

# Music Review: Stacking Thirds

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## Understanding Harmony and Chord Basics

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Answer the following questions based on the lesson about stacking thirds and chord construction.

1. What is a third in music?

- A. A type of chord
- B. An interval between two notes
- C. A musical scale

2. A major triad is built using a \_\_\_\_ interval followed by a minor interval.

3. What makes a major triad different from a minor triad?

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4. Stacking thirds is essential for creating chords in music.

- True       False

5. Which of the following is an example of a minor triad?

- A. C-E-G
- B. A-C-E
- C. D-F#-A

6. Musical harmony reflects God's orderly design because it creates \_\_\_\_ in our hearts.

7. Why do different chord combinations create different emotional responses?

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8. Psalm 33:3 encourages us to play music skillfully as a form of worship.

- True       False

9. How did we use thirds to build chords today?

- A. By stacking notes on top of each other
- B. By playing notes in a sequence
- C. By singing notes in harmony

10. A minor triad consists of a root, a \_\_\_\_ third, and a perfect fifth.

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### Answer Key

1. interval between two notes   2. major   3. A major triad has a major third interval, while a minor triad has a minor third interval.   4. True   5. A-C-E   6. joy   7. Different combinations of notes can evoke various feelings, such as happiness or sadness, depending on their structure.   8. True   9. By stacking notes on top of each other   10. minor