

Count and Build Beat Patterns



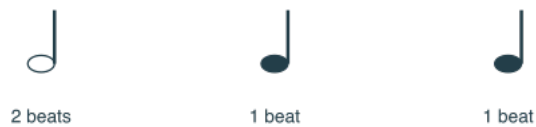
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Use the material to work through each task. Show the requested response.

1. How many beats are in the shown pattern?

Answer: 4

2. A pattern has values 2, 1 and 1. Find the total.



Answer: 4

3. A four-beat pattern begins with 1 and 1. How many beats remain?

Answer: 2

4. Write a different pattern that totals four beats.

Look for:

- Positive beat values sum to four.

One possible response: 2, 2.

5. Do 1, 1, 2 and 2, 2 have the same total? Are their patterns identical?

Look for:

- Separates total duration from pattern.

One possible response: They both total four but use different groupings.

6. Draw four equal beat boxes and show how 2, 1, 1 fills them.

Look for:

- Shows four beats and the intended grouping.

One possible response: First two boxes grouped, then one and one.

Open responses use criteria and an illustrative response. Other well-supported responses can be acceptable.