

# Major Key Signatures

C Major   G Major   D Major   A Major   E Major

This block shows the first five major keys. Each key is represented by a pair of staves (treble and bass clef) with a single note and its key signature. C Major has no sharps or flats. G Major has one sharp (F#). D Major has two sharps (F# and C#). A Major has three sharps (F#, C#, and G#). E Major has four sharps (F#, C#, G#, and D#).

B Major   F# Major   F Major   B<sup>b</sup> Major   E<sup>b</sup> Major

This block shows the next five major keys. B Major has five sharps (F#, C#, G#, D#, and A#). F# Major has six sharps (F#, C#, G#, D#, A#, and E#). F Major has one flat (Bb). Bb Major has two flats (Bb and Eb). Eb Major has three flats (Bb, Eb, and Ab).

A<sup>b</sup> Major   D<sup>b</sup> Major   G<sup>b</sup> Major   C# Major

This block shows the final four major keys. Ab Major has four flats (Bb, Eb, Ab, and Db). Db Major has five flats (Bb, Eb, Ab, Db, and Gb). Gb Major has six flats (Bb, Eb, Ab, Db, Gb, and Cb). C# Major has seven sharps (F#, C#, G#, D#, A#, E#, and B#).

Sharps are added in Fifths: F-C-G-D-A-E-B  
Flats are added in Fourths: B-E-A-D-G-C