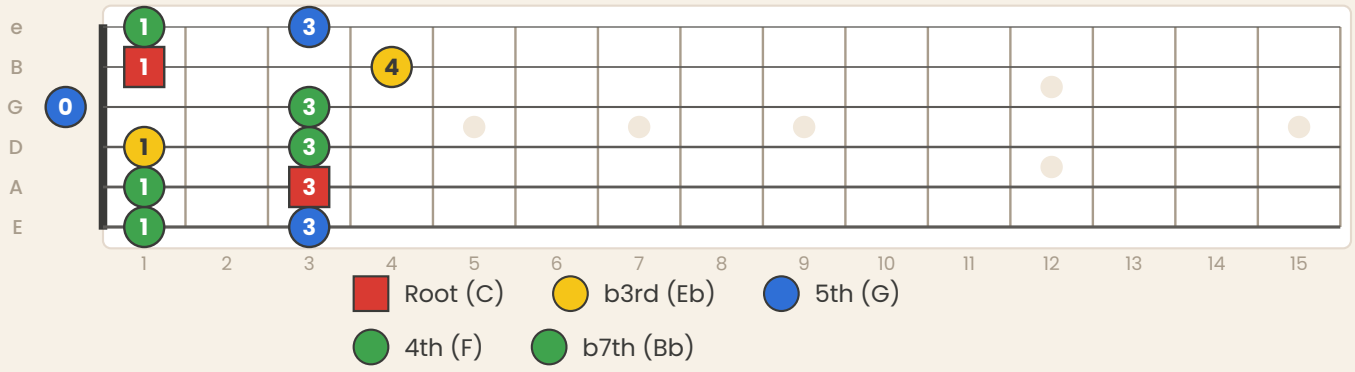
MINOR KEYS

CAGED Minor Pentatonic

Finger Positions

All five CAGED shapes | All 12 keys

C minor pentatonic | Cm shape



Each page is one key, with the scale in the Cm, Am, Gm, Em and Dm shapes.
Numbers in the markers are fretting-hand fingers, one finger per fret: 1 index, 2 middle, 3 ring, 4 pinky.
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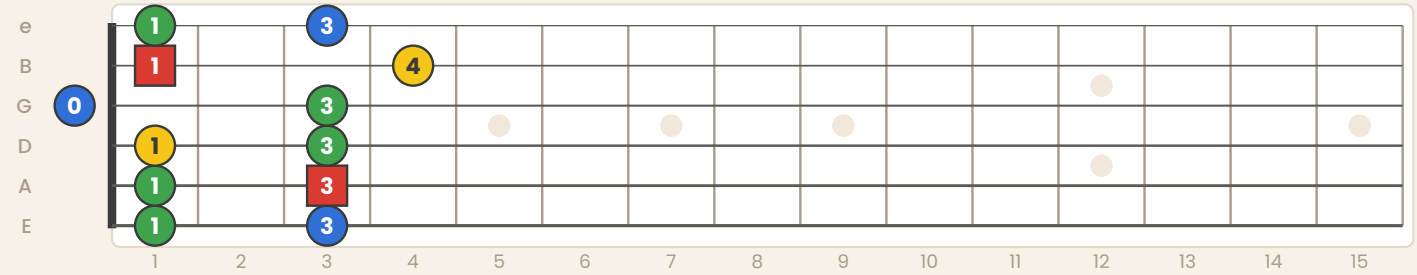
C Minor Pentatonic

Finger Positions

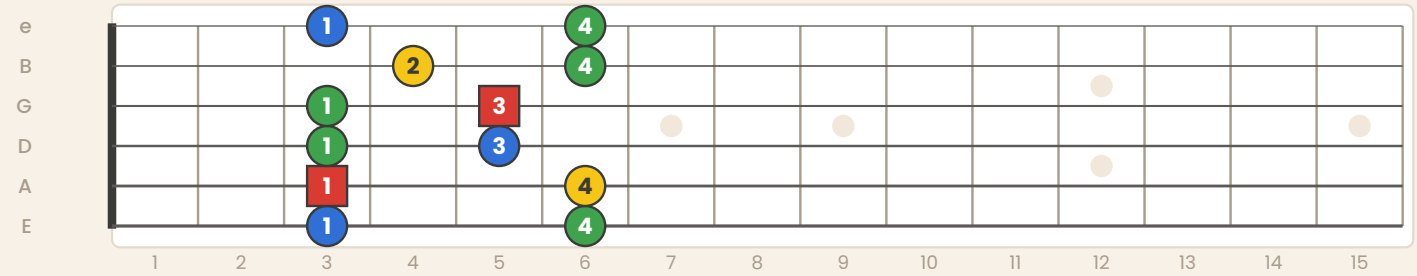
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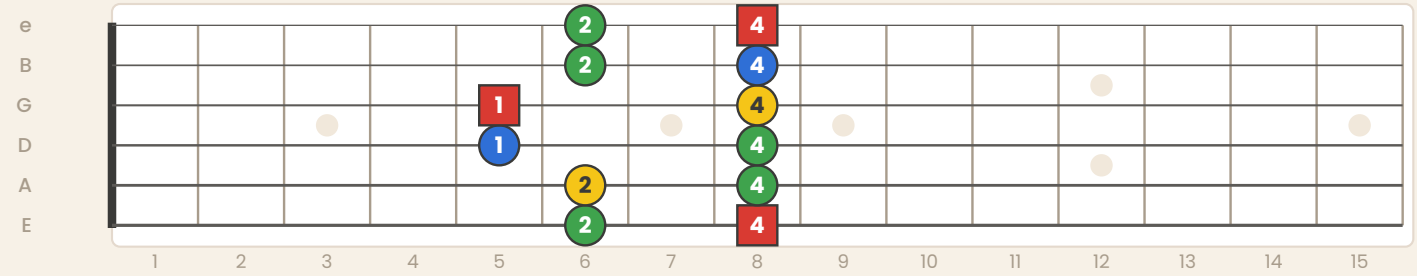
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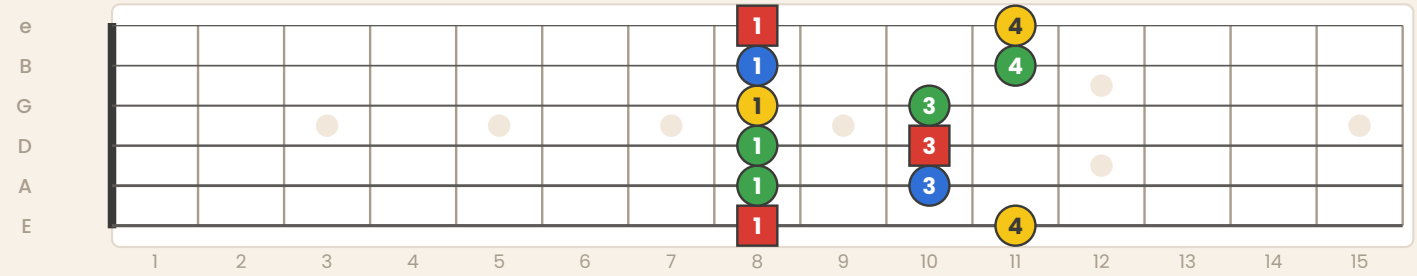
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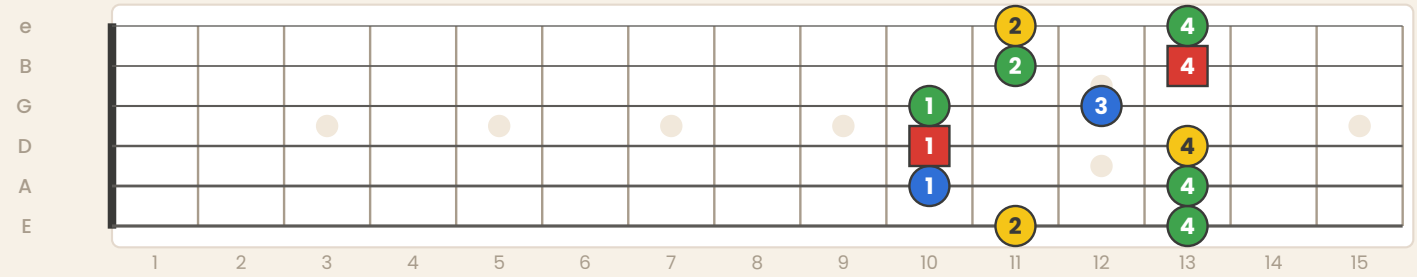
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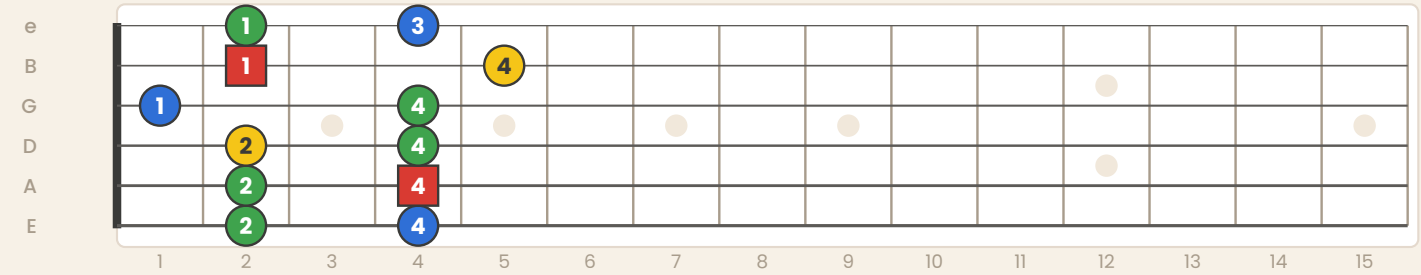
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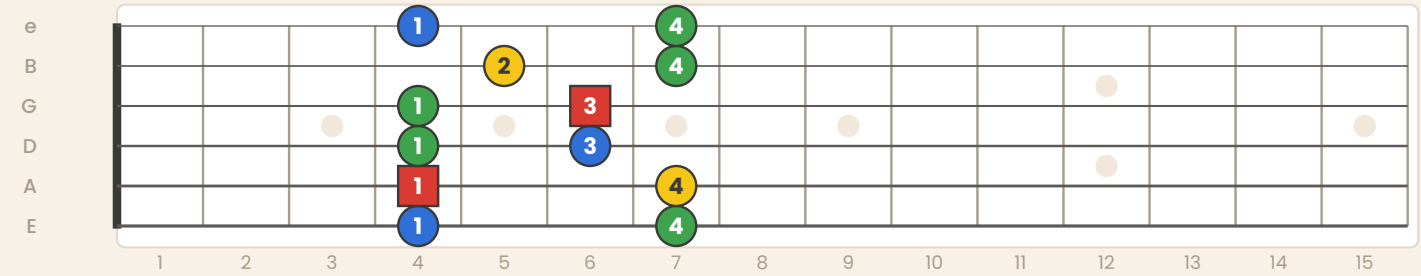
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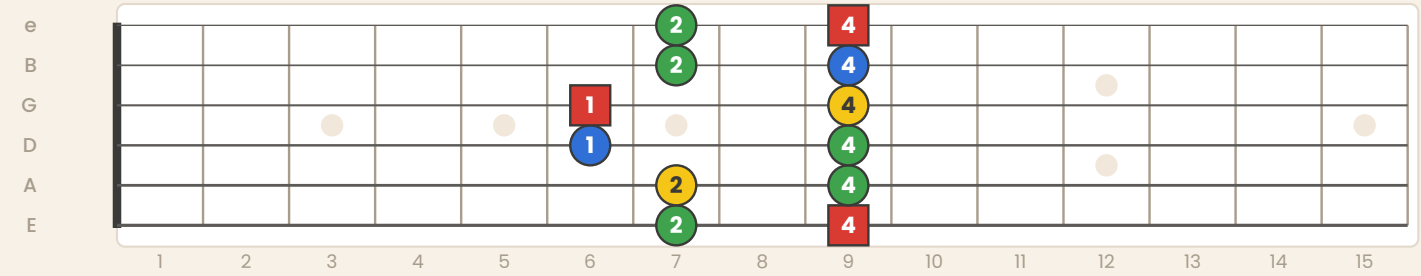
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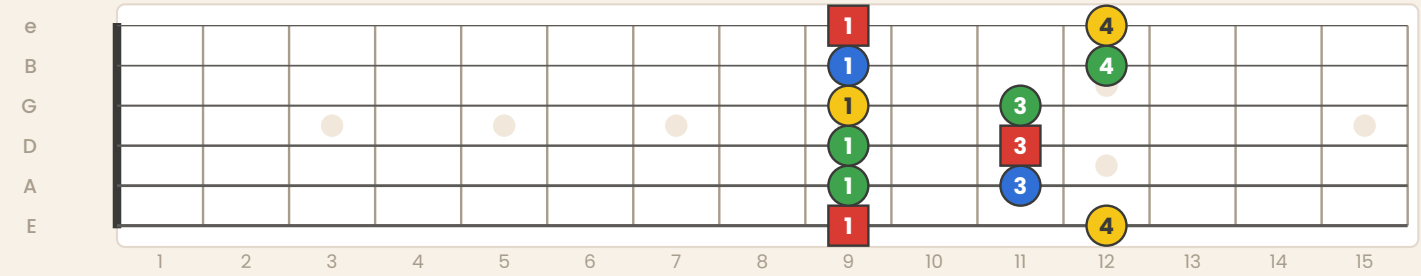
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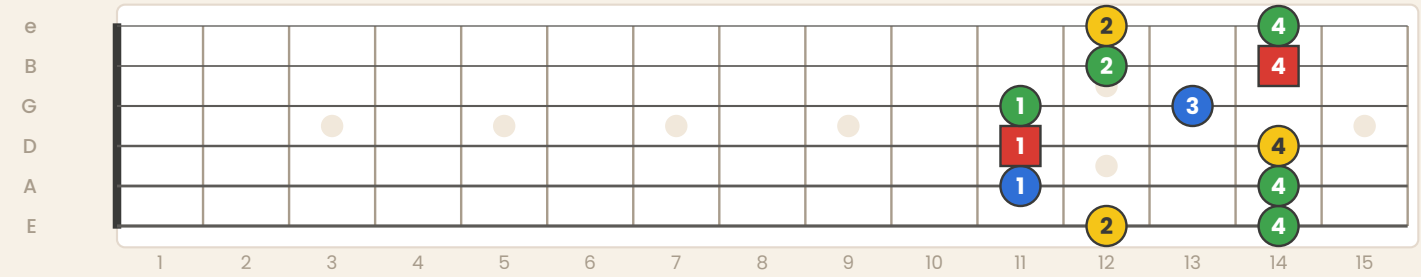
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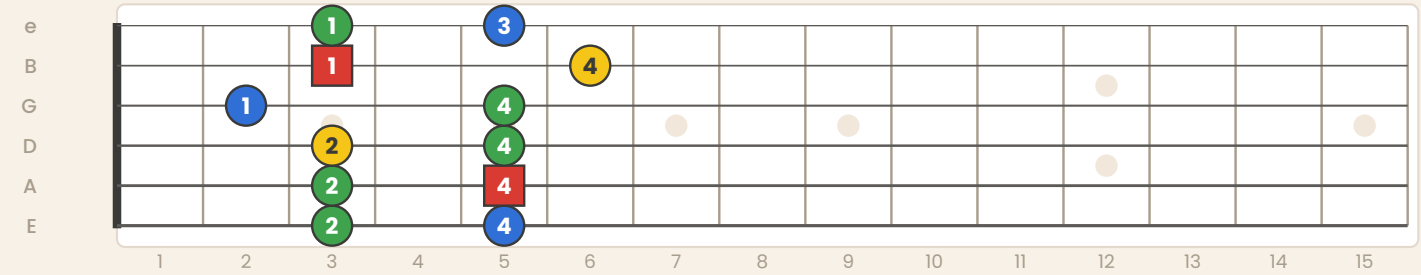
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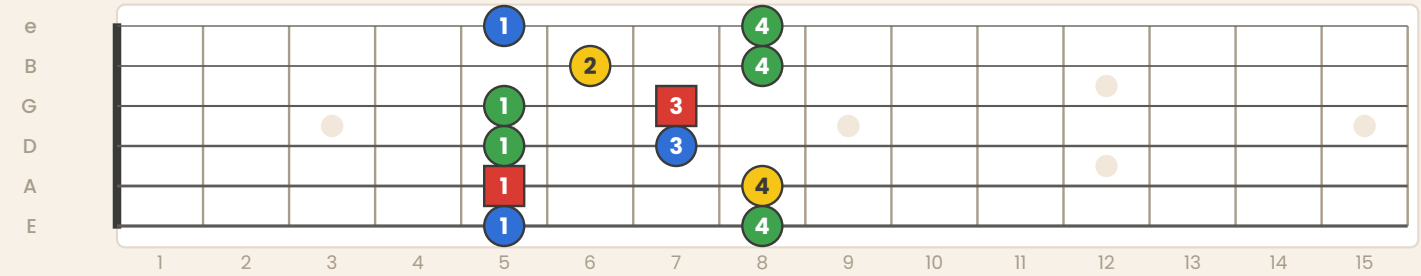
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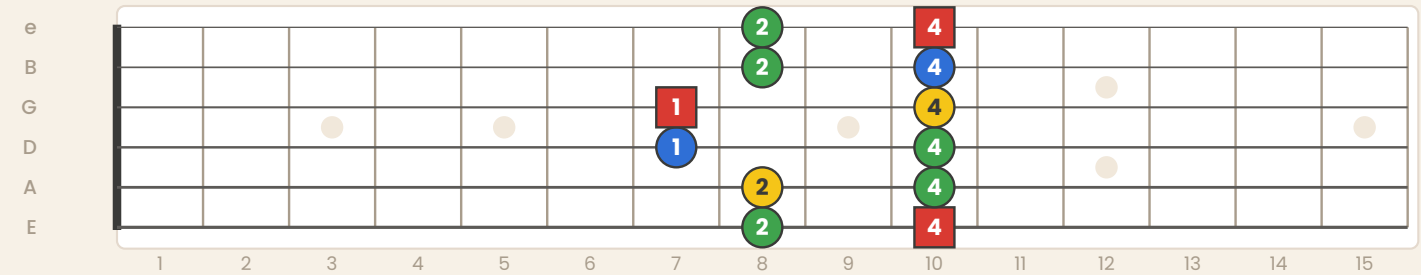
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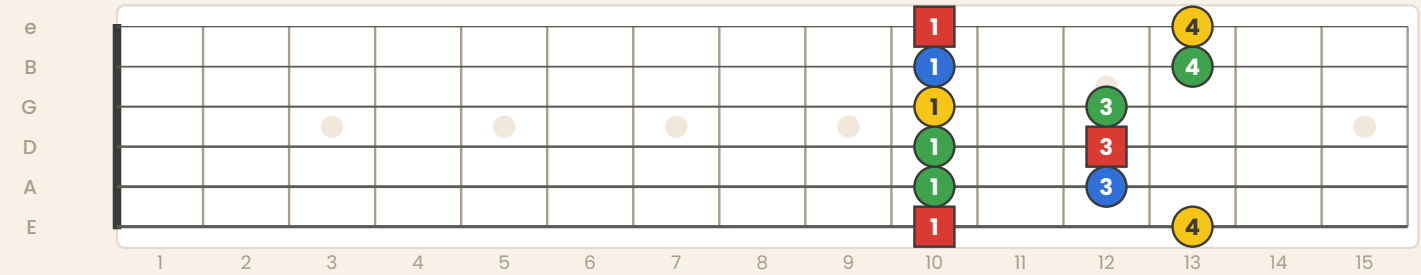
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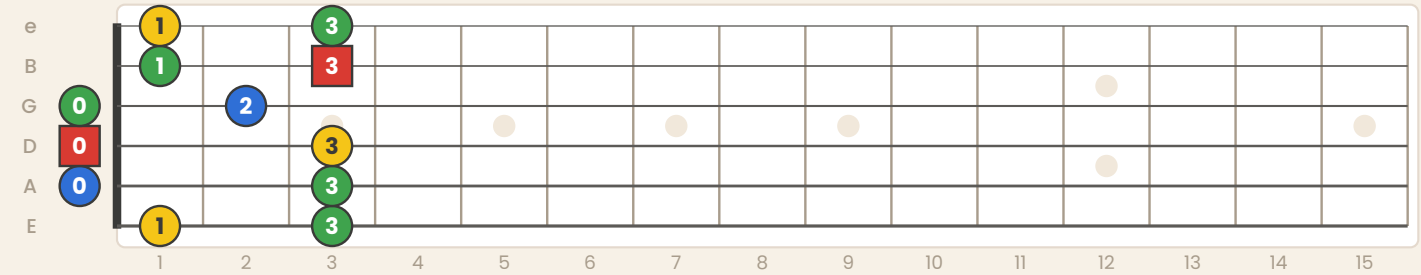
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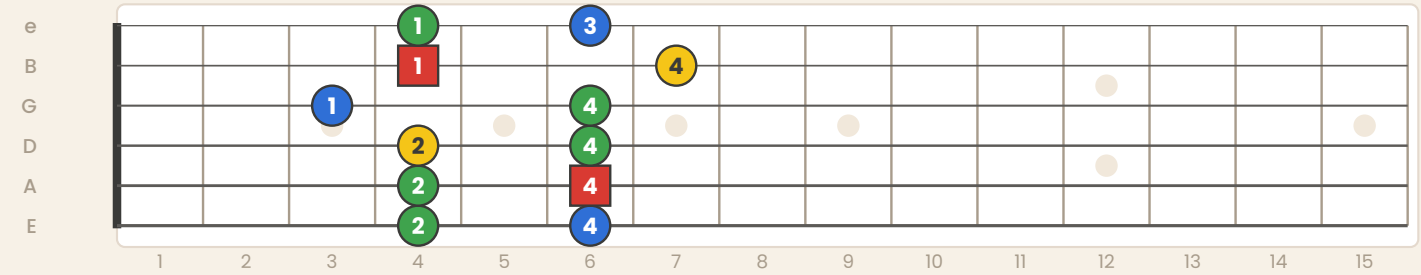
Eb Minor Pentatonic

Finger Positions

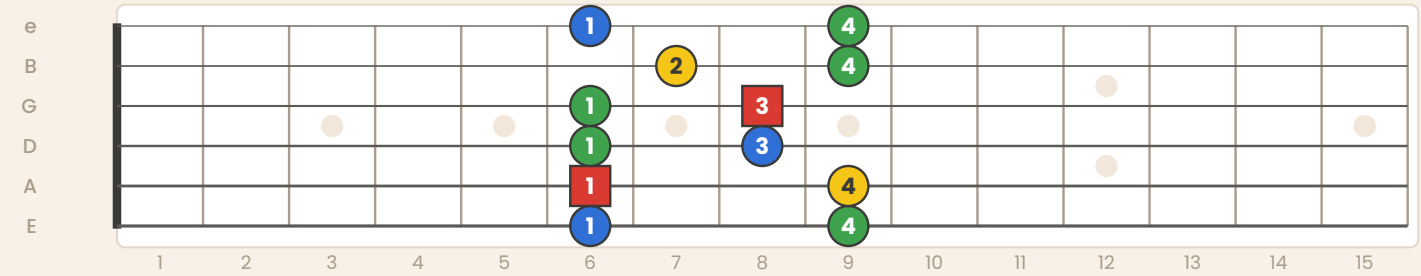
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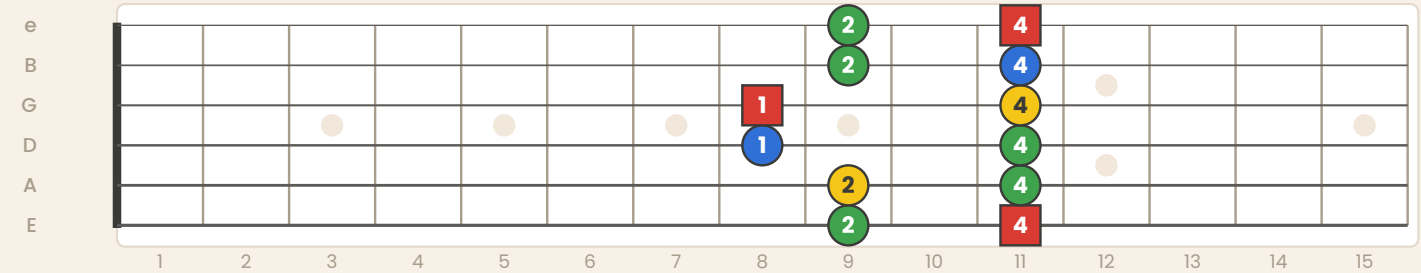
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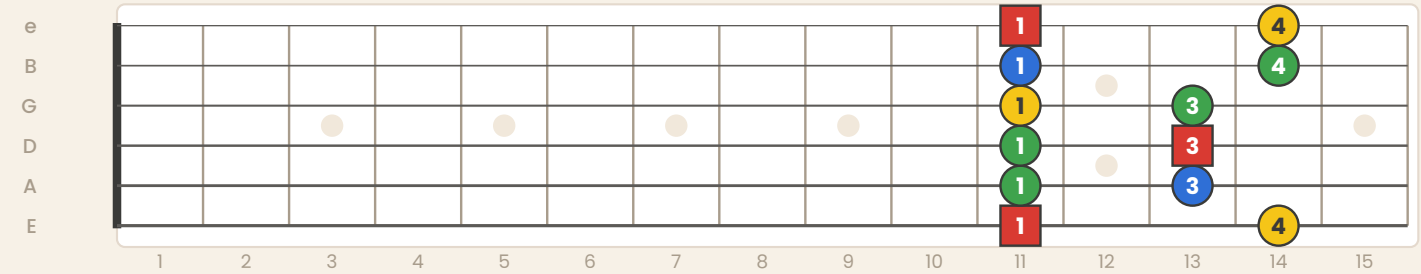
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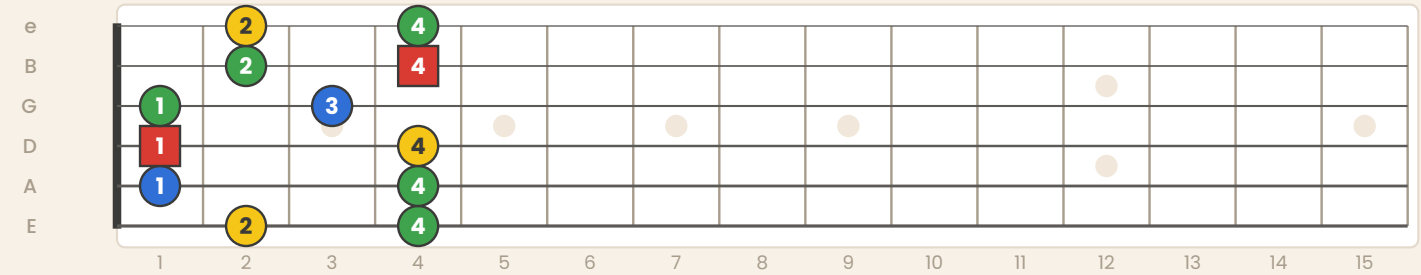
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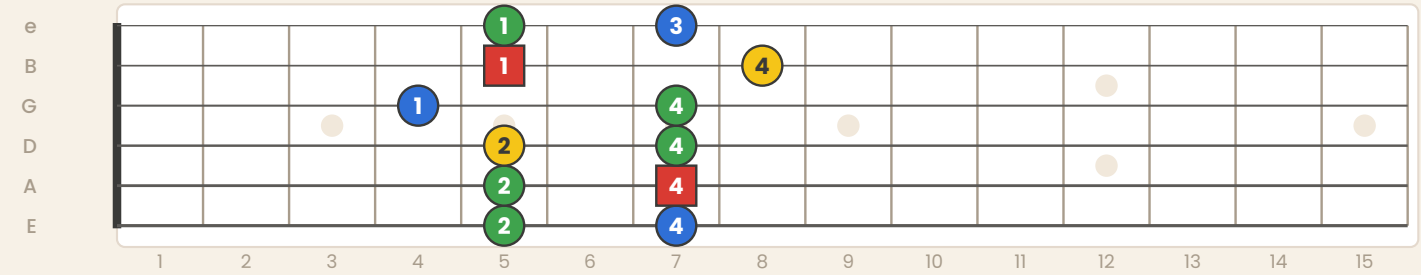
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Finger Positions

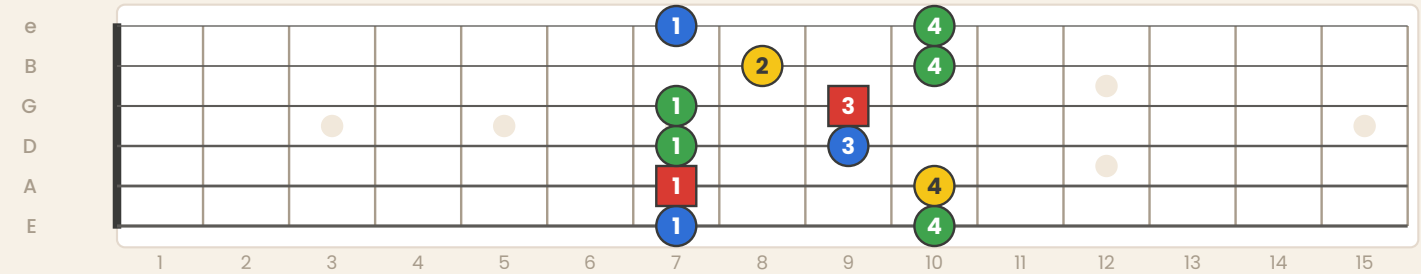
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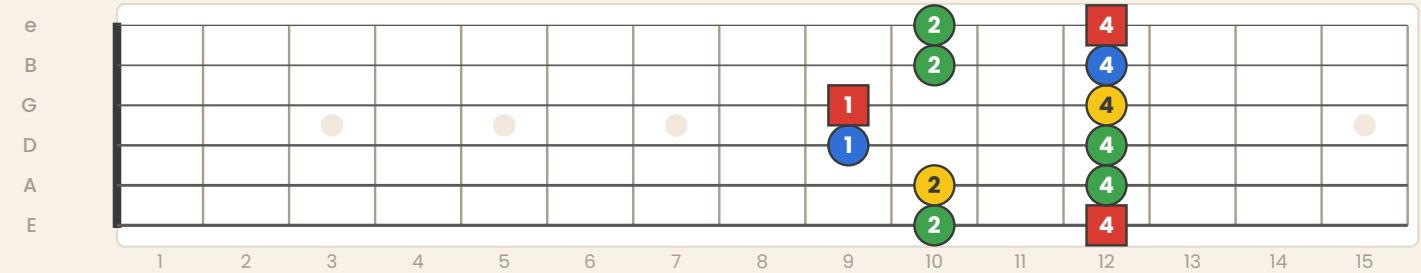
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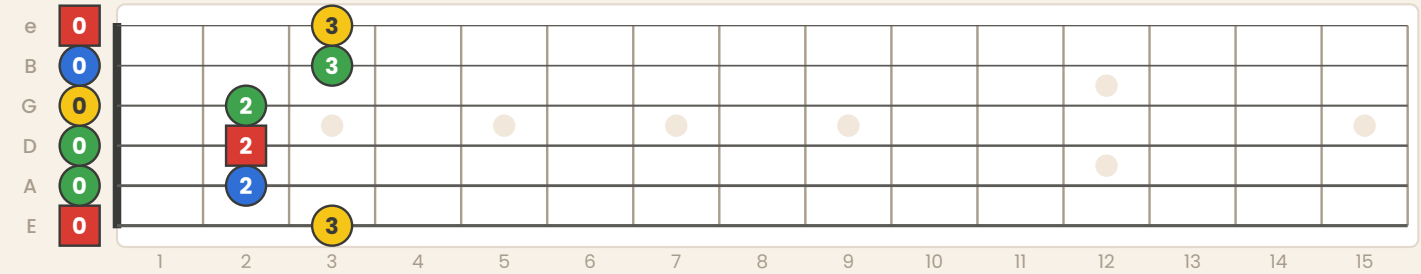
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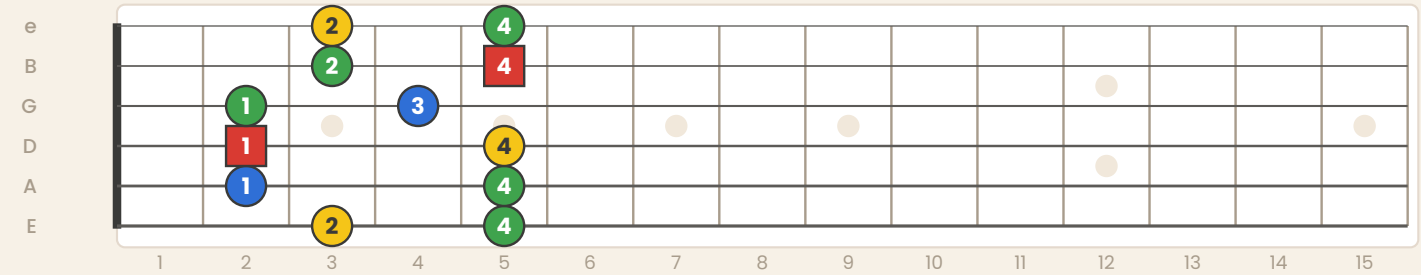
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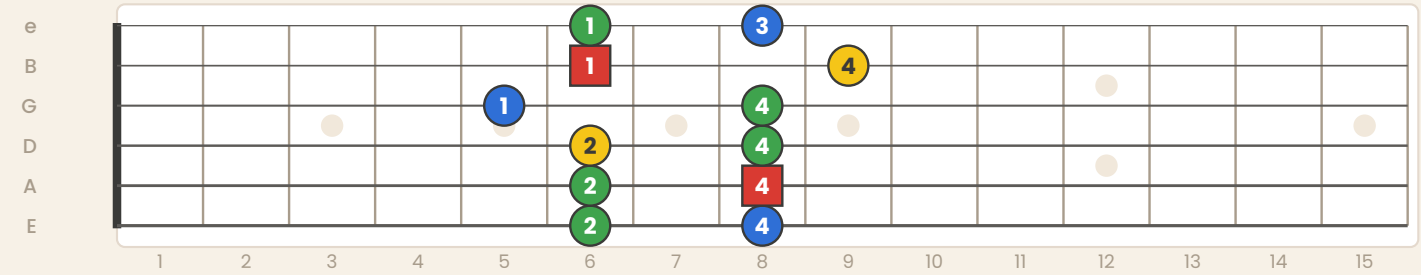
F Minor Pentatonic

Finger Positions

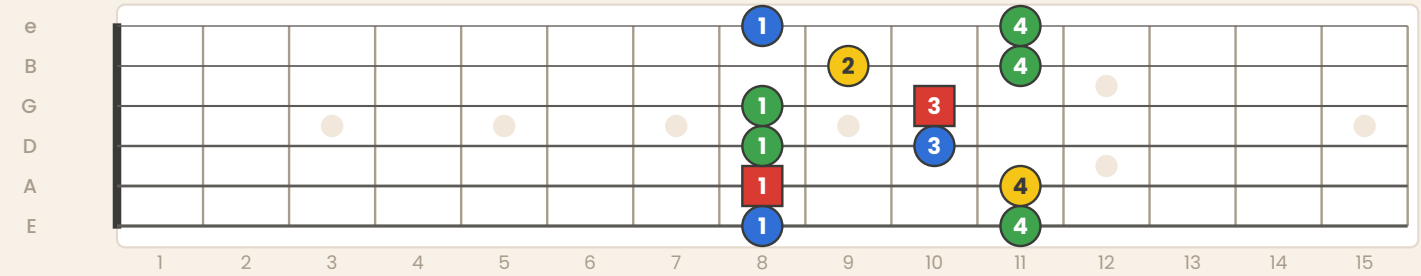
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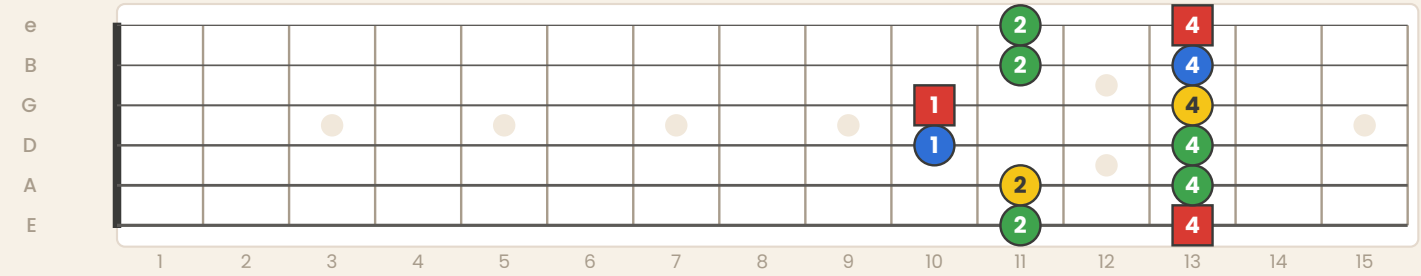
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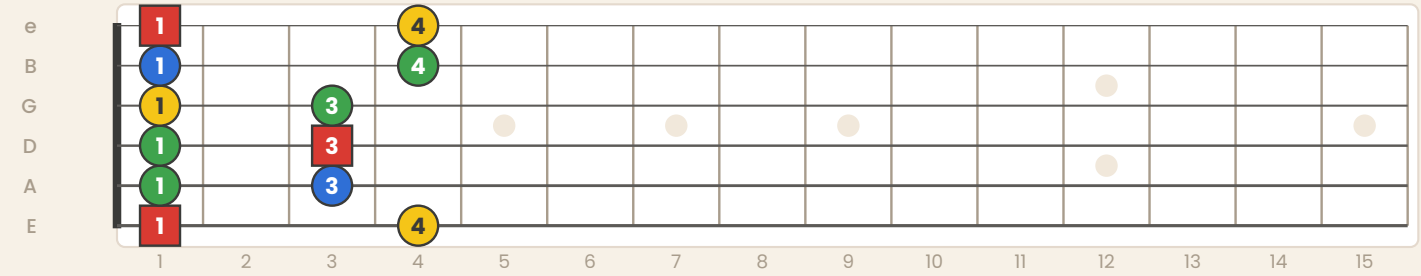
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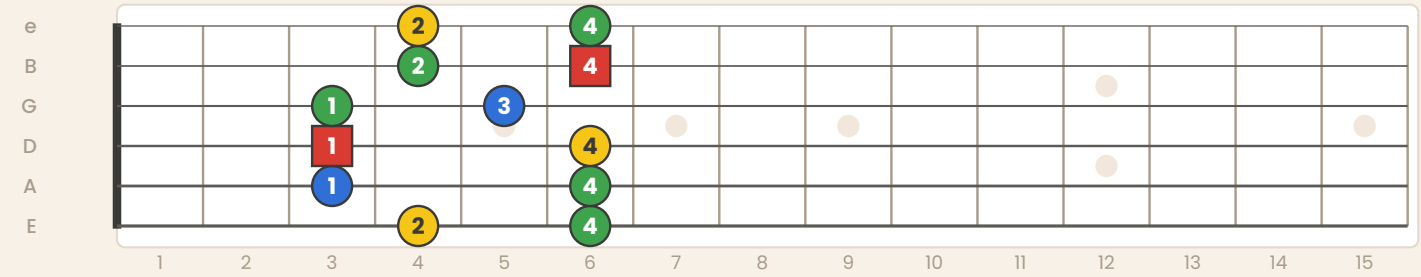
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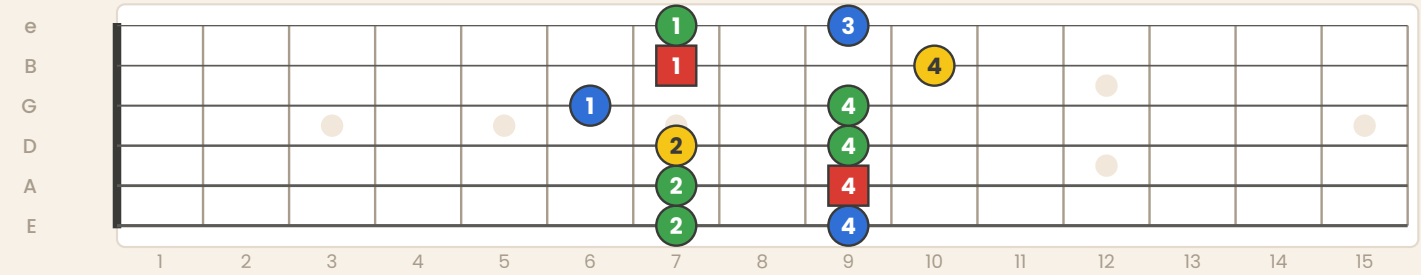
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Finger Positions

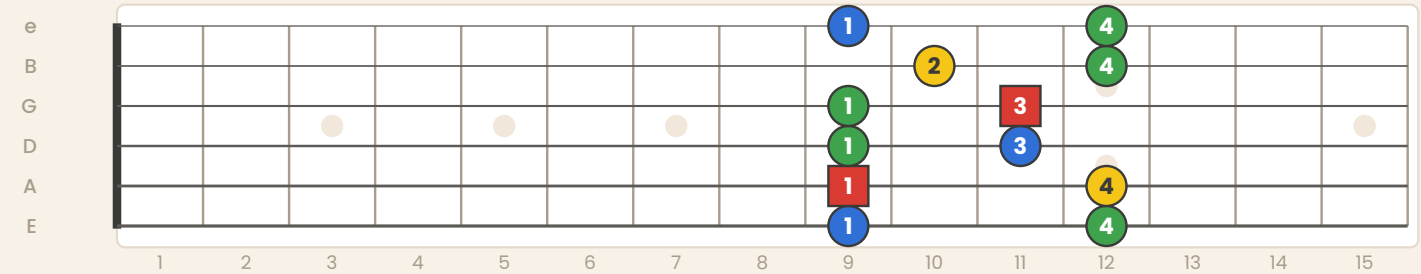
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Fretting-hand fingers: 1 index 2 middle 3 ring 4 pinky 0 open string

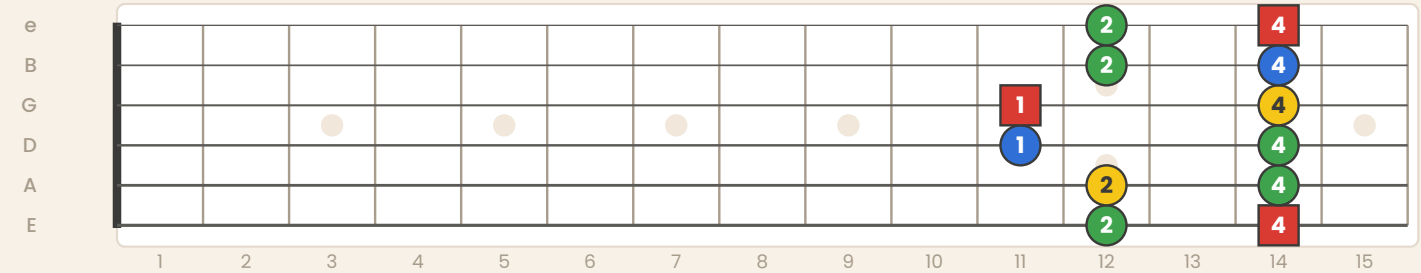
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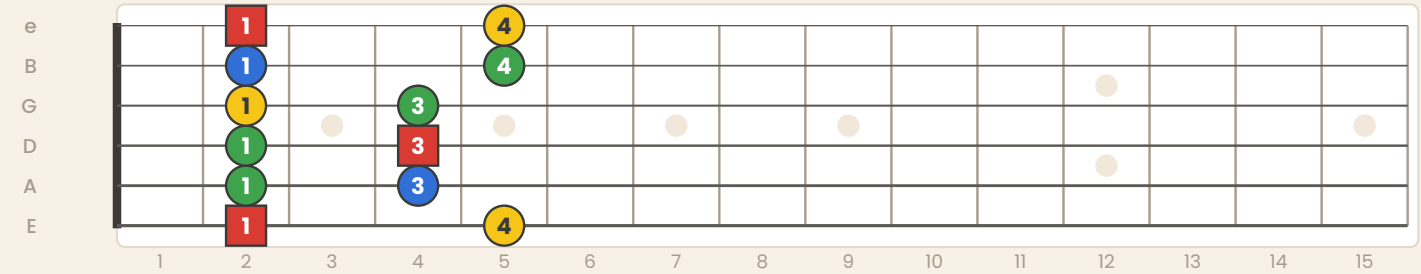
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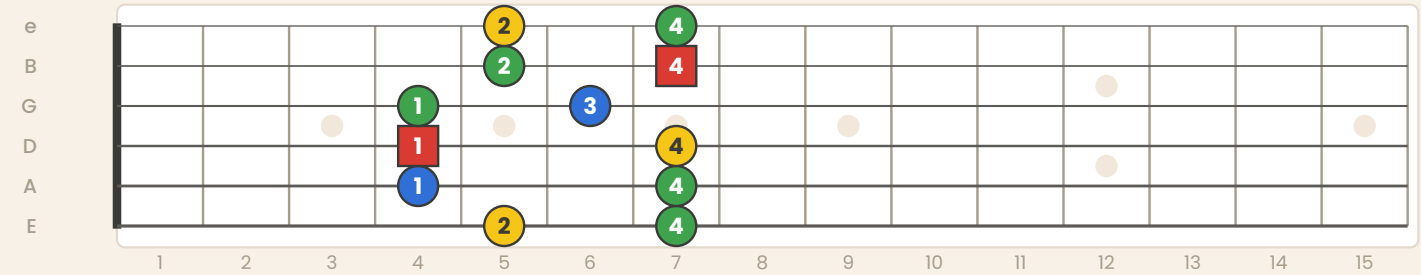
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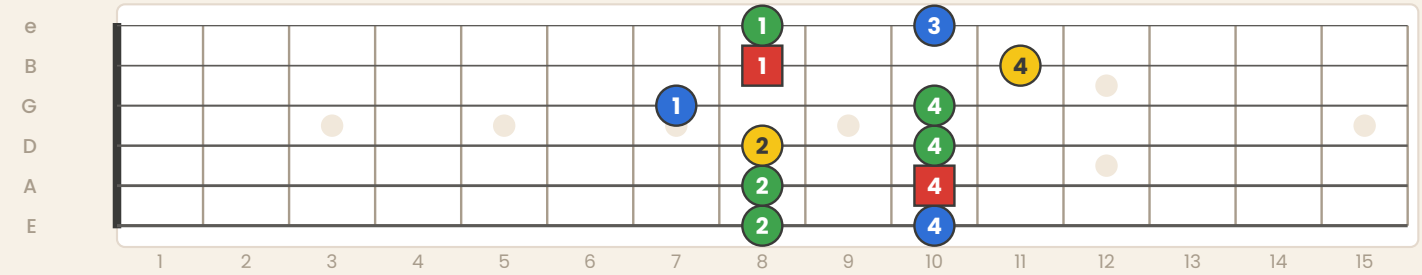
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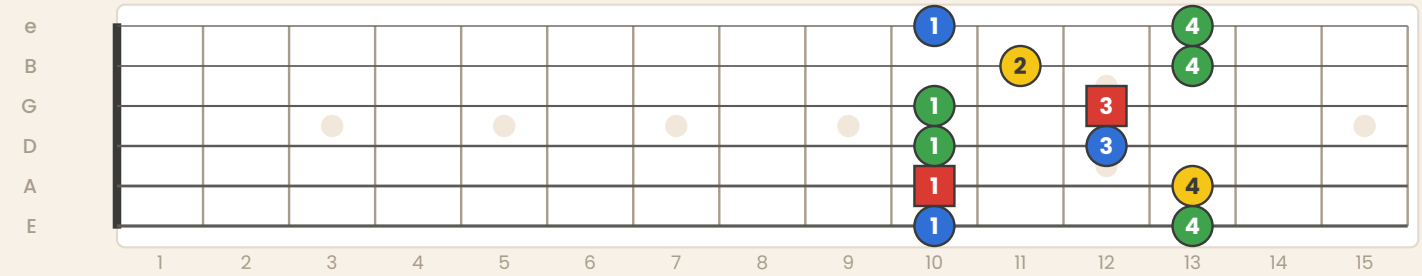
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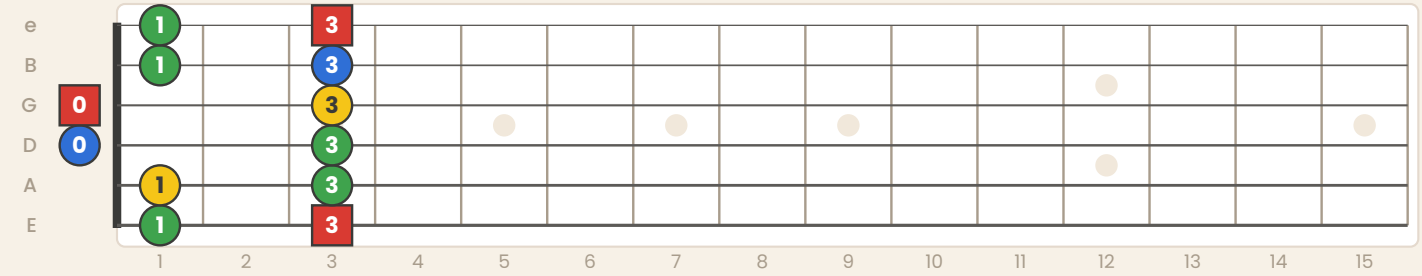
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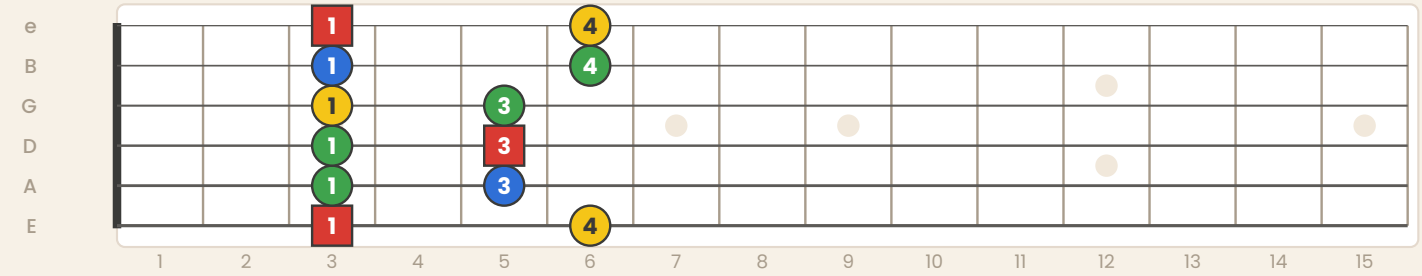
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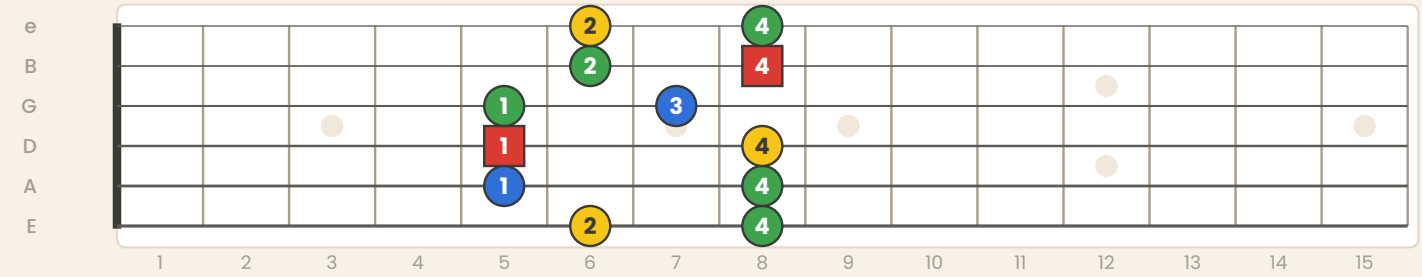
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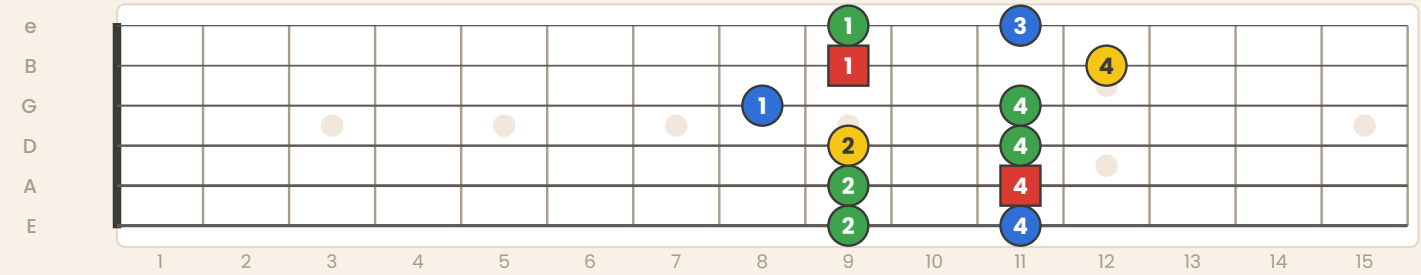
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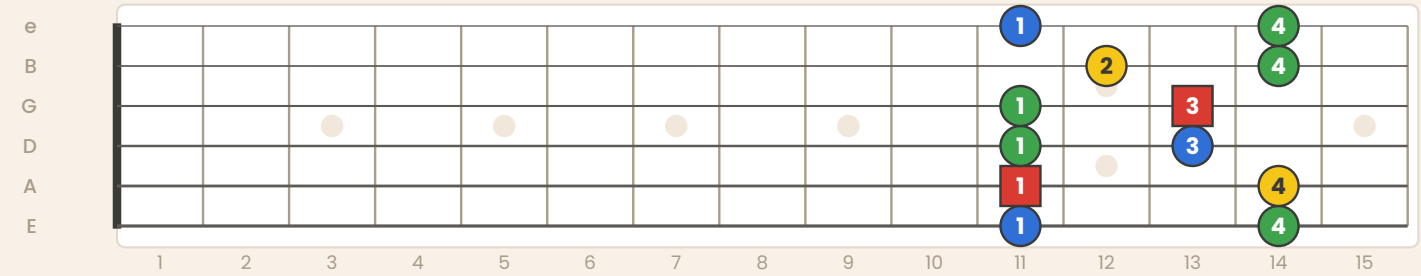
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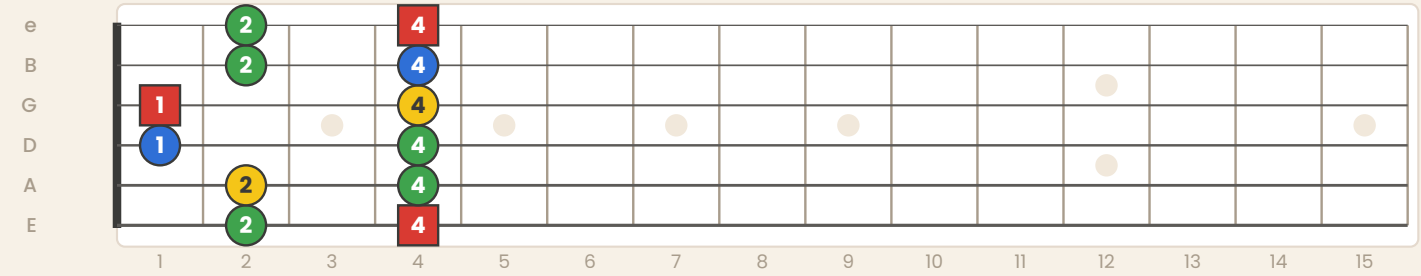
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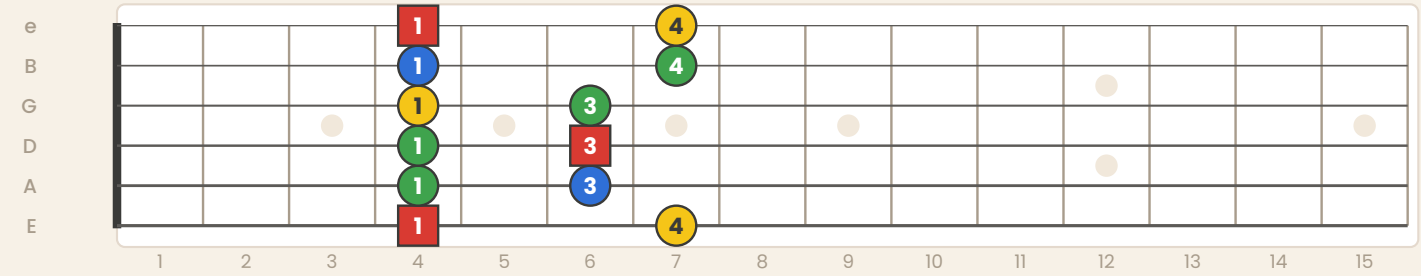
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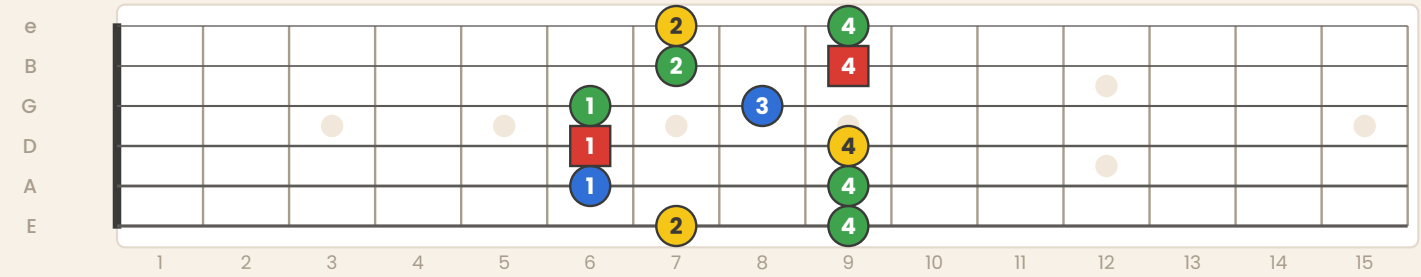
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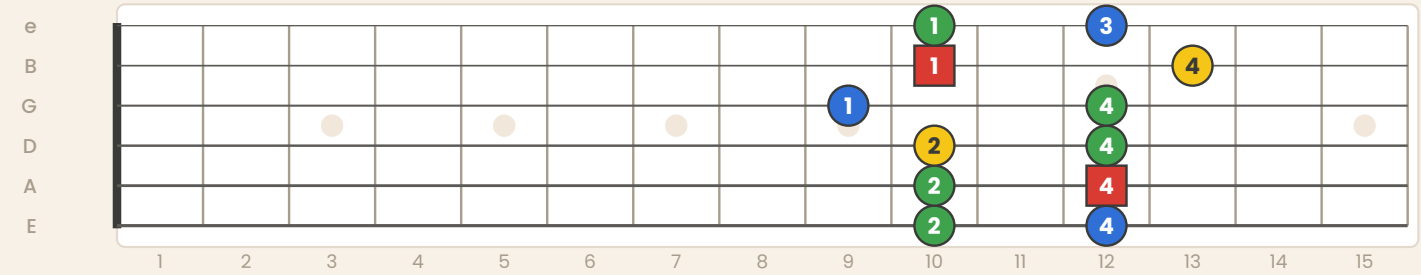


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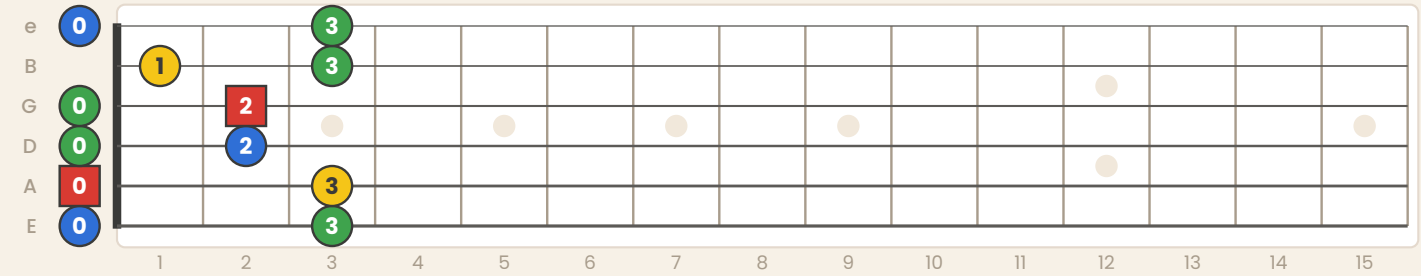
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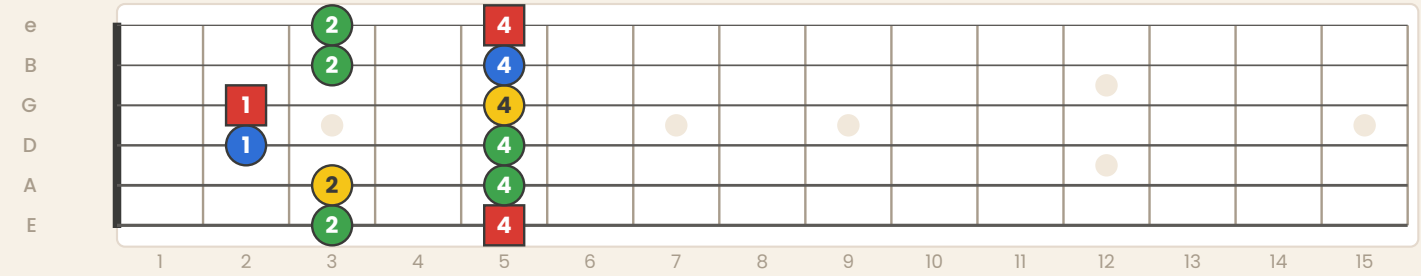
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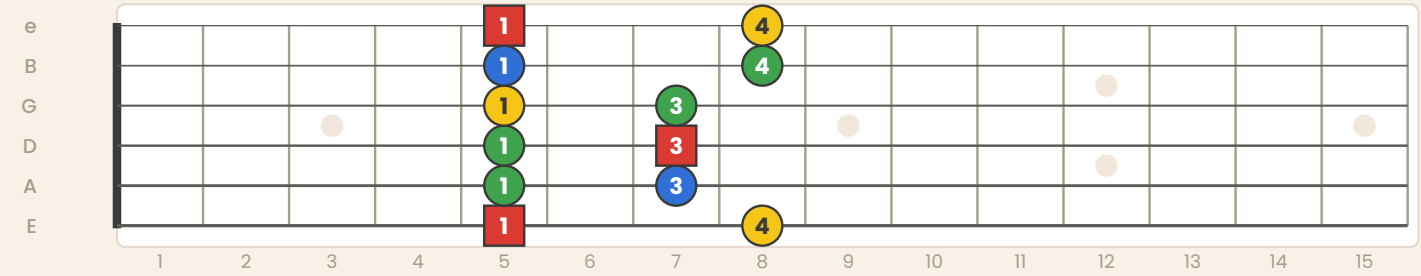
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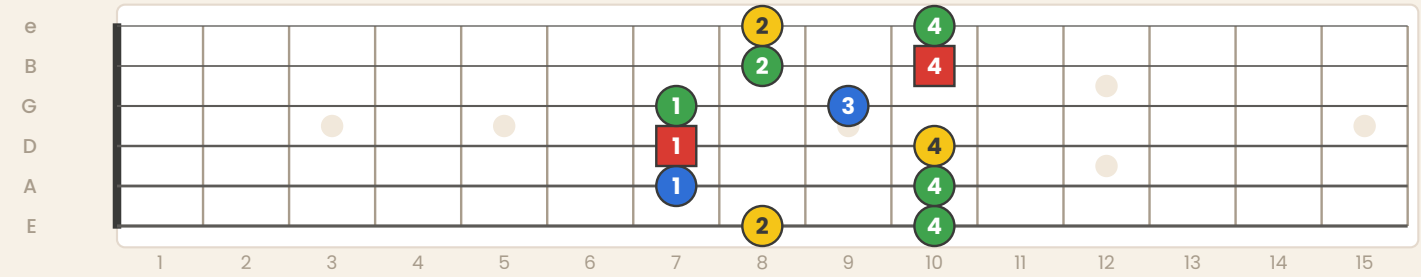
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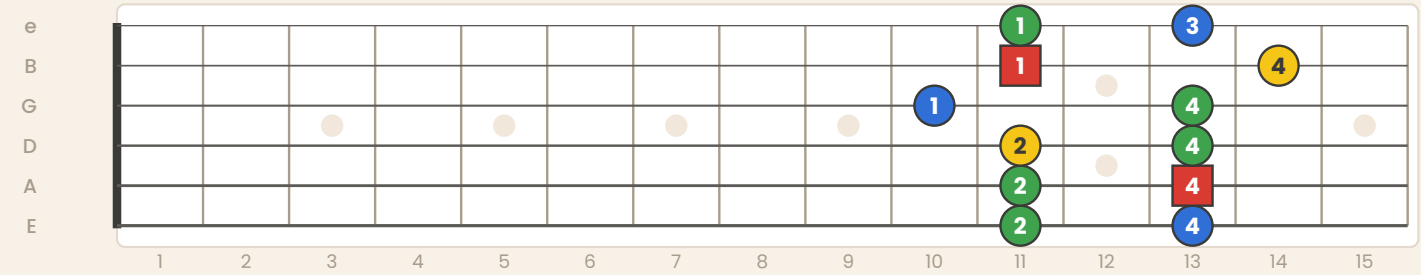
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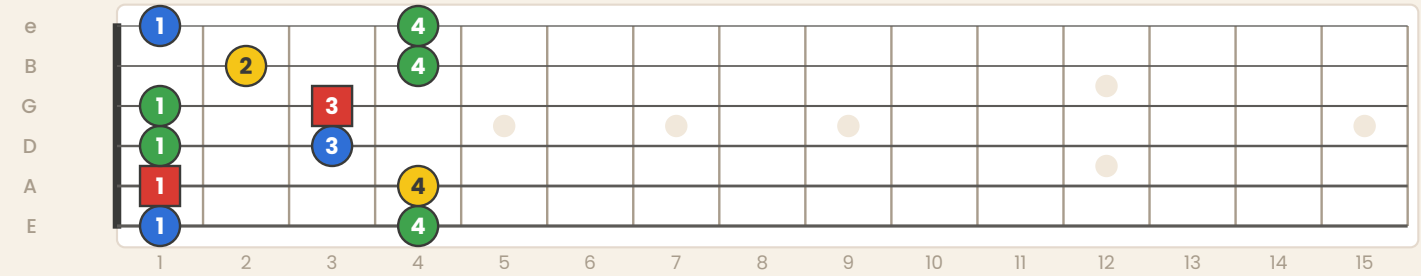
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Fretting-hand fingers: 1 index 2 middle 3 ring 4 pinky 0 open string

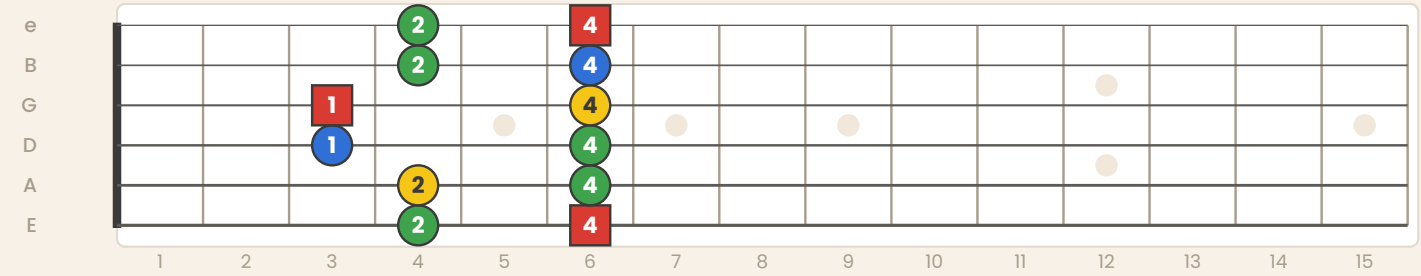
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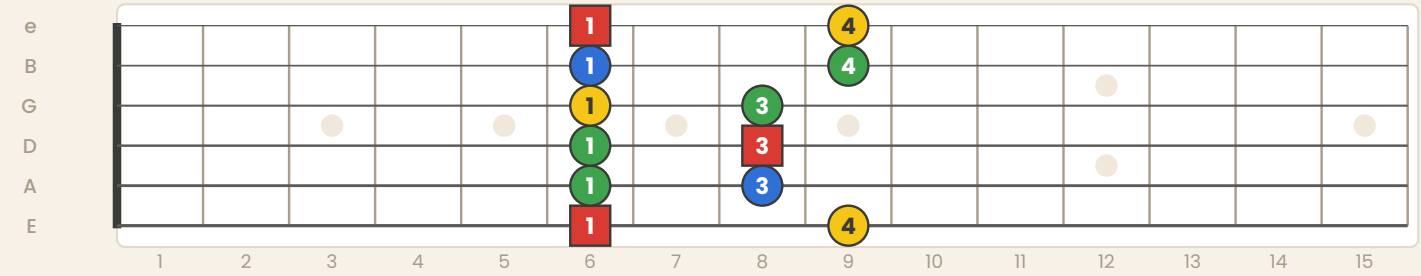
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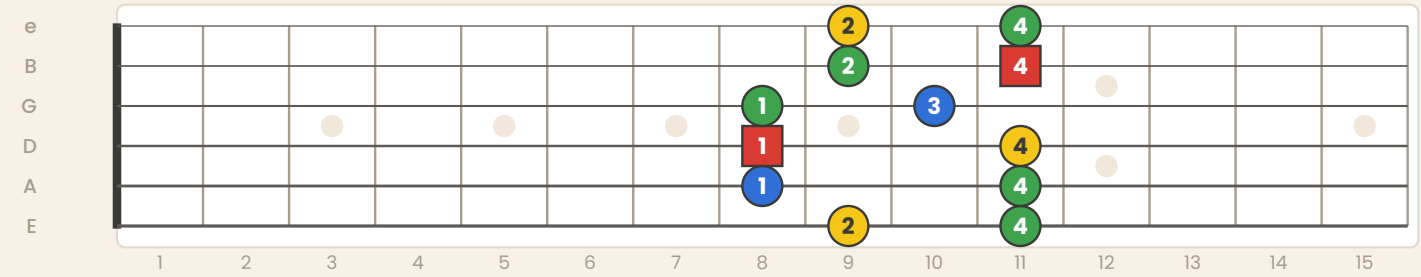
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Em Shape frets 6 - 9



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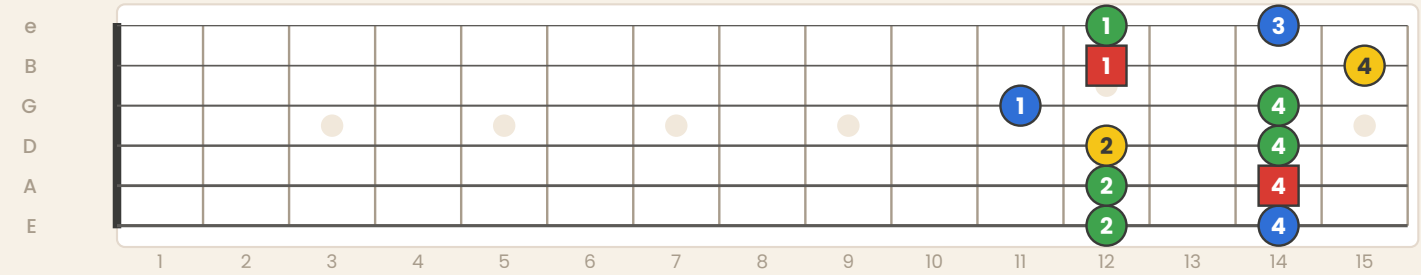
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Finger Positions

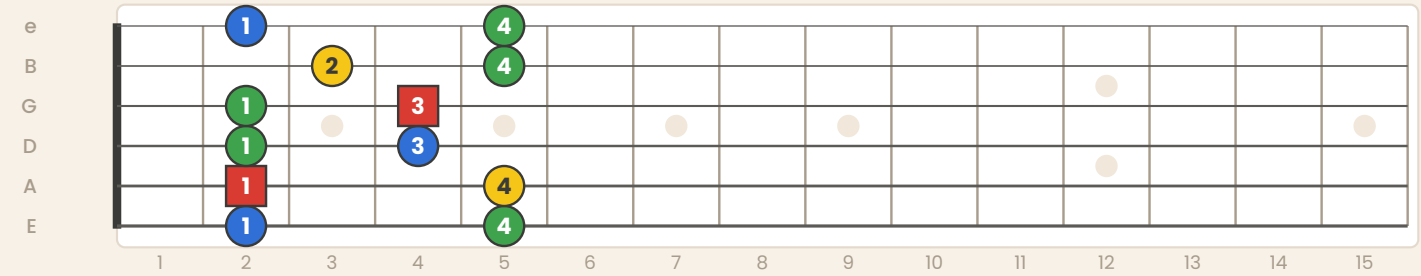
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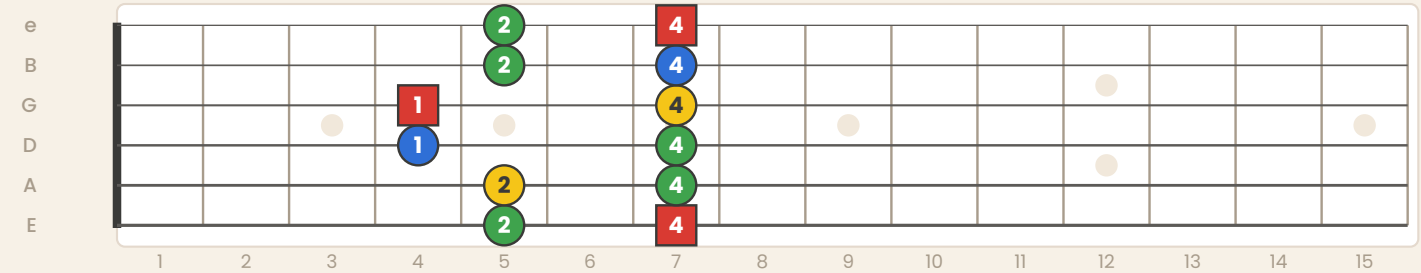
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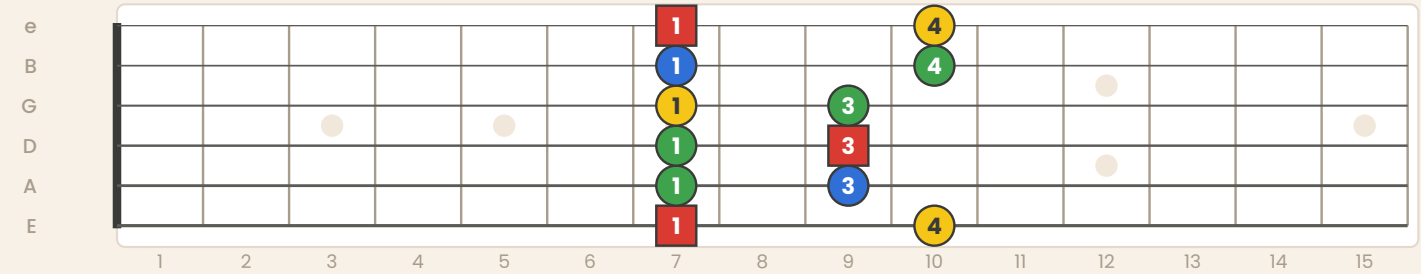
Am Shape frets 2 - 5



Gm Shape frets 4 - 7



Em Shape frets 7 - 10



Dm Shape frets 9 - 12

