

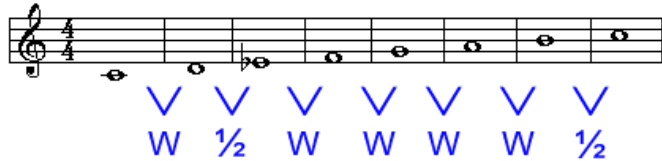
Vocabulary

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Chord v. Scale

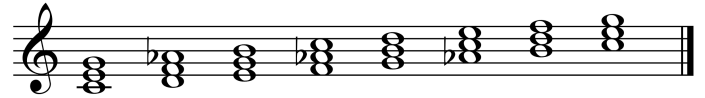
→ Scale

- ◆ A set of 8 notes consisting of half steps and whole steps



→ Chord

- ◆ 2 or more notes played together



Consonance v. Dissonance

→ Consonance

- ◆ Pleasant sounding chords
- ◆ <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D1QjkhENZg8>

→ Dissonance

- ◆ Unpleasant sounding chords
- ◆ <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pLKVe8YikRo>

Mono-, Homo-, & Poly-

→ Monophonic

- ◆ “One sound”
- ◆ Single unaccompanied melody
 - ◆ <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gC1jJC3aBLQ>

→ Homophonic

- ◆ “Same sound”
- ◆ Single melody with accompaniment *or* voices move together in harmony
 - ◆ <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R-hMnPi4Gol>

→ Polyphonic

- ◆ “Many sounds”
- ◆ Multiple independent melodies played simultaneously
 - ◆ <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ho9rZjlsyYY>