The full Answer Keys with points breakdowns for the 2013-2014 GMTA Theory Tests will be posted as soon as they become available. Until then, here are the answers for the Ear Training sections of the tests:

## LEVEL I (Treble, Bass, & Alto)

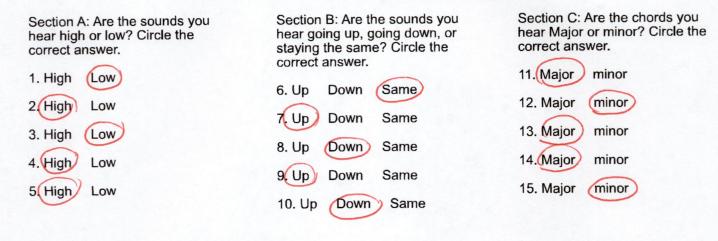
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| Section A<br>1. Low<br>2. High<br>3. Low<br>4. High<br>5. High                                    | Section B<br>1. Same<br>2. Up<br>3. Down<br>4. Up<br>5. Down                               | Section C<br>1. Major<br>2. minor<br>3. Major<br>4. Major<br>5. minor |  | Section D<br>1. A<br>2. B<br>3. A<br>4. B<br>5. A                                  |
| LEVEL II  |  |   |  |  |
| Section A<br>1. 4 <sup>th</sup><br>2. 5 <sup>th</sup><br>3. 2 <sup>nd</sup><br>4. 3 <sup>rd</sup> | Section B<br>1. Major<br>2. minor<br>3. minor<br>4. Major                                  | Section C Se<br>1. 3/4<br>2. 4/4<br>3. 4/4<br>4. 3/4                  | ection D<br>1. C<br>2. C<br>3. A                               | Section E<br>1. Skip down<br>2. Repeat<br>3. Step up<br>4. Step down<br>5. Skip up |
| LEVEL III   |  |   |  |  |
| Section A<br>1. M<br>2. Hm<br>3. Hm<br>4. M<br>5. Hm  | Section B<br>1. 2<br>2. 7<br>3. 3<br>4. 4<br>5. 5<br>6. 2<br>7. 6<br>8. 8<br>9. 5<br>10. 3 | Section C<br>1. Whole<br>2. Half<br>3. Half<br>4. Whole<br>5. Whole   | Э  | Section D<br>1. B<br>2. A<br>3. B  |
| LEVEL IV  |  |   |  |  |
| Section A<br>1. m2<br>2. m6<br>3. M7<br>4. P5<br>5. M3<br>6. M7<br>7. P4<br>8. M2                 | Section B<br>1. Mm<br>2. Nm<br>3. M<br>4. Hm<br>5. Nm                                      | Section C<br>1. Authe<br>2. Half<br>3. Half                           | ntic   | Section D<br>1. C<br>2. A<br>3. B  |
| LEVEL V   |  |   |  |  |
| Section A<br>1. m6<br>2. m3<br>3. Tritone<br>4. P5  | Section B<br>1. B<br>2. C  | 1. A 1<br>2. C 2  | ion D<br>1. Minor<br>2. Major<br>3. Augmenteo<br>4. Diminished |  |

2013-2014 GMTA Theory Test: Level I (Treble Clef)

KEY ANSWER Name:

Date:

# Part I: EAR TRAINING Each example will be played twice.



Section D: Which rhythm do you hear? Circle A or B.











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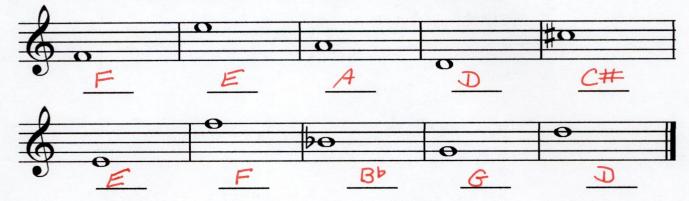
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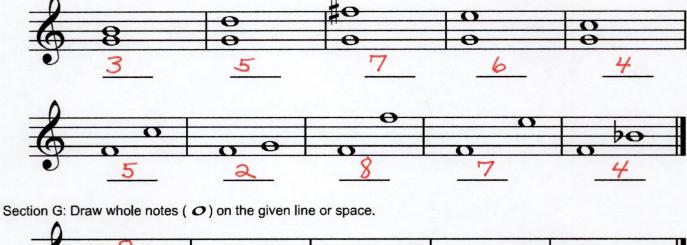
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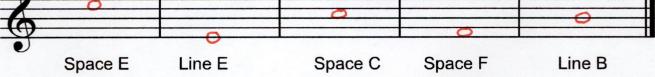
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Section E: Name these notes in the blanks below the notes. Use capital letters.

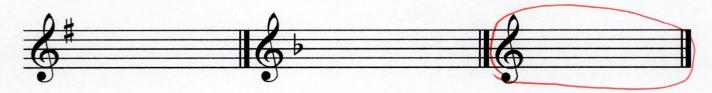


Section F: Identify these intervals by NUMBER only, as 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, or 8 (octave).





Section H: Which of these key signatures is C Major? Circle the correct measure.



## 2013-2014 GMTA Theory Test: Level I (Treble Clef)

KEY 3 Name: ANSWER

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Section I: Add the missing bar lines.

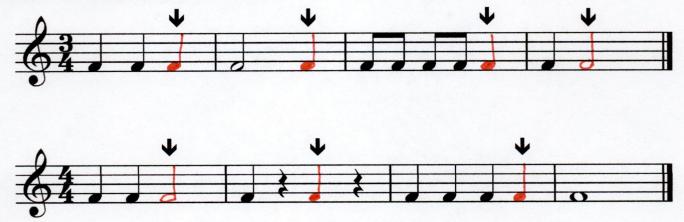


Section J: Write the missing time signature in its correct place on the staff.



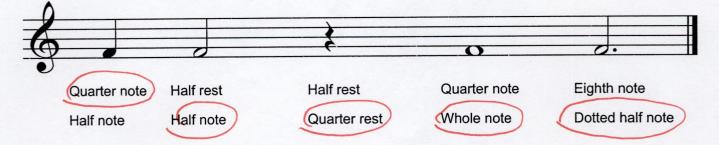


Section K: Complete each measure by drawing <u>one</u> note under each arrow. Be sure the note value completes the measure.

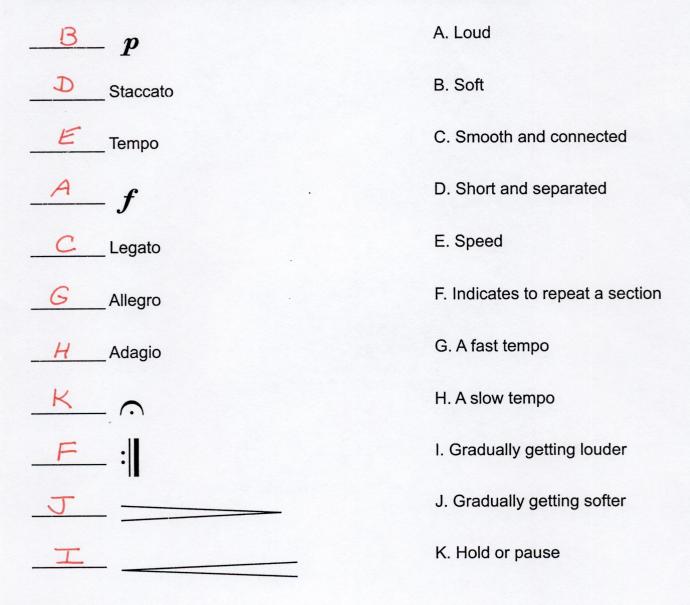


Name: ANSWER Key

Section L: Circle the name of the type of note or rest pictured.



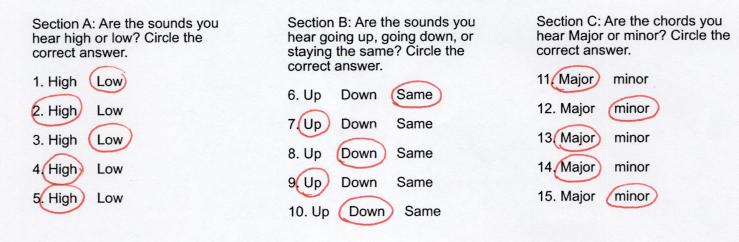
Section M: Match terms to their definitions. Print carefully using CAPITAL LETTERS.



Name: Answer

Date:

# Part I: EAR TRAINING Each example will be played twice.



Section D: Which rhythm do you hear? Circle A or B.









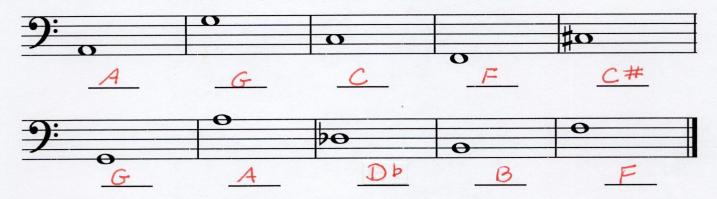


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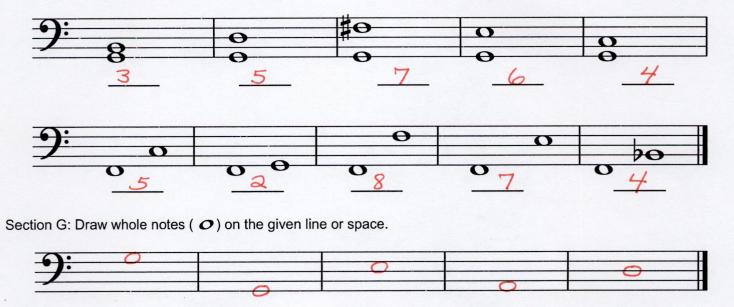
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# Part II: WRITTEN

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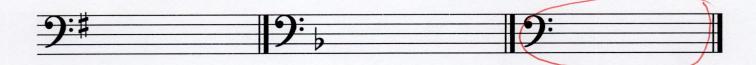
Space A

Line D

Section H: Which of these key signatures is C Major? Circle the correct measure.

Line G

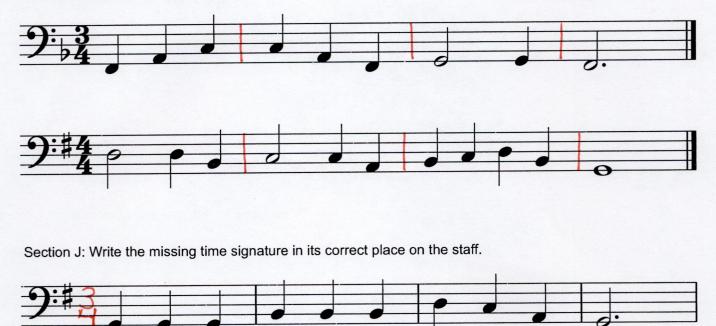
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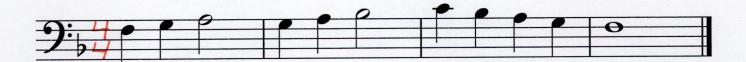


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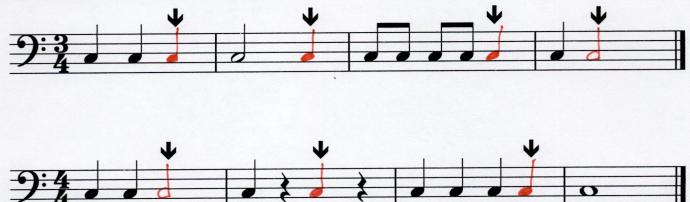
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Section I: Add the missing bar lines.



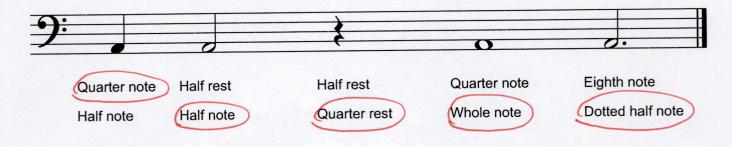


Section K: Complete each measure by drawing <u>one</u> note under each arrow. Be sure the note value completes the measure.

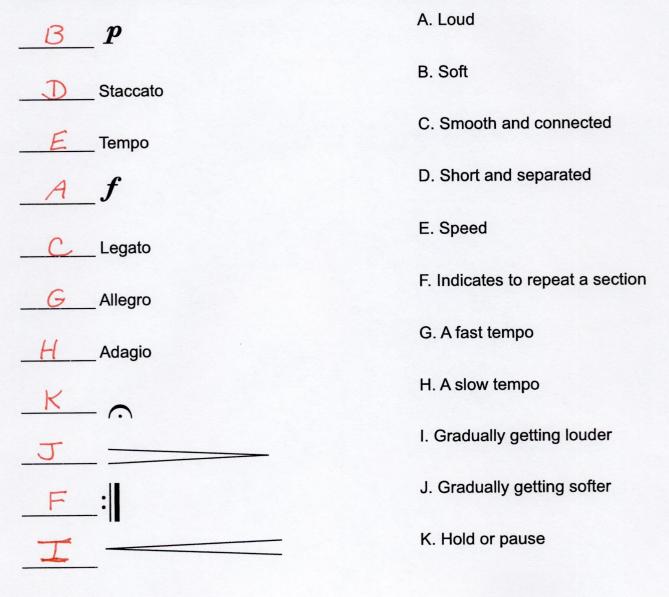


Name: ANSWER Key

Section L: Circle the name of the type of note or rest pictured.



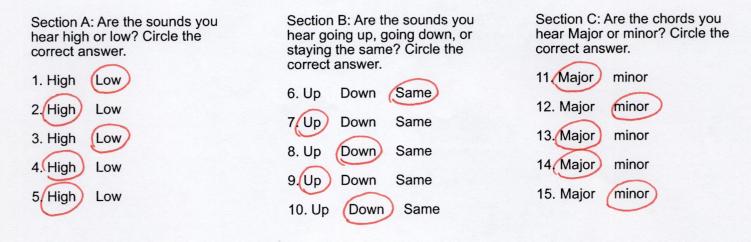
Section M: Match terms to their definitions. Print carefully using CAPITAL LETTERS.



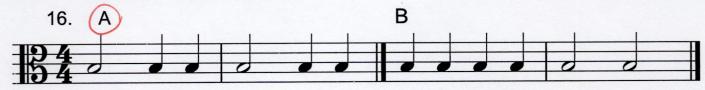
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Date:

# Part I: EAR TRAINING Each example will be played twice.



Section D: Which rhythm do you hear? Circle A or B.











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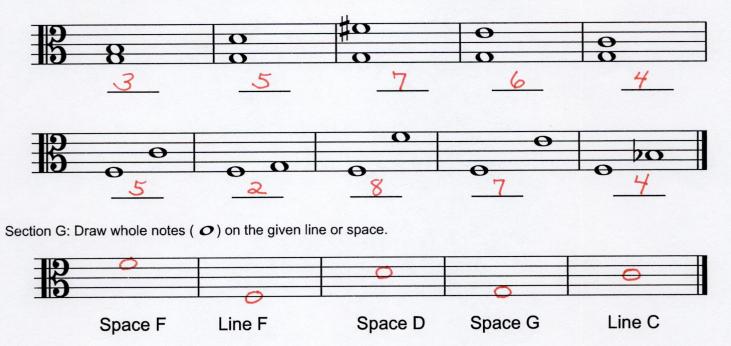
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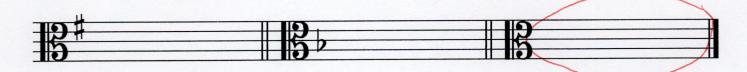
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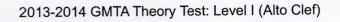


Section F: Identify these intervals by NUMBER only, as 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, or 8 (octave).



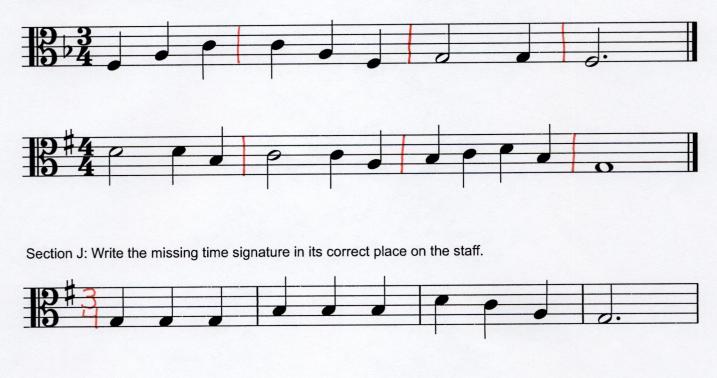
Section H: Which of these key signatures is C Major? Circle the correct measure.

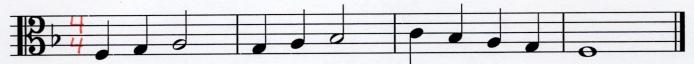




Name: ANSWER Key 3

Section I: Add the missing bar lines.





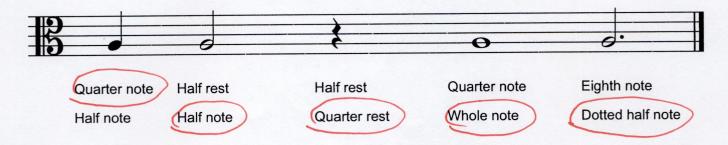
Section K: Complete each measure by drawing <u>one</u> note under each arrow. Be sure the note value completes the measure.



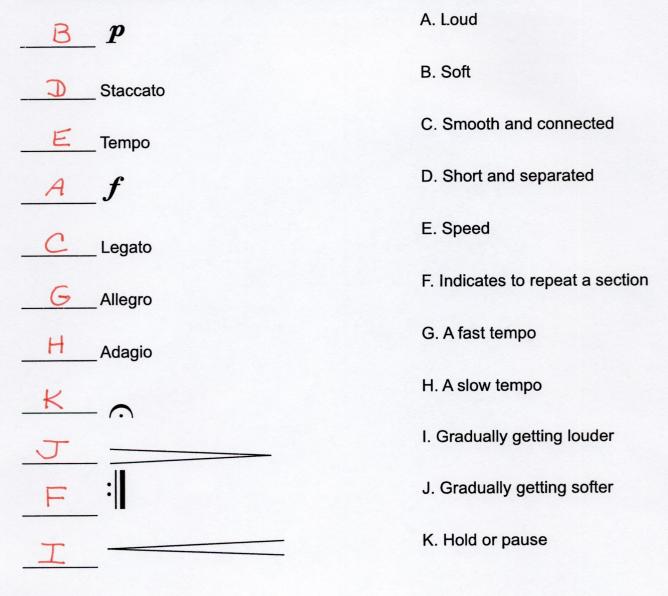


Name: ANSWER Key

Section L: Circle the name of the type of note or rest pictured.



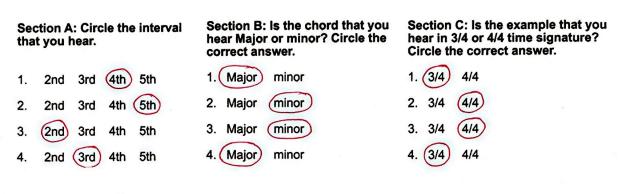
Section M: Match terms to their definitions. Print carefully using CAPITAL LETTERS.



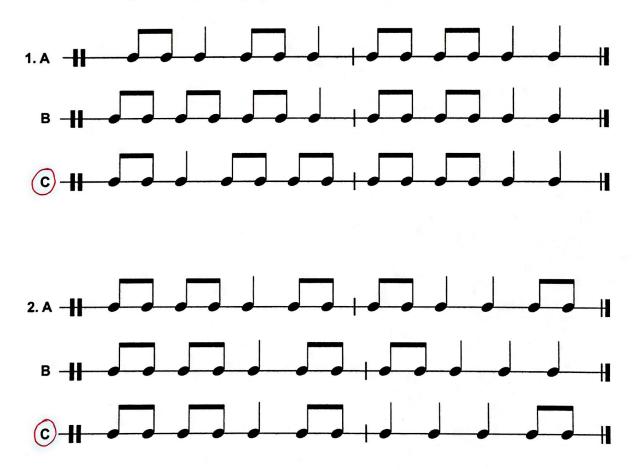
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# PART I: EAR TRAINING Each example will be played twice.



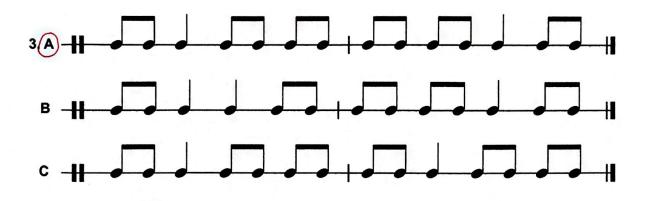
Section D: Which rhythm do you hear? Circle A, B, or C.



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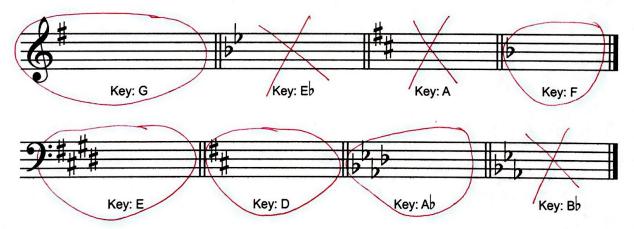


Section E: Do the melodies you hear skip up, skip down, step up, step down, or repeat? Circle the correct answer.

| 1. Skip up | Skip down | Step up | Step down | Repeat |  |
|------------|-----------|---------|-----------|--------|--|
| 2. Skip up | Skip down | Step up | Step down | Repeat |  |
| 3. Skip up | Skip down | Step up | Step down | Repeat |  |
| 4. Skip up | Skip down | Step up | Step down | Repeat |  |
| 5. Skip up | Skip down | Step up | Step down | Repeat |  |

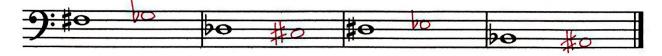
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Section F: Circle the measures where the key signatures are labeled correctly. Draw an X over those that are labeled incorrectly.

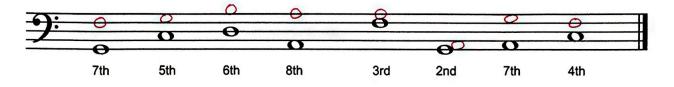


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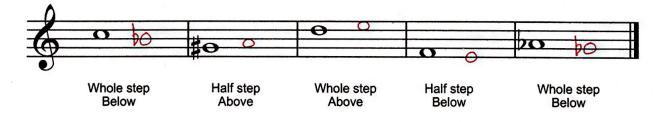
Section G: Draw an enharmonic note beside each of the following notes. Use whole notes.



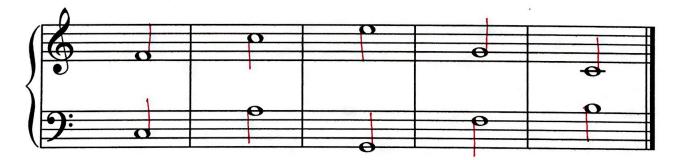
Section H: Draw the following intervals above the given notes. Use whole notes.



Section I: Draw the indicated whole or half step above or below the given note. Use whole notes.



Section J: Draw stems on the notes below.



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# Name: <u>Answer Key</u>

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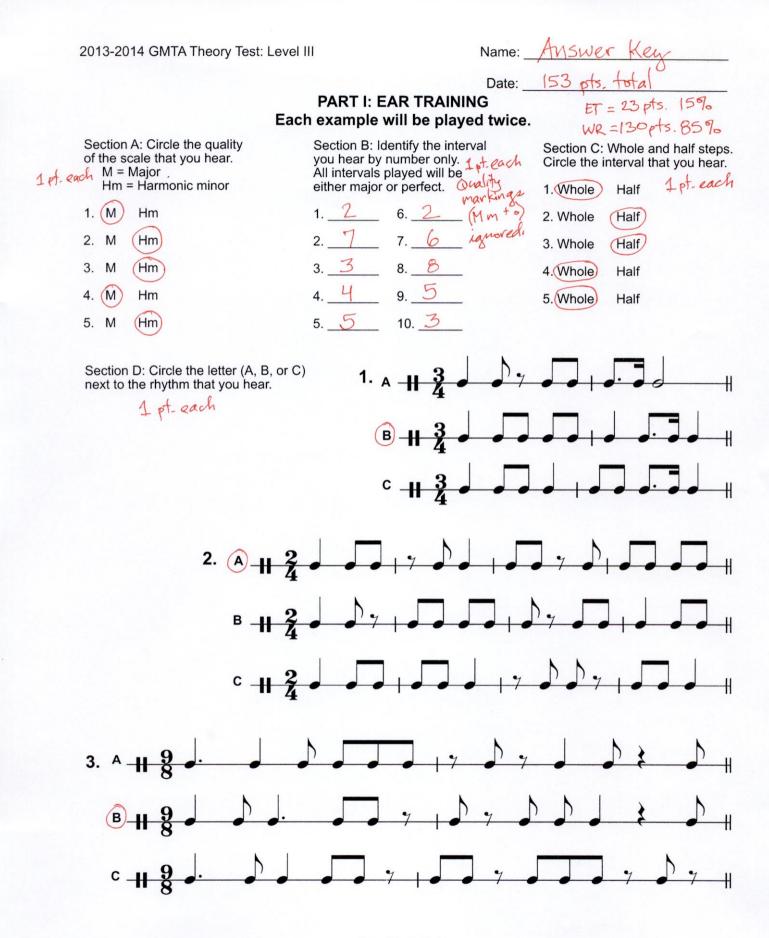
#### (You may ignore this single bar and proceed to Section K.)

Section K: Match the following symbols to their names. 1. F 🔿 A. flat 6. A b B. crescendo 7. I. P 2. J # C accent D. mezzo forte 8. <u>C</u> > 3. E E. natural F. fermata 9. <u>D</u> mf G. forte H. repeat sign 10. H : 5. G f I. piano J. sharp

#### Section L: Match the following terms to their definitions.



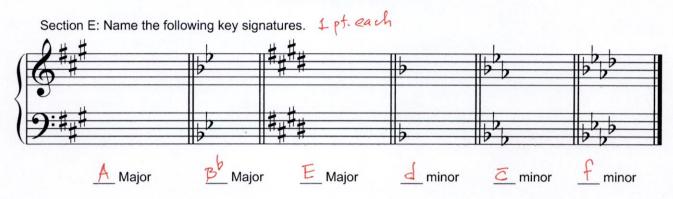
- A. Gradually slowing down B. Tie C. Gradually getting softer D. Play notes an octave higher or lower E. Slow speed F. Return to the original tempo G. Slur H. Hold or pause I. Repeat from the beginning to the Fine J. Speed K. Fast speed L. Smooth and connected M. Repeat from the sign to the Fine
  - N. Gradually getting louder
  - O. Short and separated



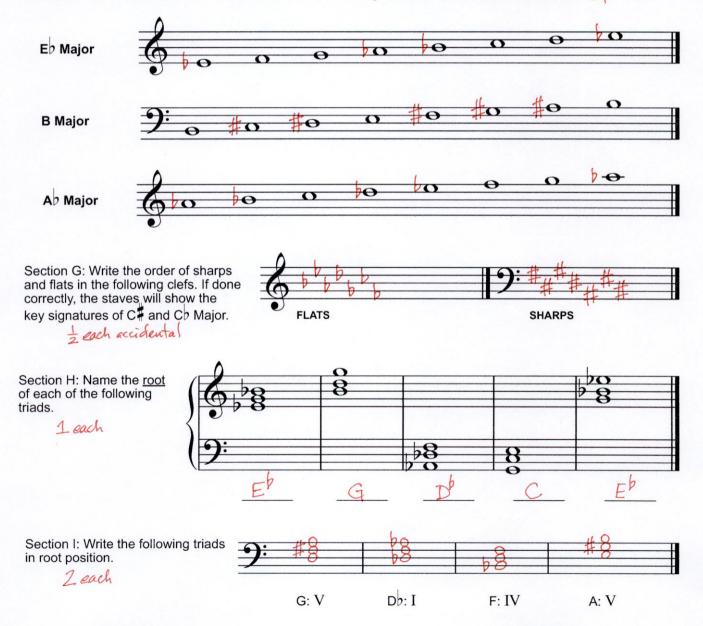
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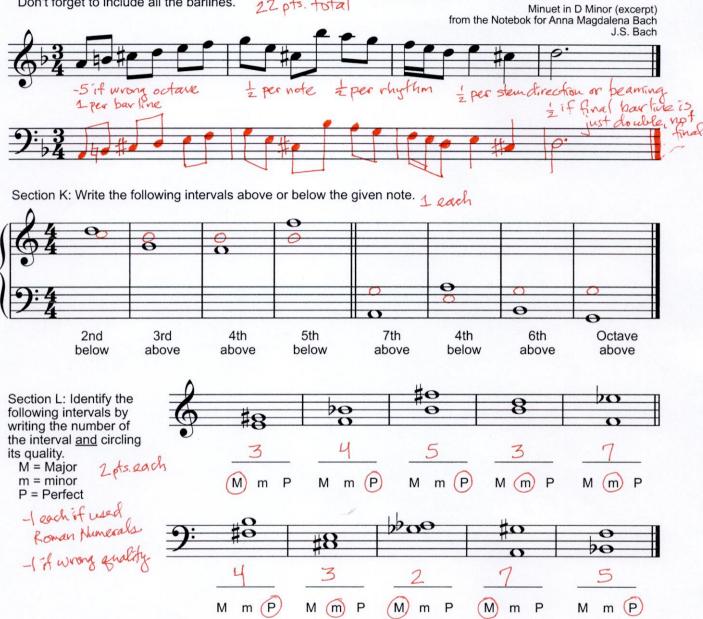


Section F: Add accidentals on the correct side of the following notes to form the scales indicated. 8 pts. each

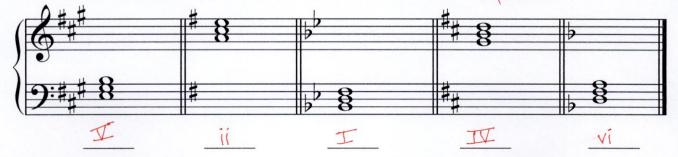


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Section J: Rewrite the following melody on the bass clef, beginning two octaves lower than the example. Don't forget to include all the barlines.

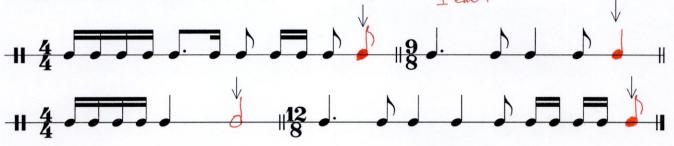


Section M: Given these Major key signatures, identify the root-position triads with Roman numerals. Remember to use uppercase for Major triads and lowercase for minor triads.



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Section N: Complete these measures by adding <u>one</u> note to each measure, under the arrows. You should add four (4) notes total. Note that there are four (4) different time signatures.



Section O: Circle whether the following cadences are authentic or half. 2each



Section P: Match these terms and definitions. Print your answers carefully using CAPITAL LETTERS.

1 each - 2 if lowercase Poco 1 A. Loud Pianissimo 2 B. Return to the original speed or tempo 3. Molto C. Moderate or walking speed 4 Largo D. Much 5. Tempo E. Little 6. Andante F. Getting gradually louder mf 7. G. Accent 8. A tempo H. Very soft Dimenuendo 9. I. Speed 10. 8va J. Slur K. Very slow 11. L. Moderately loud 12. M. Indicates to repeat a section 13. G N. Gradually getting softer, descrescendo 14. A O. Indicates to play notes an octave higher 15. J

| Name: _         | Answer Key                           |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------|
| Date:           | 172 pts. total                       |
| NG<br>ed twice. | ET = 27 pts. 16%<br>WR= 145 pts. 84% |

# PART I: EAR TRAINING Each example will be played twice

Section A: Identify the interval that you hear by both quality and number.

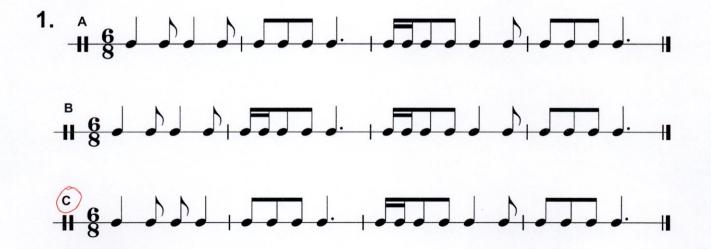
| 1. m2        | 5. <u>M</u> 3 | I carm |
|--------------|---------------|--------|
| 2. m6        | 6. <u>m7</u>  |        |
| 3. <u>M7</u> | 7. PL         |        |
| 4. <u>P5</u> | 8. <u>M2</u>  |        |
|              |               |        |

| Se | M = | Major |    |    | ı hear.<br>Irmonic minor<br>elodic minor |
|----|-----|-------|----|----|--|
| 1. | М   | Nm    | Hm | Mm | 1 pt. each                               |
| 2. | М   | Nm    | Hm | Mm |  |
| 3. | M   | Nm    | Hm | Mm |  |
| 4. | М   | Nm    | Hm | Mm |  |
| 5. | М   | Nm    | Hm | Mm |  |

Section C: Circle the cadence you hear as either Authentic or Half.

- 1. Authentic Half
- 2. Authentic Half
- 3. Authentic Half
- 4. Authentic Half

Section D: Circle the letter (A, B, or C) of the rhythm that you hear. 2 pts. each



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#### Section D (continued)



#### PART II: WRITTEN

Section E: Drawing Scales 90 pts. = 10 pts. each \* In this section, be sure to use accidentals, not key signatures.

- \* Use whole notes.
- \* Be sure to draw accidentals on the correct line or space and on the correct side of the notes.
- \* Draw ascending scales unless specifically instructed to do otherwise.

#### NOTE:

- \*\* No credit will be given for scales with incorrect notes or accidentals.
- \*\* One (1) point will be deducted for each accidental drawn on the incorrect line or space. Maximum deduction of five (5) points.
- \*\* One (1) point will be deducted for each accidental drawn on the wrong side. Maximum deduction of five (5) points.

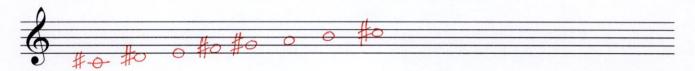
#1: Draw an E major scale.



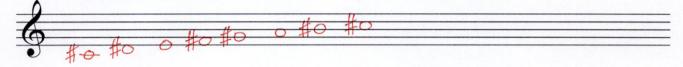
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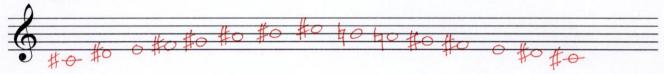
#2: Draw the natural minor form of the relative minor of the E Major scale.



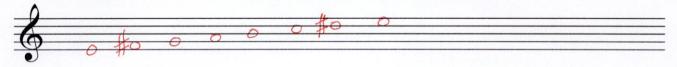
#3: Draw the harmonic minor form of the relative minor of the E Major scale.



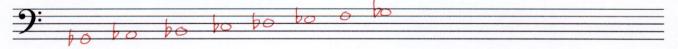
#4: Draw the melodic minor form, both ascending and descending, of the relative minor of the E major scale.



#5: Draw the harmonic minor form of the parallel minor of the E Major scale.



#6: Draw the enharmonic scale of F# Major.



#7: Draw the tonic triad in root position, and its inversions, of F minor.

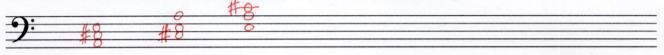


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#### Section E (continued)

#8: Draw the subdominant triad in root position, and its inversions, of A Major.

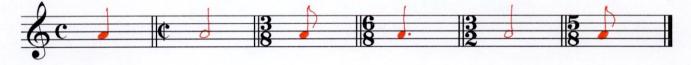
#9: Draw the dominant triad in root position, and its inversions, of D Major.

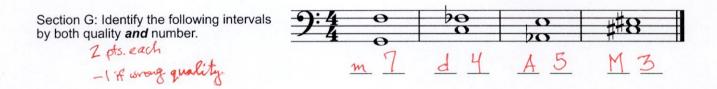


#10: Draw and label the Authentic, Half, Plagal, and Deceptive cadences in C Major. Z pts. each



Section F: Draw the beat note (single beat) in the staff for the following six time signatures. Each measure should contain one note that represents the kind of note that "gets the beat", such as a quarter note, half note, eighth note, dotted note, etc. 1 pt. each





Section H: Label the following triads in the key of A Major using Roman numerals. Use upper- case for Major and lower-case for minor. If a triad is augmented, use upper-case and add either a plus sign or "aug", e.g. either III+ or III Aug. If a triad is diminished, use lower-case and add either a degree sign or "dim", e.g., either ii<sup>o</sup> or ii dim.



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| 1. <u>H</u> dolce      | 1 st. each                   |
|------------------------|------------------------------|
| 2. D leggiero          | 1 pt each<br>-2 if lowercase |
| 3. <u>N</u> non troppo | ·                            |
| 4. <u>K</u> simile     |                              |
| 5 росо                 |                              |
| 6. <u>A</u> coda       |                              |
| 7. <u> </u>            |                              |
| 8. <u>E</u> molto      |                              |
| 9. <u> </u>            |                              |
| 10. <u>F</u> ¢         |                              |
|                        |                              |
| 11. <u>C</u> piu       |                              |
| 12. <u>G</u> ABA       |                              |
| 13. <u>O</u> meno      |                              |
| 14. <u>M</u>           |                              |
| 15. L cantabile        |                              |
|                        |                              |

Section I: Match these terms and definitions. Print your answers carefully using CAPITAL LETTERS.

- A. Ending section
- B. Little
- C. More
- D. Lightly
- E. Much
- F.  $\frac{2}{2}$ , alla breve
- G. Ternary
- H. Sweetly
- I. Heavy, forceful
- J. Suddenly
- K. In the same manner
- L. In a singing manner
- M. Tenuto, hold full value
- N. Not too much
- O. Less

Name: Answer Key

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

#### PART I: EAR TRAINING Each example will be played twice.

Section A: (4 pts) Circle the interval you hear.

m6 1. m2 Tritone m7 2. M2 (m3 M6 **P8** (Tritone) 3. M3 m7 M7 (P5) 4. m6 M6 P4

Section B: (2 pts) Circle the melody you hear: A, B, or C.









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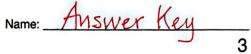
Section C: (2 pts) Circle the rhythm you hear: A, B, or C.

Section D (4 pts): Circle the triad you hear.



Section E (2 pts): Circle the cadence you hear at the end of each phrase.

| 1. | Authentic | Plagal | Half | Deceptive |  |
|----|-----------|--------|------|-----------|--|
| 2. | Authentic | Plagal | Half | Deceptive |  |

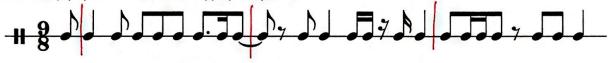


**PART II: WRITTEN** 

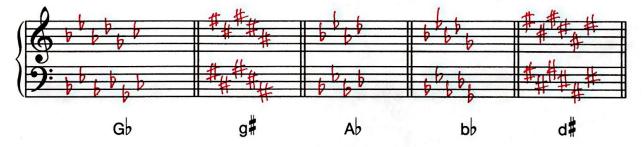
Section F: (2 pts) Write the time signature in the box provided.



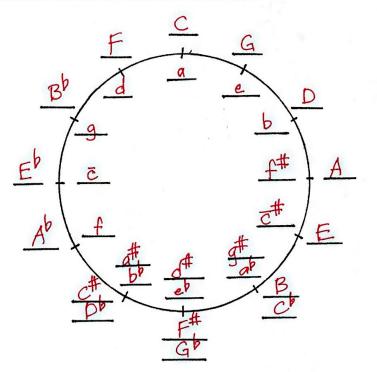
Section G: (4 pts) Draw bar lines in the appropriate places.



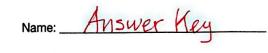
Section H: (6 pts) Write the following key signatures in bass and treble clefs, using standard placement of sharps or flats.



Section I: (15 pts) Write the names of major keys in CAPITAL LETTERS on the outside of the circle of fifths, and the names of minor keys in lowercase letters on the inside of the circle of fifths.

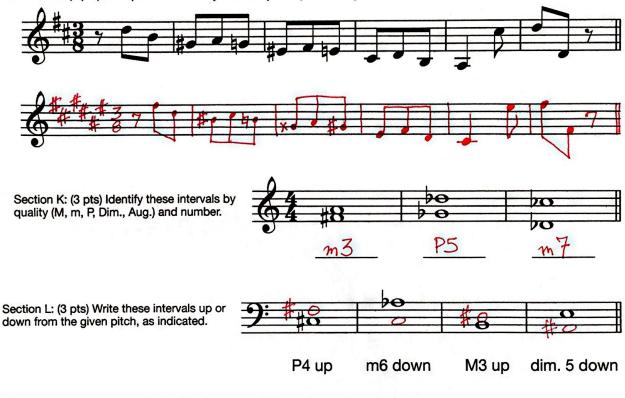


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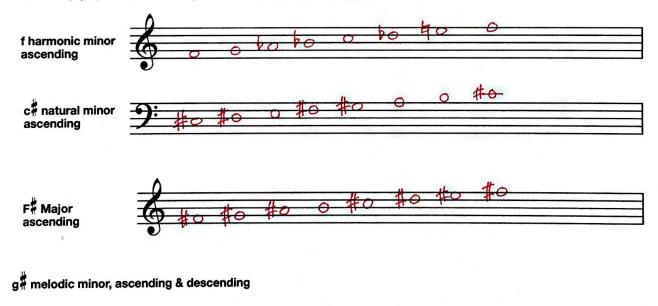


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Section J: (6 pts) Transpose this melody to the key a major third higher.



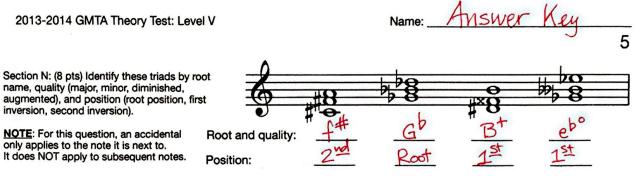
Section M: (4 pts) Write the following scales, using individual accidentals.





inversion, second inversion).

**NOTE:** For this question, an accidental only applies to the note it is next to. It does NOT apply to subsequent notes.



Section O: (5 pts) Identify the following chords by Roman numeral in the key indicated.

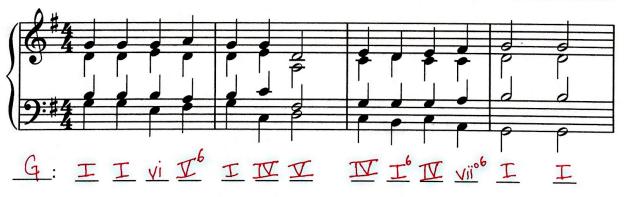


Section P: (2 pts) Identify each cadence type. If the cadence is authentic, also identify it as either perfect authentic or imperfect authentic.



Section Q: (7 pts) Analyze the following four-part example, identifying the key signature, Roman numerals, and figured bass.

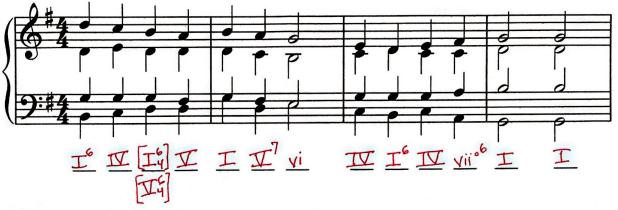
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Name: Answer Key

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Section R: (10 pts) Match these terms to the correct definitions. Use CAPITAL LETTERS.

| 1. <u>C</u> | _ Allargando             |
|-------------|--------------------------|
| 2. J        | _ Andante                |
| 3. F        | _ Dolce                  |
| 4. G        | _ Maestoso               |
| 5. A        | _ Grazioso               |
| 6. E        | Morendo                  |
| 7. H        | Rubato                   |
| 8. B        | -<br>Rallentando         |
| 9. I        | Sempre                   |
| 10. D       | Vivace                   |
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- A. Gracefully B. Holding back C. Broadening D. Lively E. Dying away F. Sweetly G. Majestically H. Give and take within a tempo
  - I. Always
  - J. Moderate or walking speed