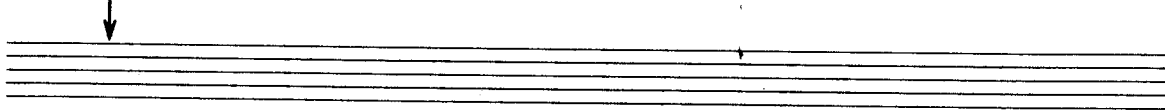


THE BASICS

The **staff** -- made up of 5 lines



bar lines -- separate measures



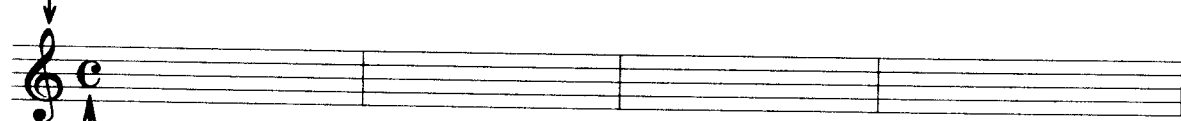
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measure 2

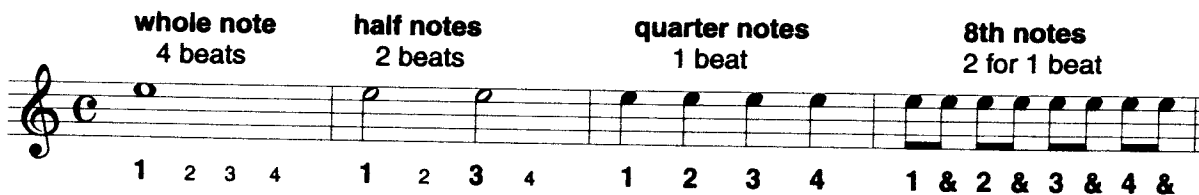
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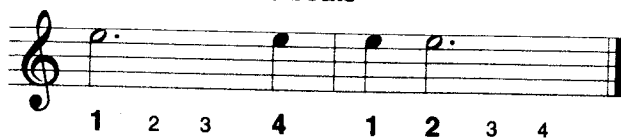
treble clef -- the clef that is used when writing guitar music



common time -- 4 beats per measure



dotted half notes
3 beats



final double bar line -- marks the end of the song

Reading Music on Guitar

time signature



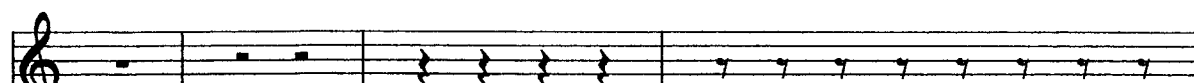
treble clef

whole note

half notes

quarter notes

eighth notes



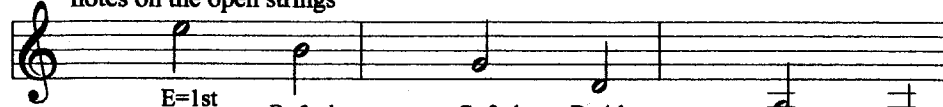
whole rest

half rests

quarter rests

eighth rests

notes on the open strings



E=1st

B=2nd

G=3rd

D=4th

A=5th

E=6th

Exercise 1



alternate index and middle fingers throughout



Exercise 2

