

Baroque Major Key Vocabulary

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Degree of Home Key	Common Triads	Commonly Used 7ths (6ths)	Bass View of Chords
1st	I, (i°)	I ^Δ 7, I6, I7, (I7b9), i°7	I, I ^Δ 7, I6, I7, I/9, i°7, <u>ii7</u> , <u>II7</u> , II7b9, <u>IV</u> , <u>IV7</u> , <u>IV6</u> , 5 2 5 2 2 2
			# <u>iv°</u> , # <u>iv°7</u> , <u>vi</u> , <u>vi7</u> , <u>vi6</u> <u>VII7b9</u> , 3 pedal V chords 6 6 1 1 6 4 other pedal sounds
#1st	#i°	#i°7, (#i°7)	<u>#i°</u> , <u>#i°7</u> , #i°7, <u>VI</u> , <u>VI7</u> , <u>VI7b9</u>
2nd	ii, II, (ii°)	ii7, II7, ii6 (ii°7) (II7b9)	ii, ii7, ii6, ii°7, II, II7 III7, III7b9, iii7, iii°7, V, V7, V7b9 v, v7, v6, #v°, #v°7, bVII, bVII ^Δ 7, bVII6, vii°, vii°7, vii, vii7
#2nd	#ii°	#ii°7,	#ii°, #ii°7, VII, VII7, VII7b9, i°7, IV7
(b3rd)	(bIII)	(bIII ^Δ 7), (bIII6)	
3rd	iii, III	iii7, iii°7, III7	I, I ^Δ 7, I6, I7, I7b9, #i°, #i°7, iii, iii7, iii6, iii°, iii°7, III
	iii°	III7b9, (iii°7)	III7, IV ^Δ 7 ₂ in high register, #iv°7, vi, vi6, vi7, VI, VI7, VI7b9, v6
4th	IV, (iv°)	IV ^Δ 7, IV6, IV7 (iv°7, IV7b9)	ii, ii7, ii6, III7b9, IV, IV ^Δ 7, IV6, IV7, V7, V7b9, v7, #v°7, bVII, bVII ^Δ 7, bVII6, vii°, vii°7
#4th	#iv° (#iv)	#iv°7, (#iv°7, #iv7, #IV7b9)	i°7, II, II7, II7b9, #iv°, #iv°7, vi6, VII, VII7, VII7b9
5th	V, v, v°	V7, V7b9, v7, v6, (V6, v°7)	I, I ^Δ 7, I6, I7, I7b9, #i°, #i°7, VI, VI7, V7b9, V pedal dominant, iii, iii7, iii6, iii°, iii°7, V, V7, V7b9, v, v7, v6, vi7
#5th	#v°	#v°7	III, III7, III7b9, #v°, #v°7

6th	vi, VI, (vi ^o)	vi7, vi6, VI7 V7b9, (vi ^o 7)	ii, ii7, ii6, II, II7, #ii ^o , #ii ^o 7, IV, IV ^Δ 7, IV6, IV7, #iv ^o , #iv ^o 7, vi, vi6, vi7, VI, VI7, vii ^o 7, vii7, VII7, VII7b9, i ^o 7
b7th	bVII (bvi ^o)	bVII ^Δ 7, bVII6, (bVII7, vii ^o 7)	I7, #i ^o 7, iii ^o , iii ^o 7, v, v6, v7, VI7b9, bVII, bVII ^Δ 7, bVII6
7th	vii ^o , vii, VII	vii ^o 7, vii7, VII7 VII7b9, (vii ^o 7)	I ^Δ 7 ₂ in higher registers, ii6, iii, iii7, iii6, III, III7, III7b9, V, V7, V7b9, #v ^o , #v ^o 7, vii ^o , vii ^o 7, vii, vii7, VII, VII7

For Any Chord: Follow, precede, or substitute chords whose roots are a 3rd apart. Also, use certain inversions of 13b9, 7b9, 7b9+, 7#9 for 7b9 chord. Also suspensions, /9's [add 9's], R^o7, and pedal chords.

Common Sub-dominants: ii, ii7 | II, II7, #iv^o, #iv^o7 | IV, IV^Δ7, IV6 | Optional: II7b9 and its related 7b9's, ^o7's, dim., via synonyms.

Common Dominants: V, V7, vii^o, vii^o7, iii6, pedal dominants, optional: V7b9 and its relatives.

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BAROQUE MAJORKEY VOCABULARY

DEGREE OF COMMONLY USED THS
HOME KEY TRIADS USED THS
(6ths)

- = TONICS
- = SUBDOMINANTS
- = DOMINANTS
- = Σ or vii of V
- = other chords of V
- = Σ of vi
- = Σ of vii
- = Σ of viii
- = Σ of ix
- = Σ of x
- = Σ of xi
- = Σ of xii

			BASS VIEW OF CHORDS	1/9 I, 7, 6, 7/9 i ^o 7 ii ⁱ , II, 7, 7b9 3 PEDAL I chords + OTHER PEDAL SOUNDS	II, 7, 6, 7/9 i ^o 7 ii ⁱ , II, 7, 7b9 2 5 IV, 7, 6, 7/9 #IV, 6, 7 2 5 VI, 7, 6, 7/9 1 6
1ST	I, (i ^o)	I, 7, 6 I, 7, (7b9) i ^o 7			#1 ^o , 07, #7 VI, 7, 7b9 ————— {—————,
2ND	ii, II, (ii ^o)	ii, 7, II, 7, ii ^o (ii ^o) (II, 7b9)			ii, 7, 6, #7 II, 7 III, 7, 7b9 iii, 7, #7 I, 7, 7b9 V, 7, 6 #V ^o , 07 bVII, 7, 6 VII ^o , #7 vii, 7
#2ND (b3RD)	#ii ^o	#ii ^o 7			#ii ^o , 07 VII, 7, 7b9 i ^o 7 IV
3RD	iii, III, III ^o	iii, 7, #7 III, 7b9 (iii ^o)			I, 7, 6 I, 7, 7b9 #i ^o , 07, #7 iii, 7, 6, 0, #7, III, 7 IV, 7, in high register #IV, #7, VI, 6, 7 VI, 7, 7b9 V6
4th	IV, (iv ^o)	IV, 7, 6, 7 (iv ^o), IV, 7b9			ii, 7, 6 III, 7b9 IV, 7, 6, 7 IV, 7, 7b9 V7 #V ^o 7 bVII, 7, 6 VII ^o , #7
#4th	#IV ^o (#IV)	#IV, #7, (#IV ^o), #IV, 7, #IV, 7b9			i ^o 7 II, 7, 7b9 #IV ^o , #7 VI, 6 VII, 7, 7b9
5th	V, V, V ^o	V, 7, 7b9 V, 7, V6 (V6, V ^o)			I, 7, 6, 7, 7b9 #i ^o , 07 VI, 7, 7b9 iii, 7, 6, 0, #7 I, 7, 7b9, V, 7, 6 vi, 7
#5th	#V ^o	#V ^o 7			III, 7, 7b9 #V ^o , 07
6th	vi, VI, (vi ^o)	vi, 7, vi ⁶ , VI, 7, 7b9 (vi ^o)			ii, 7, 6 II, 7 #ii ^o , 07 IV, 7, 6, 7 #IV, #7, VI, 6, 7 VI, 7 VII ^o , 7, VII, 7, 7b9 i ^o 7
b7th	bVII (bVII ^o)	bVII, 7, 6 (bVII ^o), bVII, 7			I, 7 #i ^o 7 iii, 7, #7 V, 6, 7 VI, 7b9 bVII, 7, 6
7th	vii ^o , vii, VII	vii ^o 7, 7 VII, 7, 7b9 (vii ^o)			I, 7, in higher registers ii, 6 iii, 7, 6 III, 7, 7b9 IV, 7, 7b9 #V ^o , 07 VII ^o , #7, vii, 7 VII, 7

For any chord: Follow, precede or substitute chords whose roots are a 3rd apart also use certain inversions of 13b9, 7b9+, 7+9 for 7b9 chord.
also suspensions postpedal chords.

COMMON SUB DOMINANTS: ii, iii, II, II, #IV, #7, IV, 7, 6 | OPT: II, 7b9 + its related
COMMON DOMINANTS:
V, VI, VII, VII^o, VII, VII, VI, PEDAL DOMS OPT: I, 7b9 + its relatives