

RIM 3450: Proficiency no. 1

Part 1: Rhythm. Perform the rhythm below, counting it out loud as we do in class (e.g. saying “1 e & a, 2 e & a” as needed). **You must CONDUCT as you perform the rhythm** (DOWN on beat 1, IN on beat 2, OUT on beat 3, and UP on beat 4). The tempo must be at least 90 BPM, and you should perform with a click track or drum beat (90 BPM provided on D2L).



Grading Rubric:

All Proficiency videos MUST BEGIN OR END with you showing your face to the camera and stating your name; otherwise, you will receive a 0%.

The rhythm is graded based on the total errors you make:

- No errors = 100%
- One error = 90%
- Two errors = 80%
- Three errors = 70%
- Four or more errors = 0%

In other words, you will receive no credit if your video contains more than three errors. Rhythms without conducting or drastically under tempo will be scored as having four errors (i.e., 0%). If you need a small tempo modification on the rhythm, that will be graded as one error. Conducting mistakes count toward your error total.

Videos should be uploaded to the Proficiency Hand-in Folder (under “Content”) in D2L.

You may resubmit the Proficiency if you are not satisfied with your original grade. The grading scale for resubmissions is:

- No errors = 90%
- One error = 80%
- Two errors = 70%
- Three errors = 60%
- Four or more errors = 0%

Proficiency parts that are submitted after the due date incur a 10% penalty. Resubmissions will not incur an additional late penalty.

Proficiency submissions (or resubmissions) will not be accepted after the close date for the assignment.