Drawing Bar Lines: Measure Boundaries on Staves

Original task 1 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 1

A staff in 4/4 time has beat-count marks under eight beats: 1, 2, 3, 4, 1, 2, 3, 4. Where do the bar lines go?

Keep the original task measurements. Use the full drawing sheet in this PDF for a response needing more room; use the stated paper size when a task specifies larger paper.

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Original task 2 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 2

A staff in 2/4 time has beat-count marks under six beats: 1, 2, 1, 2, 1, 2. Draw bar lines at the correct boundaries and state how many full measures result.

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Original task 3 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 3

A staff in 3/4 time has beat-count marks under five beats: 1, 2, 3, 1, 2. Where should the first bar line go, and what is the beat count of the final incomplete measure?

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Original task 4 / independent drawing and calculation

Task 4

A staff in 4/4 time has beat-count marks under ten beats: 1, 2, 3, 4, 1, 2, 3, 4, 1, 2. Draw all full-measure bar lines and describe the final segment.

Keep the original task measurements. Use the full drawing sheet in this PDF for a response needing more room; use the stated paper size when a task specifies larger paper.

Full drawing sheet / reusable blank workspace

Reusable full drawing sheet for Tasks 1 to 4. Print another copy when needed. Keep all original task measurements; if a task specifies larger paper, use that paper size.

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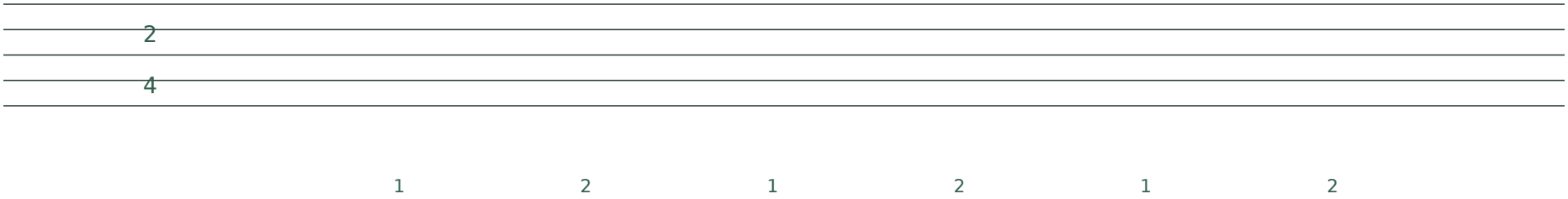
Task 1 / given beat marks; add bars



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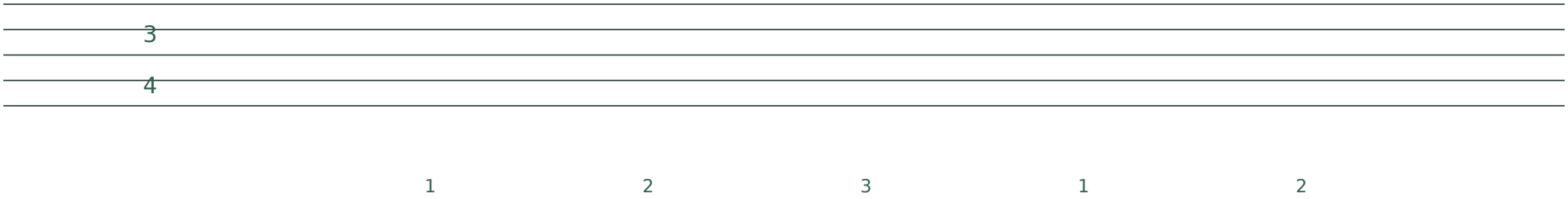
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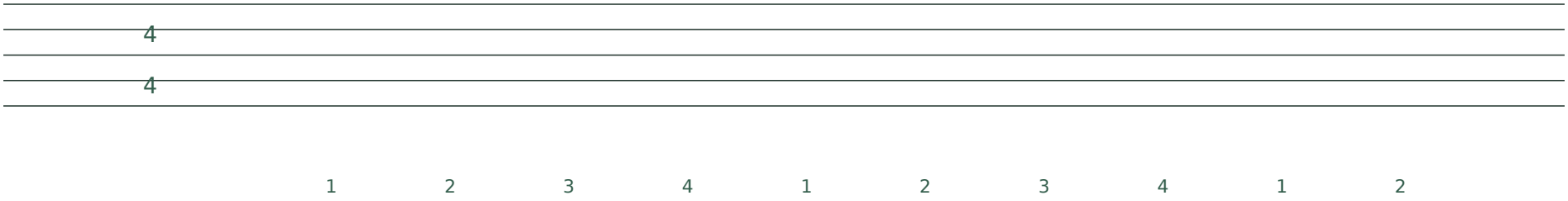
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Task 4 / given beat marks; add bars



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