

## Strums for the guitar or the ukulele

With your right hand. If you are left handed, use your left hand.

Strum all of the stings at the same time using the following movements.

- **Down** = play all of the strings at the same time in a downward motion
- **Up** = play all of the strings at the same time in an upward motion
- **Palm** = place your palm over the sound hole to mute all of the strings
- **Fan** = With your hand in a fist, open your fingers quickly starting with your pinky and ending with your index finger
- **Silent** = Don't strum the guitar

### Vals strum

Count	1	2	3
Strum	silent	Down	Down

### Bolero Strum

Count	1	2	3	4
Strum	Silent	Down	Down	Down

### Ranchera strum [slow]

Count	1	2	3	4
Strum	Silent	Down	Silent	Down

### Polka strum [fast]

Count	1	2	3	4
Strum	Silent	Down	Silent	Down

## Folk strum

Count	1	2	3	4
Strum	Up	Down	Up	Palm

## Huapango strum

Count	1	And	2	And	3
Strum	Fan	Palm	Down	Up	Palm

## Cumbia strum

Count	1	And	2	And
Strum	Silent	Down	Silent	Silent