Name the five closely related keys to the given key.

1. (Ex.) G major

E♭ major

- (G)

C

e

- b

2. F minor

3.

(f)

 $(E_{\flat})$ 

D

- 4. E minor
- (e)

- 5. A major
- (A)

- 6. C# minor
- (c#)
  - (Gb)
- 8. B♭ minor

Gb major

B major

D# minor

- (bb)

9.

10.

7.

(d#)

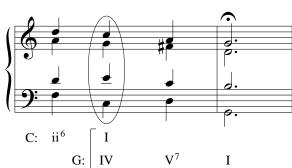
- (B)

# **Assignment 15.2**

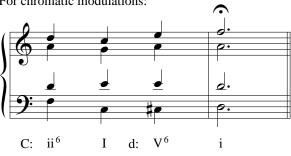
The following phrases in four-part harmony illustrate two types of modulation.

- 1. Analyze each chord.
- 2. Since each set modulates, indicate the following:
  - a. The type of modulation
    - (1) Common chord
    - (2) Chromatic
  - b. If the modulation is of the common-chord type, circle the common (pivot) chord, and be sure to analyze it in both keys.
  - c. If it is a chromatic modulation, indicate the new key and continue analyzing in the new key.
- 3. Circle and label each nonharmonic tone.

For common chord modulations:



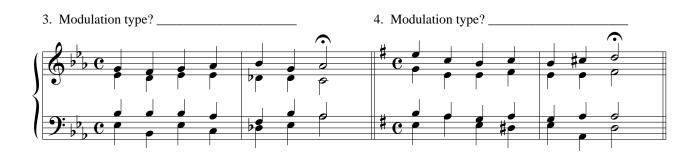
For chromatic modulations:

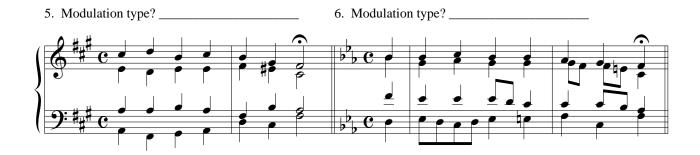


#### 4. How to spot a modulation:

- a. By all means, play the music you are analyzing. Sometimes this is sufficient in itself to recognize modulation.
- b. Look for accidentals or pitches that are not part of the established key.
- c. Look for a cadence in a new key. If it can be analyzed as V–I, I–V, IV–V, or some other recognized cadence in a different key, then trace back to the point of modulation and analyze in the new key from that point on.
- d. After you have found enough evidence to support a new key, look back to the first occurrence of a nondiatonic note (one that is not a scale tone in the established key) and determine whether the chord preceding it could be analyzed in both keys (the established and the new key). If so, you have discovered a common-chord modulation.
- e. If the first nondiatonic note is taken chromatically (has the same letter name but different pitch in the preceding chord), the modulation is chromatic.



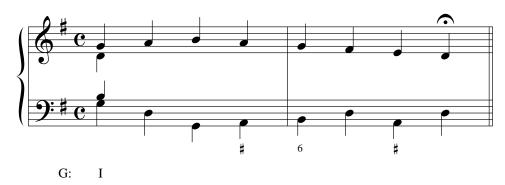




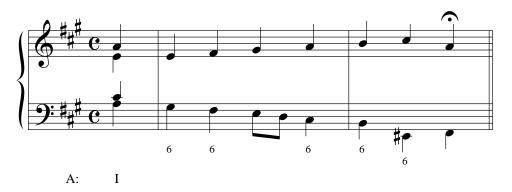
Each exercise is a chorale phrase as harmonized by Bach. Before completing the harmonizations on paper, play them on the piano, adding the alto and tenor voices. Be sure to read the figured-bass symbols accurately.

After you have completed the keyboard portion of the assignment, write out the harmonizations on paper:

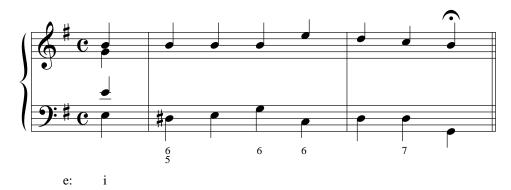
- 1. Add the alto and tenor using voice leading that conforms to recommended practice.
- 2. Analyze each chord and indicate the point of modulation with the new key name.
- 1. "Freu' dich sehr, o meine Seele" ("Rejoice Greatly, O My Soul"), BWV 194, mm. 1–2 (modified).



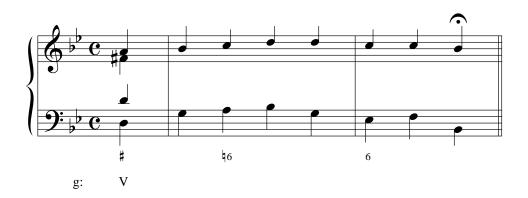
2. "Wenn mein Stündlein vorhanden ist" ("When My Brief Hour Is Come"), BWV 429, mm. 1–2 (modified).



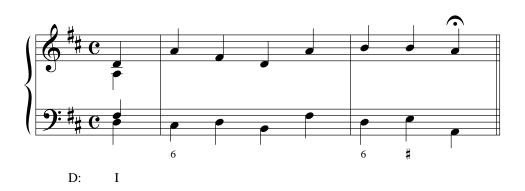
3. "Keinen hat Gott verlassen" ("God Hath Forsaken No One"), BWV 369, mm. 1–2 (modified).



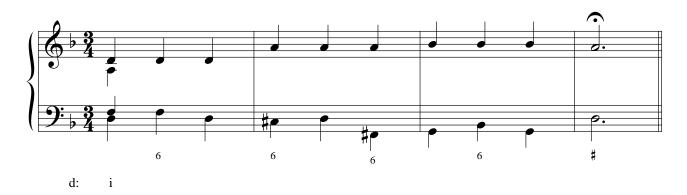
4. "Wer weiss, wie nahe mir mein Ende" ("Who Knows How Near My End May Be"), BWV 166, mm. 6–7 (modified).



5. "Wie schön leuchtet der Morgenstern" ("How Brightly Shines the Morning Star"), BWV 36, mm. 1–2 (modified).



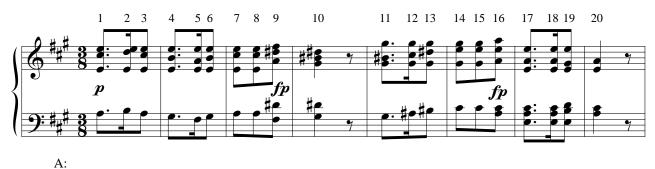
6. "Des heil'gen Geistes reiche Gnad" ("The Holy Ghost's Abundant Mercy"), BWV 295, mm. 1-4 (modified).



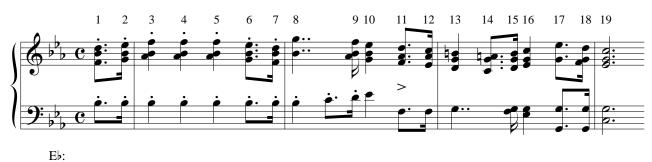
Following are three short excerpts from music literature.



- 1. Analyze each chord and indicate the modulations as described in this chapter.
- 2. See assignment 15.2 for suggestions about analyzing modulations.
- 3. Have a class member play each excerpt.
- 4. Discuss in class the harmonic rhythm and the relationship of the phrases.
- 1. Schubert: Variations on a Theme by Hüttenbrenner, D. 576, Variation XIII, mm. 1–8. CD Track 85



2. Schubert: Impromptu, op. 90, no. 1, D. 899, mm. 14-17. CD Track 86



3. Schubert: Écossaise no. 8, D. 977, mm. 1-8. CD Track 87



Following is a complete chorale harmonization by Bach. It contains modulations.



- 1. A fermata marks the end of each phrase.
- 2. Sing the chorale in class and have a class member direct the performance.
- 3. Make a complete harmonic analysis of the chorale, circling and labeling each nonharmonic tone.
- 4. Discuss the key relationships present. Are all keys closely related? Closely related keys are: C, D, a, e, b. We found 20 circle progressions. How many did you find?

Bach: "Nun preiset alle Gottes Barmherzigkeit" ("Now Let Us All Praise God's Mercy"), BWV 391. CD Track 88







Following are five excerpts from Protestant chorale melodies that were harmonized by J. S. Bach, as well as other composers of the baroque period.

- 1. Using the procedures outlined in this chapter, prepare two harmonizations for each of the excerpts. Make one modulation in each melody.
- 2. Complete these harmonizations in four voices (soprano given, add alto, tenor, and bass).
- 3. Select as your primary harmonic rhythm one chord per beat (quarter note).
- 4. Play the harmonizations in class. Select the most appropriate setting.
- 5. Arrange a few of the harmonizations for a quartet of instruments that are played by class members. Perform these in class.
- 1. "Gelobet seist du, Jesu Christ" ("Praise Be to You, Jesus Christ"), mm. 1–2.



2. "Wo Gott der Herr nicht bei uns hält" ("Had God the Lord Not Remained with Us"), mm. 1–2 (modified).



3. "Mit Fried' und Freud' ich fahr' dahin" ("With Peace and Joy I Journey Thither"), mm. 1–2.



4. "Beschränkt, ihr Weisen dieser Welt" ("Confine, Ye Wise Men of This World"), mm. 29–32 (modified).



5. "Brunnquell aller Güter" ("Fountainhead of All Virtues"), mm. 1–4 (modified).



Following are four excerpts from instrumental music of the classical period.

- 1. Using the procedures outlined in this chapter, prepare two harmonizations for each of the exercises.
- 2. These may be completed in any texture and for any media you want. If you are a pianist, write for the piano idiom. If you are an instrumentalist, use the given melody as your solo part and write a piano (or instrumental) accompaniment.
- 3. Play the melody several times and select the harmonic rhythm that seems most appropriate.
- 4. Play your completed work in class.
- 5. Be sure to add all interpretation marks, phrasings, tempo indications, etc., to your harmonization.



Each exercise is a figured-bass voice.

- 1. On a separate sheet of staff paper, write out each figured bass, leaving a line above for the soprano and alto.
- 2. Be sure to analyze the figured bass so you know what notes are possible in the soprano.
- 3. Complete the soprano first, then the two inner voices (alto and tenor).
- 4. Be sure to observe acceptable voice-leading practices described in previous chapters.
- 5. To help in writing the soprano melody:
  - a. Sketch in the entire soprano melody, making sure that the pitches you select are part of the supporting harmony.
  - b. Write one soprano note for each bass note. These are to be chorale melodies.
  - c. As you write, continually check to see whether your melody has a recognizable contour—usually with two or three definite directions. If you find you have four or more, you should make some revisions.
  - d. Look at the soprano melodies in assignment 15.6. Use them as models.

#### 1. Begins in F major:



#### 2. Begins in E minor:



#### 3. Begins in E minor:



#### 4. Begins in G major:



#### 5. Begins in F major:



Following is a complete chorale melody harmonization by Bach.



- 1. Analyze each chord below the staff.
- 2. Discuss modulations and the form of this composition.
- 3. Divide the class into four sections (soprano, alto, tenor, and bass) and sing the chorale in class. Ask a class member to conduct the performance.

Bach: "Jesu, du mein liebstes Leben" ("Jesus, Thou My Dearest Life"), BWV 356. CD Track 89



Following is a complete composition by Bach.



- 1. This work is divided into two major sections by the repeats. In each section, identify the number of phrases and determine the key at the end of each phrase.
- 2. If the key at the end of the phrase is different from the beginning, identify the point of modulation.
- 3. Make a harmonic analysis of the work that accounts for each modulation. What modulation type predominates in this work?
- 4. If your instructor requests a macro analysis, include letter symbols and slurs. It will be helpful to complete the letter symbols before the Roman numeral analysis.

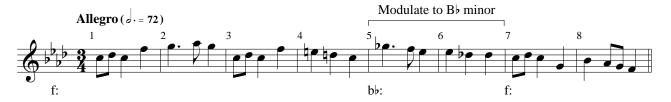
Bach: Gavotte from French Suite no. 5, BWV 816. CD Track 90





The following waltz melody is typical of those written during the romantic period.

- 1. Determine the harmonic rhythm.
- 2. Make a list of possible harmonizations for the melody.
- 3. Fashion an accompaniment that accentuates the waltz characteristics of the melody.
- 4. Make an arrangement for piano and/or any group of instruments (or voices) that are played by members of the class.



### **Assignment 15.12**

1. Compose a short composition in the following form:

Measures	Key	Phrase Relationship	Cadence
1–4	A major	a	Half in A major
5-8	Modulate to E major	a'	Authentic in E major
9–12	Modulate to A major	b	Half in A major
13–16	A major	a"	Authentic in A major

- 2. Employ a homophonic style (one melody with accompaniment).
- 3. Use a number of nondominant seventh chords.
- 4. Write for any instrument (or voice) or combination that interests you.
- 5. Perform the compositions in class.