B Lydian Scale Guitar Chart

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

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Formula

W	W	W	H	W	W	H
1	2	3	♯4	5	6	7

B Lydian is the 4th mode of the Major family.

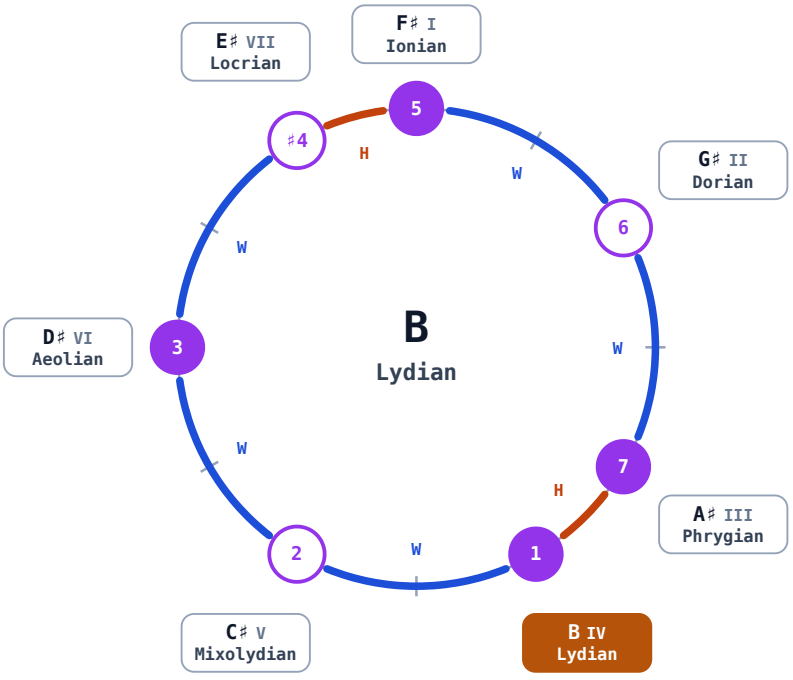
Sound: Major with a raised 4: floating, dreamy

Where it is used: Major with a raised 4th: film scores, dreamy pop and jazz over maj7♯11 chords. At home over the IV chord of a major key.

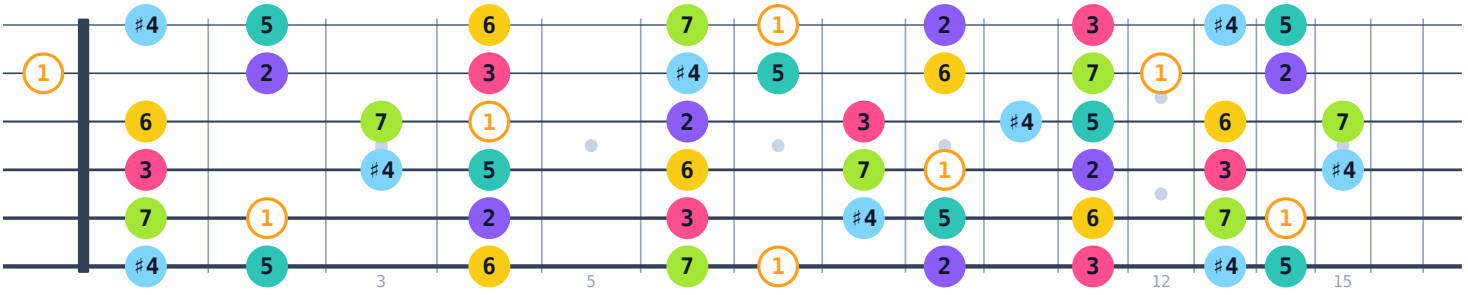
Chords in the scale: I Bmaj7 · II C♯7 · iii D♯m7 · ♯iv° E♯m7♭5 · V F♯maj7 · vi G♯m7 · vii A♯m7

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

B Lydian on the chromatic circle



The whole neck



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