

Compound meter rhythms

Assume that the dotted quarter note receives one beat in each of the following rhythm patterns. This group of rhythms are two beats in length. The audio file will play each measure four times.

TWO BEAT RHYTHMS (compound meter)

The image displays 29 numbered musical rhythm patterns, each consisting of two beats in compound meter. The patterns are arranged in seven rows. Each pattern is shown with a repeat sign (two vertical bars) at the beginning and end. The patterns are as follows:

- 1: A single dotted quarter note.
- 2: A quarter note followed by a quarter note.
- 3: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a sixteenth note.
- 4: A quarter note followed by two eighth notes.
- 5: A quarter note followed by a quarter note and a quarter note.
- 6: A quarter note followed by a quarter note and a quarter note.
- 7: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 8: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 9: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 10: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 11: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 12: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 13: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 14: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 15: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 16: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 17: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 18: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 19: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 20: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 21: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 22: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 23: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 24: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 25: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 26: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 27: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 28: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.
- 29: A quarter note followed by an eighth note and a quarter note.