## **CHORDS**

A Chord is made of at least 3 notes played simultaneously According to the classical concept, piling up intervals of Thirds on top of each other makes chords



FUNCTIONS of the elements of chord

The note we start on is the ROOT- it gives name to the chord The rest of the notes get names from the interval they create with the Root



Changing the ORDER of the notes will NOT change the FUNCTIONS of the notes



VOICING – the order (from the bottom to the top) of the notes' functions of the chord

	0	7
	0	3
0	<b>0</b>	5
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TRIADS – chords made of only 3 notes Chord types [classical]: Major, Minor, Augmented, Diminished



INVERSIONS – any of the chord's notes can be placed on the bottom of the chord Root position, First inversion, Second inversion, Third inversion (for Seventh Chords)

