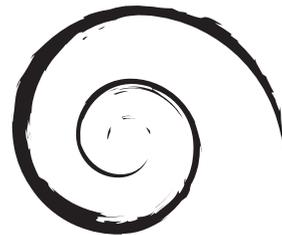


Clarinet in B \flat

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Tephra

For Clarinet in B \flat and live Electronics



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creation audio vision environment

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Technical Requirements

Computer

Any type of computer can be used although Mac Book Pro laptop is preferred. It should be able to run Ableton Live digital audio workstation (DAW) and fast enough to do multichannel live sound processing.

Software

Ableton Live/Max4Live

Version 10.1 or later is preferred.

Audio Card

RME is preferred.

Microphones

2 condenser microphones

Preferred to use clip on mics. DPA Microphones d:vote 4099 instrument microphones work very well with their superior gain-before-feedback. They also ensure superior isolation when used on stage.

Loudspeakers

2 positive speakers preferred

Genelec 8040 are preferred, although depending on the size of the concert hall.

Instruction



key slap



key slap with sound



breath and sound



only breath sound



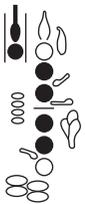
tounge slap



tounge slap and key slap



cresc./dim. from silence

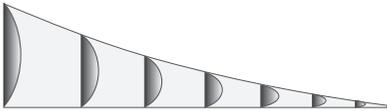


pitch fingering. all fingering are the composers suggestions. If the performer can use different fingering if he finds it gives a better sounding result.

Electronic Signs

Special signs designed specifically to make it easier for the performer to keep track of the accompanist, the electronic sounds of the computer.

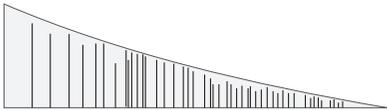
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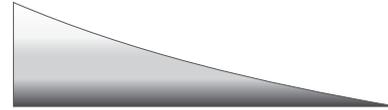
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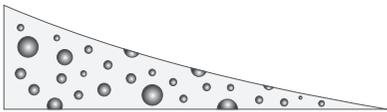
Ring Modulation



Reverb

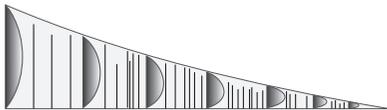


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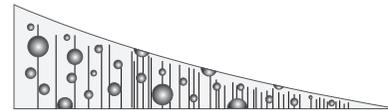


Granular

Combined Effects (2)



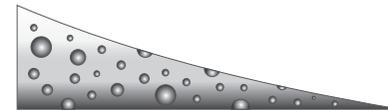
Delay & Reverb



Reverb & Granular



Delay & RingMod



Granular & Spectral



RingMod & Spectral



Reverb & RingMod (crescendo)

Combined Effects (3)



Delay, Reverb & RingMod



Delay, RingMod & Spectral



Delay, Reverb & Spectral



Reverb, RingMod & Spectral

Combined Effects (4)



Delay, Reverb, RM & Spectral



Delay, Reverb, Granular & RM

Combined Effects (5)



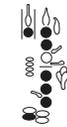
Delay, Reverb, Granular & Spectral

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suggested fingering
feel free to use a different
for better sonority



♩ = 55

outhale - wind sound
eh →

oh ←

innhale while making clap sound (accel.....rit)

eh →

oh ←

eh →

oh ←

Clarinet in B \flat

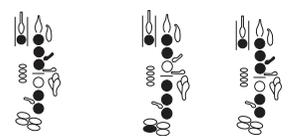
ff

Electronics

mf

pp

9



2
18

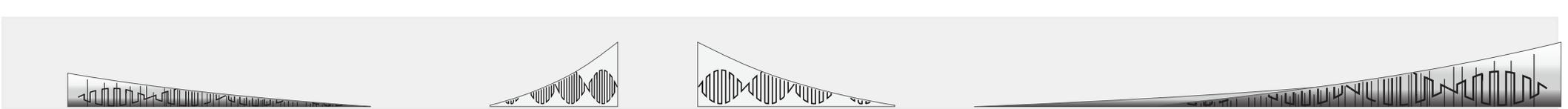
f



31

mp *f* *pp* **molto accel.** *molto*

mp *f* *pp* **molto accel.** *molto*



41

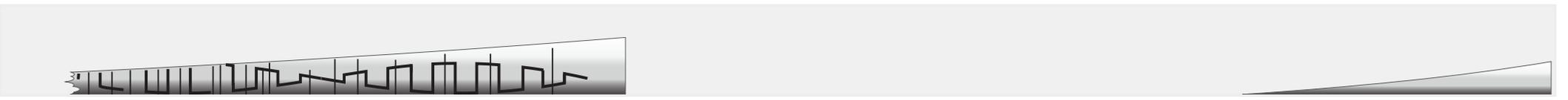
A tempo *ff* *p* *sfz*

A tempo *ff* *p* *sfz*



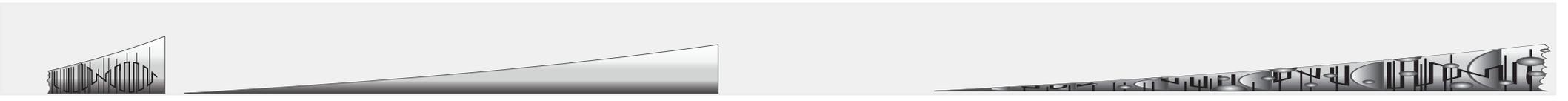
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sfz *ff* *fff* *sfz* *pp* *sfz*



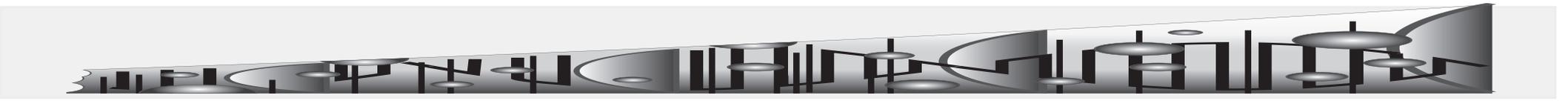
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sfz *mf* *mp* *sfz* *f* *sfz* *f* *mf*



66

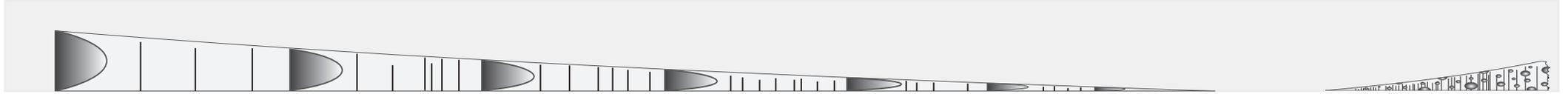
mp *f* *mp* *f* *mp* *poco a poco cresc...* *f*



4 $\text{♩} = 132$
70

pp 3 3 3 3 *p*

This musical staff shows measures 70 through 73. It begins with a treble clef, a key signature of one flat (B-flat), and a tempo marking of quarter note = 132. The music consists of eighth-note triplets. Measures 70-72 feature a dynamic of *pp* (pianissimo), while measure 73 transitions to *p* (piano). The notes are: 70: B4, C5, D5; 71: C5, B4, A4; 72: G4, F4, E4; 73: D4, C4, B3.



74

3 *mp*

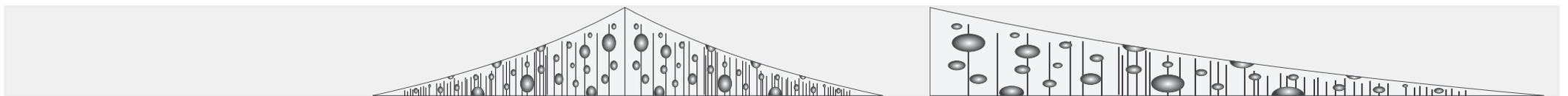
This musical staff shows measures 74 through 77. It continues with the same eighth-note triplet pattern. Measure 74 starts with a dynamic of *mp* (mezzo-piano). The notes are: 74: D4, C4, B3; 75: A3, G3, F3; 76: E3, D3, C3; 77: B2, A2, G2.



78

3 *sfz sfz sfz sfz* *p*

This musical staff shows measures 78 through 81. It continues with the eighth-note triplet pattern. Measures 78-80 feature a dynamic of *sfz* (sforzando), while measure 81 transitions to *p* (piano). The notes are: 78: F3, E3, D3; 79: C3, B2, A2; 80: G2, F2, E2; 81: D2, C2, B1.



84

mp

3 3

Senza electronic

89

mf

3 3

Senza electronic

94

f

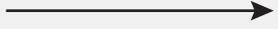
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Senza electronic

6

101

musical score for measures 101-107. The music is written on a treble clef staff with a 3/4 time signature. It features a complex rhythmic pattern with many triplets. Performance markings include *molto ritardando* above the staff, *fff* below the staff, and *A tempo* above the staff. The piece concludes with a key signature change to three flats and a 3/4 time signature, ending with a triplet.



108

musical score for measures 108-115. The music is written on a treble clef staff with a 3/4 time signature. It features a complex rhythmic pattern with many triplets. Performance markings include *ff* and *mf* below the staff.

Senza electronic



116

musical score for measures 116-123. The music is written on a treble clef staff with a 3/4 time signature. It features a complex rhythmic pattern with many triplets. Performance markings include *poco a poco dim...* below the staff.



121 *molto rit...*

f



128

ff



133

p



8

139

Musical notation for measures 139-145. The piece is in G major. Measure 139 starts with a treble clef and a 3/4 time signature. It features a triplet of eighth notes (G4, A4, B4) followed by a quarter rest. The melody continues with quarter notes (C5, B4, A4, G4) and quarter rests. Measure 140 has a 2/4 time signature. Measure 141 has a 3/4 time signature. Measure 142 has a 4/4 time signature. Measure 143 has a 2/4 time signature. Measure 144 has a 4/4 time signature. Measure 145 has a 4/4 time signature. A triplet of eighth notes (G4, A4, B4) is marked in measure 142.

146

Musical notation for measures 146-151. The piece is in G major. Measure 146 has a 2/4 time signature. Measure 147 has a 3/4 time signature. Measure 148 has a 4/4 time signature. Measure 149 has a 4/4 time signature. Measure 150 has a 4/4 time signature. Measure 151 has a 4/4 time signature. Dynamics include *mp*, *p*, *f*, *p*, *sfz*, *sfz*, *p*, *f*, *sfz*, and *sfz*.

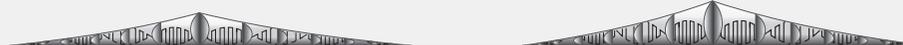
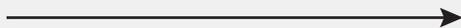
152

Musical notation for measures 152-158. The piece is in G major. Measure 152 has a 4/4 time signature. Measure 153 has a 4/4 time signature. Measure 154 has a 4/4 time signature. Measure 155 has a 4/4 time signature. Measure 156 has a 4/4 time signature. Measure 157 has a 4/4 time signature. Measure 158 has a 4/4 time signature. A triplet of eighth notes (G4, A4, B4) is marked in measure 156. Dynamics include *pp*.

159

3

Senza electronic



166

f *p subito* *f* *p subito* *f* *p* *f* *p* *f*



171

p *f* *p* *f* *p* *f* *p* *f* *p*



Senza electronic



10
178

Musical notation for measures 178-183. The notation includes dynamic markings *f* and *p* alternating every two measures. The music features eighth and sixteenth notes with various articulations.



184

Musical notation for measures 184-190. It includes a triplet of eighth notes in measure 184, dynamic markings *f*, *p*, *sfz*, and *p*, and a fermata over the final note in measure 190.



191

Musical notation for measures 191-196. It includes dynamic markings *pp* and *ppp*, and a fermata over the final note in measure 196.



♩ = 48

197 Molto lirico

Musical score for measures 197-203. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a 3/4 time signature. The music features a melodic line with various dynamics: *mf* at the start, *f* and *p subito* in the middle, and *mf* and *f* towards the end. There are several triplet markings (3) and a fermata over a note in measure 203. A large, shaded, trapezoidal graphic is positioned below the staff, representing a dynamic contour that starts at a moderate level, rises to a peak, and then gradually declines.

Musical score for measures 204-212. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a 3/4 time signature. Dynamics include *p*, *sfz*, *f*, *ff*, and *sfz p subito*. There are triplet markings (3) and a fermata over a note in measure 212. A large, shaded, trapezoidal graphic is positioned below the staff, representing a dynamic contour that starts low, rises to a peak, and then declines.

Musical score for measures 213-221. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a 3/4 time signature. Dynamics include *mp* and *mf*. There are triplet markings (3) and a quintuplet marking (5). A large, shaded, trapezoidal graphic is positioned below the staff, representing a dynamic contour that starts low, rises to a peak, and then declines.

Musical score for measures 222-230. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a 3/4 time signature. Dynamics include *mp* and *p*. There are triplet markings (3). A large, shaded, trapezoidal graphic is positioned below the staff, representing a dynamic contour that starts low, rises to a peak, and then declines.

12
221

Musical notation for measures 12-21. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 3/4 time signature. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes, with several triplet markings. Dynamic markings are placed below the notes: *mf* at the start, *sfz* and *f* for two accented notes, *p* for a note, *mf* for another note, *f* for a note, and *p* at the end.



228

Musical notation for measures 228-237. The notation includes a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a 3/4 time signature. The melody features eighth and sixteenth notes, with triplet and quintuplet markings. Dynamic markings are placed below the notes: *f*, *p*, *sfz* and *f*, and *pp*.

