

DOTD #44 - G Ionian and A Dorian Mode

RGS

G Ionian (a.k.a G Major) - I

6 A Dorian - ii

11 Chords in the key of G:

Any combination of the above chords, starting and finishing on the G chord, makes a song "in the key of G."

Any combination of the above chords, starting and finishing on the Am chord, makes a song "in A Dorian."

Both modes (G Major and A Dorian) belong to the same family of chords and scales.

You can use the G Ionian scale pattern or the A Dorian scale pattern interchangeably over the following progressions since they belong to the same family of scales and are made up of the same notes (G Major - G-A-B-C-D-E-F# and A Dorian - A-B-C-D-E-F#-G)

