



# 3-Octave Scales, Advanced

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Keep your fingerings consistent throughout

♩ = 60

The musical score consists of eight staves of music in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The first staff includes a tempo marking of ♩ = 60 and a box containing the instruction "Keep your fingerings consistent throughout". The score is divided into two systems of four staves each. The first system covers the first two octaves, and the second system covers the third octave. The music features a variety of technical challenges, including slurs, ties, and triplets. Fingerings are indicated by numbers 1-4 above or below notes. The piece concludes with a final whole note on the G string.

### TIPS

- Memorize your fingerings
- Try without slurs the first time through with separate bows to feel the rhythm in your fingers
- When comfortable at tempo, try adding the slurs
- When playing half notes or quarter notes, try using vibrato on every note
- Try using your 4th finger for more left hand exercising

### Recommended Scale References:

"Scales for Advanced Violinists" by Barbara Barber, pub. Alfred

Carl Flesch "Scale System for Violin" revised by Rostal, pub. Fischer

"Contemporary Violin Technique, Vol 1" Ivan Galamian/ Frederick Neumann, ECS Publishing