

UNDERCOVER ZEST · SONGWRITING

Melody Map Worksheet

Map scale degrees over each chord, section by section, so your melody sits inside the harmony. Fill the reference once, then sketch ideas per section. Pairs with the chord builder at undercoverzest.app.

Step 4 of 4 · Music. Use once you have chords and a structure and want a vocal melody.

Key

Primary scale

Secondary scale

Colour or borrowed notes

Scale-degree reference

Write your key's notes against their degree and role. Fill once and refer back.

Note	Degree	Role

Out-of-key colour notes

Note	Source	Context or colour

Sections

For each section, list its chords and sketch the scale degrees and melodic idea over each.

Intro

Chord	Scale degrees	Melodic idea

Verse

Chord	Scale degrees	Melodic idea

Pre-Chorus

Chord	Scale degrees	Melodic idea

Chorus

Chord	Scale degrees	Melodic idea

Bridge

Chord	Scale degrees	Melodic idea

Outro

Chord	Scale degrees	Melodic idea