

Local Centre Examination Paper

Theory Grade 1

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RIAM

Royal Irish
Academy of Music

Time allowed : 1 hour 30 minutes

Candidates should answer all questions. All answers must be written on this paper.

Candidate's name

Total Marks 100

1 Draw the notes to match these words. The first one on each line is done for you.

B A D C A G E A D D E D

B E G B A G G A G E F A D E

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2 Below each note or rest write its time name and the number of beats it gets. The first one is done for you.

Time name: Crotchet

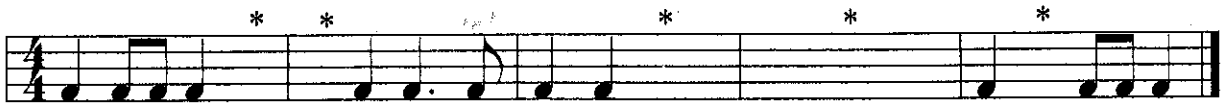
Beats: 1

Time name:

Beats:

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3 a Add one rest at each place marked * to make the bar complete.



b Add one note at each place marked * to make the bar complete.



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4 a Add the missing time signature to each of these pieces.



b Add the missing barlines to each of these melodies.



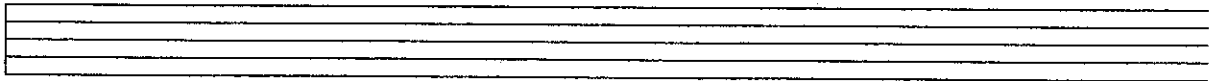
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5 Write out this tune in the key of G major. The first bar is done for you.

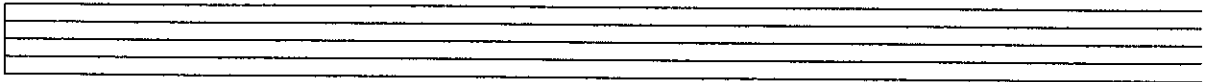


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6 a Write the scale of G major **going up** in the treble clef. Include the key signature.

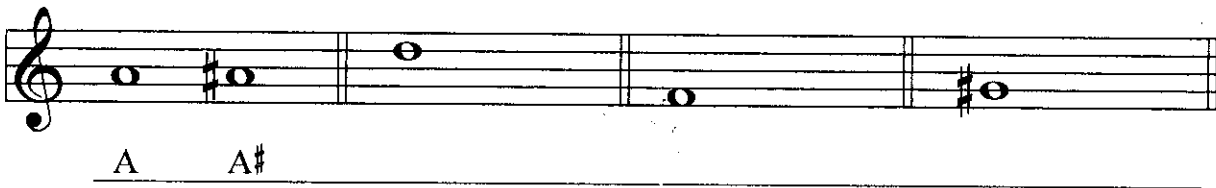


b Write the scale of C major **going down** in the bass clef. Mark the semitones with slurs.

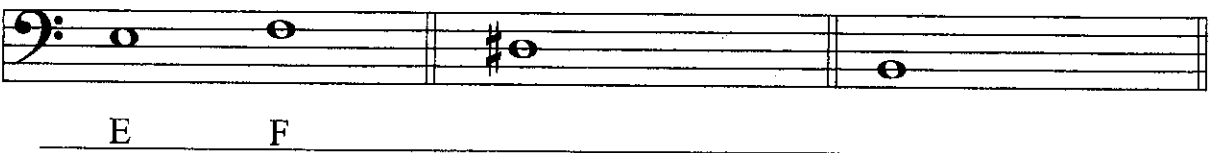


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7 Beside each note draw another note which is a semitone higher. Write the letter names under both notes. The first one on each line is done for you.



A A#

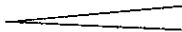


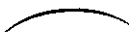
E F


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Answer questions 8, 9 and 10 about this piece.

8 Explain each of the following:

Allegretto _____  _____


f _____  _____

mf _____  _____

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- 9 (i) Name the key of the piece: _____
- (ii) Show another way of writing the time signature. _____
- (iii) Draw a circle around two notes that are a tone apart. Write the letter **T** above the circle.
- (iv) Draw a circle around two notes that are a semitone apart. Write the letter **S** above the circle.
- (v) Give the letter name of the highest note. _____

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- 10 (i) How many times does the pattern  occur? _____
- (ii) What is the time name of the shortest note? _____
 What is its value? _____
- (iii) What is the time name of the longest note? _____
 What is its value? _____
- (iv) The last bar has only 3 beats because _____

- (v) Copy out bars 5 - 8 (the second line of music) on the staff below.
 Include the key signature.

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