E Major Scale Guitar Chart

Also called E Ionian · notes E F♯ G♯ A B C♯ D♯ · 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

E Major is the 1st mode of the Major family.

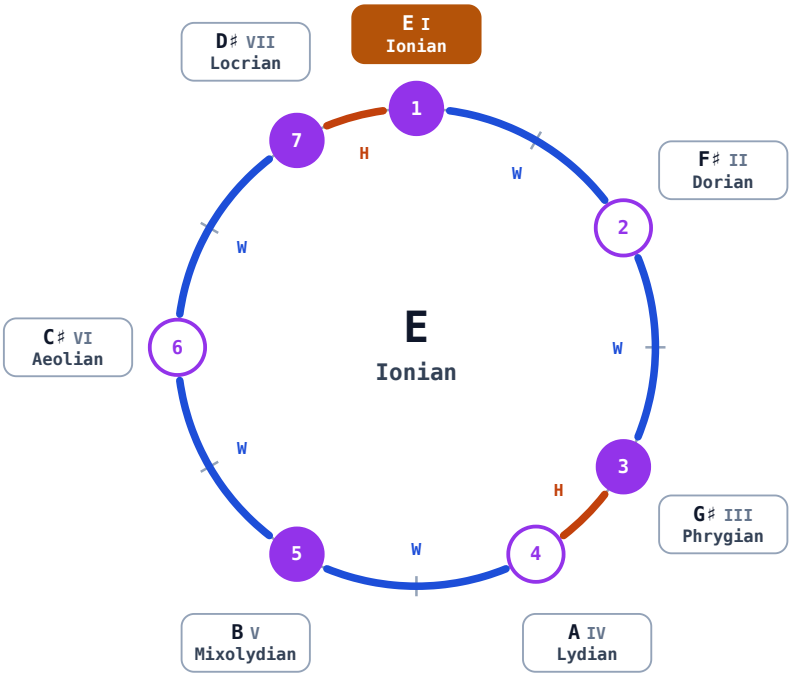
Sound: Plain major: settled, happy, home

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.

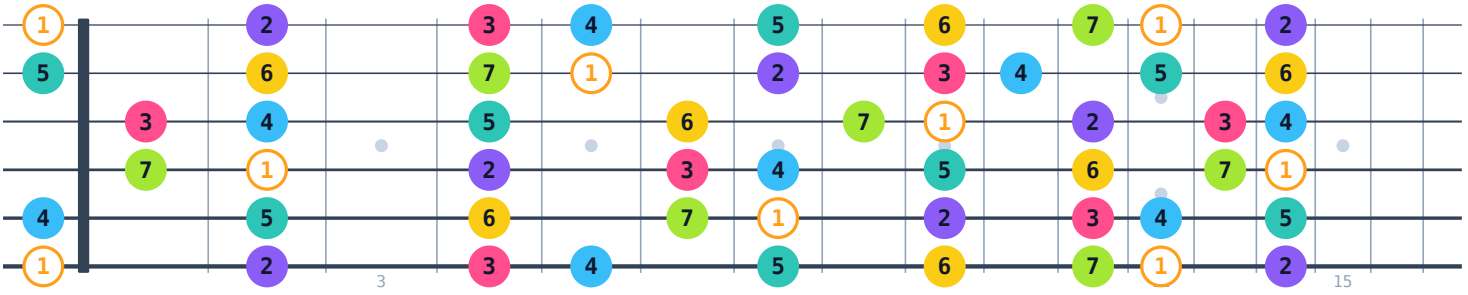
Chords in the scale: I Emaj7 · ii F♯m7 · iii G♯m7 · IV Amaj7 · V B7 · vi C♯m7 · vii° D♯m7♭5

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

E Major on the chromatic circle



The whole neck



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