

String Bass Scales - Senior High School Honors Band (11/12) - Revised July 2014

For the eight major scales, bow each note.

Eight major scales for string bass, each in bass clef. The scales are: D major (one sharp), G major (two sharps), C major (no sharps or flats), F major (one flat), Bb major (two flats), Eb major (three flats), Ab major (four flats), and Db major (five flats). Each scale is written on a single staff and includes trill-like patterns and triplet markings (indicated by the number '3') to be played.

Chromatic Scale: Play pizzicato.

A chromatic scale for string bass, written on two staves in bass clef. The scale consists of 24 notes, ascending and then descending, with sharp and flat accidentals for each step. The instruction is to play this scale pizzicato.