

Ballad

Common Ground

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A

Musical notation for section A, first four staves. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats). The first staff starts with a treble clef and a 4/4 time signature. The second staff continues the melody. The third staff shows a time signature change to 2/4 and then back to 4/4. The fourth staff continues the melody with a 7/4 time signature.

Chord progressions: B \flat , Cm⁷, Gm⁷, F/A, B \flat , Dm¹¹, E \flat maj⁷, B \flat /A \flat , E \flat /G, G \flat maj⁷(\flat 5), F7sus⁴, Em⁷(\flat 5), F, D/F \sharp , Gm⁺, Gm, Gm, Gm⁺, Gm⁺, Gm, Gm.

B

Musical notation for section B, three staves. The key signature is B-flat major. The first staff starts with a treble clef and a 4/4 time signature. The second staff continues the melody. The third staff shows a time signature change to 2/4 and then back to 4/4.

Chord progressions: B \flat , Cm⁷, Gm⁷, F/A, B \flat , Dm¹¹, E \flat maj⁷, B \flat /A \flat , E \flat /G, G \flat maj¹³(\flat 5), F7sus⁴, Emaj⁷, E/G \sharp , A⁺, F \sharp /A \sharp , B⁺.

