Diatonic Exercises for Clarinet

C Major

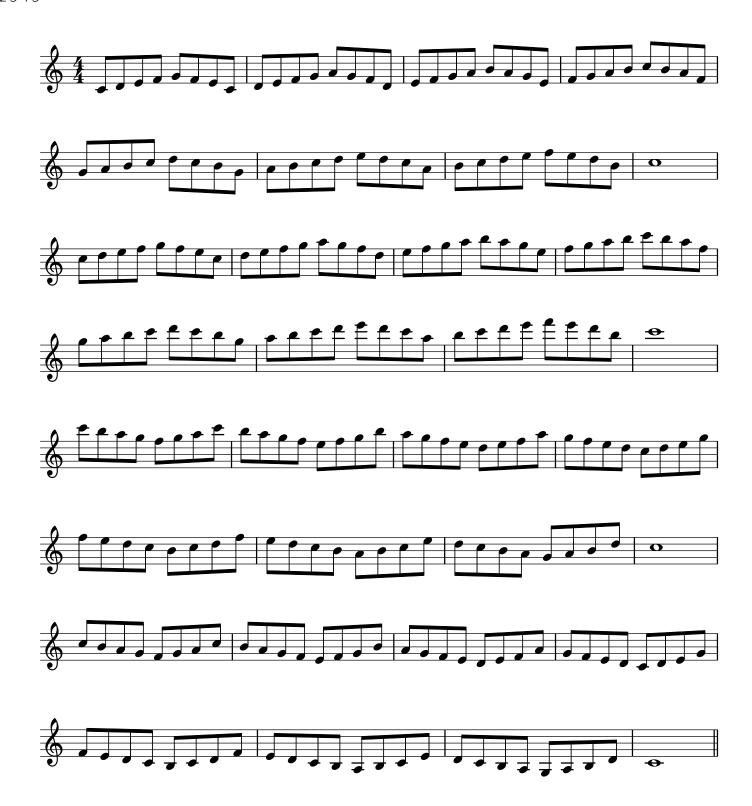
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Triads



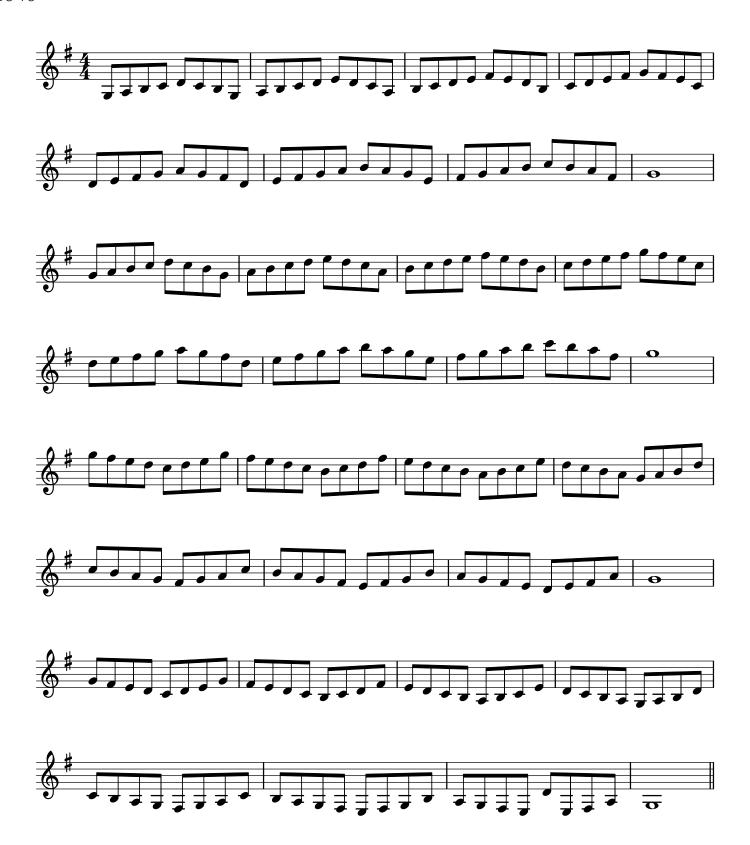


1-2-3-4-5





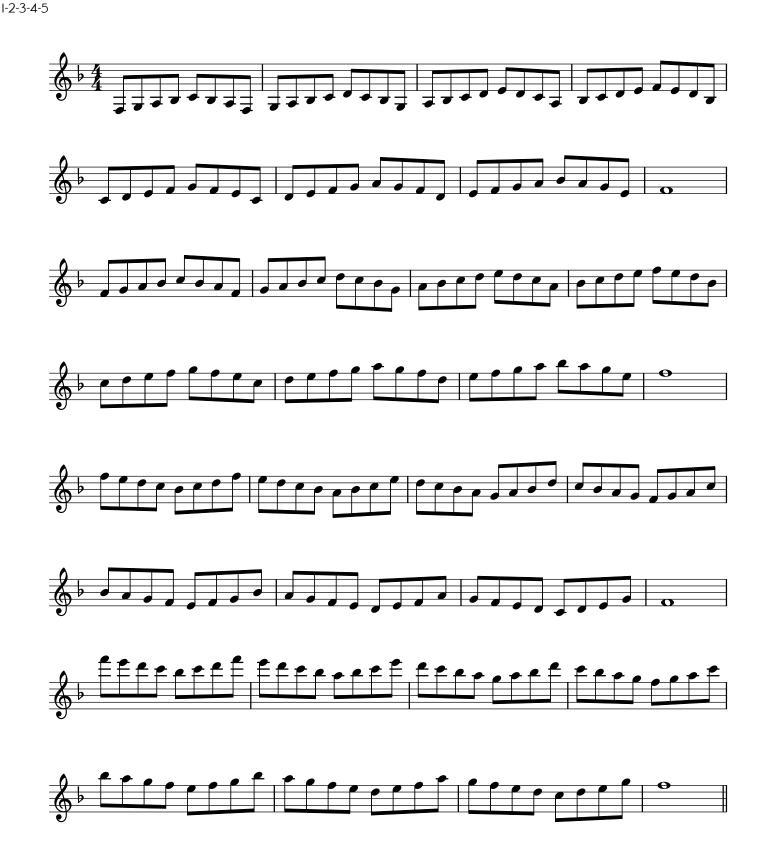














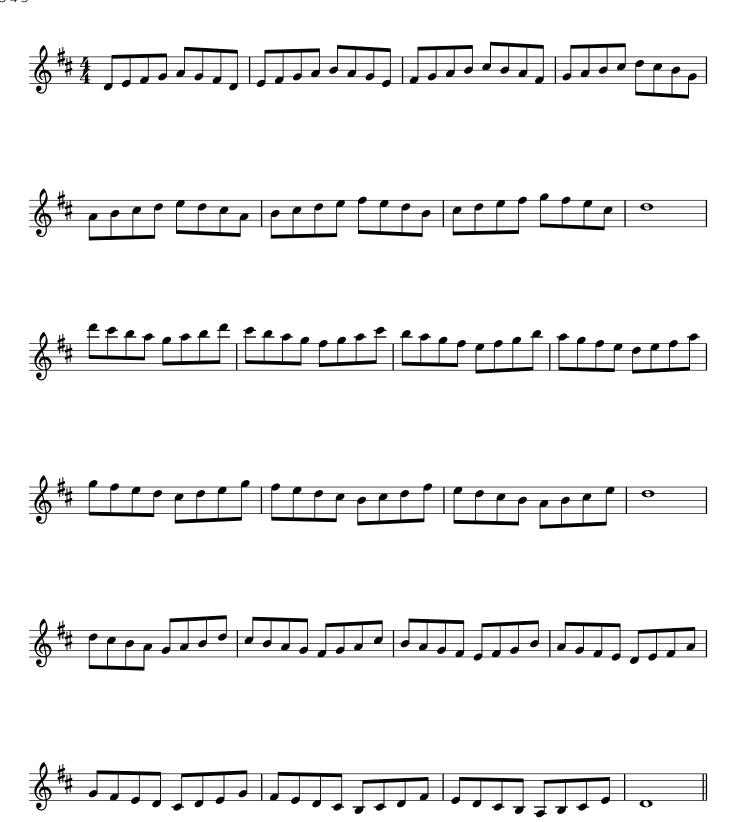
D Major





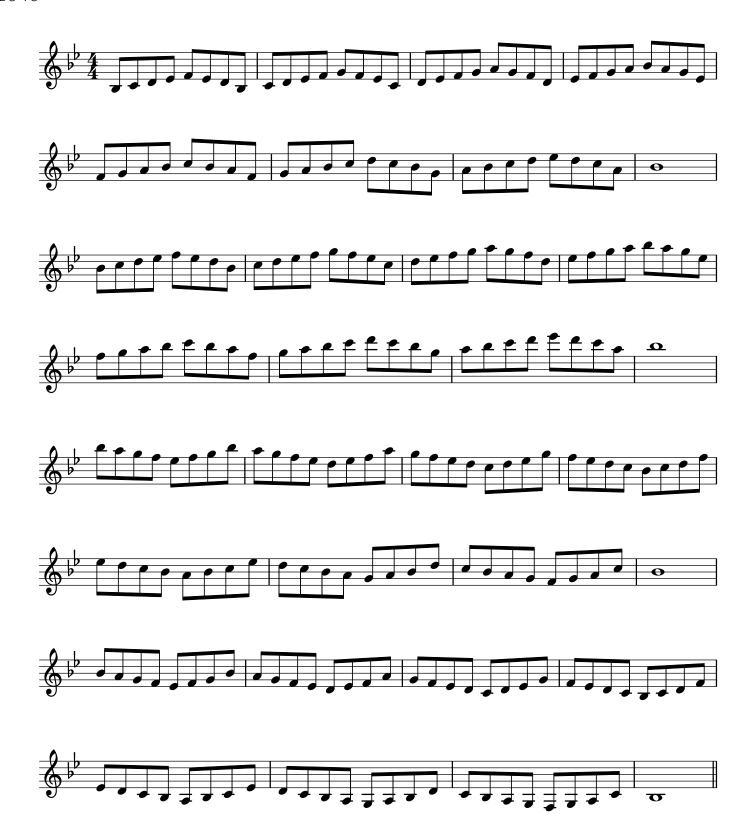








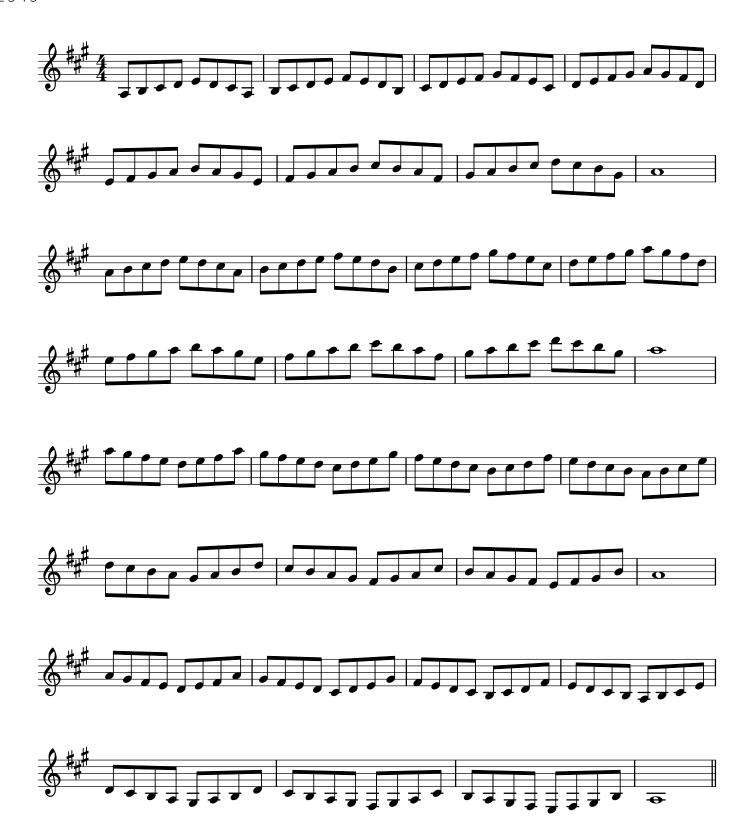








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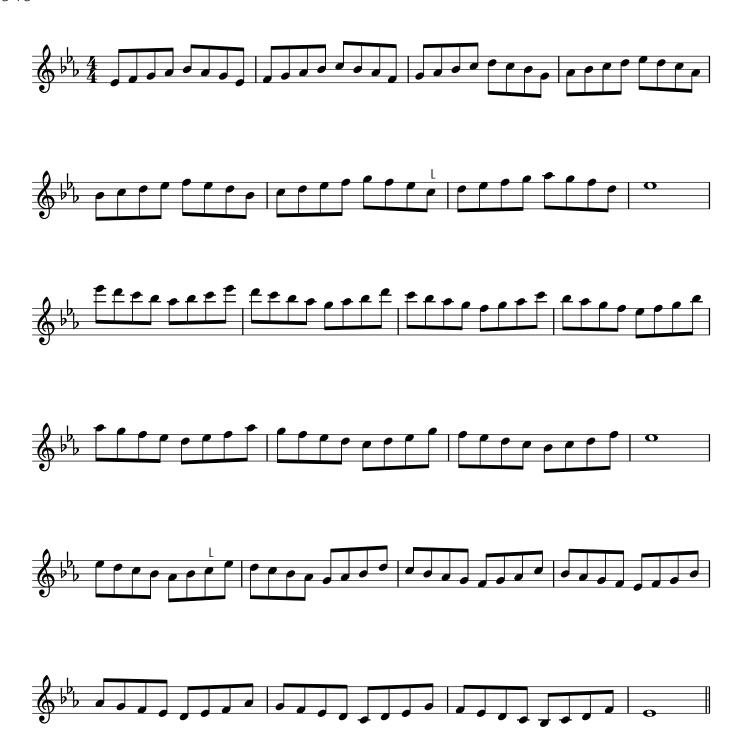


Since the note Eb can only be played with the Right hand, when it is preceded or followed by the note C, we finger the note C with the Left hand.

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E Major

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Since the note Eb can only be played with the Right hand, when it is preceded or followed by the note C, we finger the note C with the Left hand.

Likewise, when we need to play the note C with the Left hand, and it is preceded or followed by the note Db, we finger the note Db with the Right hand.

Sometimes we cannot alternate every note between hands such as when both C and Db are in between two Eb's.

In cases where the Db follows the Eb, we can finger both with the Right hand, although this is not ideal since there will be a little delay and a click.

More generally, we can start one note with one finger then, while still playing the note, add the other finger and release the first.

Example Fingerings



Triads





1-2-3-4-5



Since the note D# can only be played with the Right hand, when it is preceded or followed by the note C#, we finger the note C# with the Left hand.

Likewise, when we need to play the note C# with the Left hand, and it is preceded or followed by the note B, we finger the note B with the Right hand.

Triads







Since the note Eb can only be played with the Right hand, when it is preceded or followed by the note C or Db, we finger the note C or Db with the Left hand.

Likewise, when the note C follows the note Db, or when the note Db follows the note C, one of them should be played with the Left hand

Triads





1-2-3-4-5



Since the note G# in the lower register can only be played with the Right hand, when it is preceded or followed by the note F#, we finger the note F# with the Left hand.

Since the note D# in the middle register can only be played with the Right hand, when it is preceded or followed by the note C#, we finger the note C# with the Left hand.

Likewise, when we need to play the note C# with the Left hand, and it is preceded or followed by the note B, we finger the note B with the Right hand.

Sometimes we cannot alternate every note between hands such as when both C# and B are in between two D#'s.

In cases where the C# follows the D#, we can finger both with the Right hand, although this is not ideal since there will be a little delay and a click.

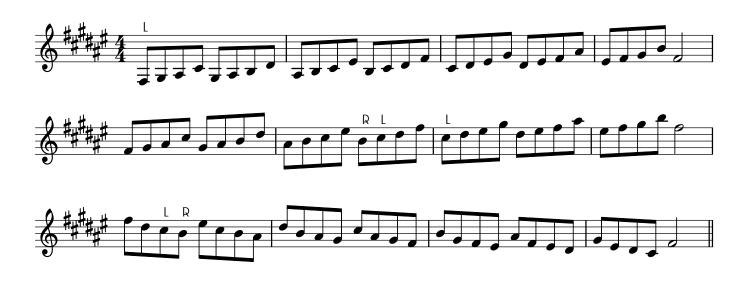
More generally, we can start one note with one finger then, while still playing the note, add the other finger and release the first.

Example Fingerings



Triads





I-2-3-4-5



Since the note Ab in the lower register can only be played with the Right hand, when it is preceded or followed by the note Gb, we finger the note Gb with the Left hand.

Since the note Eb in the middle register can only be played with the Right hand, when it is preceded or followed by the note Db, we finger the note Db with the Left hand.

Likewise, when we need to play the note Db with the Left hand, and it is preceded or followed by the note Cb (B), we finger the note Cb with the Right hand.

Sometimes we cannot alternate every note between hands such as when both Db and Cb are in between two Eb's.

In cases where the Db follows the Eb, we can finger both with the Right hand, although this is not ideal since there will be a little delay and a click.

More generally, we can start one note with one finger then, while still playing the note, add the other finger and release the first.

Example Fingerings



Triads





1-2-3-4-5



Since the note D# can only be played with the Right hand, when it is preceded or followed by the note B# (C) or C#, we finger the note B# or C# with the Left hand.

Likewise, when the note B# follows the note C#, or when the note C# follows the note B#, one of them should be played with the Left hand

Triads













Since the note Eb can only be played with the Right hand, when it is preceded or followed by the note Db, we finger the note Db with the Left hand.

Likewise, when we need to play the note Db with the Left hand, and it is preceded or followed by the note Cb (B), we finger the note Cb with the Right hand.

Triads







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