

Quarter Note

Ta

1 Beat



Half Note

Ta - 2

2 Beats



Eighth Notes

Ta - ti

2 Eighth Notes = 1 Beat



Dotted Half Note

Ta - 2 - 3

3 Beats



Whole Note

Ta - 2 - 3 - 4

4 Beats



Quarter Rest

Rest

1 Beat Silence



Whole Rest

Rest for a Whole Measure



Half Rest

Rest - 2

2 Beats Silence

Adagio

Slow

Andante

Walking Tempo

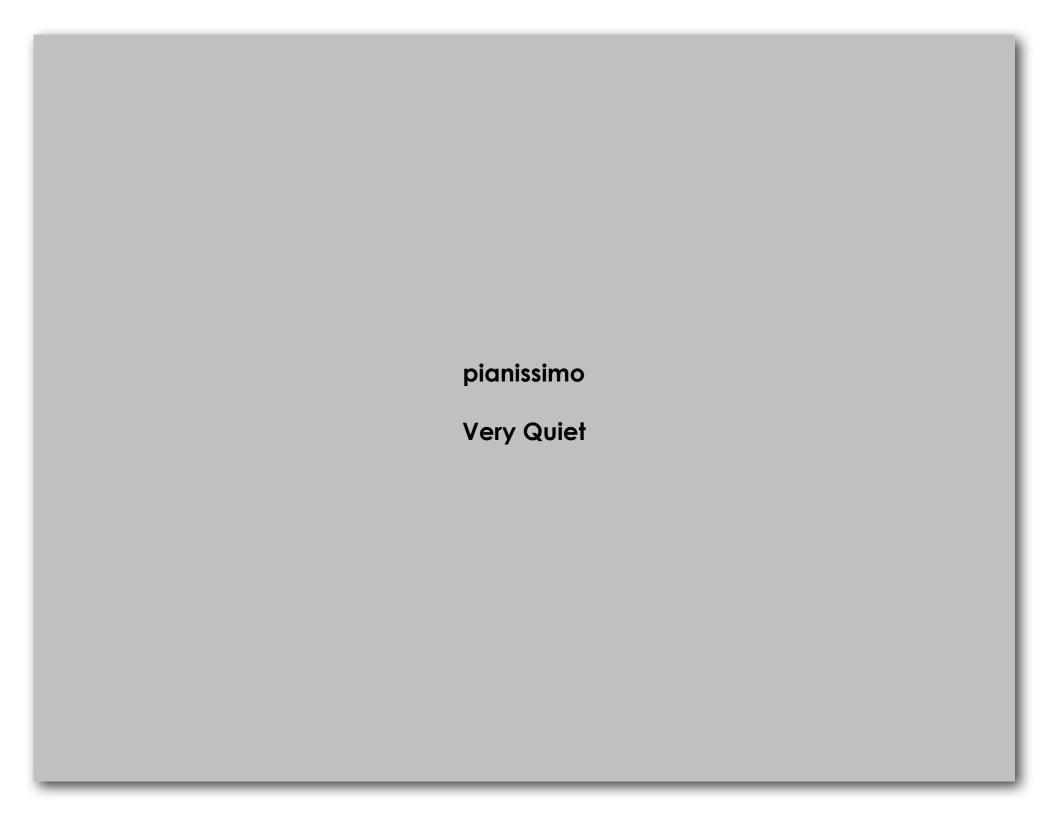
Moderato

Moderately

Allegro



pp



p

piano Quiet

mp

mezzo piano Medium Quiet mf

mezzo forte

Medium Loud



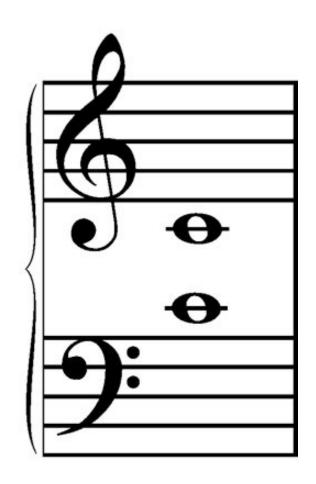
forte

Loud

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fortissimo

Very Loud



Middle C



Melodic 2nd



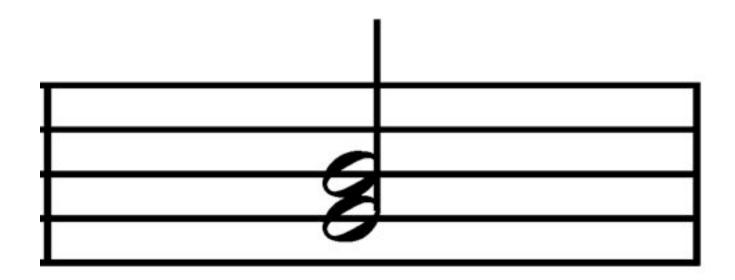
Melodic 3rd



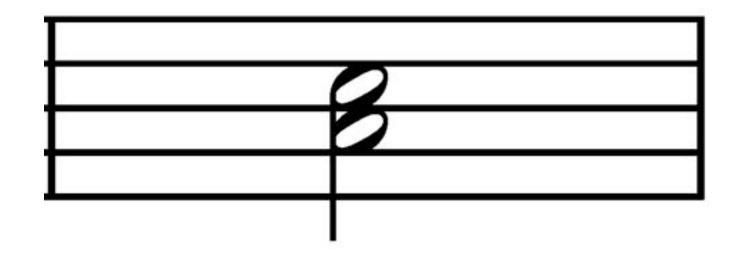
Melodic 3rd



Harmonic 2nd



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Time Signature

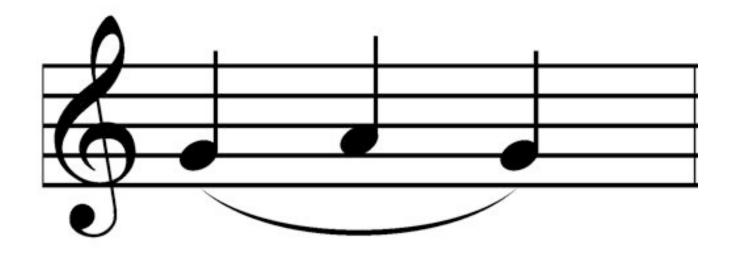
Top Number: Beats in a measure

Bottom Number: What kind of note equals 1 beat



staccato

Short



legato

Slur

Connected

Allegretto

A little fast

Cantabile

In a singing manner

crescendo

cresc.

Play gradually louder

diminuendo

dim.

Play gradually quieter

Skips Alphabet

FACEGBD

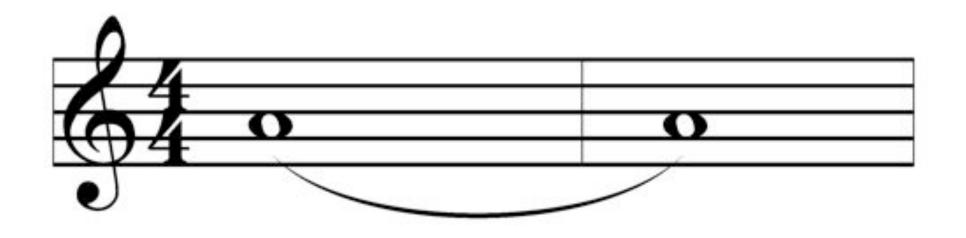
Begin Skips Alphabet on G

FACEGBDFACEGBD



Anacrusis Upbeat

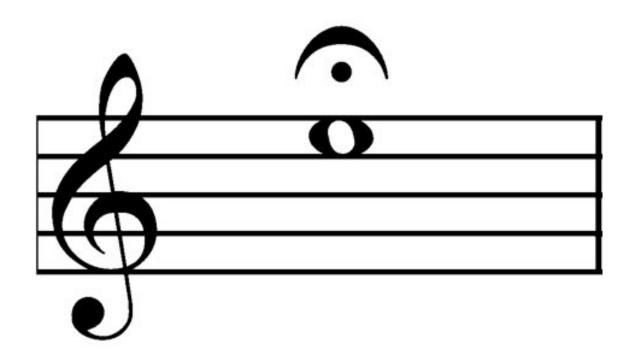
An incomplete measure at the beginning of the piece



Tie

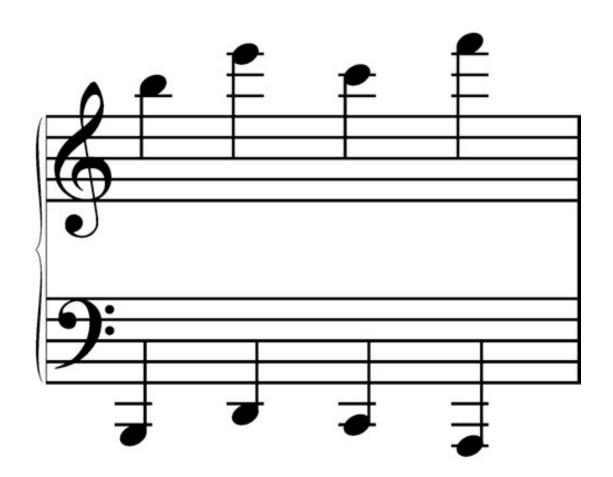
Connects two notes that are the same.

Hold for the combined value of the notes.



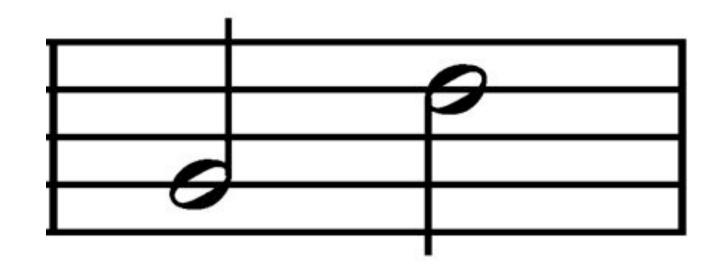
Fermata

Hold a note longer than its value



Leger Lines

Added lines that extend the staff



Melodic 5th



Harmonic 5th



Melodic 5th



Harmonic 5th



Sharp

Raises a note a half step.

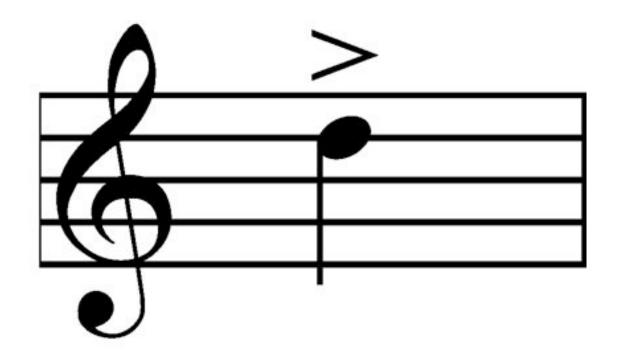
Lasts through the whole measure.



Flat

Lowers a note a half step.

Lasts through the whole measure.



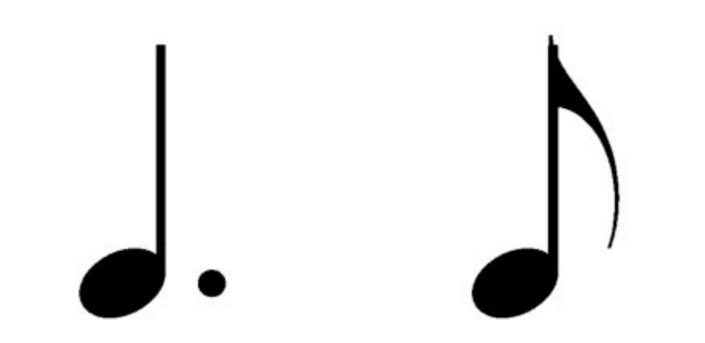
Accent

Play the note with more sound



Natural

Cancels the flat or sharp in a measure







dolce

Sweetly



Syncopated Pedal



Melodic 4th



Harmonic 4th