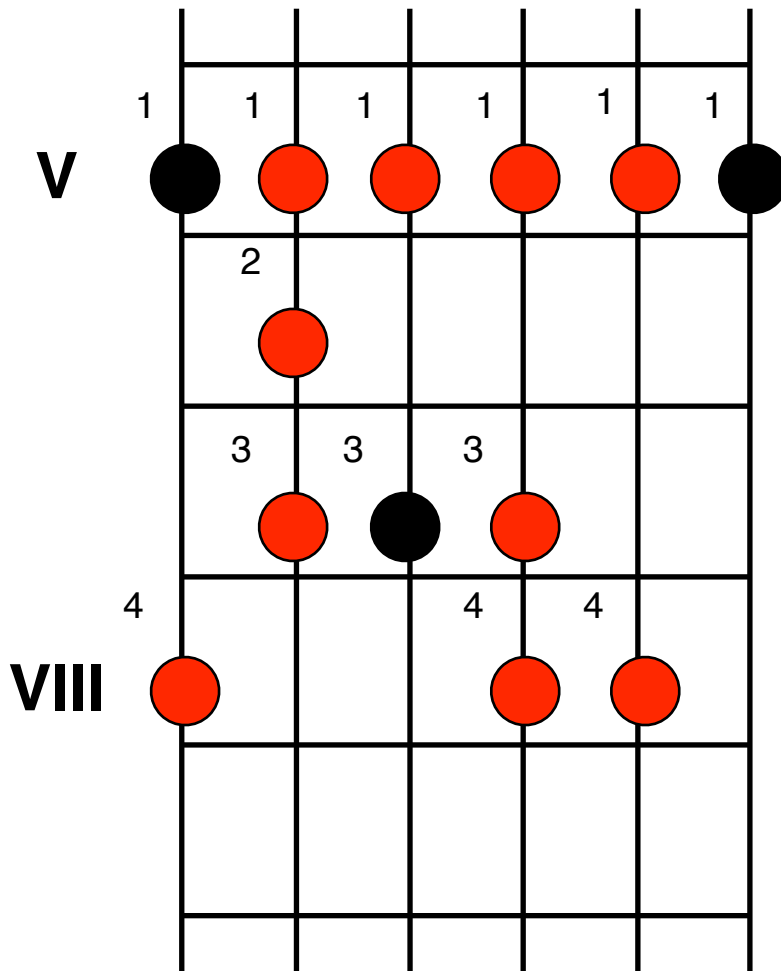


# The Blues Scale

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The diagram above shows position 1 of the blues scale. This is a very important scale and essential to learn.

The scale shown is the A minor blues scale. The black dots show the root notes [letter name] of the scale, the red dots show the other notes in the scale.

The roman numerals at the side show the fret numbers. This is a movable scale form. The table below shows all the root notes on the E string.

The 'spelling' of the blues scale is:- 1 b3 4 b5 5 b7 8

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
F	F# Gb	G	G# Ab	A	A# Bb	B	C	C# Db	D	D# Eb	E