

Indian Classical Music is classified into two broad systems.

### 1. Hindustani Music.

### 2. Carnatic Music.

Mainly we are going to learn Hindustani classical music because this system is widely popular in India as well as in the world. There are 7 Swaras

(Notations ) in this system. They are as follows

SA, RE, GA, MA, PA, DHA, NI

The names of these

Swaras

are as follows.

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**Sa:-** Shadaj,

**Re:-** Rishab,

**Ga:-** Gandhar,

**Ma:-** Madhyam,

**Pa:-** Pancham,

**Dha:-** Dhaivat,

**Ni:-** Nishad

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 Notations

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### **There two types of Notation system**

Pandit Bhatkhande System

Pandit Paluskar System

We are going to use Pandit. Bhatkhande Notation System.

### **Types of Swaras**

**Shuddha Swaras:-** Sa, Re, Ga, Ma, Pa, Dha, Ni These 7 Swaras are called Shuddha Swaras.

**Komal Swaras:-** Re, Ga, Dha, Ni, These Four Swaras are called Komal Swaras

**Tivra Swaras:-** Ma is the Tivra Swara.

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**Seven Swaras come together to form a Saptak (octave). These Saptak are of following types**

Madra (Lower octave)

Madhya (Middle octave)

Taar (Upper Octave)

**Notation of Shuddha Swaras:-** No Symbols to these Swaras .

e.g. Sa, Re, Ga, Ma, Pa, Dha, Ni

**Notation of Komal Swaras:-** Swaras are underlined

e.g. Re, Ga, Dha, Ni,

**Notation of Tivra Swaras:-** Straight line above the Swaras.

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e.g. Ma

### 1. Notation Swaras according to Saptak (Octave)

**Mandra Saptak:** - Dot Below the Swaras e.g. Sa<sub>·</sub> , Re<sub>·</sub> , Ga<sub>·</sub> , Ma<sub>·</sub>

**Madhya Saptak:-** No symbol:- e.g. Sa, Re, Ga, Ma

**Taar Saptak:-** Dot above the Swaras e.g. Śa, Ře, Ğa, Má

### 2. Definations

#### 1. Music:-

The art of singing (vocal), instrument playing and dance together is known as music.

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2. **Aroh:-** Ascending order of the Swaras is known as Aroha.

3. **Avroh:-** Descending order of the Swaras is known as Avroha.

4. **Alankar:-** The sequence of Swaras in order of Aroha and Avroha is known as Alankar

5. **Swara:-** Musical Sound is known as Swara.

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### Lesson 1

## Alankar

### 1. Aroha:-

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Sa, Re, Ga, Ma, Pa, Dha, Ni, Śa

### Avroha:-

Śa, Ni, Dha, Pa, Ma, Ga, Re, Sa

### 2.Aroha:-

Sa-Sa, Re-Re, Ga-Ga, Ma-Ma, Pa-Pa, Dha-Dha, Ni-Ni, Śa-Śa

### Avroh:-

Śa-Śa, Ni-Ni, Dha-Dha, Pa-Pa, Ma-Ma, Ga-Ga,

Re-Re, Sa-Sa.

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### 3.Aroha:-

Sa-Sa-Sa, Re-Re-Re, Ga-Ga-Ga, Ma-Ma-Ma, Pa-Pa-Pa,

Dha-Dha-Dha, Ni-Ni-Ni, Śa-Śa-Śa

### Avroha:-

Śa-Śa-Śa, Ni-Ni-Ni, Dha-Dha-Dha, Pa-Pa-Pa, Ma-Ma-Ma, Ga-Ga-Ga, Re-Re-Re, Sa-Sa-Sa

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## Lesson 2

### 1. Aroha:-

Sa-Sa-Sa-Sa, Re-Re-Re-Re, Ga- Ga-Ga-Ga, Ma-Ma-Ma-Ma, Pa- Pa-Pa-Pa, Dha-Dha-Dha-Dha,



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Ni-Ni-Ni-Ni, Śa-Śa- Śa-Śa

### Avroha:-

Śa-Śa- Śa-Śa, Ni-Ni-Ni-Ni, Dha-Dha-Dha-Dha, Pa-Pa-Pa-Pa, Ma-Ma-Ma-Ma, Ga-Ga-Ga-Ga,  
Re-Re-Re-Re, Sa-Sa-Sa-Sa

### 2. Aroha:-

Sa-Re-Ga, Re-Ga-Ma, Ga-Ma-Pa, Ma-Pa-Dha, Pa-Dha-Ni, Dha- Ni- Śa

### Avroha:-

Śa -Ni-Dha, Ni-Dha-Pa, Dha-Pa-Ma, Pa-Ma-Ga, Ma-Ga-Re, Ga-Re-Sa

### 3. Aroha:-

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Sa-Re-Ga-Ma, Re-Ga-Ma-Pa, Ga-Ma-Pa-Dha, Ma-Pa-Dha-Ni, Pa-Dha-Ni- Śa

### Avroha:-

Śa -Ni-Dha-Pa, Ni-Dha-Pa-Ma, Dha-Pa-Ma-Ga , Pa-Ma-Ga-Re, Ma-Ga-Re-Sa

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### Lesson 3

#### 1. Aroha:-

Sa Re Ga Ma Pa, Re Ge Ma Pa Dha, Ga Ma Pa Dha Ni, Ma Pa Dha Ni Śa

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### Avroha:-

Śa Ni Dha Pa Ma, ni dha pa ma ga, dha pa ma gA re, pa ma ga re sa

### 2.Aroha:-

sa re-sa re ga, re ga-re ga ma, ga ma-ga ma pa, ma pa-ma pa dha,pa dha-pa dha ni, dha ni-dha ni Śa

### Avroh:-

Śa ni - Śa ni dha, ni dha-NI dha pa, dha pa-dha pa ma, Pa ma-pa ma ga, ma ga- ma ga re, ga re-ga re sa

### 3. Aroha:-

sa re-sa re ga ma, re ga-re ga ma pa, ga ma-ga ma pa dha, ma pa-ma pa dha ni, pa dha-pa dha ni Śa

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### Avroh:-

Śa ni- Śa ni dha pa, ni dha-ni dHA pa ma, dha pa-dha pa ma ga, Pa ma-pa ma gA Re, ma ga-  
ma ga re sa

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### Lesson 4

#### 1. Aroha :-

Sa re- Sa re ga ma pa, Re ga-Re ga ma pa dha, Ga ma-ga ma pa Dha ni, ma pa-ma pa Dha ni  
Śa

### Avroh:-

Śa ni- Śa ni Dha pa ma, ni Dha-ni Dha pa ma Ga, Dha pa-Dha pa ma Ga re, pa ma-pa ma ga  
re sa.

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### 2. Aroha :-

Sa sa-sa re ga, Re re -RE Ga ma, Ga ga- ga ma pa, ma ma-ma pa Dha, pa pa-pa Dha ni, Dha dha-dha ni Śa

### Avroh :-

Śa Śa-Śa ni dha, ni ni-ni dha pa, Dha dha-dha pa ma, pa pa-pa ma ga, ma ma-ma ga re, ga ga-ga re sa

### 3. Aroha :-

Sa sa-sa re ga ma, Re re-re ga ma pa, ga ga-ga ma pa dha, ma ma-ma pa dha ni, pa pa-pa dha ni Śa

### Avroh :-

Śa Śa-Śa ni dha pa, ni ni-ni dha pa ma, dha dha-dha pa ma ga, pa pa-pa ma ga re, ma ma-ma ga re sa

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### Lesson 5

#### 1. Aroha :-

Sa sa-sa re ga ma pa, re re-re ga ma pa dha, ga ga-ga ma pa

dha ni, ma ma-ma pa dha ni Śa

#### Avroh:-

Śa Śa-Śa ni dha pa ma, ni ni-ni dha pa ma ga, dha dha-dha pa

ma ga re, pa pa-pa ma ga re sa

#### 2.Aroha :-

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Sa ga, re ma, ga pa,, ma dha, pa ni, dha Śa

**Avroh :-**

Śa dha, ni pa, dha ma, pa ga, ma re, ga sa

**3. Aroha :-**

Sa ma, re pa, ga dha, ma ni, pa Śa

**Avroh :-**

Śa pa, ni ma, dha ga, pa re, ma sa

### Lesson 6

#### 1. Aroha :-

Sa re ga-sa re ga ma, re ga ma-re ga ma pa, ga ma pa-ga ma pa dha, ma pa dha – ma pa dha  
ni, PA DHA NI- pa dha ni Śa

#### Avroh :-

Śa ni dha – Śa ni dha pa, ni dha pa – ni dha pa ma, dha pa ma – dha pa ma ga, pa ma ga – pa  
ma ga rE, ma ga re- ma ga re sa

#### 2. Aroha :-

Sa re ga-sa re, re ga ma-re ga, ga ma pa-ga ma, ma pa dha-ma pa, pa dha ni-pa dha, dha ni Ś  
a  
-dha ni, ni  
Śa  
Ŕe ni  
Śa



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### Avroh:-

Śa ni dha-Śa ni, ni dha pa-ni dha, dha pa ma-dha pa, pa ma ga- pa ma, ma ga re-ma ga, ga re sa-ga re, re sa ni□ -re sa

### 3. Aroha :-

Ga re sa ga re, ma ga re ma ga, pa ma ga pa ma, dha pa ma dha pa, ni dha pa ni dha, Śa ni dha  
a  
ni, Ré  
Śa  
ni Ré  
Śa

### Avroh :-

Dha ni Śa dha ni, pa dha ni pa dha , ma pa dha ma pa, ga ma pa ga ma, re ga ma re ga, sa re ga sa re, ni□ sa re ni□ sa

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### Lesson 7

#### 1.Aroha :-

Sa re ga-re ga, Re Ga Ma – Ga ma, ga ma pa – ma pa, ma pa Dha pa Dha, Pa Dha ni-Dha ni,  
Dha ni Śa -ni Śa

#### Avroh:-

Śa ni Dha-ni Dha, ni Dha pa-Dha pa, Dha pa ma-pa ma, pa ma Ga- ma Ga, ma Ga re-Ga Re,  
Ga re Sa-Re Sa

#### 2.Aroha :-

Sa ga Re Sa, Re ma ga Re, ga pa ma ga, ma Dha pa ma, pa ni Dha pa, Dha Śa ni Dha, ni Ré Ś  
a  
ni,  
Śa  
Ga RE  
Śa

#### Avroh :-

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Śa Dha ni Śa, ni pa Dha ni, Dha ma pa Dha, Pa ga ma pa, ma RE ga ma, Ga sa re Ga, Re ni  
sa Re, Sa dha ni sa

### 3. Aroha :-

Sa re ga ma, sa re sa ma, Re ga ma pa, Re ga re pa, Ga ma pa Dha, Ga ma Ga Dha, ma pa  
Dha ni, ma pa ma ni, pa dha ni Śa, pa dha pa Śa

### Avroh :-

Śa ni Dha pa, Śa ni Śa pa, ni dha pa ma, ni Dha ni ma, Dha pa ma ga, dha pa dha ga, pa ma  
ga re, pa ma pa re, ma ga re sa, ma ga ma sa

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## Lesson 8

### 1. Aroha :-

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Sa re -re sa, re ga – ga re, ga ma-ma ga, ma pa – pa ma, pa Dha – Dha pa, Dha ni–ni Dha, ni sa – sa ni, Śa Ré-Ře Śa

### Avroha :-

Śa ni – ni Śa, ni Dha-dha ni, Dha pa- pa Dha, pa ma–ma pa, ma ga – ga ma, ga re-re ga, Re sa-sa re, Sa ni□ -ni□ sa

### 2. Aroha :-

Sa re ga re sa, Re ga ma ga re, ga ma pa ma ga, ma pa Dha pa ma, pa Dha ni Dha pa, Dha ni  
Śa  
ni Dha, ni  
Śa  
Ře  
Śa  
ni,  
Śa  
Ře Ga Ře  
Śa

### Avroha :-

Śa ni Dha ni Śa, ni Dha pa Dha ni, Dha pa ma pa Dha, pa ma ga ma pa, ma ga re GA ma , ga re sa re ga, re sa ni□ sa re, sa ni□ Dha□ ni□ sa

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### 3.Aroha :-

Sa re sa, re ga re, ga ma ga, ma pa ma, pa Dha pa, Dha ni Dha, ni Śa ni, Śa Ré Śa

### Avroha :-

Śa ni Śa, ni Dha ni, Dha pa Dha, pa ma pa, ma ga ma, ga re ga, re sa RE, sa ni sa

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## Lesson 9

### 1. Aroha :-

Sa re sa ga, re ga re ma, ga ma ga pa, ma pa ma Dha, pa Dha pa ni, Dha ni dha Śa

### Avroha :-

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Śa ni Śa Dha, ni Dha ni pa, Dha pa Dha Ma, Pa ma pa ga, ma ga ma re, ga re ga sa

### 2. Aroha :-

Sa ga sa re ga, re ma re ga ma, ga pa ga ma pa, ma Dha ma pa Dha, pa ni pa Dha ni, Dha Śa  
Dha ni  
Śa

### Avroha :-

Śa Dha Śa ni Dha, ni pa ni Dha pa, Dha ma Dha pa ma, pa ga pa ma ga, ma re ma ga re, Ga  
sa ga re sa

### 3. Aroha :-

Sa re ga sa ga, re ga ma re ma, Ga ma pa ga pa, ma pa Dha ma Dha, pa Dha ni pa ni, DHA NI  
Śa  
Dha  
Śa

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### Avroha :-

Śa ni Dha Śa Dha, ni Dha pa ni pa, Dha pa ma Dha ma, pa ma ga pa ga, ma ga re ma re, ga re sa ga sa

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### Lesson 10

### Sargam of Shuddha swaras :-

Sa Ga, Sa Ga, Sa Ga, ma Ga Re Sa,

ni re, ni re, ni re, Ga Re sa ni

Sa Ga, Sa Ga, Sa Re Ga ma pa,

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ma Ga Re Sa, Ga Re Sa Ni , Sa Sa Sa

Śa Śa - Śa ni Dha pa, ni ni-ni Dha pa ma,

Dha Dha- Dha pa ma ga, pa pa- pa ma Ga Re,

Ma ma - ma ga re sa, ni re sa,

sa re ga ma pa, ma ga re sa, ga re sa ni sa sa sa



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