



**Exercise 1:** Identify the type of beat (eg. Crotchet) and circle whether the time signature is simple or compound. Remember that compound time will have dotted beats.

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|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| a)                                   | b)                             | c)                                      | d)                               |
| $\frac{2}{4}$                        | $\frac{3}{8}$                  | $\frac{6}{8}$                           | C                                |
| Type of beat:<br><i>Crotchet</i>     | Type of beat:<br><i>Quaver</i> | Type of beat:<br><i>Dotted Crotchet</i> | Type of beat:<br><i>Crotchet</i> |
| Simple <del>Compound</del>           | Simple <del>Compound</del>     | Simple <del>Compound</del>              | Simple <del>Compound</del>       |
| e)                                   | f)                             | g)                                      | h)                               |
| $\frac{9}{4}$                        | $\frac{4}{2}$                  | $\frac{12}{8}$                          | C                                |
| Type of beat:<br><i>Dotted Minim</i> | Type of beat:<br><i>Minim</i>  | Type of beat:<br><i>Dotted Crotchet</i> | Type of beat:<br><i>Minim</i>    |
| Simple <del>Compound</del>           | Simple <del>Compound</del>     | Simple <del>Compound</del>              | Simple <del>Compound</del>       |

**Exercise 2:** Identify the time signature of these melodies:

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| a)                                                                                  | b)                                                                                   |
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| 4/4                                                                                 | 6/8                                                                                  |
| c)                                                                                  | d)                                                                                   |
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| 3/2                                                                                 | 9/8                                                                                  |