

# Ruler of the King's Navy

*Gilbert & Sullivan, published 1878 (Australia, NSW, Sofala)*

The musical score is written in 2/4 time and the key of D major (two sharps). It consists of four staves of music. The chords indicated above the notes are: D, A7, G, D, D, A7, Em, A7, D, Em, D, D, G, A7, D.

*Rhythm: March*

*Source: collected from Joe Yates, Sofala, NSW  
John Meredith Collection, NLA*

*Tune transcribed & arranged by Tony Stuart*

*History: from HMS Pinafore*