scale: I A♭maj7 · ii B♭m7 · iii Cm7 · IV D♭maj7 · V E♭7 · vi Fm7 · vii° Gm7♭5

Same notes, other modes: A♭ Major · B♭ Dorian · C Phrygian · D♭ Lydian · E♭ Mixolydian · F Natural minor · G Locrian

A♭ Major on the chromatic circle



The whole neck



Each dot is named by its degree; the root is drawn as a ring.