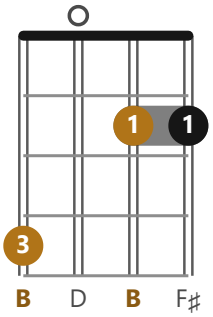
B minor chords · mandolin

Scale B C♯ D E F♯ G A · **Drones** Open D rings in B minor; G, A and E fit the key too.

G D A E, low course to high · the numbers are fingers (1 index … 4 little) · brass marks the root · x: don't play · o: open

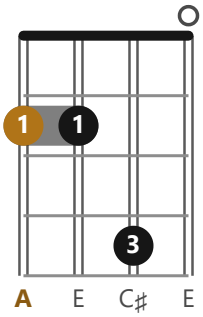
MAIN CHORDS

i Bm



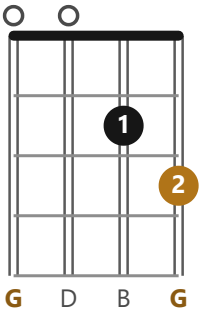
4 0 2 2

♭VII A



2 2 4 0

♭VI G



0 0 2 3

COMMON PROGRESSIONS

i – ♭VII – ♭VI – ♭VII

Bm – A – G – A

i – iv – ♭VII – i

Bm – Em – A – Bm

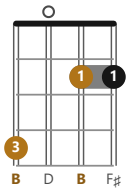
(with the minor iv)

i – ♭VI – ♭VII – i

Bm – G – A – Bm

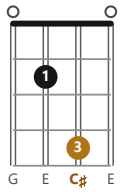
THE SEVEN CHORDS IN B MINOR

i Bm



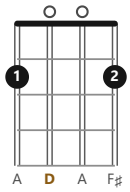
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ii° C♯dim



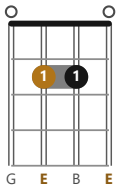
0 2 4 0

♭III D



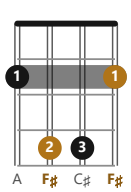
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iv Em



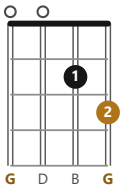
0 2 2 0

v F♯m



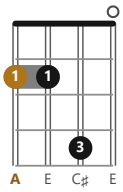
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♭VI G



0 0 2 3

♭VII A

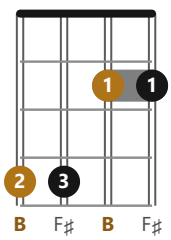


2 2 4 0

WITHOUT THE 3RD

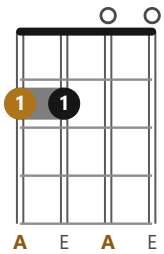
5 and sus chords leave the 3rd out, so they don't commit the tune to major or minor.

B5



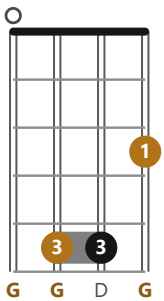
4 4 2 2

A5



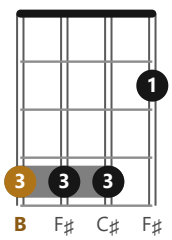
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G5



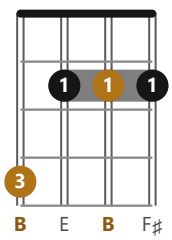
0 5 5 3

Bsus2



4 4 4 2

Bsus4



4 2 2 2