

UNISA Pre-Gr 1 MUSIC THEORY

The G Clef (Treble Clef) indicates the G above middle C.



G

The F Clef (Bass Clef) indicates the F below middle C.



F













In G clef: *Every Good Boy Drinks Fanta*

In F clef: *Good Boys Drink Fanta Always*



In G clef: *F A C E*

In F clef: *All Cows Eat Grass*

Notes	Name / Value	Rests
	<i>Semibreve (Whole note) / Semibreve (Whole note) rest</i>	
	<i>Dotted minim (half note) / dotted minim (half note) rest</i>	
	<i>Minim (Half note) / Minim (Half note) rest</i>	
	<i>Crotchet (Quarter note) / Crotchet (Quarter note) rest</i>	
	<i>Quaver (Eighth note) / Quaver (Eighth note) rest</i>	






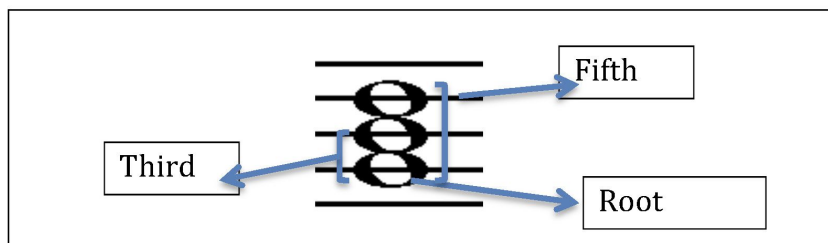
Simple Time / Time Signatures	
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Simple Duple Time	Simple Triple Time
	

Table of Keys / Key Signature		
Maj	Sharps and Flats	Key signature
G	F#	
C	-	
F	B ^b	

TECHNICAL NAMES / TONE DEGREES: TONIC (I), SUBDOMINANT (IV), DOMINANT (V).

INTERVALS: Is the distance between two notes: root + third or root + fifth



SOLFA NOTATION:

doh (d) – ray (r) – mi (m) – fah (f) – soh(s) – lah (l) – ti (t) – doh¹ (d¹)

Music Terms	Language	Reference to	Meaning
Forte (f)	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Dynamics</i>	<i>Loud</i>
Mezzo Forte (mf)	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Dynamics</i>	<i>Moderately Loud / Rather Loud</i>
Piano (p)	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Dynamics</i>	<i>Soft</i>
Mezzo Piano (mp)	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Dynamics</i>	<i>Moderately Soft / Rather Soft</i>
Crescendo (cresc.)	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Dynamics</i>	<i>Gradually increasing in loudness</i>
Decrescendo (decresc.)	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Dynamics</i>	<i>Gradually decreasing in loudness</i>
Diminuendo (dim.)	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Dynamics</i>	<i>Gradually decreasing in loudness</i>
Accelerando	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Tempo</i>	<i>Gradually faster</i>
Allegro	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Tempo</i>	<i>Gay</i>
Allegretto	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Tempo</i>	<i>Fairly gay</i>
Andante	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Tempo</i>	<i>Walking pace</i>
Moderato	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Tempo</i>	<i>Moderately</i>
Ritardando (rit. / ritard.)	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Tempo</i>	<i>Gradually slower / slowing down</i>
Legato	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Articulation</i>	<i>Connected</i>
Staccato	<i>Italian</i>	<i>Articulation</i>	<i>Separately</i>
		<i>Other terms and signs</i>	<i>Repeat</i>