

M.R. Tutorial

Imagine these sticks as beats: ||||

Every time you hear a pulse (beat), in music, you might imagine one | .
The number of notes (itches) you might hear on one | would be noted by horizontal lines. For example:

One note to a beat would be †

Two notes to a beat would be ‡

Three notes to a beat would be †↑

And four to a beat would be ††††

In this respect, you could notate one pitch which lasted for two of these beats †† or three beats with one pitch as ††† of four beats with one pitch as †††† .

A ϕ means silence which we call a rest. In the M.R. program you will hear rests as a SHHH sound. A beat can be divided with a sound and a rest.

Simple Meters

<u>M.R. Symbol</u>	<u>Standard Notation</u>
ϕ = †	‡ = ♪♪
= ♪	‡ = ♪♪
‡ = ♪♪	ϕ = ♪ ♪
†↑ = ♪♪♪	ϕ = ♪ ♪
†††† = ♪♪♪♪	‡ = ♪♪ ♪
† = ♪♪.	ϕ = ♪ ♪
† = ♪♪.	