Classical Study Sheet

Name: _____

Composer

Who is the composer? _____
When did he/she live (dates)? _____
Where did he/she live? _____

Composition

What kind of a piece is this? Check one:

[ ] Dance movement
[ ] Variations
[ ] Sonatina movement
[ ] Sonata movement
[ ] Fantasia
[ ] Other   Specify:_____

Tonality

Key: _____ Major   minor (circle)

Time

Time Signature: _____

Smallest Rhythmic Value (circle):   ♪   ♪   ♩   other:____

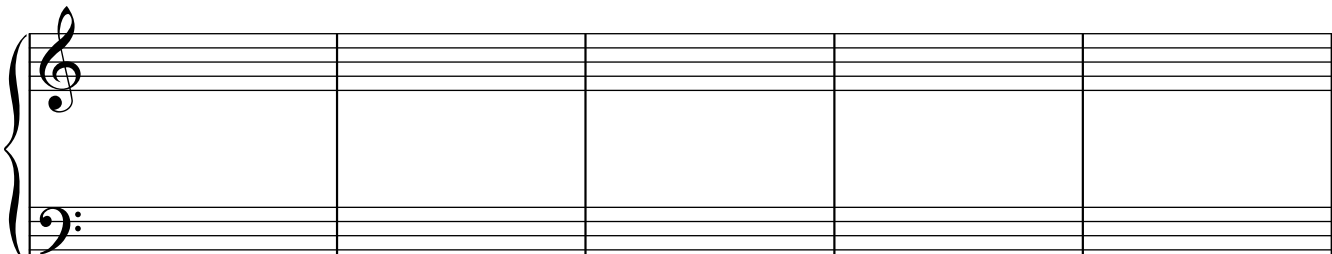Largest Rhythmic Value (circle):   ♪   ♩   ♩   ♩.   o   other:____

Form
[ ] Variation
[ ] Binary
[ ] ABA
[ ] Sonata-allegro
[ ] Rondo
[ ] Free
[ ] Other

Devices
Alberti bass m. _____
Parallel period m. _____
Contrasting period m. _____
Sentence structure aab m. _____
Phrase elision/overlap m. _____
Slurs m.   Staccatos m.
Transitions m. _____
Major scale m. _____
Minor scale m. _____
Major arpeggio m. _____
Minor arpeggio m. _____

On the grand staff below, fill in the key and time signature for the piece. Copy the first four measures of the piece exactly as they appear in your piece. Identify the key or mode [CAPS for major, small case for minor], and place chord symbols (I, IV, V, etc.) under each harmonic event.

Piano

[KEY] _____: