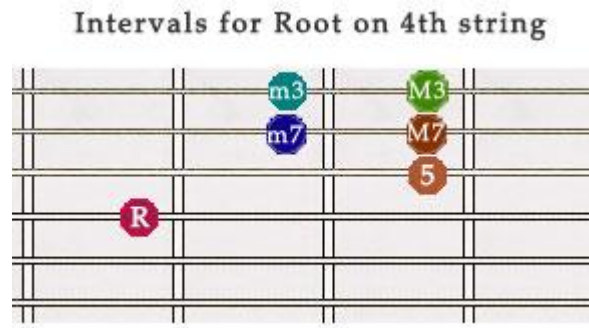


The 4 sevenths

We get 4 seventh chords by using combinations of minor and major 3rds and 7ths.

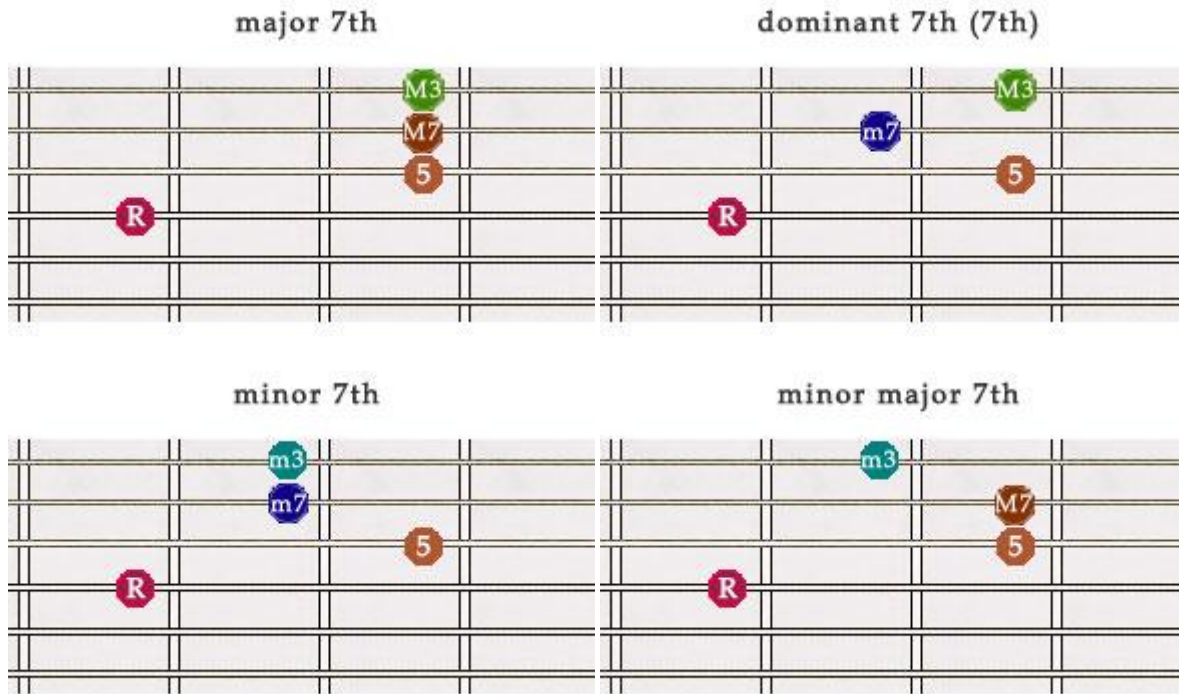
same 3rd different 7ths					same 7th different 3rds				
Chord	Root	5 th	3rd	7th	Chord	Root	5 th	3rd	7th
minor7	Root	5 th	m3	m7	minor7	Root	5 th	m3	m7
mM7	Root	5 th	m3	M7	Dominant7	Root	5 th	M3	m7
Major7	Root	5 th	M3	M7	Major7	Root	5 th	M3	M7
Dominant7	Root	5 th	M3	m7	mM7	Root	5 th	m3	M7

The below figure is an exact representation of the above, on the guitar.



Keep the Root and 5th in place. Then change the thirds and the sevenths by just one fret shifting, and you get all the 4 seventh chords, played comfortably and efficiently.

Playing the 4 sevenths on the guitar



Any of the above patterns can be used for any note on the 4th string.

For example: If you want to play the 7th with E as the root, find E on the 4th string 2nd fret and arrange the rest of the pattern depending on which 7th you want.

