

Bastien *Piano Basics*® Correlation to *Music Ace Maestro*® Lessons

The following pages provide a correlation between the Bastien *Piano Basics* method books and the *Music Ace Maestro* software product from Harmonic Vision.

Music Ace Maestro consists of 48 lessons and 48 games that teach music theory fundamentals to beginning music students. Although the product is designed to be used by students learning any instrument, it makes significant use of the piano keyboard as a means of presenting musical concepts.

In the tables that follow, the *Piano Basics* page number is shown in the left-hand column. The corresponding *Music Ace Maestro* lesson(s) are shown in the right-hand column of the tables. Each *Music Ace Maestro* lesson is divided into multiple sections. The right-hand column indicates the specific lesson and section.

For example, an entry in the right-hand column of "**L5(1,2)**" indicates *Music Ace Maestro* lesson 5, sections 1 and 2. Similarly, "**L15(2-4)**" indicates *Music Ace Maestro* lesson 15, sections 2 through 4. An entry of "**L7**" indicates the entire lesson 7.

Each *Music Ace Maestro* lesson has an associated game that provides the student with exercises that reinforce the concepts taught in the corresponding lesson. In general, the game material is closely related to the lesson material and will therefore also support the various concepts presented in *Piano Basic* method books.

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