

Theory of Music Grade 7

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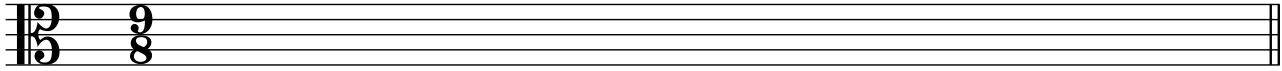
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Section 1 (20 marks)

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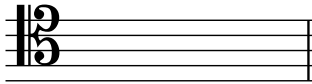
- 1.1 Write a one-octave scale of C melodic minor scale, descending then ascending, in a rhythm to fit the given time signature. Use rests between some degrees of the scale. Use a key signature.


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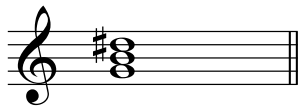
- 1.2 Write in the correct time signature.


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- 1.3 Write the key signature of G♭ major.


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- 1.4 Write the correct chord symbol for this triad.


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- 1.5 What is a **sonatina**? _____

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- 1.6 Name two brass instruments commonly found in the orchestra of the Classical period.

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1.7 In a movement in sonata form, what is meant by the **bridge passage**?

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1.8 What is a Scherzo and Trio?

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1.9 What is an inverted cadence?

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1.10 Explain the difference between homophonic and polyphonic musical textures.

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Section 2 (10 marks)

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- 2.1 Transpose this 12-bar blues chord progression into C major with Roman numerals below the staff and chord symbols above. Then fill in the keyboard part with a vamp of your choice. Use shorthand where appropriate.

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IV IV I I

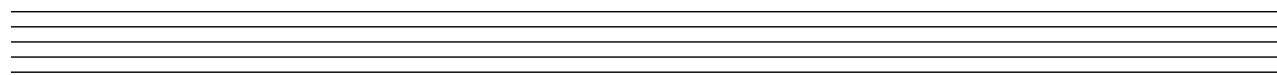
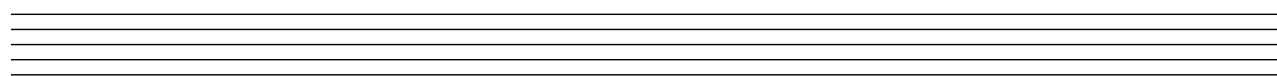
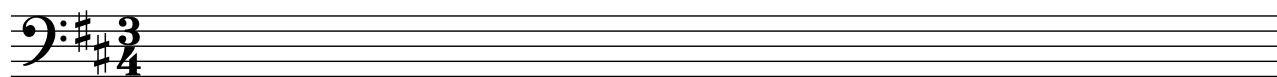
V IV I V



Section 3 (15 marks)

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- 3.1 Write an 8-bar melody in B minor for bassoon. You may use the following as a start if you wish:



Section 4 (10 marks)

- 4.1 Here is a chord progression. Make a harmonic sequence by repeating it one note lower each time to complete the phrase.

(Bb major)

Section 5 (10 marks)

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5.1 Transfer this string quartet phrase to close score.

Haydn

Violin I

Violin II

Viola

Violoncello

Section 6 (15 marks)

6.1 Label the chords of this phrase with Roman numerals below the staff and chord symbols above and complete it appropriately.

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Section 7 (20 marks)

Look at this exposition from a sonata-form movement and answer the questions on page 8.

Andante

7

14

19

24

29

7.1 In which key is the first subject?

7.2 In which bar does the second subject begin, and in which key?

7.3 Write appropriate Roman numerals below the bass line in bars 7-8.

7.4 Describe the texture in bars 16-23 and bars 25-32 (bass part).

7.5 Describe the E \sharp in bar 15 and the first E \flat in bar 28 (treble part).

7.6 Circle an example of a chromatic passing note.

7.7 How does the composer give variety to the repetitions in bars 16-21 (treble part)?

7.8 Describe the function of the music from bar 29 (last two semiquavers) to bar 33.

7.9 What is the interval between the first two notes in bar 16 (treble part)?

7.10 Name the period in which this music was written and suggest a composer.

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