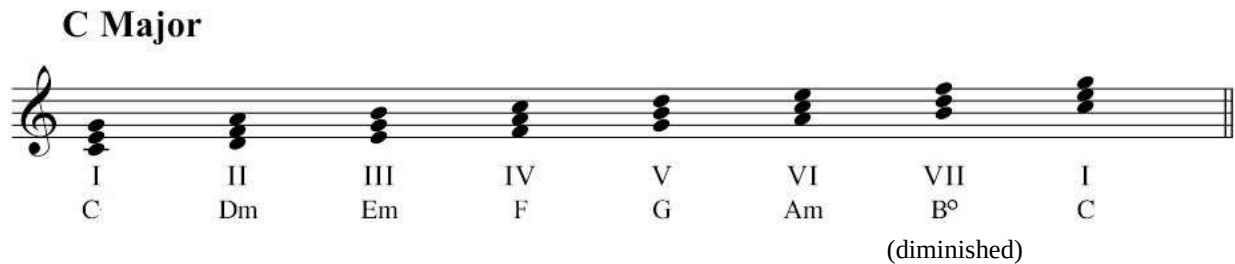


### 3. Basic Harmony - Triads

**NOTE!** It's essential that you know your 12 major scales before you can begin scale tone chords

#### Triads:

To build a triad (3 note chord) you need a **Root (1<sup>st</sup>), 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>**.  
We can build triads on each degree of a major scale as in **fig4**  
fig4.



**NOTE!** Each chord in a major scale will naturally be either **major**, **minor** or **diminished**.

fig5.

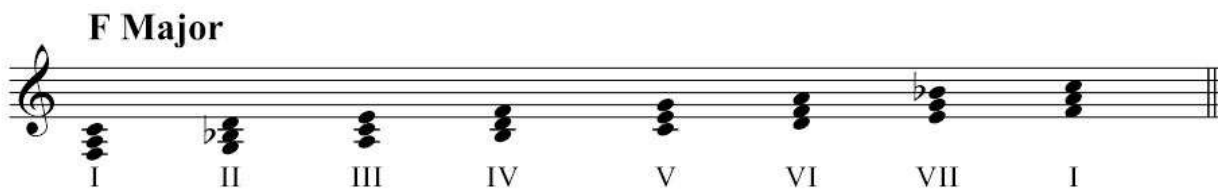


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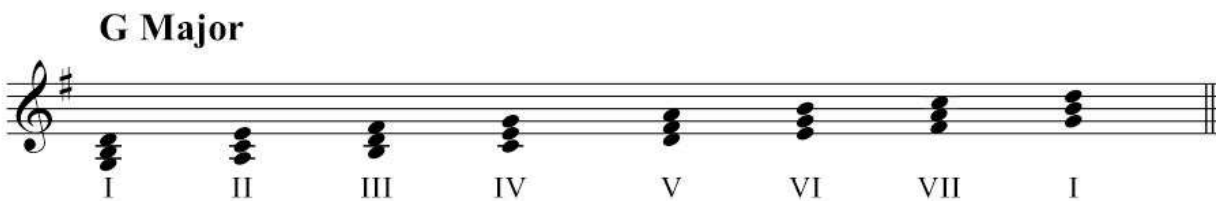
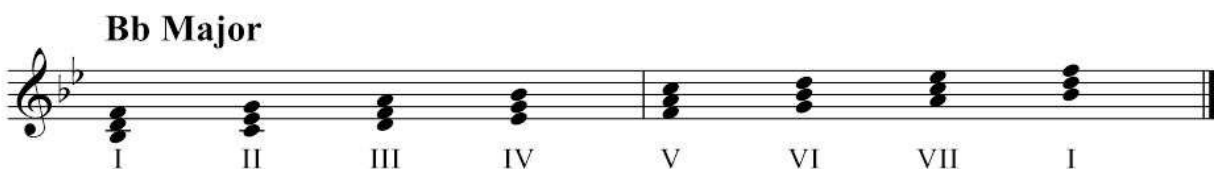


fig7.



#### Task:

Practise building triads in all twelve notes.