

NASHVILLE NUMBER SYSTEM

In order to illustrate the relationship between the key and numbers, I created this chart as a helpful visual tool to make the concept easier to understand. As a graphic designer and not a formally trained musician, use this tool at your own discretion.

Key	A	Bb	B	C	C#	D	Eb	E	F	F#	G	G#
1 (Root)	A	Bb	B	C	C#	D	Eb	E	F	F#	G	G#
	Bb	B	C	C#	D	Eb	E	F	F#	G	G#	A
2m	Bm	Cm	C#m	Dm	Ebm	Em	Fm	F#m	Gm	G#m	Am	Bbm
	C	C#	D	Eb	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	Bb	B
3m	C#m	Dm	Ebm	Em	Fm	F#m	Gm	G#m	Am	Bbm	Bm	Cm
4	D	Eb	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	Bb	B	C	C#
	Eb	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	Bb	B	C	C#	D
5	E	F	F#	G	G#	A	Bb	B	C	C#	D	Eb
	F	F#	G	G#	A	Bb	B	C	C#	D	Eb	E
6m	F#m	Gm	G#m	Am	Bbm	Bm	Cm	C#m	Dm	Ebm	Em	Fm
	G	G#	A	Bb	B	C	C#	D	Eb	E	F	F#
7	G#	A	Bb	B	C	C#	D	Eb	E	F	F#	G
8 (Octave)	A	Bb	B	C	C#	D	Eb	E	F	F#	G	G#