

Exercise in A major

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The musical score is presented in ten staves, each beginning with a measure number (1, 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27). The key signature is A major (three sharps: F#, C#, G#). The time signature is common time (C). The exercise is a continuous sequence of eighth notes, with the 4th finger of the right hand indicated by the number '4' above various notes. The piece concludes with a final whole note on the eighth staff.

Play this exercise with a metronome, observing all 4th-finger designations. The exercise promotes coordination between the hands, the length of the exercise improves endurance. © Jan. 2000, M. Mair.