

TRIADS (3 part chords)

Piano

C Major Scale

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

C

1, 3, 5 of major scale

C min (C-)

1, lowered 3 (1/2 step), 5

C dim

1, lowered 3, lowered 5 (each by 1/2 step)

C aug

1, 3, raised 5 (by 1/2/ step)

C sus4 (not really a triad but an oft used 3 part chord)

1, 4, 5