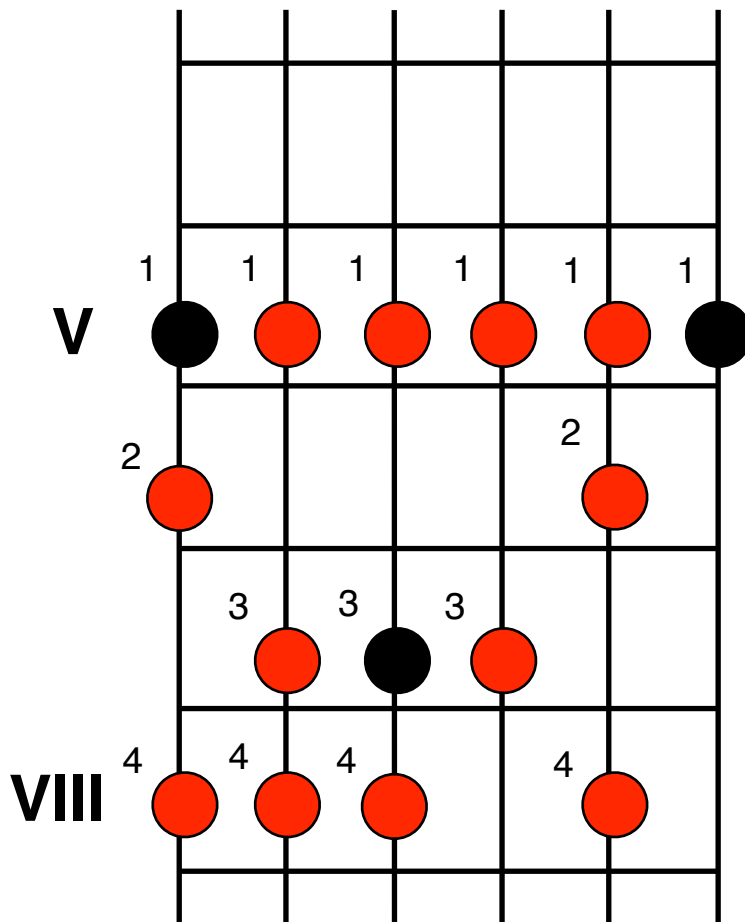


# The Phrygian Mode

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The diagram above shows the A phrygian modal scale (phrygian mode), over 2 octaves. This is the 3rd mode of the F major 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 phrygian mode is:- 1 b2 b3 4 5 b6 b7 8

The phrygian is a minor mode, (due to the b3rd degree), but differs from the natural minor because it has a flattened 2nd degree, not a natural 2nd degree.

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