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for five voices and electronics

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אשר הוצאתי אתכם (Who Brought You Out of the Land)
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Text of Composition

Baruch Spinoza, *Ethica*, Book 2:

Dantur exempli gratia tres numeri ad quartum obtinendum, qui sit ad tertium, ut secundus ad primum.

Translation: *I will illustrate all three kinds of knowledge by a single example. Three numbers are given for finding a fourth, which shall be to the third as the second is to the first.*

Hebrew Bible, *Numbers 15:41*:

אֲנִי יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵיכֶם אֲשֶׁר הוֹצֵאתִי
אֶתְכֶם מֵאֶרֶץ מִצְרַיִם לִהְיוֹת לָכֶם
לֵאלֹהִים אֲנִי יְהוָה אֱלֹהֵיכֶם:

*I the Lord am your God,
Who brought you out of the land of Egypt to be your God:
I the Lord your God.*

Fifteenth-Century Portuguese Plainchant from P-BRs (Prague) Arquivo da Sé:

Ego sum qui sum et consilium meum non est cum impiis sed in lege domini voluntas mea est alleluia
Translation: *I am who I am and my counsel is not with the wicked, but in the law of my Lord.*

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אשר הוצאתי אתכם (Who Brought You Out of the Land) for Five Voices and Electronics

Electronic Setup

Electronics created in 2020-2021 at the Experimentalstudio of the SWR by Dániel Péter Biró, Lukas Nowok, Thomas Hummel and Maurice Oeser.

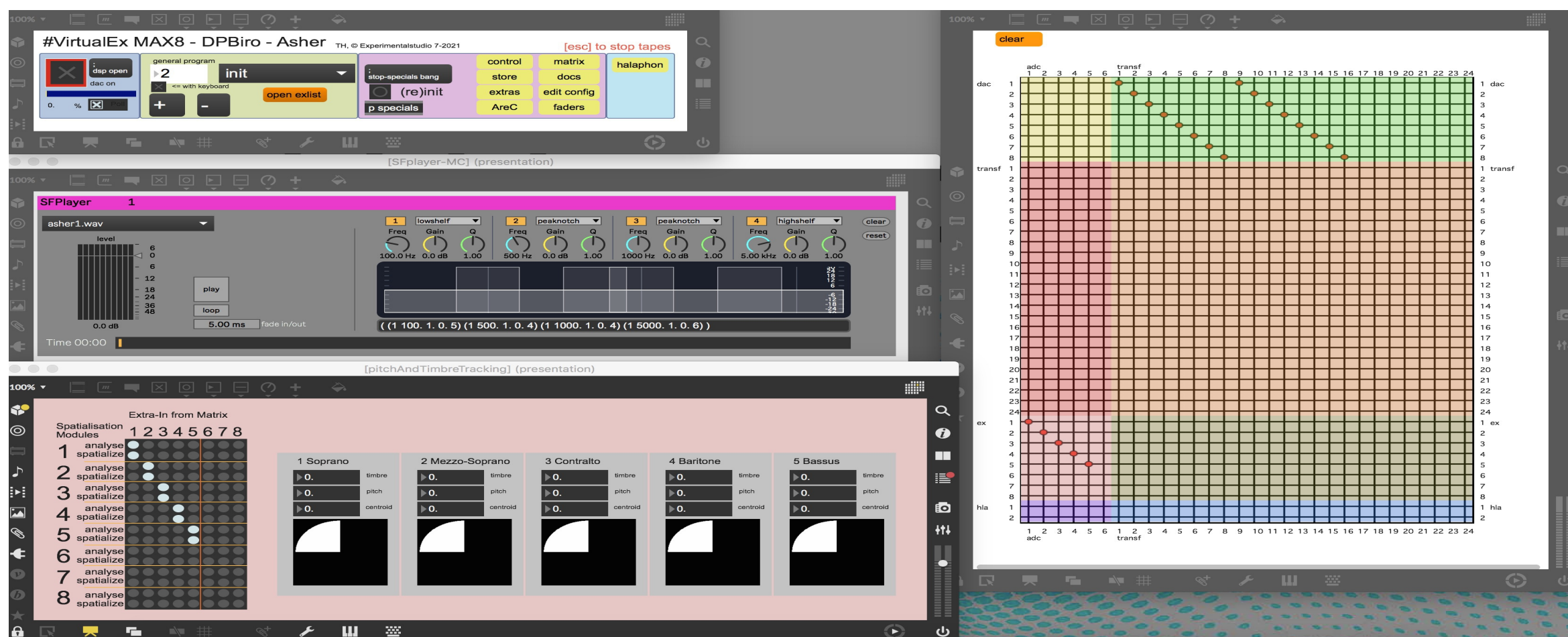
Piece uses the following max-patch (below) created in max 8.

8.1 Speaker setup required.

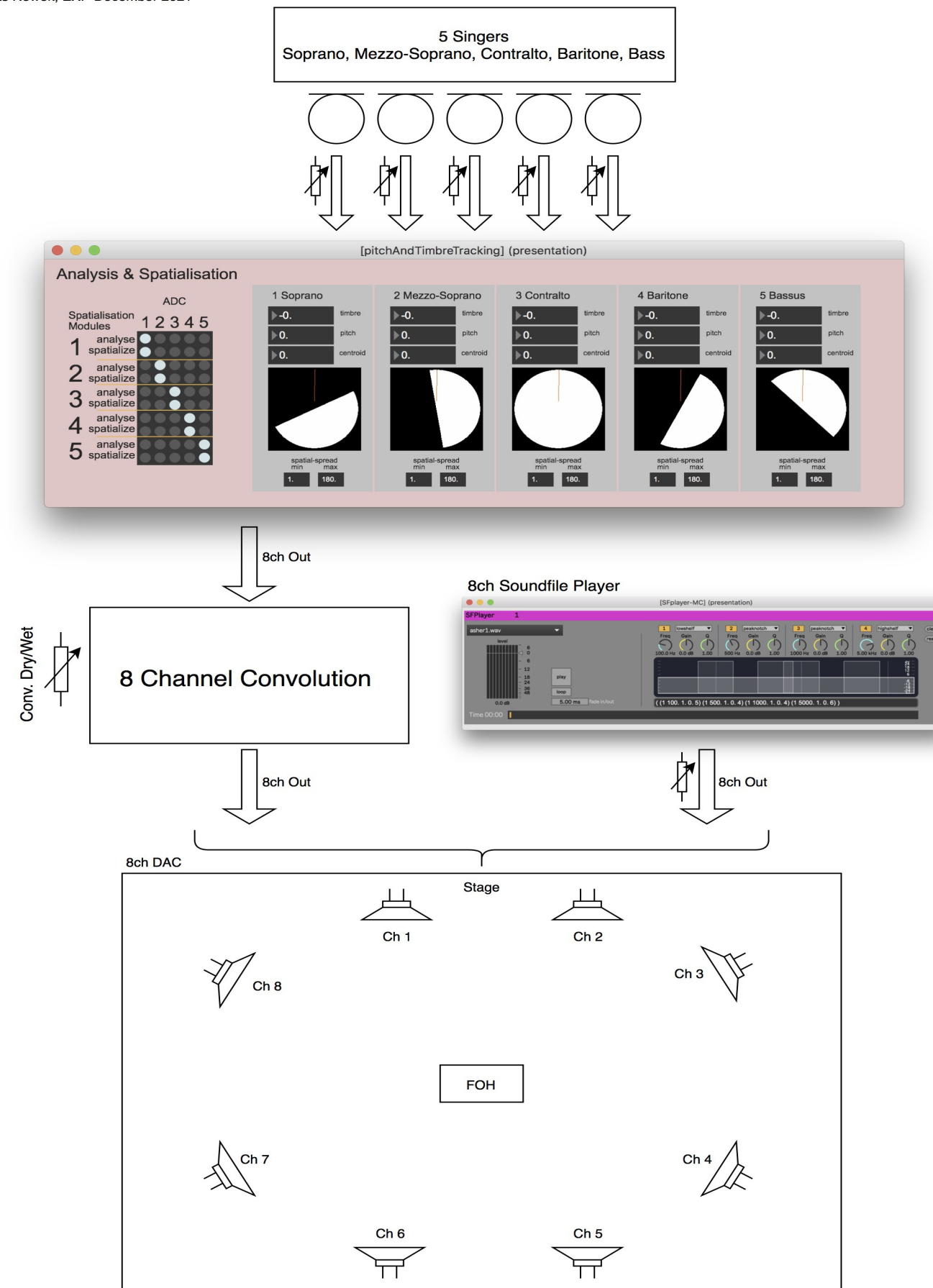
Singers should be amplified with headset microphones and stand 1.5 meters from one another.

Convolution wet/dry settings should be regulated to fit the acoustics of the given performance space.

1 person required to control microphone inputs, program changes and convolution presets.



Lukas Nowok, EXP December 2021



1

♩ = 54

Soprano

ppp ————— *p*

ppp ————— *mf* > *ppp* *ppp* ————— *ff*

quasi spoken

Mezzo-soprano

pp > *ppp* *ppp* ————— *mp* *ppp* ————— *f* *ppp*

Contralto

pp > *ppp* *p* *ppp* ————— *mf* > *ppp* *ppp* ————— *ff*

Baritone

pp > *ppp* *ppp* ————— *mp* *ppp* ————— *f* *ppp*

Bassus

ppp ————— *p* *ppp* ————— *mf* > *ppp* *ppp* ————— *ff*

Program Changes

1 Program 1

Line Inputs 1-5

2 $\text{♩} = 57$

S. 21 - *p* *mf* *p* *pp* *pp* *mf* *pp*

M-S. *f* *p* *ppp* *mf* *ppp* *mp*

C. *ff* *mp* *pp* *ppp* *mf* *f*

Bar. *mp* *f* *quasi spoken* *ff* *f* *p*

Bass. *p* *pp* *mp* *pp* *mf*

Prog. 2 Program 2

Lyrics: t r ja gra - - ts i a r ε - - r ts m r n g i nu i da - - n a e i

28

S. *f* *pp* *p* *pp* *ppp*

M-S. *mp* *pp* *f* *pp* *ff*

C. *mp* *pp* *p* *pp* *f*

Bar. *pp* *p* *inhaled* *p* *f* *pp* *pp* *mf*

Bass. *mp* *pp* *quasi spoken* *pp* *inhaled* *pp* *mf* *> pp*

k u k i

nu - me - d e k - wa

ja i a - d

r o e

wa m wə i

[illegible]

51

accel.

S. *mp* *p* *mp* *ppp* *pp* *mf*

M-S. *mp* *mf* *mp* *mp* *mp* *p*

C. H: 4 13 (-14) (+51) *pp* *p* *mp* *pp* *pp* *ppp* *mp* *ppp* *p* *mf*

Bar. *mp* *ppp* *p* *f*

Bass. *p* *pp* *ppp* *pp* *mp* *pp* *p* *pp* *p*

r u - t s - ε - k - u i t d r i a - d e - r a k - u d p u - t i s a a - d ε a - d

B-Flat: 3 (+2)

H: 11 (+51) 5 (-14)

4 $\text{♩} = 63$ D:11 (+51)

S. *p* *pp* *mf* *pp* *ppp* *p* *p* *mf* *pp* *p* *pp* *p*

da - n tu ja t - r - e - s tsi gra - t - i - u

M-S. *p* *pp* *mp* *p* *p* *pp* *f* *mf* *f* *mp* *mf* *pp* *p* *pp* *mp*

tu - r ε - k - s ε d kwa - r o - b t - i - n ε n - dum nu -

C. *mp* *pp* *ppp* *ppp* *ppp* *mf* *p* *pp* *ppp* *pp* *f* *ff* *pp* *mp*

d - a - n tu - r ε me - r - i a - d ja a e nu

Bar. *p* *pp* *ppp* *ppp* *ppp* *pp* *p* *pp* *pp* *p* *mf* *ppp* *mp* *mf* *pp* *p* *pp* *mp*

da - n ε m gra - tsi - ε gra - - ts tu - m o - b t - i - n ε n - dum nu -

Bass. *p* *ppp* *ppp* *p* *p* *p* *p* *mf* *mf* *f* *pp* *p* *pp*

n tu - r e s nu - i ja a tsi - -

Prog. **4** Program 4 $\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{1}{8}$ $\frac{7}{16}$ $\frac{5}{8}$ $\frac{3}{16}$ $\frac{3}{16}$

66

S.

M-S.

C.

Bar.

Bass.

D:11 (+51) *pp* *p* *pp* *mf* *f* H: 15 (-12) *mf* *f* B-Flat: 10 (-14) 11 (+51) 12 (+52) A+: 11 (+51) A-Flat: 12 (+2) A-Flat: 13 (+41) G: 14 (-31)

kwi e r - i r t sE - kun - o

H: 11 (+51) *p* *pp* *p* H: 9 (+4) *f* *p* A: 11 (+51) A-Flat: 12 (+2) A-Flat: 9 (+4) G: 13 (+41)

me a - d t - e - r r - tum m - u - m ri

D-Flat: 5 (-14) *p* *ppp* *f* H: 5 (-14) 11 (+51) *pp* *p* H: 6 (+2) *pp* *mp* *mf* *f* B-Flat: 10 (-14) 11 (+51) B-Flat: 3 (+2) A+: 12 (+52) A: 5 (-14) A-Flat: 5 (-14) 12 (+2) 11 (+51) A-Flat: 5 (+14) G: 7 (-31)

a si - t a - d i → a k - wa - r du - s a d pri - m - ri → a

H: 11 (+51) 10 (-14) *mf* *f* *p* *pp* *pp* *f* *p* *p* *mf* G: 3 (+2)

me r - i tsi - am u - t tum o me - - - ri → a

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

1 t a e k - wa - r u du a → o

rall.

accel.

C:10
(-14)

11
(+51)

5
(-14)

18
(+4)

20
(-14)

7
(-31)

9
(+4)

10
(-14)

19
(-2)

17
(+5)

9
(+4)

mf

pp

f

pp

mf

p

mf

ff

p

pp

p

f

85

S.

3/16

3/16

8

7/16

3/16

8

4

8

3/16

kwi

ε

e

i - a

kwi

a - d

sε - kun - du - s

i

C: 9
(+4)

10
(-14)

11
(+51)

3
(+2)

6
(+2)

9
(+4)

mf

pp

ppp

p

mp

ff

pp

p

p

mf

p

mp

ppp

ppp

M-S.

3/16

3/16

8

7/16

3/16

8

4

8

3/16

i

a - d

t - e - r - tsi - am

a

d

i

i

u - m

C:
3
(+2)

5
(-14)

6
(+2)

10
(-14)

9
(+4)

pp

p

mp

p

mf

ppp

f

ff

C.

3/16

3/16

8

7/16

3/16

8

4

8

3/16

ε

ε

a - d

inhaled

ε

a - d

i

pri - m-u - m

C: 3
(+2)

5
(-14)

31
(+45)

3
(+2)

pp

p

mp

p

f

mf

p

ppp

f

ppp

Bar.

3/16

3/16

8

7/16

3/16

8

4

8

3/16

ε

a - d

ε

i

a

u - t

i

m

10
(-14)

17
(+5)

mf

pp

mp

p

f

mf

ppp

p

mf

ff

Bass.

3/16

3/16

8

7/16

3/16

8

4

8

3/16

ε

si - t

ε

i

a - d

i

u

6

accel. ♩ = 72

S. C: 22 (+51) 21 (-29) 20 (-14) 22 (+51) 20 (-14) 24 (+2) 23 (+28) D: 20 (-14) D: 24 (+2)

si - t a - d t - e - r - tsi - am u - m i

M-S. C: 15 (-12) 25 (-27) 15 (-12) D: 30 (-12) 31 (-55)

r - i a d r - t - u - m o - b - t - i

C. C: 11 (+51) 10 (-14) 5 (-14) 11 (+51) 20 (-14) 21 (-29) :9 (+4) D: 31 33 (-55) (+53) 9 (+4)

nu - me a - d u - t sε - kun - du - s a - d pri - m-u - m i

Bar. C: 14 (-31) 15 (-12) 7 (-31) 28 (-31) 27 (+6) D: 3 (+2)

kwi a - d k - wa - r t - u - m i

Bass. D: 33 (+53)

a r - t - u o - b - t - i dan - -

99

[illegible]

17

A-Flat: 12 (+2) 11 (+51) E: 35 (+55) E: 11 (+51) 7 (+51) 9 (+2)

S. 117

M-S. A-Flat: 11 (-49) 13 (-59) 6 (+2) 15 (-12) E: 18 (+4) 17 (+5) 17 (+5)

C. A-Flat: 28 (-31) 27 (+6) 27 (+6) 5 (-14) E: 5 (-14) 3 (+2)

Bar. 33 (+53) E: 6 (+2) 5 (-14)

Bass. A-Flat: 28 (-31) 27 (+6) 27 (+6) 5 (-14) E: 5 (-14) 3 (+2)

117

a - - d r - tum o - b ti - nēn dum

a - - d k - wa - r i a - d e

nu - me - r - i a - d wi i a - d

a - - d k - wi i d e

nu - me - r - i a - d tum o - b - t - i - nēn - dum

Instrumentation: Soprano (S.), Alto (M-S.), Tenor (C.), Bass (Bass.), Baritone (Bar.).

Key: F# (Major). **Tempo:** 122. **Time Signature:** 4/4.

Lyrics: kwi u - r - tsi - am u - t sE - - kun - du - s s - i - t a - d t - e - r ε a - d u - t ε ε u - t a - d i

Performance Instructions: The score includes various dynamic markings (p, mf, pp, ff, f, mp, ppp) and articulation (accents, slurs, ties). The vocal parts feature complex rhythmic patterns, including triplets and sixteenth notes. The instrumental parts provide harmonic support with chords and melodic lines.

Rehearsal Marks: The score is divided into sections by rehearsal marks, including F#: 17 (+5), F: 9 (+4), E: 36 (+4), B-Flat: 12 (+2), E-Flat: 18 (+4), 18 (+4), 27 (+6), F#: 3 (+2), F: 5 (-14), 5 (-14), E: 10 (-14) *subito*, B-Flat: 14 (-31), and 27 (+6), 27 (+6).

[illegible]

C+: 3 (+52) E: 19 (-2) B-Flat: 13 (-51) E-Flat: 15 (-12) 18 (+4) 17 (+5) 27 (+6)
 S. *ppp* *mp* *p* *pp* *f* *pp* *mf* *pp*
 kwi m o s e - kun - du s i
 M-S. *f* *pp* *f* *ppp* *pp* *ppp* *f* *pp* *pp* *mf* *pp*
 r - tum ter - tsi - a - m o kwi a - d i
 C. *f* *pp* *ff* *pp* *mp* *mf* *pp* *pp* *mf* *f*
 r - tum m a - d o u - t o kwi pri - m-u-m
 Bar. *mf* *ppp* *pp* *ff* *pp* *mp* *mf* *pp* *pp* *mp* *mf* *ppp*
 a - d o u - t o kwi a - d pri - m-u-m
 Bass. *ppp* *mp* *ppp* *mf* *f* *ppp* *pp* *ppp* *f* *pp* *ppp* *pp* *mf* *ppp*
 kwi s - i - t ter - tsi - a - m kũn - du s pri - m-
 rit.

9

♩ = 54

C#: 36 (+4) 39 (-43)

F: 5 (-14) 6 (+2)

E-Flat: 19 (-2)

22

149

S. *pp* *mp* *ff* *pp* *ppp* *pp* *mf* *f* *ppp* *p* *ppp* *f* *ppp*

e i → a ε a - d i → u

M-S. *pp* *mf* *p* *f* *ppp* *pp* *p* *ppp* *mf* *p* *f* *ppp* *pp* *f* *ppp*

e u - t ε tre - - s nu - me - r - i a - d u

C. *mp* *ppp* *mp* *ppp* *pp* *ppp* *pp* *ppp* *p* *mf* *p* *ff* *ppp* *pp* *G*

da - n - tu - r eks - em - pli gra - tsi - ja ε a - d a - d a → u

Bar. *pp* *mf* *pp* *ppp* *pp* *p* *ppp* *mf* *pp* *f* *ppp* *pp* *f* *ppp* *E-Flat*

e i → a e - - s e - r - i a - d k - wa tum

Bass. *mp* *ppp* *f* *ppp* *p* *mf* *pp* *f* *ppp* *ff* *ppp*

a - n - u - r ε → i → a i → a e → u → e r - i a u

9

Program 9

Prog. 6 7 9 4 6 2 7

accel.

S.

C:
5
(-2)

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

156
5+3+7
4

e - go sum kwi sum s - i - t a - d te - r - tsi - um

M-S.

C:
3
(+2)

mp *ppp* *mf* *p* *pp* *p* *f*

5+3+7
4

da - n - ε - k - s - ε - m - p - li tsi -

C.

C:
10
(-14) 11
(+51)

p *ppp* *pp* *ppp* *pp* *p* *ppp* *pp* *f*

5+3+7
4

o i tu - r Et kon - si - li - um - me - um gra - tsi -

Bar.

B-Flat:
5
(-14) E-Flat:
5
(-14) C:
5
(-14)

f *ff* *ppp* *pp* *ppp* *pp* *mp* *ppp* *cantabile* *p* *f*

5+3+7
4

o - b - ti - nεn - dum kwi a - ni a-do - nai ε-lo-he - χεm

Bass.

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

5+3+7
4

o - b i ε u kwi si - t a d te - r - tsi - um

Prog.

5+3+7
4

Program 9B

3

♩ = 60 **accel.**

S. 157 *p* *pp* *mf* *pp* *mp* *ppp* *cantabile* *pp* *p* *pp* *ppp*

M-S. *p* *pp* *ppp* *p* *pp* *p* *mp* *ppp* *cantabile* *pp*

C. *p* *mp* *p* *f* *pp* *mp* *p* *mf* *f* *p* *mf* *f* *ppp* *p*

Bar. *pp* *ppp* *p* *pp* *p* *mp* *ppp* *mf* *f*

Bass. *mp* *p* *mf* *ppp* *pp* *mf* *ppp* *ppp*

Prog. **accel.** **Program 9C**

S.

161 - - - 17:21

mp *mf* *f* *ff* *subito ppp* *ppp* *pp*

k - wa - r o - b m ti - - nEn - - dum

M-S.

p *pp* *cantabile mp* (-13) *mf* *cantabile pp* <

lE - ge do - mi - ni mits ra - im vo - lun

C.

cantabile p *pp* *cantabile mp* *mf* (-13) *cantabile pp* <

lE - ge do - mi - ni me- E rEtS mits ra - im vo - lun

Bar.

cantabile p (+10) (-18) (-25) (-18) (-13) +28 +10 (-18) (-13) *mf*

a - sher ho-tsi Et - χEm me - E rEtS mits ra - im

Bass.

E-Flat 9 (+4) 17 (+5) 26 (+6)

mf *ppp* *f* *ff* *ppp* *pp*

tu - - - m o - b - - ti - - nEn - - dum

A:
9
(+4)
p *ppp*

163

S. *ppp* *mp* *p* *ppp* *mp* *pp*

me - a kwi i r

M-S. *mp* *pp* *mp* *ppp* *pp* *mp*

tas me - a Est me a - - d

C. *mp* *pp* *p* *cantabile* *mf* *pp* *mp*

tas me - a Est li - he - jot la - χεμ le - lo - him d

Bar. *mp* *ppp* *p* *cantabile* *mf* *pp* *pp*

nu i li - he - jot la - χεμ le lo - him i

Bass. *pp* *mf* *p*

s t

167 *poco rall.* $\text{♩} = 66$

S. *p* *ppp* *cantabile* *pp* *p* *ppp* *mf* *ppp*

i *e* *a - le - lu - ja* *se - - - kun - - - du*

M-S. *mp* *ppp* *cantabile* *pp* *p* *ppp* *f* *p*

t - e - r - ts - i - u - m *a - le - lu - ja* *tum*

C. *p* *mp* *cantabile* *pp* *p* *ppp* *mf* *pp* *ppp*

i *e* *a - le - lu - ja* *a - ni a do - nai ε - lo - he Χε m*

Bar. *p* *mf* *mp* *f* *cantabile* *mf* *pp* *ppp*

wa *u - t* *a - ni a do - nai ε - lo - he Χε m* *m*

Bass. *ff* *mp* *f* *ppp*

k *a - r* *s*

176

S. *pp* *p* *pp* *mf* *ppp* *ppp* *pp* *ppp* *mf* *mp* *f* *ff*

gra - tsi i tre - - nu - - i

M-S. *ppp* *mp* *ppp* *p* *pp* *p* *mp* *pp*

wi e s me - -

C. *p* *mp* *pp* *p* *ppp* *pp*

k a - - a

Bar. *f* *ff* *p* *pp*

ja d d

Bass. *p* *pp* *f*

tsi r

