

Tetrachords and Modes

Sing with numbers. W=whole step, H=half step.

Tetrachords for reference:

Major: 0245 Minor: 0235 Phrygian: 0135 Whole-tone: 0246

5 Ionian: Major W Major

7 Dorian: Minor W Minor

9 Phrygian: Phrygian W Phrygian

11 Lydian: Whole Tone H Major

13 Mixolydian: Major W Minor

15 Aeolian: Minor W Phrygian

17 Locrian: Phrygian H Whole Tone