

Chord Construction Quiz

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1) What tones (by numbers, not name) are in the following chords?

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|---------------|-------------------|
| 1) m7 | 11) #11 |
| 2) Δ 7 | 12) 13#11 |
| 3) 7 | 13) m7/11 |
| 4) 7#9 | 14) m11 |
| 5) 9 | 15) 7b9+ |
| 6) m9 | 16) $^{\circ}$ 7 |
| 7) Δ 9 | 17) m6/9 |
| 8) 11 | 18) m Δ 9 |
| 9) 13 | 19) \emptyset 7 |
| 10) 13b9 | 20) 13sus |

2) Spell (by name, not number) the following chords:

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|--------------------|------------------|
| 1) D Δ 7 | 11) G7b9+ |
| 2) Ebm7 | 12) F#m11 |
| 3) Ab $^{\circ}$ 7 | 13) E13#11 |
| 4) B13 | 14) Eb#11 |
| 5) Db7 | 15) D13b9 |
| 6) F \emptyset 7 | 16) Bb11 |
| 7) A13sus | 17) B Δ 9 |
| 8) C#m Δ 9 | 18) Cb9 |
| 9) Cm7/11 | 19) Abm9 |
| 10) Bbm6/9 | 20) D#7#9 |

3) Write in the tones, by number, underneath each chord diagram:

A/9 	G#m7 	Bbm7/11 	A13 	G13b9 	GbΔ9 	FΔ7
E6/9 	Dm6/9 	C#7#9+ 	B9 	Eb7b9b5 	Bb7b9+ 	Abm7
D6/9 	Gm7b5 	C#m11 	F7#9+ 	BbΔ9 	G/9 	C11
Cb13sus 	Ab7#9+ 	Em7 	D#m7/11 	F7#9 	Bø9 	F#Δ7
Dm7 	Gm7 	Ebm7/11 	Db13b9 	BΔ13 	D/9 	Fm7b5/11
E7#9#11 	Bb13 	AbΔ7 				

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*** ANSWERS ***

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1) m7	1,b3,5,b7	11) #11	1,3,5,#11
2) Δ7	1,3,5,7	12) 13#11	1,3,5,b7,9,#11,13
3) 7	1,3,5,b7	13) m7/11	1,b3,5,b7,11
4) 7#9	1,3,5,b7,#9	14) m11	1,b3,b,b7,9,11
5) 9	1,3,5,b7,9	15) 7b9+	1,3,#5,b7,b9
6) m9	1,b3,5,b7,9	16) °7	1,b3,b5,♭7(6)
7) Δ9	1,3,5,7,9	17) m6/9	1,b3,5,6,9
8) 11	1,5,b7,9,11	18) mΔ9	1,b3,5,7,9
9) 13	1,3,5,b7,9,13	19) ø7	1,b3,b5,b7
10) 13b9	1,3,5,b7,b9,13	20) 13sus	1,4,5,b7,9,13

2) Spell (by name, not number) the following chords:

1) DΔ7	D,F#,A,C#	11) G7b9+	G,B,D#,F,Ab
2) Ebm7	Eb,Gb,Bb,Db	12) F#m11	F#,A,C#,E,G#,B
3) Ab°7	Ab,Cb,E♭,G♭	13) E13#11	E,G#,B,D,F#,A#
4) B13	B,D#,F#,A,C#,G#	14) Eb#11	Eb,G,Bb,A#
5) Db7	Db,F,Ab,Cb	15) D13b9	D,F#,A,C,Eb,B
6) Fø7	F,Ab,Cb,E♭	16) Bb11	Bb,F,Ab,C,Eb
7) A13sus	A,D,E,G,B,F#	17) BΔ9	B,D#,F#,A#,C#
8) C#mΔ9	C#,E,G#,B#,D#	18) Cb9	Cb,Eb,Gb,B♭,Db
9) Cm7/11	C,Eb,G,Bb,F	19) Abm9	Ab,Cb,Eb,Gb,Bb
10) Bbm6/9	Bb,Db,F,G,C	20) D#7#9	D#,F*,A#,C#,E*

3) Write in the tones, by number, underneath each chord diagram:

A/9

R 5 9 3 5

G#m7

R 5 b3 b7 b3

Bbm7/11

R b7 b3 11

A13

R b7 9 3 13

G13b9

R b7 3 13 b9

GbΔ9

R 7 3 5 9

FΔ7

R 3 5 7 3

E6/9

R 3 6 9 5

Dm6/9

R b3 6 9 5

C#7#9+

R 3 b7 #9 #5

B9

R 3 b7 9 5

Eb7b9b5

R 3 b7 b9 b5

Bb7b9+

R b7 3 #5 b9

Abm7

R b7 b3 5 b3

D6/9

R 5 9 3 6

Gm7b5

R b7 b3 b5

C#m11

R b3 b7 9 11

F7#9+

R 3 #5 b7 #9

BbΔ9

R 5 9 5 7 3

G/9

R 3 5 9 3

C11

R b7 9 11

Cb13sus

R b7 9 11 13

Ab7#9+

R b7 3 #5 #9

Em7

R b3 b7 R 5

D#m7/11

5 b3 b7 b3 11

F7#9

R 5 3 b7 #9

Bø9

R b5 b3 b7 9

F#Δ7

R 5 7 3 5

Dm7

R b7 R b3

Gm7

R b3 5 b7 b3

Ebm7/11

R 11 b7 b3 5

Db13b9

R b7 b9 3 13

BΔ13

R 5 7 9 13

D/9

R 5 9 3 5

Fm7b5/11

R b5 b7 11 b7

E7#9#11

5 R 3 b7 #9 #11

Bb13

R b7 3 13 9

AbΔ7

R 5 3 7 3

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|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|
| 1) m7 | 2) 7 | 3) 7 | 4) 7#9 |
| 5) 9 | 6) m9 | 7) 9 | 8) 11 |
| 9) 13 | 10) 13b9 | 11) +11 | 12) 13+11 |
| 13) m7/11 | 14) m11 | 15) 7b9+ | 16) o7 |
| 17) m6/9 | 18) m9 | 19) ø7 | 20) 13sus |

② Spell (by name, not number) the following chords:

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|---------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1) D7 | 2) E ^b m7 | 3) A ^b o7 | 4) B13 |
| 5) D ^b 7 | 6) Fø7 | 7) A13sus | 8) C#m9 |
| 9) Cm7/11 | 10) B ^b m6/9 | 11) G7b9+ | 12) F#m11 |
| 13) E13+11 | 14) E ^b +11 | 15) D13b9 | 16) B ^b 11 |
| 17) B9 | 18) C ^b 9 | 19) A ^b m9 | 20) D#7#9 |

③ Write in the tones, by number, underneath each chord diagram:

The diagram shows 30 guitar chord diagrams arranged in three rows. Each diagram is a six-string guitar fretboard with dots representing notes. Above each diagram is a handwritten label for the chord. The labels are: A19, G#m7, Bbm7/11, A13, G13b9, Gb9, F7, Eb/9, Dm6/9, C##9+, B9, Eb7b9b5, Bb7b9+, Abm7, D6/9, Gm7b5, C#m11, F##9+, Bb9, G/9, C11, Cb13sus, Ab7#9+, Em7, D##m7/11, F##9, Bø9, F#7, Dm7, Gm7, Ebm7/11, Db13b9, B13, D/9, Fm7b5/11, E##9+11, Bb13, Ab7.