

Quadrille by Haydn (Classical period)

What does the title mean?

A quadrille is a type of Baroque dance where the four couples are in a square formation. This is in 3/4 time.

What key is this in?

C major

Notation:

Notes

Rests

Time signature - 3/4 - simple triple - 3 crotchet beats/bar

Allegretto - a little fast and lively

Metronome marking - 126 crotchets per minute

f - forte - loud

slur - play legato - play smoothly and well-connected

staccato - short and detached

mf - mezzo forte - moderately loud

double lines bar 8 - shows end of first section

double line at bar 16 - ends the piece

crotchet rests - rest for 1 beat

anacrusis - incomplete bar at the beginning