A Minor pentatonic Scale Guitar Chart

notes A C D E G · formula 1 ♭3 4 5 ♭7 · steps 1½ W W 1½ W

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Formula

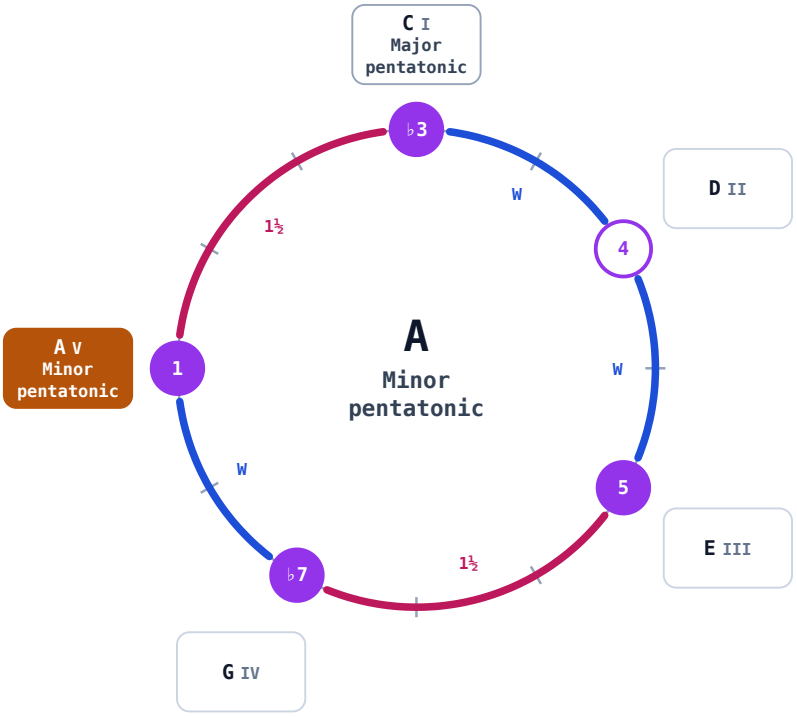
1½	W	W	1½	W
1	♭3	4	5	♭7

A Minor pentatonic has the notes of C Major pentatonic, started from A.

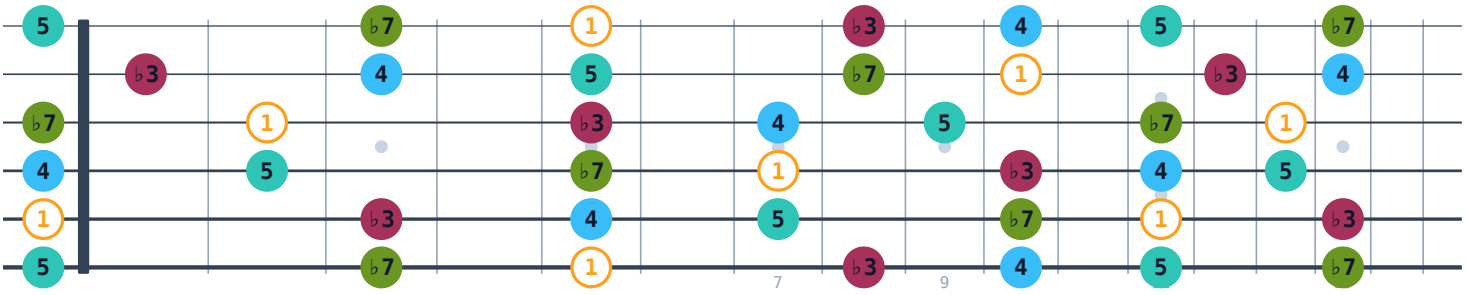
Sound: Bluesy and safe: no note clashes, the rock and blues workhorse

Where it is used: The first scale most guitarists learn: blues, rock and metal solos over minor and dominant chords. It works over all three chords of a 12-bar blues in its key.

A Minor pentatonic on the chromatic circle



The whole neck



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