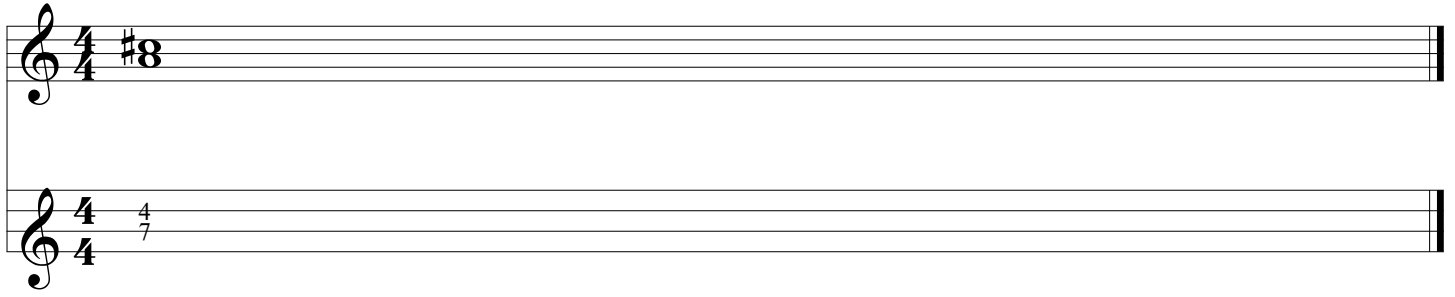


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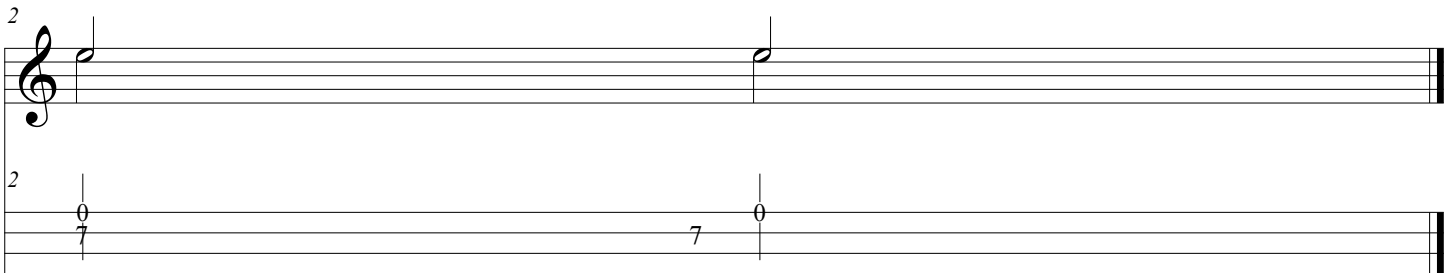
Double Stops

Ex 1



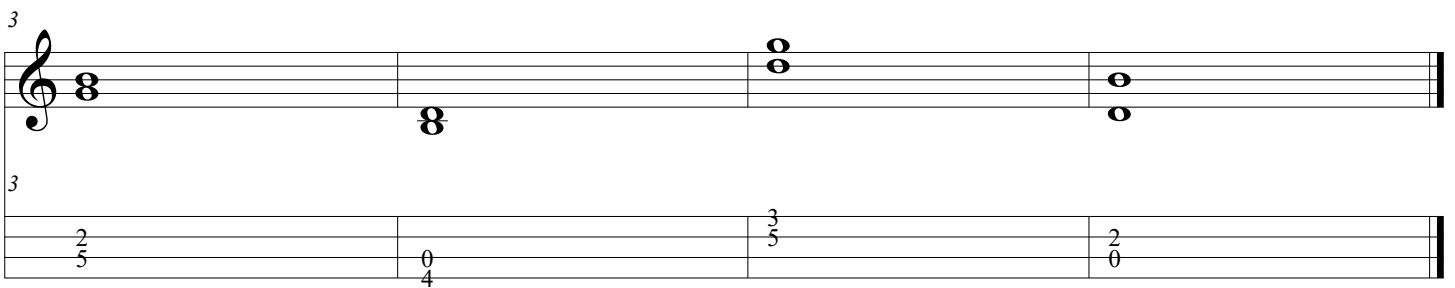
Example 1 consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef, 4/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp (F#). It contains a whole note chord marked with the number 8. The bottom staff is also in treble clef, 4/4 time, with a key signature of one sharp. It contains a whole note chord marked with the number 7.

Ex 2



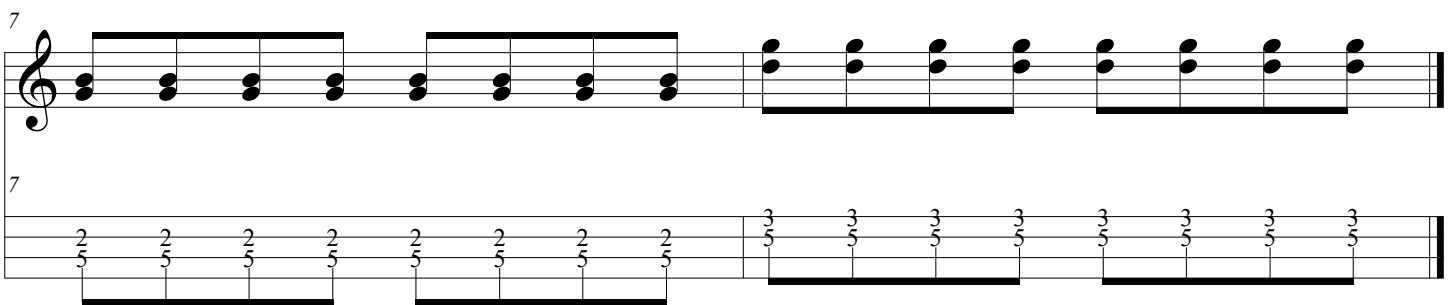
Example 2 consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef and contains two half notes, each marked with the number 2. The bottom staff is in treble clef and contains two whole notes, each marked with the number 7.

Ex 3



Example 3 consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef and contains four chords, each marked with the number 3. The bottom staff is in treble clef and contains four chords, each marked with the number 5.

Ex 4



Example 4 consists of two staves. The top staff is in treble clef and contains a sequence of double stops, each marked with the number 7. The bottom staff is in treble clef and contains a sequence of double stops, each marked with the number 5.

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Ex 5

Exercise 5, measures 9-11. The top staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The bottom staff is a mandolin fretboard with four strings. Measure 9: Treble clef has eighth notes G4, A4, B4, C5. Fretboard has 0-0-0-0. Measure 10: Treble clef has eighth notes D5, E5, F#5, G5. Fretboard has 5-5-5-4. Measure 11: Treble clef has eighth notes G5, A5, B5, C6. Fretboard has 2-2-2-0, 5-5-5-5, 3-2-2-2, 7-5-5-5.

Ex 6

Exercise 6, measures 12-14. The top staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The bottom staff is a mandolin fretboard with four strings. Measure 12: Treble clef has eighth notes G4, A4, B4, C5. Fretboard has 0-4-4-4, 5-7-7-7. Measure 13: Treble clef has eighth notes D5, E5, F#5, G5. Fretboard has 2-5-5-5, 5-9-9-9. Measure 14: Treble clef has eighth notes G5, A5, B5, C6. Fretboard has 3-5-5-5, 7-10-10-10.

Ex 7

Exercise 7, measures 15-17. The top staff is in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The bottom staff is a mandolin fretboard with four strings. Measure 15: Treble clef has eighth notes G4, A4, B4, C5. Fretboard has 3-5-5-5, 3-5-5-5, 3-7-7-7. Measure 16: Treble clef has eighth notes D5, E5, F#5, G5. Fretboard has 3-5-3-1, 2-5-2-0. Measure 17: Treble clef has eighth notes G5, A5, B5, C6. Fretboard has 2-5-5-5, 2-5-5-5, 5-9-9-9, 5-5-5-5.