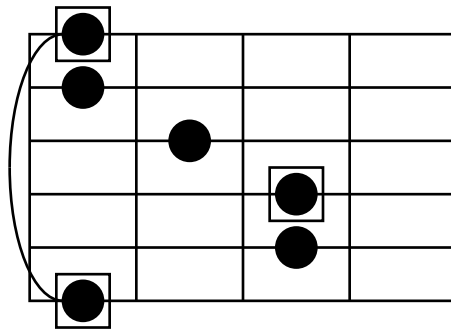


BARRE CHORDS

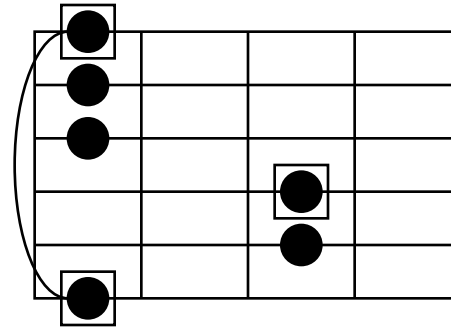
Barre chords are indispensable tools for playing a complete array of chords. Two common major shapes and two common minor shapes can help you play nearly any chord you can imagine.

They work by placing your index finger across all of the frets as if your finger was a moveable bridge. The rest of your fingers create either an A, Am, E, or Em. The tip of your pointer finger is the root of the chord. If you place your barre finger across the fifth fret with an Em shape, the chord would be an Am.

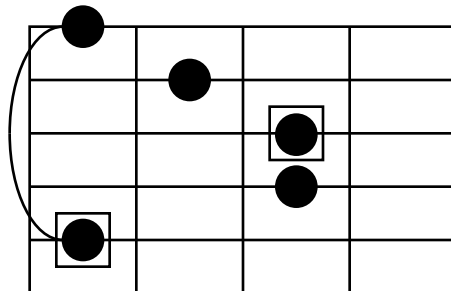
Barre Major Shape



Barre Minor Shape



Barre Minor Shape



Barre Major Shape

