

Revenant

(2002)

for Baroque Flute, Baroque Violin, Viola da Gamba, and
Harpsichord

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Notes:

1. Accidentals hold for the entire bar (unless cancelled, of course.)
2. Trills start on the large note, and go either up or down to the small note in brackets.

Revenant – Program Notes

Function: *noun*

Etymology: French, from present participle of *revenir* to return

Date: 1827

: one that returns after death or a long absence.

Like *The Musical Offering*, *Revenant* begins with the royal theme, played by solo harpsichord. But in *Revenant*, the notes of the theme are played in reverse, as if the theme were moving backwards in time. The harpsichord solo becomes more free and fantasia-like, until it is interrupted by the violin. Following this interruption is a plaintive flute solo in which the theme is somewhat disguised, though occurring in its usual direction. Next is a canonic section in triple meter, in which the ensemble adds baroque-style ornamentation to the basic melodies. (This is the section which is closest to, or perhaps least far from, the style of Bach.)

After the last iteration of the canon is a short harpsichord solo which segues into a fast and rhythmically driving section for harpsichord and strings. Actually, this section starts fast, and just keeps getting faster...Once everything calms down, there is a viola da gamba solo with flute and violin accompaniments, and the piece winds down with music for the full ensemble, in which the last note of each phrase is a note of the theme. (I believe this is the only section in which my use of the theme is not audible.) The rhythms of the four instruments begin in unison but become increasingly diverse in this final section, which ends with the conclusion of the royal theme for solo violin.

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Revenant

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♩ = 88

Fl

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

(buff stop)

p

Hpsd

7

3

5

5

5

Vln

Hpsd

11

solo, espr.

ppp

6

12 *molto rit.*

Fl

Vln *f* *tr* *pp* *p*

V da G *ppp* *mp*

Hpsd *f* *molto rit.* *3*

A ♩ = 60

15

Fl *p* *mf* *f* *mf* *p*

Vln

V da G

Hpsd *l.v.*

18

Fl

p *mf* *f*

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

l.v.

21

Fl

p *f* *mf*

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

l.v.

24

Fl

Vln

V da G

mp *p* *mp* *mf* *p*

(,)

27

♩ = 69

B

(no ornamentation first time - austere)

Fl

Vln

V da G

ppp *p* *p*

(no ornamentation first time - austere)

33

Fl

Vln

(sim. phrasing)

39

Fl

Vln

V da G

(with ornamentation)

mp *mp*

(sim. phrasing, with ornamentation)

45

Fl *mp*

Vln

V da G *(sim. phrasing)*

50

Fl

Vln

V da G

55

Fl

Vln *mf*

V da G *mf*

Hpsd

mf

59

Fl

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

Fl

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

64

Fl

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

Fl

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

$\text{♩} = 60-66$

C

68 Hpsd *mf*

73 Hpsd

78 Hpsd

83 Vln *mf*

V da G *mp* *mf*

Hpsd *slightly faster* $\text{♩} = 66-72$

88

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

(h)

94

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

(h)

99

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

(h)

105

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

110

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

116

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

ff

ff possible

122

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

123 124 125 126

127

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

128 129 130 131

132

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

133 134 135 136

137 **D** ♩ = ♩ (double speed)

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

fff

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

151

Violin (Vln) and Viola (V da G) parts for measures 151-155. The Violin part is in treble clef, and the Viola part is in bass clef. The piano accompaniment (Hpsd) is shown in both treble and bass staves. The key signature is one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 5/8. The measures are marked with 5, 7, 9, 11, and 13, indicating the measure number within the system.

156

Violin (Vln) and Viola (V da G) parts for measures 156-160. The Violin part is in treble clef, and the Viola part is in bass clef. The piano accompaniment (Hpsd) is shown in both treble and bass staves. The key signature is one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 6/8. The measures are marked with 6, 8, 10, 12, and 14, indicating the measure number within the system.

161

Violin (Vln) and Viola (V da G) parts for measures 161-165. The Violin part is in treble clef, and the Viola part is in bass clef. The piano accompaniment (Hpsd) is shown in both treble and bass staves. The key signature is one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 6/8. The measures are marked with 6, 8, 10, 12, and 14, indicating the measure number within the system.

166

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

171

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

poco rit.

176

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

188

Fl

Vln

V da G

f *p* *mf*

tr

3 6 5

191

Fl

Vln

V da G

tr

3 6 5

p

194

Fl

Vln

V da G

tr

3 6 5

mf

The musical score is divided into three systems, each containing three staves: Flute (Fl), Violin (Vln), and Viola da Gamba (V da G). The first system (measures 188-190) shows the Flute playing a series of triplets and sixths, while the Violin and Viola da Gamba provide harmonic support with sustained notes and trills. The second system (measures 191-193) continues the Flute's melodic line with more trills and the Violin playing a steady eighth-note pattern. The third system (measures 194-196) features the Flute playing a descending scale with trills, while the Violin and Viola da Gamba maintain a harmonic foundation. Dynamics range from forte (f) to mezzo-forte (mf), and articulation includes trills (tr) and various slurs.

197

Fl

f *p*

Vln

tr *tr*

f *p*

V da G

p

201

Fl

pp *mp* *pp*

Vln

pp *mp* *pp*

V da G

f *mp*

205

Fl

pp *mf* *p*

Vln

pp *mf* *p*

V da G

f *mp* *mf*

209

Fl

Vln

V da G

ppp *mp* *ppp* *pp*

pp *mf*

213

Fl

Vln

V da G

mp *p* *ppp* *pp* *mp*

pp *p* *ppp* *pp* *mp*

pp *mp* *mf*

217

Fl

Vln

V da G

pp *p* *mf*

pp *p* *mf*

ff *mf* *mp* *p* *mp*

F

221

Fl

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

ppp

p

mf

tr

225

V da G

Hpsd

228

V da G

Hpsd

231

V da G

Hpsd

ppp possible

233

V da G

Hpsd

tr

235

Fl

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

mp

mp

mp

239

Fl

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

p

p

p

242

Fl

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

mf *pp* *mp* *p* *mf* *p* *mp*

3 6

245

Fl

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

mf *mp* *mf* *mp* *mf* *mp*

6 3

248

Fl

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

mf *mp*

mf *mp*

mf *mp*

252

Fl

Vln

V da G

Hpsd

p

p

p

255

Fl

mp

ppp

Vln

mp

ppp

V da G

mp

ppp

Hpsd

258

Fl

p

(solo)

tr

Vln

p

V da G

p

Hpsd

p

$\text{♩} = 88$

12

13 Hpsd. *molto rit.* **A** $\text{♩} = 60$ (solo) $\frac{6}{4}$ p $<$ mf $>$ $<$ f $>$

8vb

16 mf p

18 p mf 3 3

20 f p

22 3 6 f mf

24 mp p mp mf

26 (,) $\text{♩} = 69$ **B** $\frac{3}{4}$ p ppp

Baroque Flute

2

(no ornamentation first time - austere)

29

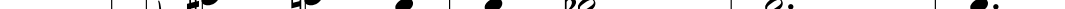
p

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40

(sim. phrasing, with ornamentation)

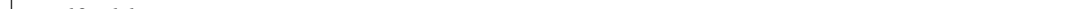
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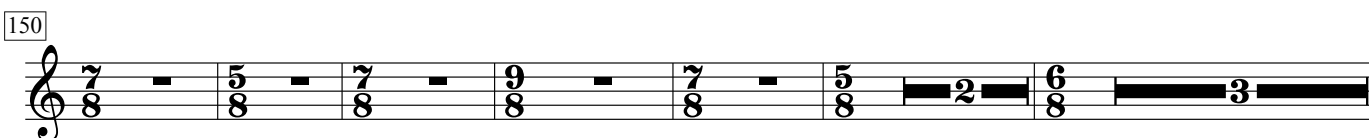
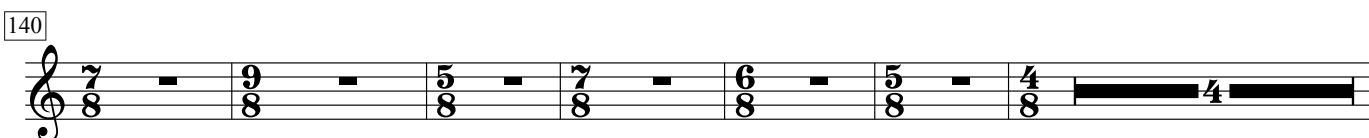
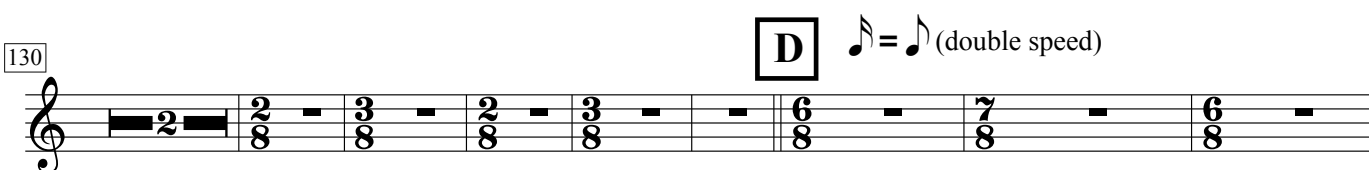
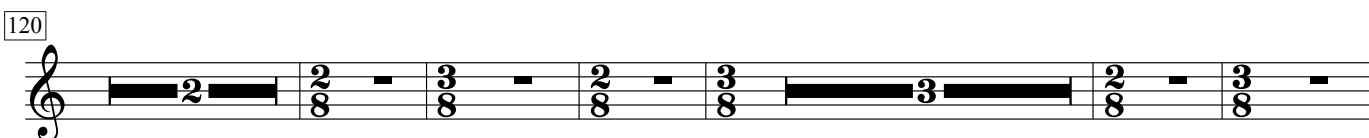
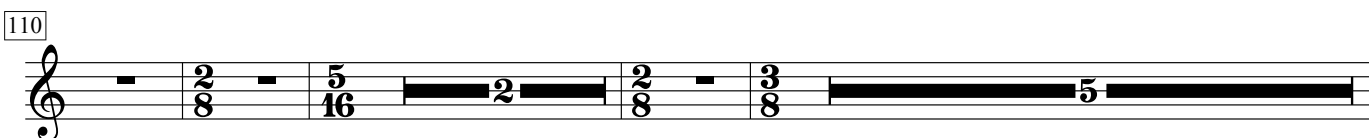
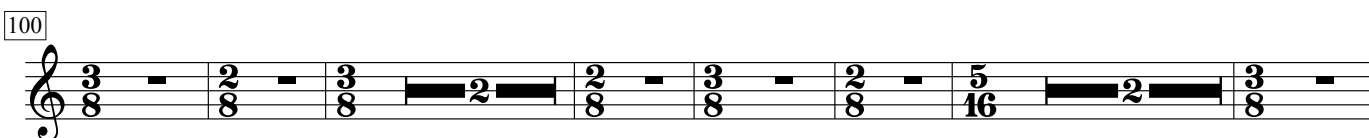
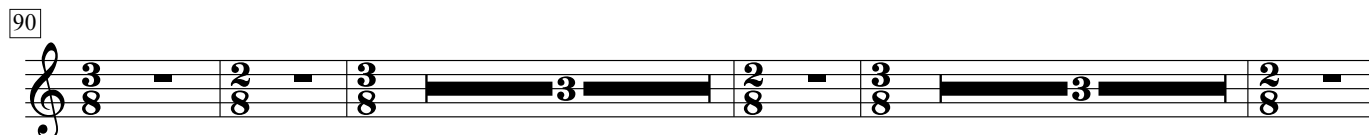
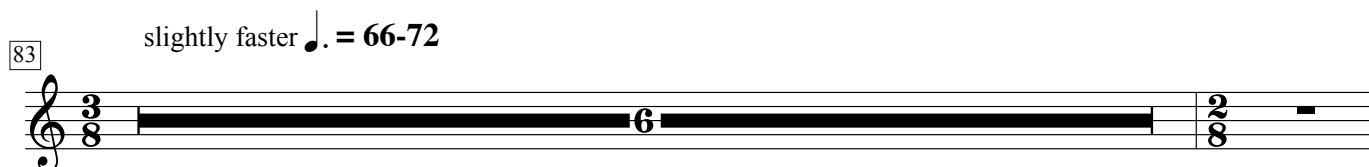
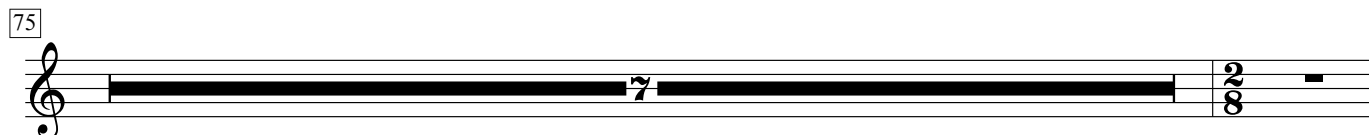
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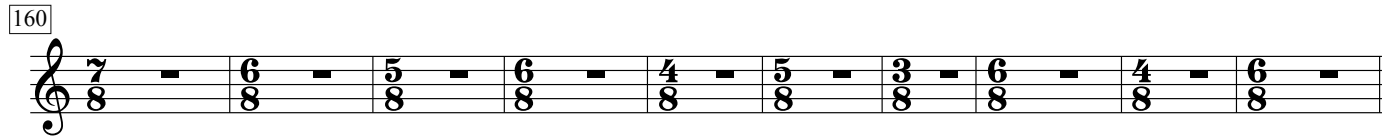
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68 **C** ♩. = 60-66

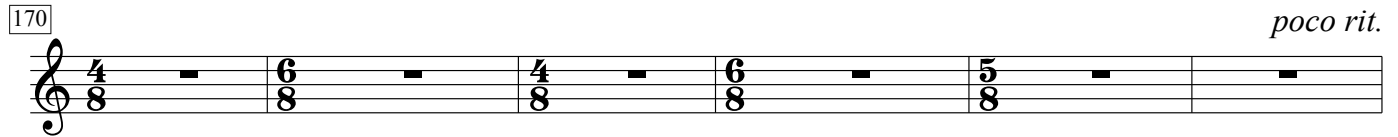




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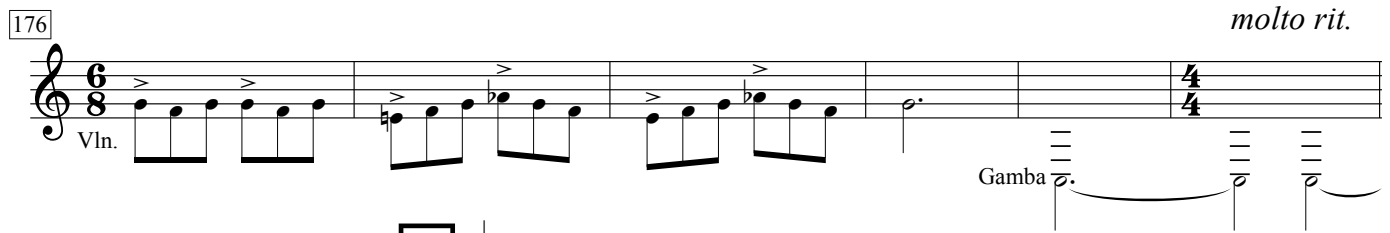


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poco rit.

176

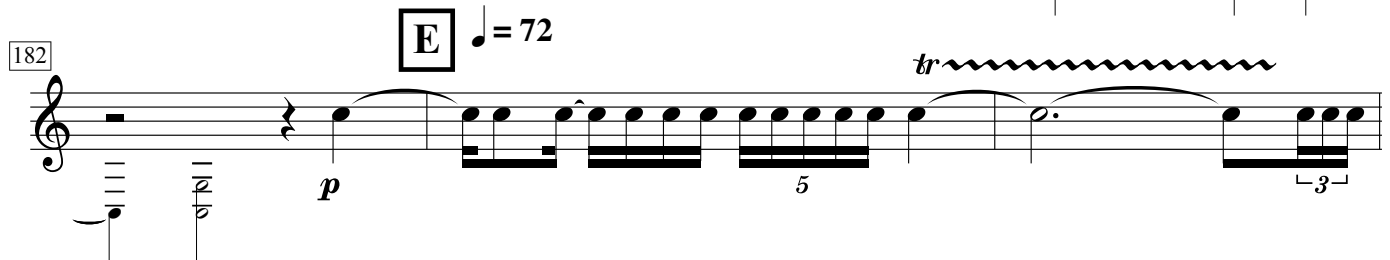


molto rit.

Vln.

Gamba

182



E ♩ = 72

p

5

tr

3

185

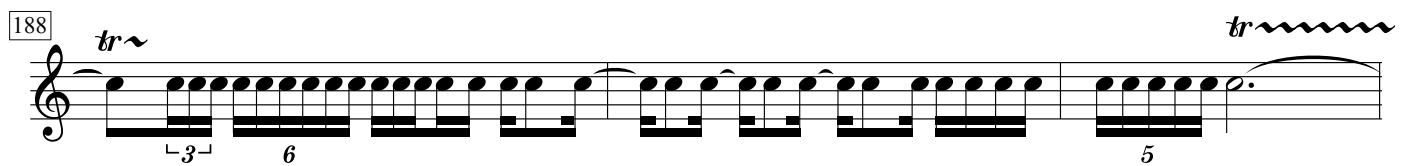


tr

6

5

188



tr

3

6

5

191



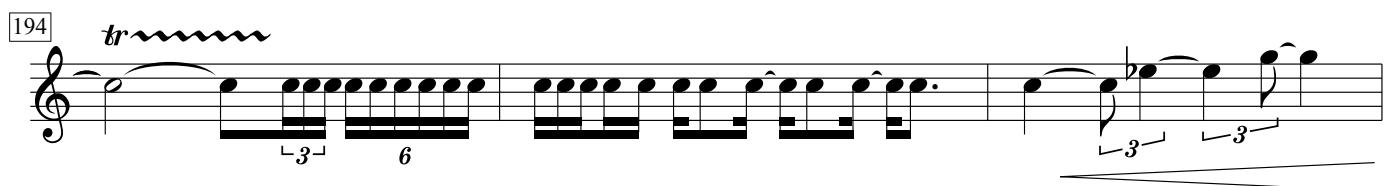
tr

3

6

5

194



tr

3

6

3

3

197 *f* *p*

201 *tr* *pp*

204 *tr* *mp* *pp*

207 *mf* *p* *ppp*

210 *mp* *ppp* *pp*

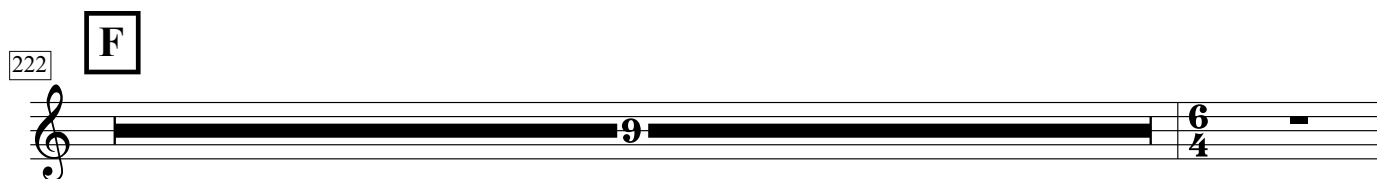
213 *mp* *p* *ppp*

216 *pp* *mp* *pp* *p*

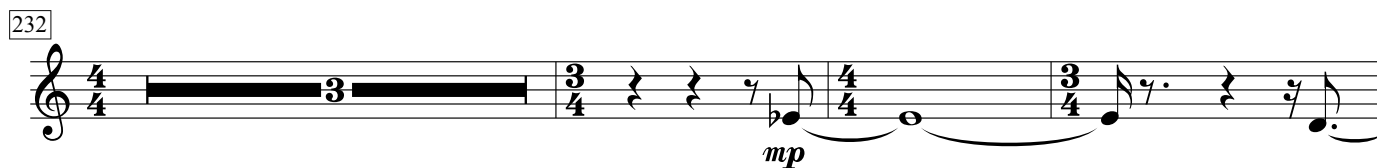
219 *mf* *ppp*

Detailed description: This page of a musical score for Baroque Flute contains measures 197 through 219. The notation is in treble clef with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The score includes various musical ornaments such as trills (tr) and triplets (3). Dynamic markings are indicated by letters: *f* (forte), *p* (piano), *pp* (pianissimo), *mp* (mezzo-piano), *mf* (mezzo-forte), and *ppp* (pianississimo). Slurs and wedge-shaped crescendo/decrescendo markings are used to indicate phrasing and volume changes. Measure 197 starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic and a triplet. Measure 201 features a trill and a pianissimo (*pp*) dynamic. Measure 204 includes a trill, a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic, and a pianissimo (*pp*) dynamic. Measure 207 begins with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic and a piano (*p*) dynamic, leading to a pianississimo (*ppp*) dynamic. Measure 210 shows a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic, a pianississimo (*ppp*) dynamic, and a pianissimo (*pp*) dynamic. Measure 213 starts with a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic, a piano (*p*) dynamic, and a pianississimo (*ppp*) dynamic. Measure 216 includes a pianissimo (*pp*) dynamic, a mezzo-piano (*mp*) dynamic, a piano (*p*) dynamic, and a pianissimo (*pp*) dynamic. Measure 219 begins with a mezzo-forte (*mf*) dynamic and ends with a pianississimo (*ppp*) dynamic.

222 **F**



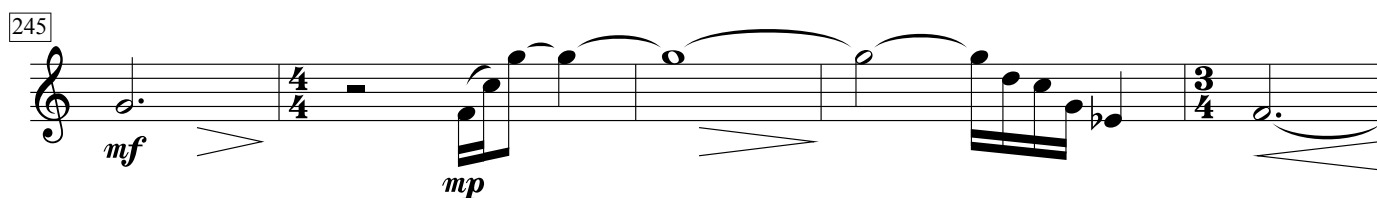
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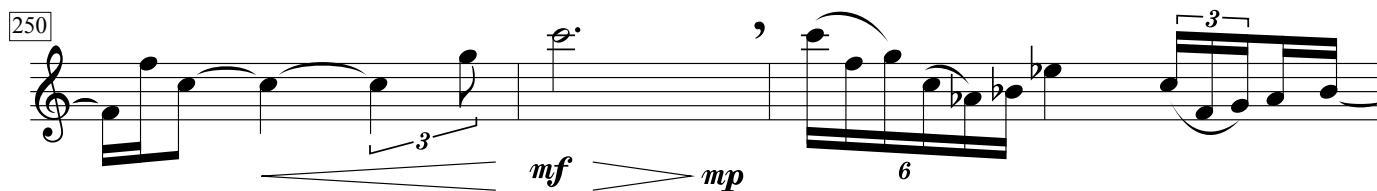
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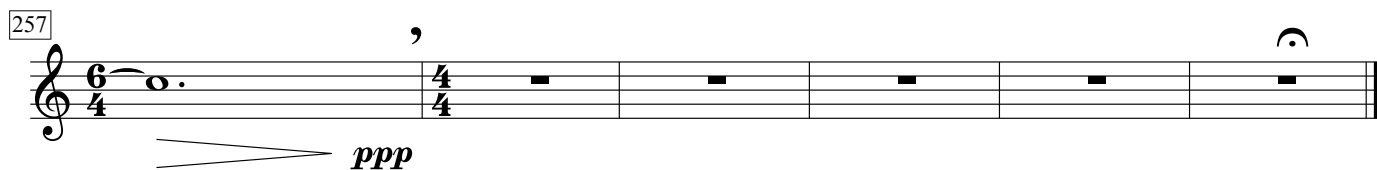
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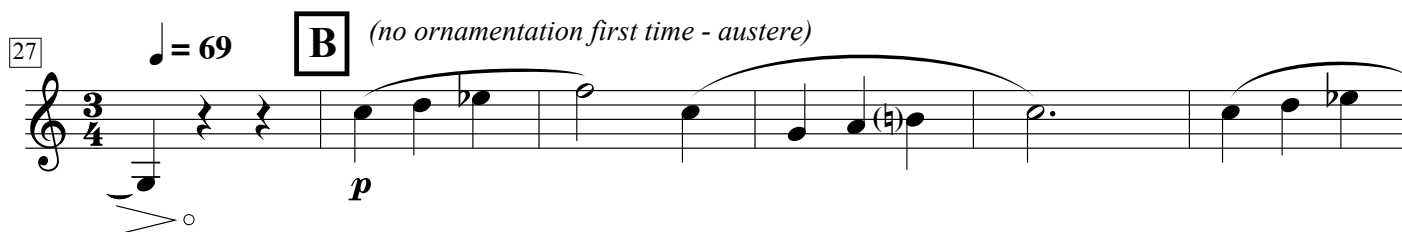
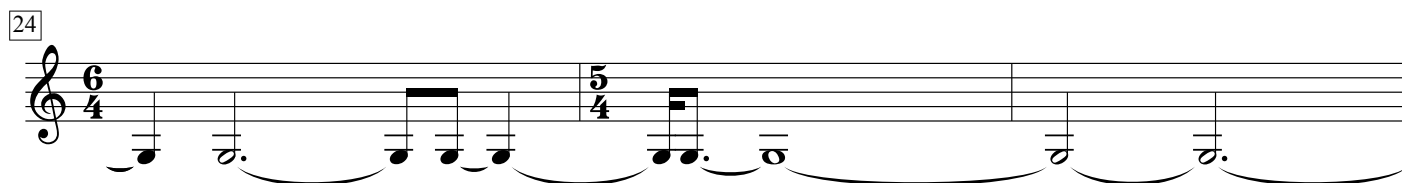
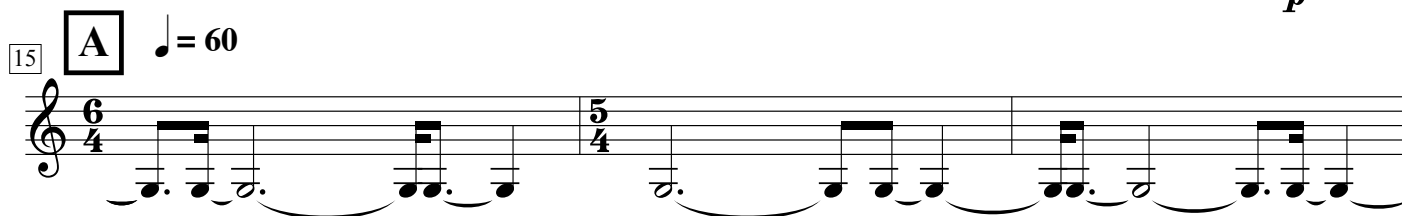
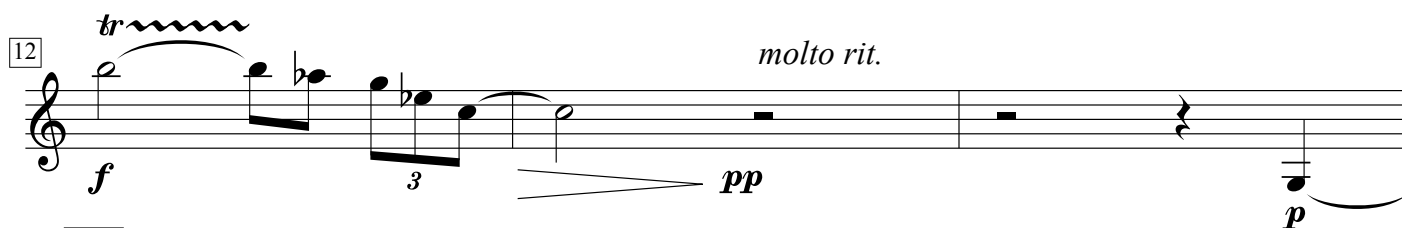
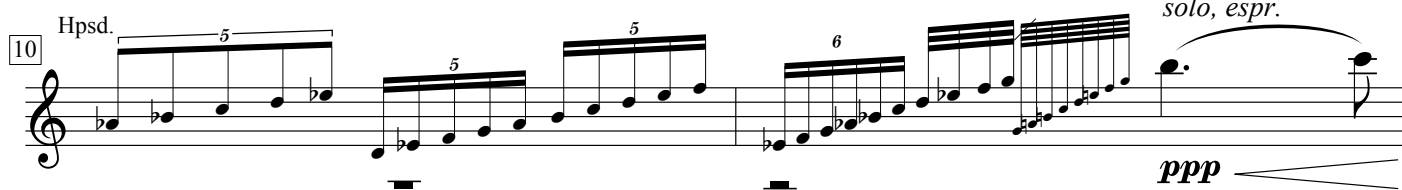
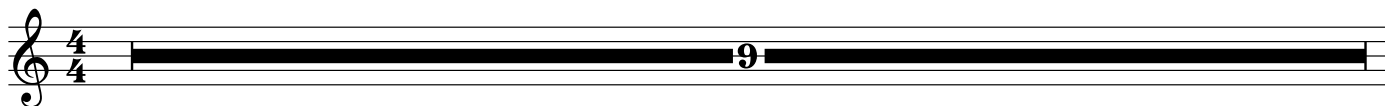


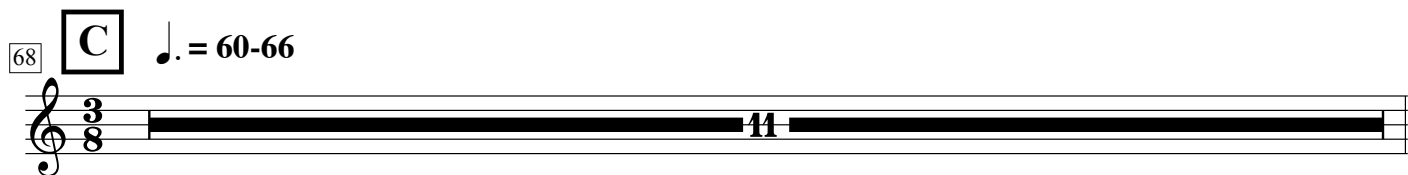
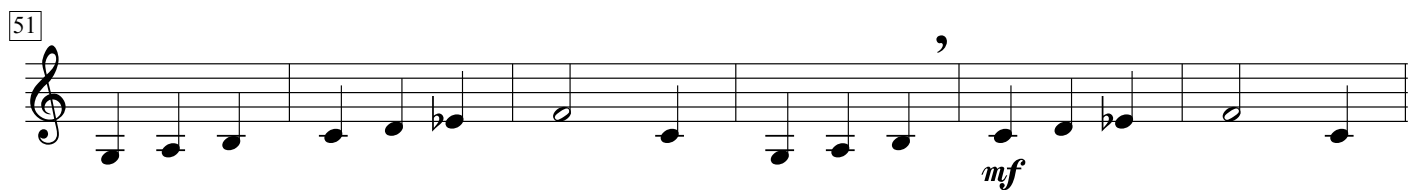
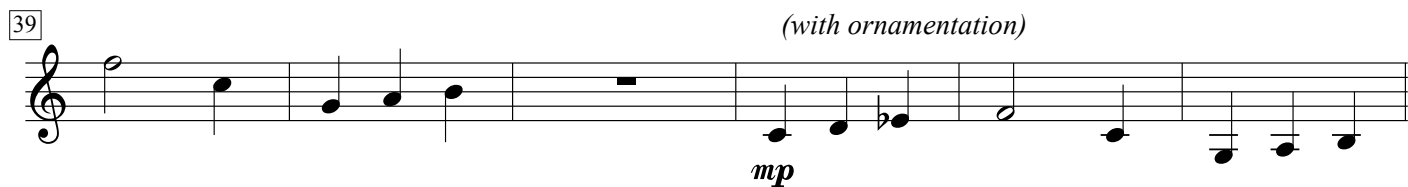
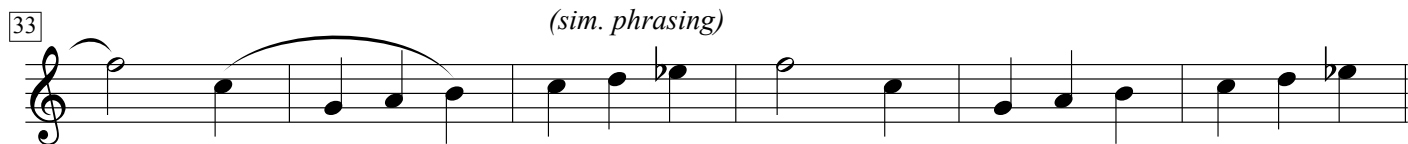
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257



$\text{♩} = 88$ 



Baroque Violin

4

slightly faster ♩. = 66-72

79 Hchd.

79 Hchd.

84

mf

92

Exercise 92 is a short melodic piece in 3/8 time, one flat key signature (B-flat). It begins with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The melody starts with a quarter rest, followed by a quarter note B-flat, a quarter note D, and a quarter note E. This is followed by a quarter rest, a quarter note B-flat, a quarter note D, and a quarter note E. The piece concludes with a quarter rest, a quarter note B-flat, a quarter note D, and a quarter note E.

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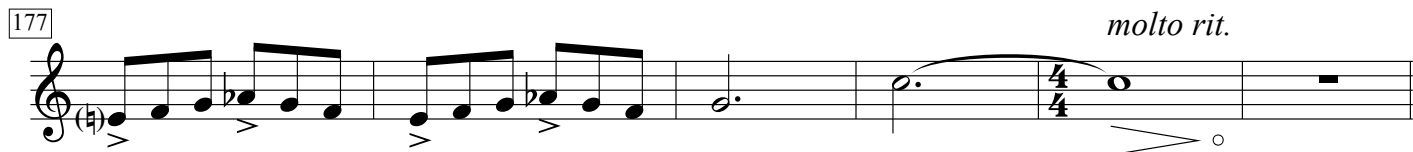
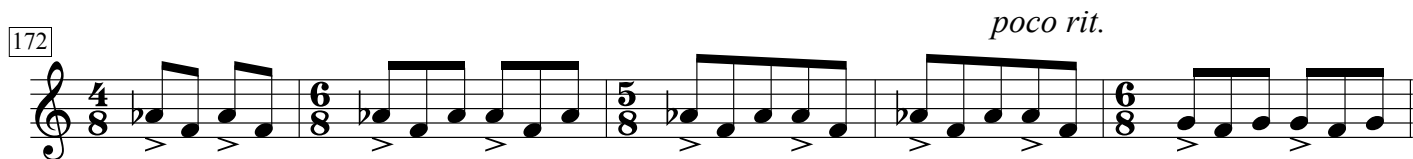
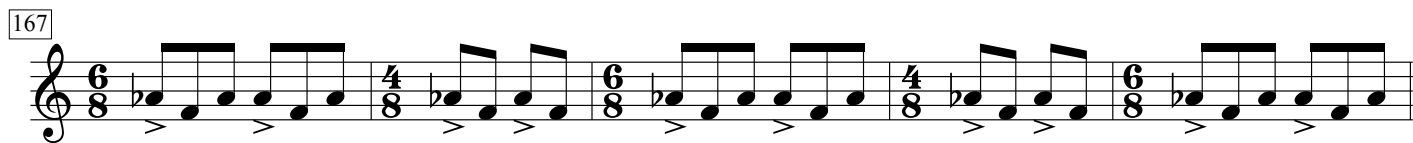
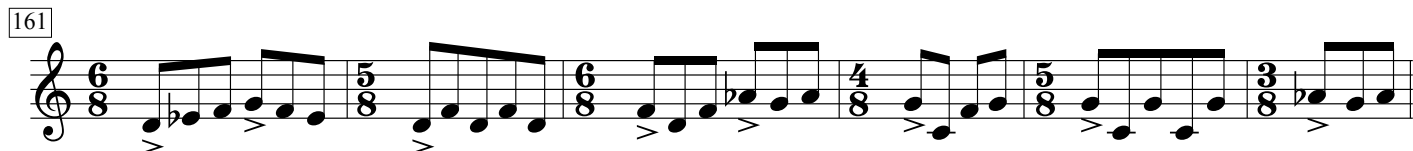
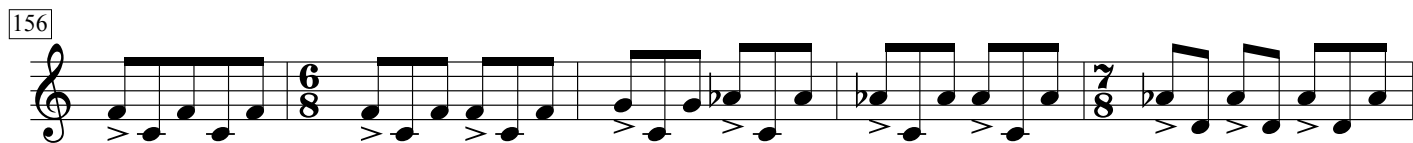
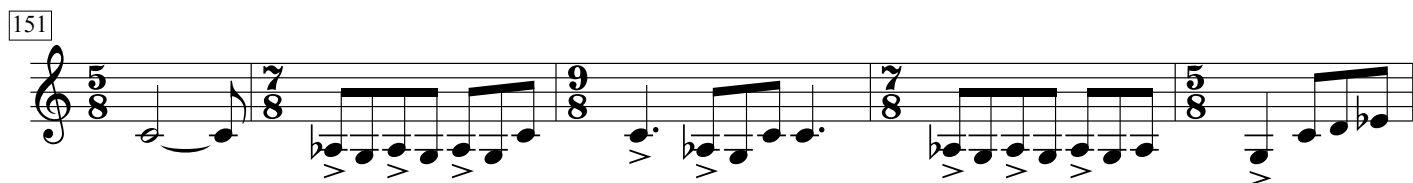
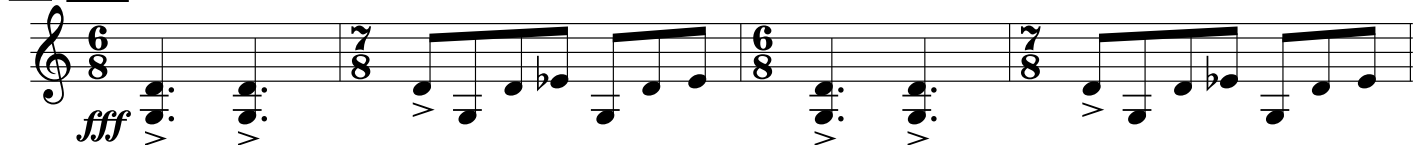
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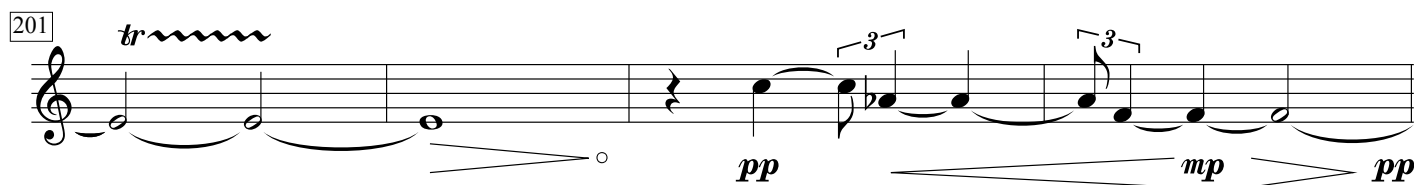
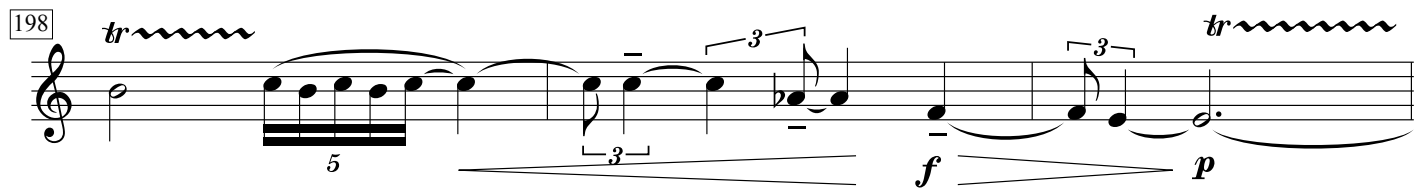
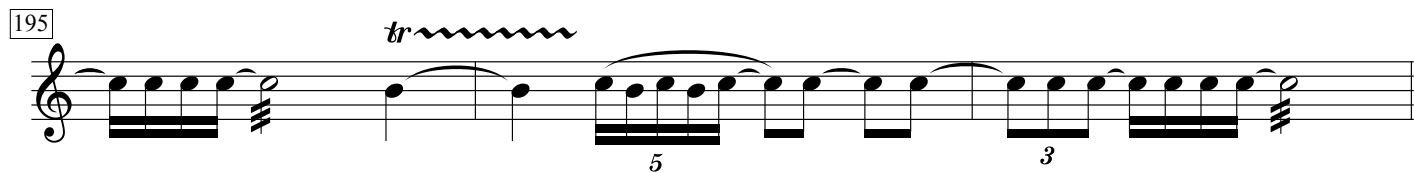
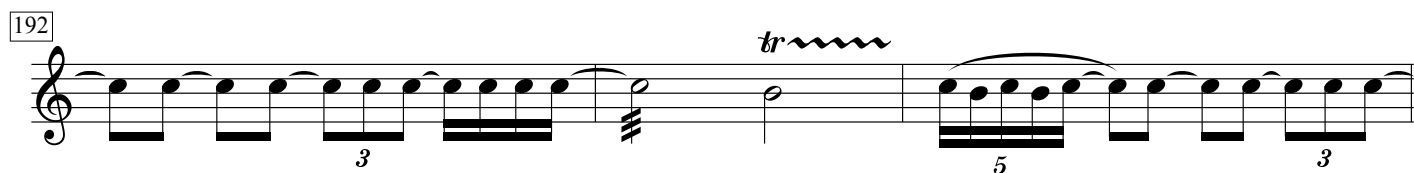
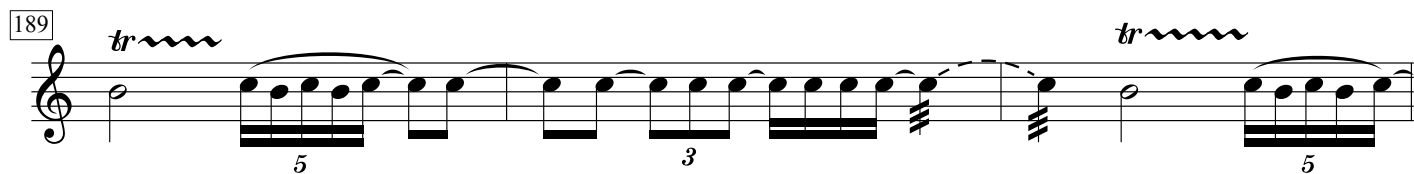
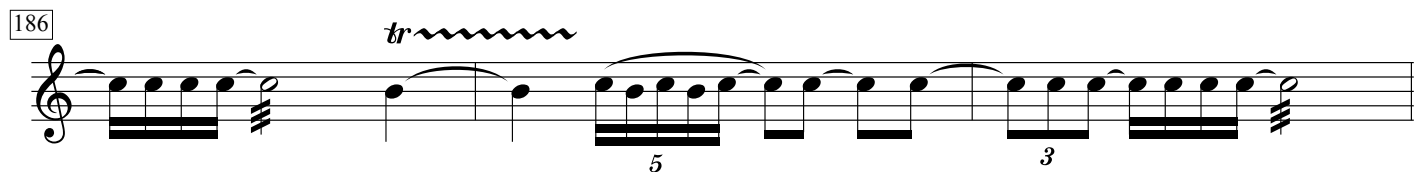
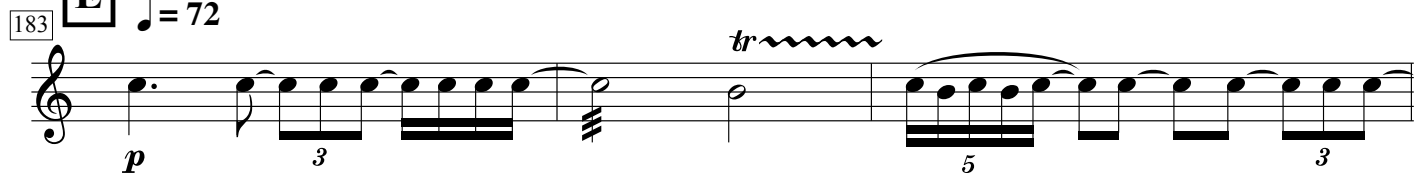
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ff

[illegible][illegible]

137 **D** ♪ = ♪ (double speed)

V.S.

[E] $\text{♩} = 72$ 

205

tr *pp* *mf*

208

p *ppp* *mp*

211

ppp *pp* *mp*

214

p *ppp* *mp*

217

pp *p*

219

mf *ppp*

222

F

F

231

6/4 **4/4**

235

mp

239

p *mf* *pp*

243

mp *mf* *mp*

248

mf *mp*

252

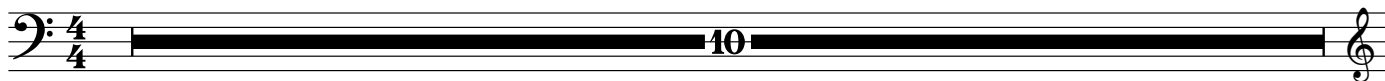
p

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mp *ppp* *p*

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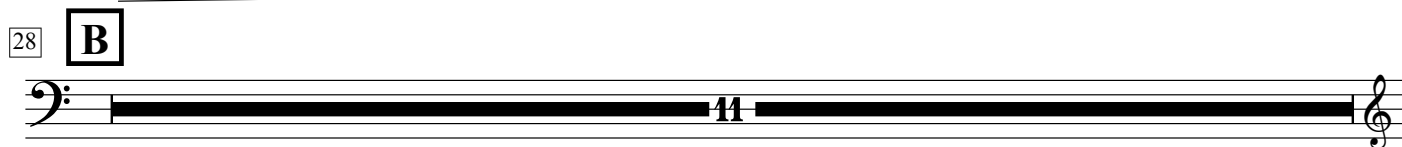
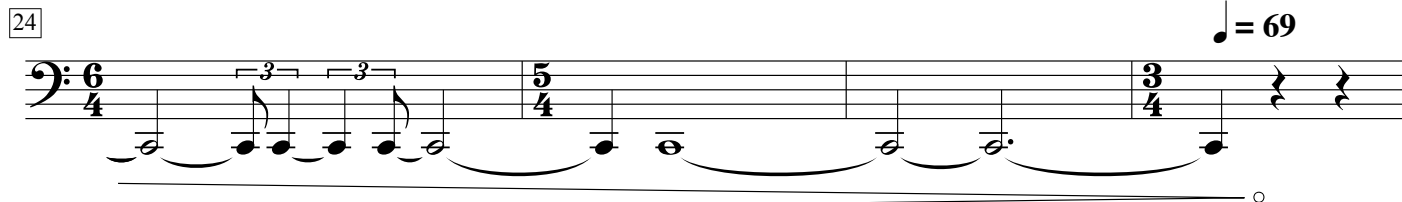
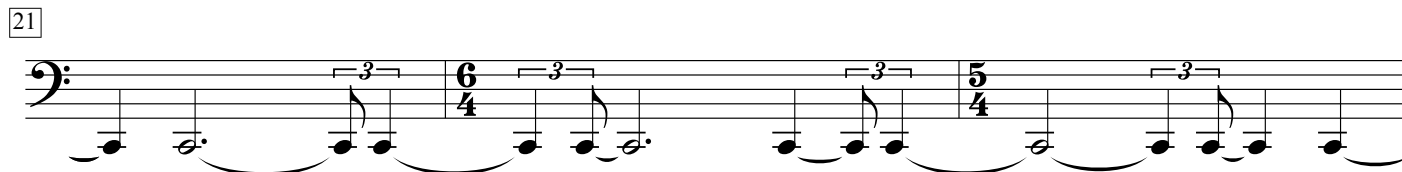
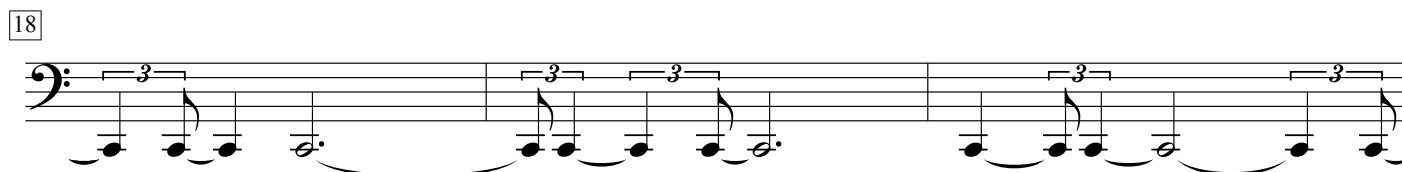
tr

$\text{♩} = 88$ 

11 *Vln.* *ppp* *f* *tr* *molto rit.* *pp* *ppp* *mp*

A musical staff in treble clef. Measure 11 has a violin part (Vln.) with a piano (ppp) dynamic. Measure 12 has a forte (f) dynamic. Measure 13 has a trill (tr) and a molto ritardando (molto rit.) marking. Measure 14 has a piano (pp) dynamic. The staff continues with a piano (ppp) dynamic and a mezzo-piano (mp) dynamic.

15 **A** $\text{♩} = 60$



39 Vln.

mp

45 *(sim. phrasing)*

51

mf

57

63

68 **C** ♩. = 60-66

Viola da Gamba

4

slightly faster $\text{♩} = 66-72$

79 Hchd. *mp*

84 *mf*

90

96

104

111 *ff*

118

122

127

Detailed description of the musical score: The score is written for Viola da Gamba. It begins at measure 79 with a 'Hchd.' (Harmonica) instruction. The music is in bass clef with a key signature of one flat. Measures 79-83 are in 2/8 time, followed by measures 84-88 in 3/8 time. Measures 89-95 are in 2/8 time, and measures 96-103 are in 3/8 time. Measures 104-110 are in 2/8 time, and measures 111-117 are in 5/16 time. Measures 118-121 are in 2/8 time, and measures 122-127 are in 3/8 time. The score includes dynamics such as *mp* (measures 79-83), *mf* (measures 84-88), and *ff* (measures 111-117). The piece ends with a repeat sign at measure 127.

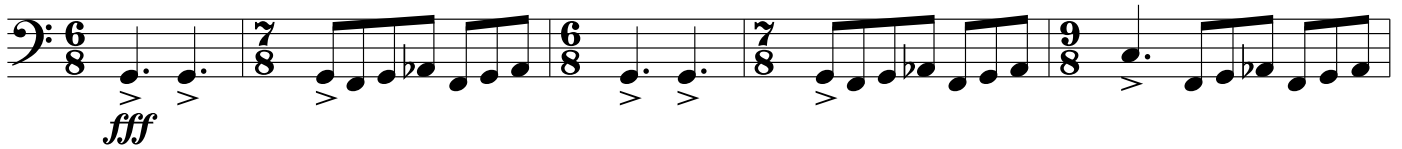
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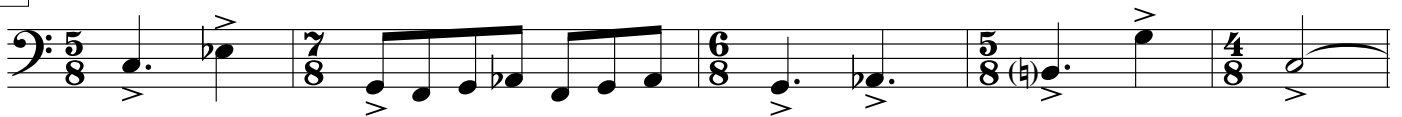
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♩ = ♩ (double speed)



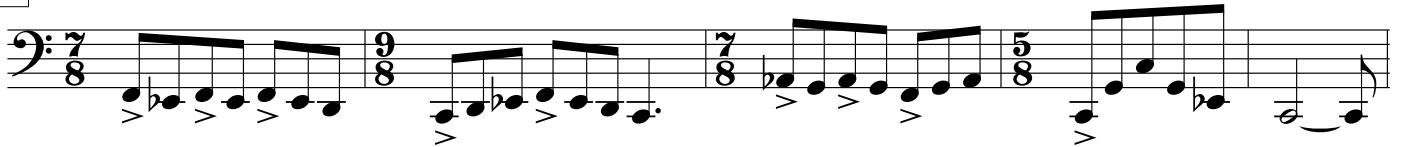
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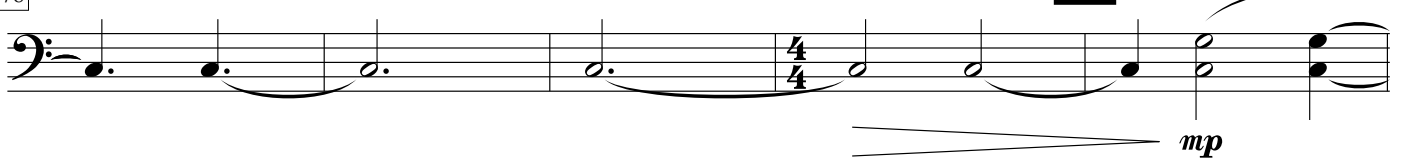
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172

poco rit.

178

*molto rit.***E***(solo)*

$\text{♩} = 72$

183

pp *mf*

188

f *p* *mf*

193

p *mf*

198

p *f*

203

mp *f* *mp*

208

pp *mf*

213

pp *mp*

218

mp *p*

F

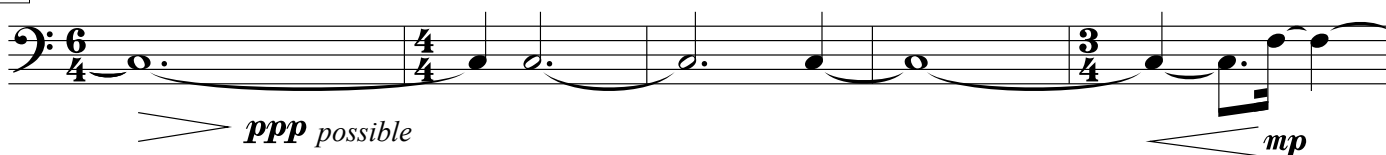
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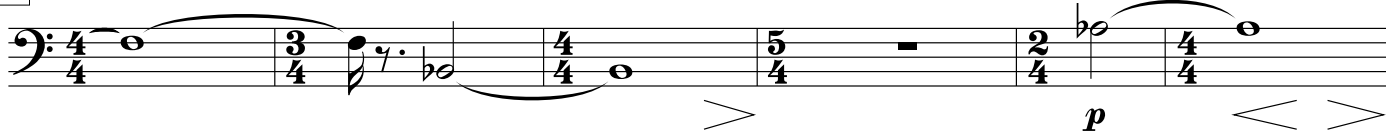
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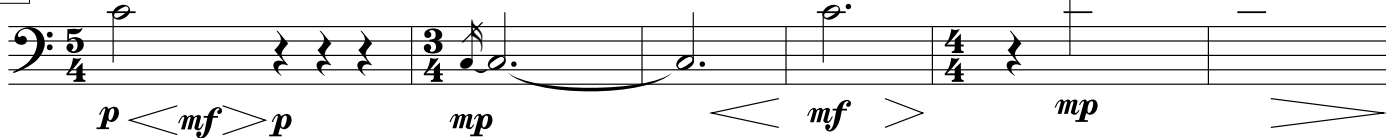
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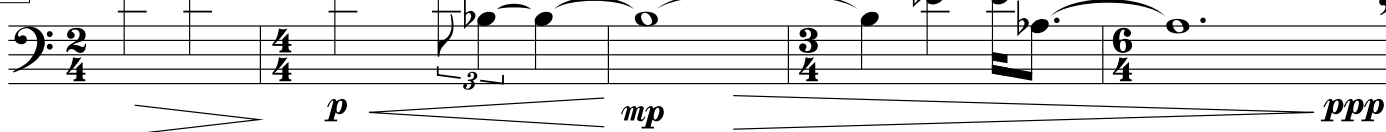
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