

# General Harmonic Tendencies - Tonality Oriented, Major Key, Non-Modulating”

(By Family or Sub-Family)  
Using 6 Types as Foundation

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Minor-major7 may precede m6 or m7.

D, E $\flat$ , (F, G), A $\flat$ , B $\flat$ , E, A $\circ$ 7's, B, and other can be used for *very* temporary modulations.

**C to:** Cm(6), Cm7, C7, C+, C $\circ$ 7, D $\flat$ , (D $\Delta$ 7#11), C#m6, C#m7, D $\flat$ 7, Dm(7), D/9, D(7), D $\circ$ 7, (family) E $\flat$ , E $\flat$ m7, E $\flat$ 7, E $\flat$ +, E $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Em(6), Em7, E(7), E+, E $\circ$ 7, F, Fm(6), Fm7, F7, F $\circ$ 7, F#m(7), F#( $\circ$ 7), F#7, G, Gm(6), Gm7, G7, G+, G $\circ$ 7, A $\flat$ , A $\flat$ m(6), A $\flat$ m7, A $\flat$ 7, A $\flat$ +, A $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Am(6), Am7, A(7), A $\circ$ 7, B $\flat$ , B $\flat$ m(6), B $\flat$ m7, B $\flat$ 7, B $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Bm(7), B(7), B+

**Cm(6) to:** C, Cm9, C7, C $\circ$ 7, D $\flat$ , D $\flat$ 7, (Dm7), D $\circ$ 7, D(7), E $\flat$ , E $\flat$ 7, E $\flat$ +, (E $\flat$  $\circ$ 7), Em(6), Em7, E(7), (E $\circ$ 7), F, Fm(6), Fm7, F7, F $\circ$ 7, F#( $\circ$ 7), F#7, Gm(6), Gm7, G(7), (G+), G $\circ$ 7, A $\flat$ , A $\flat$ m(6), A $\flat$ m7, A $\flat$ 7, A $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Am(6), (A(7)), (A $\circ$ 7), (B $\flat$ ), B $\flat$ m(6), B $\flat$ m7/11, B $\flat$ 13, (B $\flat$ 7), B $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, B $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, (Bm7), B(7), (B+), B $\circ$ 7

**Cm7 to:** C, Cm6, C7, C $\circ$ 7, D $\flat$ , D $\flat$ 7, D, D7, Dm7, (D $\circ$ 7), E $\flat$ , E $\flat$ m7, E $\flat$ 7, E $\flat$ +, E $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Em, (Em6), (Em7), E $\circ$ 7, F, Fm(6), Fm7, F7, F $\circ$ 7, F#7, Gm(6), Gm7, G7, G+, G $\circ$ 7, A $\flat$ , A $\flat$ 7, A $\flat$ m(6), A $\flat$ m7, A $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, (Am(6)), Am7, (A7), (A $\circ$ 7), B $\flat$ , B $\flat$ 7, (B $\flat$ m(6)), (B $\flat$ m7), B $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, B7, B $\circ$ 7, (B+)

**C7 to:** Cm7, Cm6, (C+), C $\circ$ 7, (D $\Delta$ 7), (C#m6), C#m7, (D $\flat$ 7), D/9, D $\circ$ 7, (Dm), D7, (D $\circ$ 7), E $\flat$ , (E $\flat$ 7), E $\flat$ +, E $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Em(6), Em7, (E7), (E+), (E $\circ$ 7), F, Fm7, Fm6, F7, F $\circ$ 7, F#m7 $\flat$ 5, (F#6/9#11), F#7, G, Gm7, Gm(6), G7, G $\circ$ 7, G+, A $\flat$ , A $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, A $\flat$ 7, (A $\flat$ m(6)), (A $\flat$ m7), A $\flat$ +, Am(6), Am7, A7, B $\flat$ , B $\flat$ m(6), B $\flat$ m7, (B $\flat$ 7), B $\flat$ 11 from C7<sub>2</sub> or others, B $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Bm7/11, (B $\flat$  $\circ$ 7), B11, (B7), B+, B $\circ$ 7

**C+ (E+, A $\flat$ +) to:** C, Cm(6), Cm7, C $\circ$ 7, (C7), D $\flat$ , C#m6, C#m7, D $\flat$ 7, (Dm), D $\circ$ 7, D7, (family) E $\flat$ , E $\flat$ 7, E $\flat$ +, E $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Em(6), Em7, E $\circ$ 7, Fm6, Fm7, F, F7, F $\circ$ 7, F#m7 $\flat$ 5, F#7, Gm6, Gm7, G7, G+, G $\circ$ 7, A $\flat$ , A $\flat$ m(6), A $\flat$ m7, A $\flat$ 7, A $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Am(6), Am7, A7, A $\flat$ , A $\flat$ m(6), A $\flat$ m7, A $\flat$ 7, A $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Am9 from C+ $\flat$ E<sub>B</sub>, A $\circ$ 7, B $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, (B $\flat$ m(6)), (B $\flat$ m7), (B $\flat$ 7), (B $\flat$  $\circ$ 7), B+, B $\circ$ 7

**C $\circ$ 7 (E $\flat$  $\circ$ 7) to:** C, Cm(6), Cm7, C7, Dm7, Dm(6), D $\circ$ 7, (D7), E $\flat$ , E $\flat$ 7, (E $\flat$ m7), E $\flat$ +, F, Fm, Fm6, Fm7, F7 without V.L. [voice-leading], F $\circ$ 7, F#m7 $\flat$ 5, (F#7), Gm7, Gm(6), (G, G7), G+, G $\circ$ 7, A $\flat$  (especially A $\flat$  $\Delta$ 7<sup>4</sup><sub>3</sub>), A $\flat$ m(6), A $\flat$ m7, A $\flat$ 7, A $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Am(6), Am7, A7, B $\flat$ , B $\flat$ m(6), B $\flat$ m7, B $\flat$ 7, B $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Bm6, Bm7 $\flat$ 5, B7, (B $\circ$ 7), B+

**D $\flat$  to:** C, Cm(6), Cm7, C7, (C+), C $\circ$ 7, D $\flat$ 7, (Dm(7), D $\circ$ 7, D7), E $\flat$ , E $\flat$ 7, (E $\flat$  $\circ$ 7), E $\flat$ +, E $\circ$ 7, Em7, E7#9, F, Fm(6), Fm7, F7, F $\circ$ 7, (F#7), Gm7, G7, G+, G $\circ$ 7, A $\flat$ , A $\flat$ m7, A $\flat$ m6, (Am7), A7, B $\flat$ , B $\flat$ m, B $\flat$ m6, B $\flat$ m7, B $\flat$ 7

**D $\flat$ 7 to:** Above, plus

### C#m7, C#m6

**D/9 to:** C, (Cm7, Cm6), C7, C $\circ$ 7, D $\flat$ , D $\flat$ 7 (C#m7, C#m6), D7, D $\circ$ 7, Dm7, Dm6, E $\flat$ , (E $\flat$ 7), (E $\flat$ m7, E $\flat$ +) , E $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, (E/9), E(7), Em6, Em7, (E+), E $\circ$ 7, F, F7, Fm6, Fm7, F $\circ$ 7, (F#6/9#11), (F# $_{(2)}$ ), F#m7( $\flat$ 5), G(7), Gm7, Gm6, G $\circ$ 7, A $\flat$ , A $\flat$ m6, A $\flat$ 7, A $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, A $\flat$ +, Am, (Am6, Am7), A(7), A $\circ$ 7, B $\flat$ , B $\flat$ 7, B $\flat$ m, (B $\flat$ m6), (B $\flat$ m7), B $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, B(7), Bm, Bm7 $\flat$ 5, (B $\circ$ 7),

**Dm(7) to:** C, Cm7, Cm6, C7, C+, C $\circ$ 7, D $\flat$ , D $\flat$ 7 D/9, Dm6, D $\circ$ 7, (Dm7), D7, E $\flat$ , E $\flat$ 7, (E $\flat$ m7), E $\flat$ +, E $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Em7, E7, E+, F, F7, Fm6, Fm7, F $\circ$ 7, F# $\circ$ 7, Gm, (Gm7), Gm6, G7, G+, G $\circ$ 7, A $\flat$ , A $\flat$ 7, A $\flat$ m6, A $\flat$ m7, A $\flat$ +, A $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, (Am(6), Am7, A7, A $\circ$ 7, B $\flat$ , B $\flat$ m(6), B $\flat$ m7, B $\flat$ 7, B $\flat$ m, B $\flat$  $\circ$ 7, Bm7 $\flat$ 5, B $\flat$ m7, B7, B $\circ$ 7

**Dm6 to:** same.

**D7 to:** C, Cm(6), Cm7, C7

C9 - E $\flat$ A7#11 - G9 or A9(13) | C9 - G $\flat$ 7#11 - E $\flat$ 9 or B $\flat$ 9 |  
C9 - (B $\flat$ m6) - Fm6 - A $\flat$ A7#11 - F9 or G9 or D9 | C9 - D $\flat$ 7#11 - F9 or B $\flat$ 9 (13) or G9 |

**C9 $\flat$ 5 to:** Bm6 (Bm9), E $\flat$ m6, Dm6, F#m6

In G $\flat$ : A $\flat$ 7 $\flat$ 9#11 $\flat$ 7 to B9 $\flat$ 5 close full also same move from V7 $\flat$ 9#11,  $\flat$ VI7 $\flat$ 9#11

→ D/F# to B9 close full  
or Bm7 or G $\Delta$ 13 or C6/9#11

**GENERAL HARMONIC TENDENCIES - TONALITY ORIENTED - MAJOR KEY  
NON-MODULATING using 5 types as foundation**

*(F,G,  
D, E, A, B, E, A<sup>7</sup>, G,  
(F,G,  
D, E, A, B, E, A<sup>7</sup>, G,  
and + contained for years  
years and  
years)*

*to: Cm(6) Cm7, C7, C+ C07 D<sup>b</sup>(D<sup>b</sup>+11) C#m6, m7, D<sup>b</sup>, Dm(7), D<sup>b</sup>E<sup>b</sup> Ebm7, E<sup>b</sup>, Eb+, Eb7, Em7, E<sup>b</sup>F, E<sup>b</sup>,  
F, Fm(6) Fm7, F7, F<sup>b</sup>7, F#7, G, Gm7, G7, G<sup>b</sup>, G07, Ab, Abm(6) Am7, Ab7, Ab<sup>b</sup>, Ab7, Am(6) Am7, Ab7, Ab<sup>b</sup>, Ab7, Bm(7), B<sup>b</sup>, B<sup>b</sup>,  
Cm(6) to: C, Cm7, C7, C07, D<sup>b</sup>, D<sup>b</sup>E<sup>b</sup> (Bm7), D<sup>b</sup>E<sup>b</sup>, Eb+, Eb7, Em7, E<sup>b</sup>, F, Fm7, F7, F<sup>b</sup>7, F#7, Gm7, G7, G<sup>b</sup>, G07,  
Ab, Ab7, Abm(6) Am7, Ab7, (Am6), Am7, (A7), (A7), Ab, Bb7, (Bm6, 7) Bb7, B7, B<sup>b</sup>7, G<sup>b</sup>*

*Cm7 to: C, Cm6, C7, C07, D<sup>b</sup>, Dm7(D<sup>b</sup>), D<sup>b</sup>, Eb+, Eb7, Em7, E<sup>b</sup>, F, Fm7, F7, F<sup>b</sup>7, F#7, Gm7, G7, G<sup>b</sup>, G07,  
Ab, Ab7, Abm(6) Am7, Ab7, (Am6), Am7, (A7), (A7), Ab, Bb7, (Bm6, 7) Bb7, B7, B<sup>b</sup>7, G<sup>b</sup>*  
*F, Fm7, F7, F<sup>b</sup>7, F#7 from C to C# or C# to C, Bb7  
Fm7(6), (F#7(9+11)), F#7, G, Gm7, Gm7(6), G7, G<sup>b</sup>, G<sup>b</sup>, Ab, Ab7, Ab7, (Abm6, 7)(Am6, 7), A7, Bb, Bm(6, 7) B<sup>b</sup>7 from C to C# or C# to C, Bb7  
Bm7(11)(Bb7), B11(C B7), B<sup>b</sup>7, B<sup>b</sup>7*

*C+(E, Ab) to: C, Cm7, Cm7, C07 (C7), D<sup>b</sup>, C#m7, D<sup>b</sup>, (D<sup>b</sup>), DT, E<sup>b</sup>, Eb+, Eb7, Em7(6), Em7, E<sup>b</sup>, F, F7, F<sup>b</sup>7, F#7, F#7, Fm6, Fm7  
FAMILY (include: E7, E<sup>b</sup>, E07, Ab, Abm(6), m7, Ab7, Ab<sup>b</sup>, Ab7, Am(6) Am7, A7, A9 from C to E, A07, Bb7, Bm(6, 7) B<sup>b</sup>7)(Bb7), B<sup>b</sup>7, B<sup>b</sup>7  
all types)*  
*C07 to: C, Cm(6), Cm7, C7, Dm7, Dm(7), D<sup>b</sup>, Eb+, Eb7, (Em7), Eb+, F, Fm, Fm7, Fm7, F7 without V.L., F7, Fm7(11)(C7), Gm7, Gm7(6) G7, G<sup>b</sup>, G<sup>b</sup>, G07  
(Eb7) FAMILY, Ab, (exp. F<sup>b</sup>), Abm(6), m7, Ab7, Ab<sup>b</sup>, Am(6), Am7, A7, Bb, Bm(6) m7, Bb7, B7, B<sup>b</sup>7, Bm7(6), B7, B<sup>b</sup>7*

*D<sup>b</sup> to: C, Cm(6, 7), C7, C<sup>b</sup> C07, D<sup>b</sup>7, (Dm7, 7), E<sup>b</sup>, Eb7, (Eb7) Eb7, E<sup>b</sup>7, F, Fm(6), Fm7, F7, F<sup>b</sup>7, F#7, Gm7, G7, G<sup>b</sup>, G07, Ab, Abm7, m6,  
(Am7) A7, Bb, Bbm, Bbm7, Bb7, Bb7, Bb7 to: above phras*

*Cm7, C<sup>b</sup>m6*

*D<sup>b</sup>7 to: C, Cm7, m6 C7, C07, D<sup>b</sup>, D<sup>b</sup>7, (C#m7, C#m7), D<sup>b</sup>m7, m6, Eb, (E<sup>b</sup>)(Em7, +) Eb7, (E<sup>b</sup>), Em7, Em7, (E<sup>b</sup>), E<sup>b</sup>7, F, Fm6, Fm7, F7, F<sup>b</sup>7,  
(F#7(9+11)) F#7, F#7(6), G7, G<sup>b</sup>, m7, m7, G<sup>b</sup>, G<sup>b</sup>, Ab, Abm6, Ab7, Ab<sup>b</sup>, Ab7, Ab7, Am, (6, 7), A7, A07, Bb, Bb7, Bbm(6, 7), O7, B<sup>b</sup>7, Bm, m7B5, (O7)  
Dm7(7) to: C, Cm7, m6, C7, C07, D<sup>b</sup>, D<sup>b</sup>7, Dm6(m7), D<sup>b</sup>, Eb, Eb7, (Em7), Eb+, Eb7, Em7, E<sup>b</sup>, E<sup>b</sup>, F, F7, Fm7, Fm7, F7, F<sup>b</sup>7, F#7*

*Dm6 to: Same*

*D7 to: C Cm(6) Cm7 C7*

*C9 E<sup>b</sup>7#11 G<sup>b</sup>7 or A9(12) | C9 G<sup>b</sup>7#11 E<sup>b</sup>7 or B<sup>b</sup>7  
C9 A<sup>b</sup>7#11 F<sup>b</sup>7 or G<sup>b</sup>7 or D<sup>b</sup>7 | C9 D<sup>b</sup>7#11 F<sup>b</sup>7 or B<sup>b</sup>7 or G<sup>b</sup>7  
(Bbm6) Fm6*

*C9 b5 to Bbm6(9), E<sup>b</sup>m6, Dm6, F<sup>#</sup>m6*

*in G<sup>b</sup> = A<sup>b</sup>7 b9#11, F7 to B9 V close FULL close from same more  
V7, b9#11, bVI, 7 b9#11  
→ V<sup>#</sup> to B9 close full  
or Bm7 or G<sup>b</sup> 13 or C6(9#11)*