

One-Octave A Major scale - in 2nd position

2 versions

1. II -----

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2. II -----

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Study Notes:

Above are two versions of a one-octave A major scale in 2nd position. (When you are in second position your 1st finger will be lined up with the 2nd fret.)

In the first version, "b" and "e" are played on the open strings.

In the second version, "b" is played on the 3rd string and "e" is played on the 2nd string. Remember that the key signature has 3 sharps (f#, c# and g#).

Play this scale alternating "i" and "m" fingers in the right hand using rest strokes.