

Suamox

Para vibráfono y marimba

I. Jinetes

II. Nativos

III. Lucha

Suamox era el nombre indígena de la ciudad y del santuario espiritual y religioso de los indígenas muiscas, que estuvieron ubicados en la zona central de Colombia.

En el sitio que actualmente ocupa la ciudad de Sogamoso (departamento de Boyacá, Colombia) existía según la leyenda, el Templo (*muxi*) del Sol (*Sua*), lugar de riquezas doradas y tesoros indígenas que fuera asaltado y destruido por los conquistadores españoles liderados por Gonzalo Jiménez de Quesada

Esta pieza no pretende ser una descripción de los hechos que se pudieran llevar a cabo en aquel entonces ni obedece a un plan estricto programático. Es en cambio una reflexión en torno a la psíquis de los individuos que se vieron envueltos en aquellos hechos. Es una especulación musical sobre sus pensamientos e ideas.

Aborda cada unas de las partes: Los *Jinetes* españoles con sus balbuceos avaros, los *Nativos* con su oro y su estética rupestre y al final la *Lucha* racional de sus ideas.

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Suamox fue ganadora del Premio Nacional de Composición para jóvenes compositores en el año 2009 otorgado por el Ministerio de Cultura colombiano.

Convenciones

- Baquetas blandas
- Baquetas medio duras
- Baquetas duras
- Baquetas medio duras de xilófono (goma)
- Voltear las baquetas y tocar con la punta de los palos
- Tocar las teclas con los dedos
- ↙ Frotar las teclas con un arco
- Golpe muerto
- Desacelerar o acelerar en el tiempo indicado respetando aproximadamente la cantidad de notas escritas

Nota para el vibráfono

La decisión del uso del pedal es labor definitiva del intérprete quien habrá de tener en cuenta las articulaciones y duraciones propuestas para tomarla. Las sugerencias de pedal son especulativas y no pretenden coartar la creatividad y sensibilidad del ejecutante.

Suamox

for vibraphone y marimba

I. Jinetes (Riders)

II. Nativos (Natives)

III. Lucha (Struggle)

Suamox was the name given by the Muiscas to the city and to their religious and spiritual sanctuary. It was placed at the center of Colombia.

Accord the myth around the present city of Sogamoso (State of cundinamarca, Colombia) it existed The Temple of the Sun (Sua: Sun, Mox or Muxi: Home). It was a place of golden wealth and indigenous treasures which was assaulted and shattered by the spanish conquerors under the command of Gonzalo Jiménez de Quesada.

This piece is not intented to be a concrete description of the real facts that were carried out back then and does not obbeay any strict programatic plan. It is, on the opposite, a reflection around the psyche of those who were involved in this situation. It is a musical speculation around their thoughts and ideas.

It deals with every side of the story: Spanish *Riders* with their avaricious stammerings, the *Natives* with their gold and their cave painting and at the end the rational *Struggle* among both side's ideas.

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Conventions



Soft Mallets



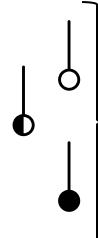
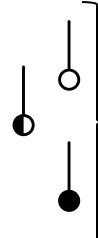
Medium-Hard Mallets



Hard Mallets



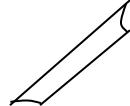
Medium Xylophone Mallets (Rubber)



Turn over the mallets and play with the tip of the shaft



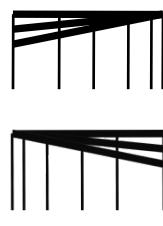
Play the bars with fingers



Play with bow



Dead stroke



Decelerate or acelerate through specific amount of time. Play approximately the quantity of written notes.

For the Vibraphone:

The final decision about the correct pedaling is up to the player.

Considerations about the proposed articulations and durations must be made to take the best decision.

The proposed pedaling is an speculation and do not attempt to restrict the player's creativity and sensibility.

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para Vibráfono y Marimba

I. Jinetes

Score

a mi familia, a Jenny y a Eduardo

José G. Martínez R

2009

The musical score consists of three systems of music for Vibraphone and Marimba.

System 1: The Vibraphone part starts with a dynamic of **Turbio** and **$\text{d} = 60$** . The Marimba part begins with a dynamic of **p cantabile**. The Vibraphone part continues with a dynamic of **p**, followed by **mp**, **pp**, and **mf**. The Marimba part follows with a dynamic of **mf**.

System 2: The Vibraphone part starts with a dynamic of **p**, followed by **mp**, and **mf**. The Marimba part begins with a dynamic of **p**, followed by **mf**, and **pp**.

System 3: The Vibraphone part starts with a dynamic of **mp**, followed by **pp**, and **pp**. The Marimba part begins with a dynamic of **pp**, followed by **6**, **6**, and **mf**.

I. Jinetes

Musical score for Vibraphone (Vib.) and Marimba (Mrb.). The score consists of two systems of music. The top system for Vibraphone (measures 5-6) includes dynamics *mf*, *p*, and *mf*. Measure 5 starts with a melodic line, followed by a sustained note with a grace note. Measure 6 begins with a sustained note. The bottom system for Marimba (measures 5-6) includes dynamics *pp*, *mf*, *pp*, and *pp*. Measure 5 features a sustained note with a grace note. Measure 6 begins with a sustained note. Measures 7-8 show both instruments playing eighth-note patterns.

8

Vib.

Mrb.

f

p

f

p

mf

Vib.

Mrb.

13 *>pp*

Vib. *c*

Mrb. *c*

B

pp *mp* *mf* *>ppp* *mf* *fp* *3*

fp *3*

Tema

19 *mf*

Vib. *c*

Mrb. *c*

p *f* *p*

fp *pp* *fp* *p*

21 *mf*

Vib. *c*

Mrb. *c*

sfp *mf* *fp*

6

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Vib.

Mrb.

C

Vib.

Mrb.

Vib.

Mrb.

29

Vib.

Mrb.

D

32

Vib.

Mrb.

34

Vib.

Mrb.

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36

Vib.

Mrb.

Vib.

Mrb.

E

39

Vib.

Mrb.

46

Vib.

Mrb.

Dur. Aprox. 4min

II. Nativos

*Ad Libitum e
senza misura*

50"

Vibráfono

brillante

mp

Marimba

pp

Lamentoso ($\text{♩} = 68$, $\text{♩} = 102$, $\text{♩} = 204$)

Vib.

Mrb.

Vib.

l/2 pedal

mp

II. Nativos

8

A

Vib.

20

This section consists of four measures. The Vibraphone (Vib.) part features a continuous eighth-note pattern on the first three staves, with a dynamic of **p**. The Marimba (Mrb.) part consists of two staves: the top staff plays eighth notes with a dynamic of **mf**, and the bottom staff plays eighth-note pairs with a dynamic of **mf**.

Vib.

24

This section consists of four measures. The Vibraphone (Vib.) part starts with a sixteenth-note pattern followed by eighth notes. The Marimba (Mrb.) part continues its eighth-note pattern. Measure 27 includes a key change to **C** major and a time signature change to **3/4**. Measures 28-29 show a continuation of the patterns, with the Marimba part reaching a dynamic of **f**.

B

Vib.

28

This section consists of four measures. The Vibraphone (Vib.) part begins with a dynamic of **f** and a complex eighth-note pattern. The Marimba (Mrb.) part follows with a dynamic of **mf**. Measures 29-30 show a continuation of the patterns. Measures 31-32 show a final section of the patterns, with the Marimba part reaching a dynamic of **mf**.

II. Nativos

9

34

Vib.

Mrb.

40

Vib.

Mrb.

Ad Libitum e
senza misura

$\text{♩} = 60$

46

Vib.

Ad Libitum e
senza misura

$\text{♩} = 60$

Mrb.

10 *Ad Libitum e
senza misura* 10"

Vib. *pp*

Mrb. *pp*

II. Nativos

C = 60

52 Lamentoso ($\text{♩} = 68$, $\text{♩} = 102$, $\text{♩} = 204$)

Vib.

Mrb.

Vib.

Mrb.

57

Vib.

pp

f

Mrb.

pp

f pp

61

Vib.

Mrb.

p

mf

mf

66

Vib.

Mrb.

p

f

p

f pp

70

Vib.

C

ff

1/2 pedal

p

ff

8:5

p

Mrb.

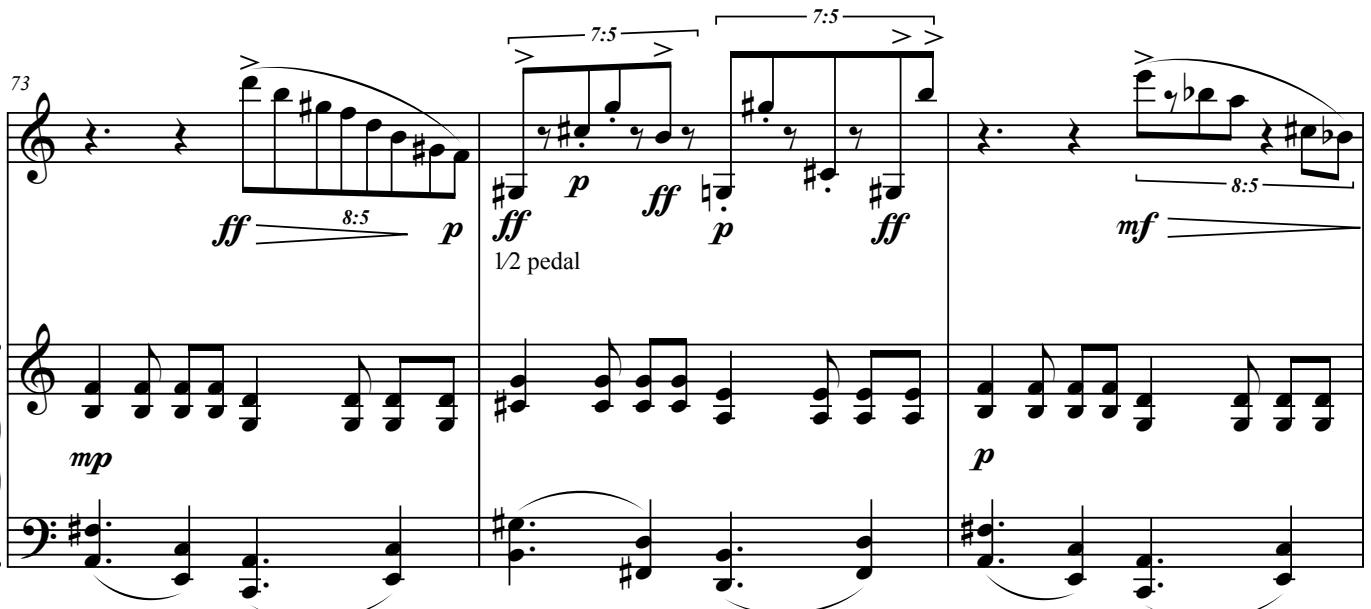
mf

ff

8:5

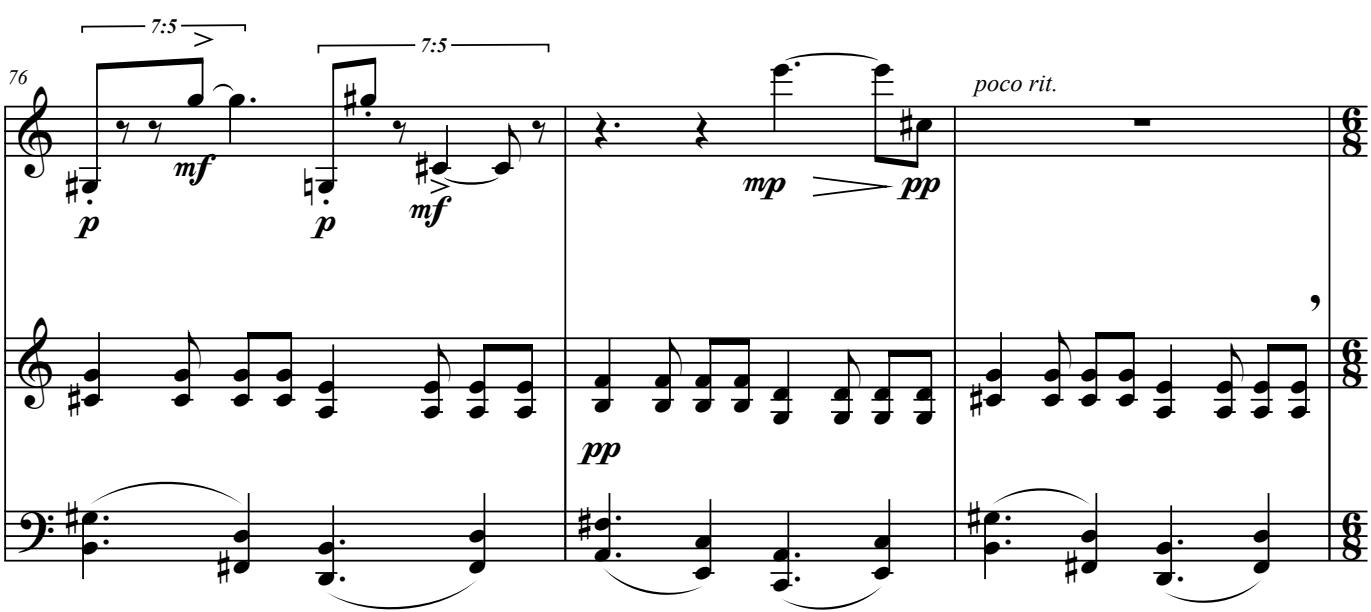
II. Nativos

73

Vib. 

Mrb.

76

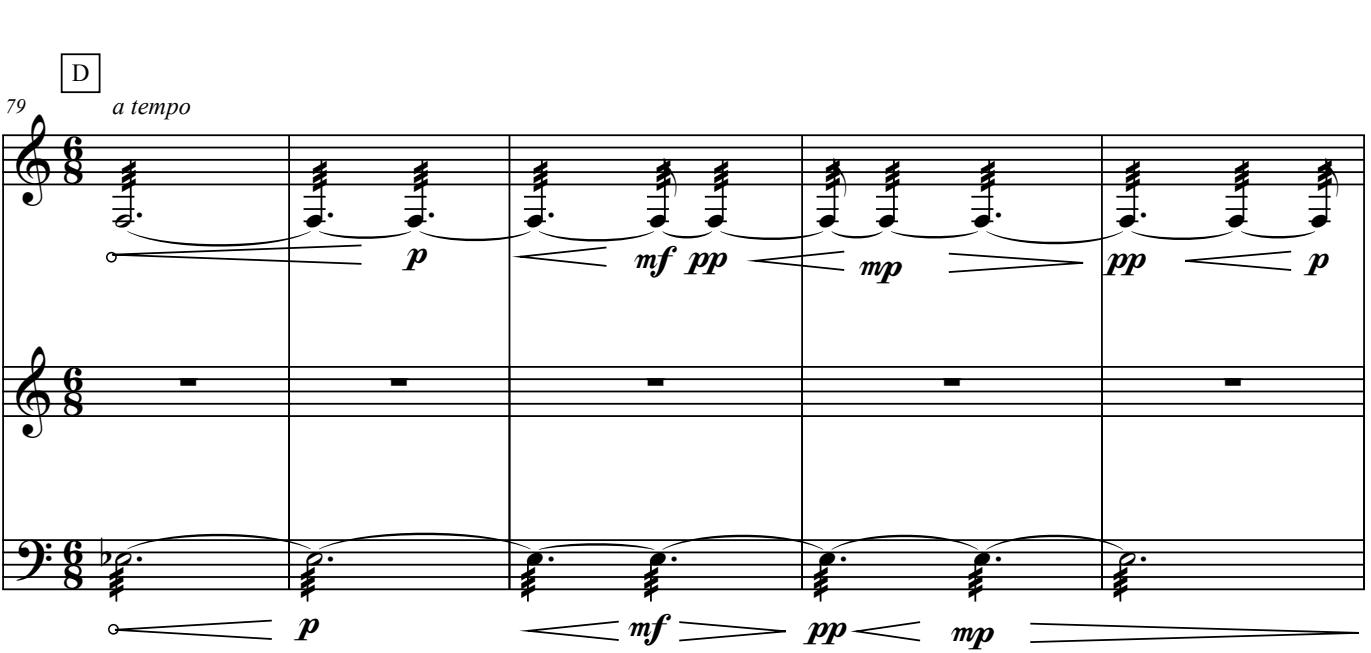
Vib. 

Mrb.

D

a tempo

79

Vib. 

Mrb.

84

Vib.

Mrb.

pp

p

90

Vib.

Mrb.

mf

96

Vib.

Mrb.

mf

This musical score consists of three systems of two staves each, for Vibraphone (Vib.) and Marimba (Mrb.).

System 1 (Measures 84-85):

- Vibraphone:** Rests in measure 84. In measure 85, eighth-note patterns (F#-G-A-G, C-D-E-D) are played.
- Marimba:** Eighth-note patterns (B-A-G-F#) in measure 84. In measure 85, eighth-note patterns (C-B-A-G) are played. A dynamic ***p*** is indicated.

System 2 (Measures 90-91):

- Vibraphone:** Eighth-note patterns (F#-G-A-G, C-D-E-D) in measure 90. In measure 91, eighth-note patterns (F#-G-A-G, C-D-E-D) are played.
- Marimba:** Sixteenth-note patterns (B-A-G-F#) in measure 90. In measure 91, sixteenth-note patterns (C-B-A-G) are played. A dynamic ***mf*** is indicated.

System 3 (Measures 96-97):

- Vibraphone:** Eighth-note patterns (F#-G-A-G, C-D-E-D) in measure 96. In measure 97, eighth-note patterns (F#-G-A-G, C-D-E-D) are played.
- Marimba:** Eighth-note patterns (B-A-G-F#) in measure 96. In measure 97, eighth-note patterns (C-B-A-G) are played. A dynamic ***mf*** is indicated.

Musical score for Vibraphone (Vib.) and Marimba (Mrb.) in 2/4 time. The score consists of two systems of four measures each. Measure 14 starts with a forte dynamic (***f***). The Vibraphone part (top) plays eighth-note pairs with grace notes. The Marimba part (bottom) has a bass line with sustained notes. Measure 15 begins with a forte dynamic (***f***). The Vibraphone part continues its eighth-note pairs. The Marimba part's bass line changes, featuring eighth-note pairs. Measures 16-17 show a continuation of these patterns. Measure 18 begins with a forte dynamic (***f***). The Vibraphone part continues its eighth-note pairs. The Marimba part's bass line changes again, featuring eighth-note pairs. Measure 19 concludes the section.

Musical score for Vibraphone (Vib.) and Marimba (Mrb.) starting at measure 104. The Vibraphone part consists of two staves. The top staff has a treble clef, a key signature of one flat, and a common time signature. It features eighth-note patterns with grace notes and dynamic markings like \flat , \sharp , and v . The bottom staff has a bass clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a common time signature. It features eighth-note patterns with grace notes and dynamic markings like \flat , \sharp , and v . The Marimba part consists of two staves. The top staff has a bass clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a common time signature. It features eighth-note patterns with grace notes and dynamic markings like \flat , \sharp , and v . The bottom staff has a bass clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a common time signature. It features eighth-note patterns with grace notes and dynamic markings like \flat , \sharp , and v . The score includes dynamic markings *ff* above the Marimba staves.

Brillante ♩ = 60

107

Vib.

Mrb.

pp ff

mf sin pedal

p

pp

pp ff

mf 3

p

pp

II. Nativos

15

110

Vib.

Mrb. {

ff

p mf

ff

p mf

113

Vib.

Mrb. {

f

mf

p

p#

mf

p

f

116

Vib.

Mrb. {

pp

1/2 pedal

pp

Dur. Aprox. 6min

III. Lucha

Rítmico y agresivo $\text{♩} = 75$

Vibráfono

Marimba

Vib.

Mrb.

6

10

1/2 pedal

Mrb.

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17

Vib.

Mrb.

A

mf *f*

mp

— 3 — 3 — 3 — 3 —

Vib.

Mrb.

mf *ff* *p* *mf*

— 3 — 3 — 3 — 3 — 3 — 3 — 3 — 3 —

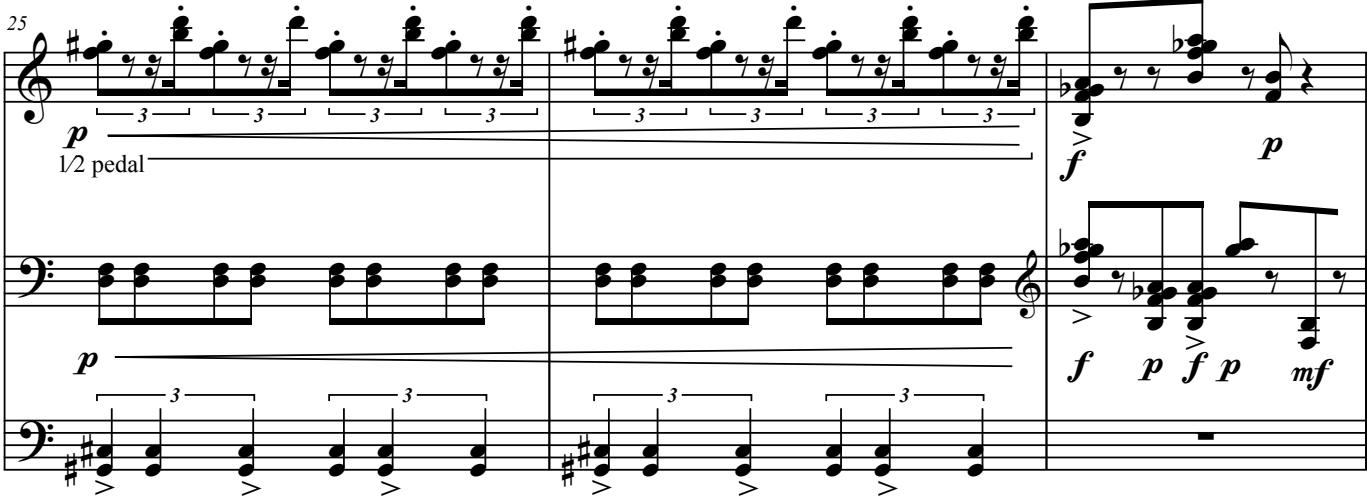
Vib.

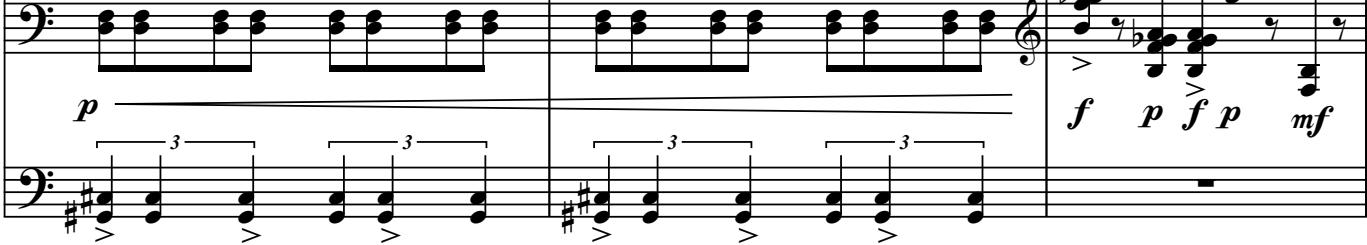
Mrb.

mf *ff*

— 3 — 3 — 3 — 3 — 3 — 3 —

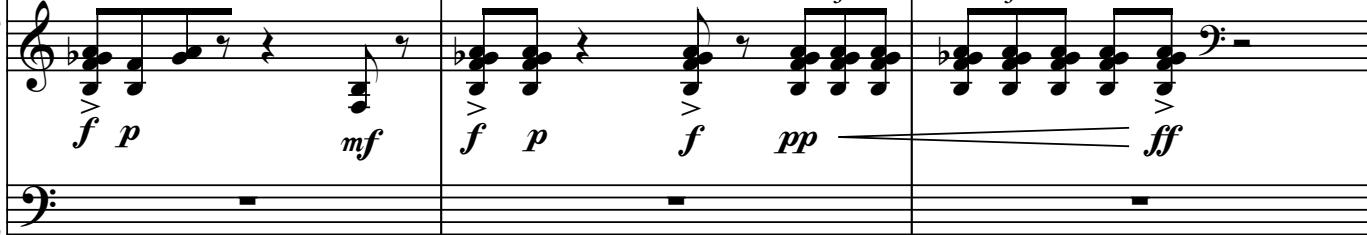
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Vib. 

Mrb. 

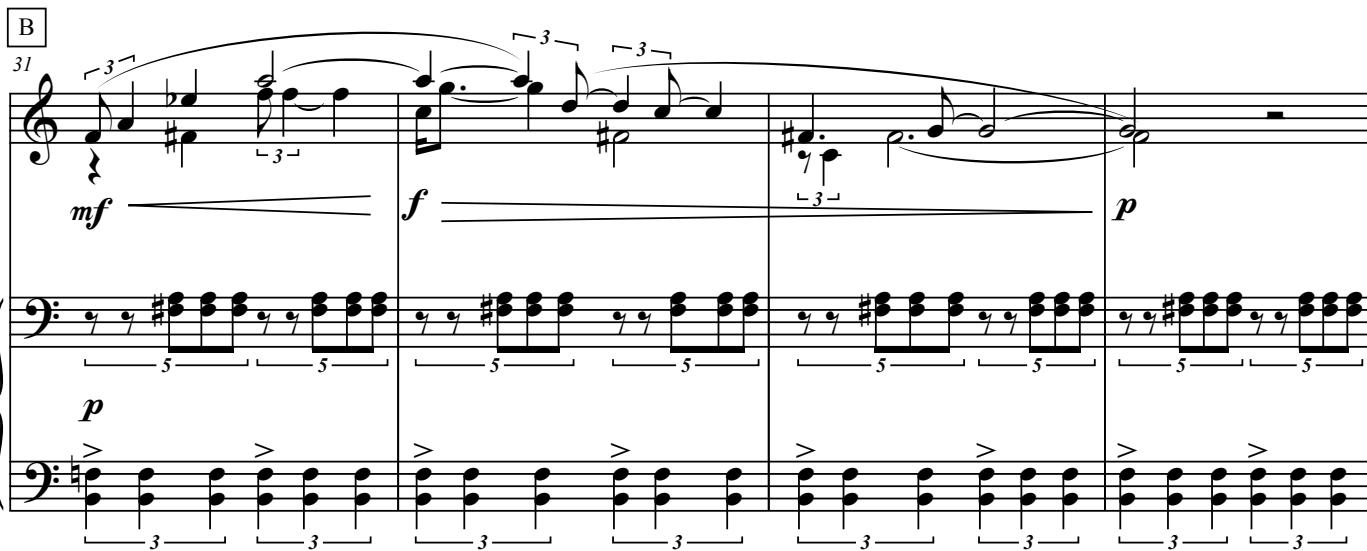
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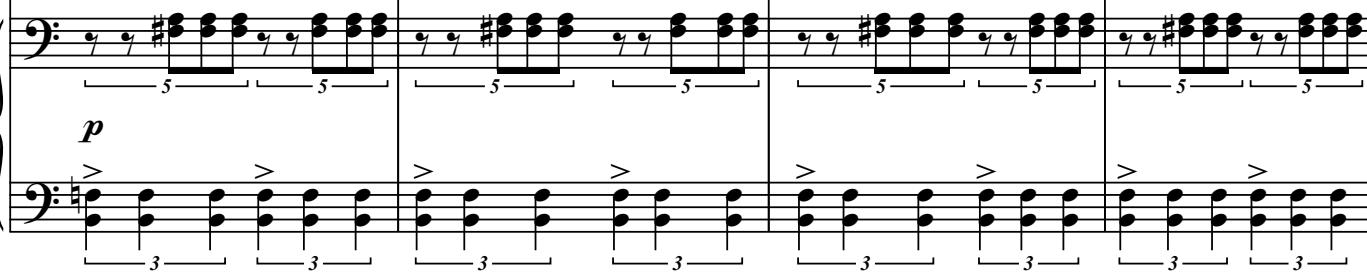
Vib. 

Mrb. 

B

31

Vib. 

Mrb. 

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19

35

Vib.

Mrb.

f

1/2 pedal

f

f

f

f

38

Vib.

Mrb.

p

p

poco rit.

p

meno mosso $\text{♩} = 60$

44

Vib.

Mrb.

pp $\overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^6$ *f* $\overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^6$ *pp*

1/2 pedal

f

p $\overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^6$ *mf* $\overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^6$ *p*

mf $\overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^3$ $\overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^3$ $\overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^3$ $\overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^3$ *pp* $\overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^3$ *mf* $\overbrace{\hspace{1cm}}^3$

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20

Vib. 47 ***pp*** no tremolo

Mrb. ***pp*** ***f*** ***fp*** ***mf*** ***p*** ***pp*** ***1/2 pedal***

Vib. 50 ***f*** ***pp*** ***pp*** ***f*** ***pp*** ***f*** ***p*** ***f*** ***f subito*** ***pp*** ***mf*** ***f*** ***pp*** ***f***

Vib. 54 C ***mf*** ***1/2 pedal*** ***mp***

Mrb. ***p*** ***f*** ***sfp*** ***ff*** ***sfp*** ***mf*** ***fp*** ***mp*** ***pp***

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21

58

Vib.

f ————— *pp*

dolce

mp

pp ————— *mf* *p* —————

62

Vib.

fp ————— *mf* ————— *pp*

p ————— *3* ————— *5* ————— *mf* ————— *p*

1/2 pedal

pp

p ————— *3* ————— *f* ————— *fp* —————

66

Vib.

mf

6 ————— *p*

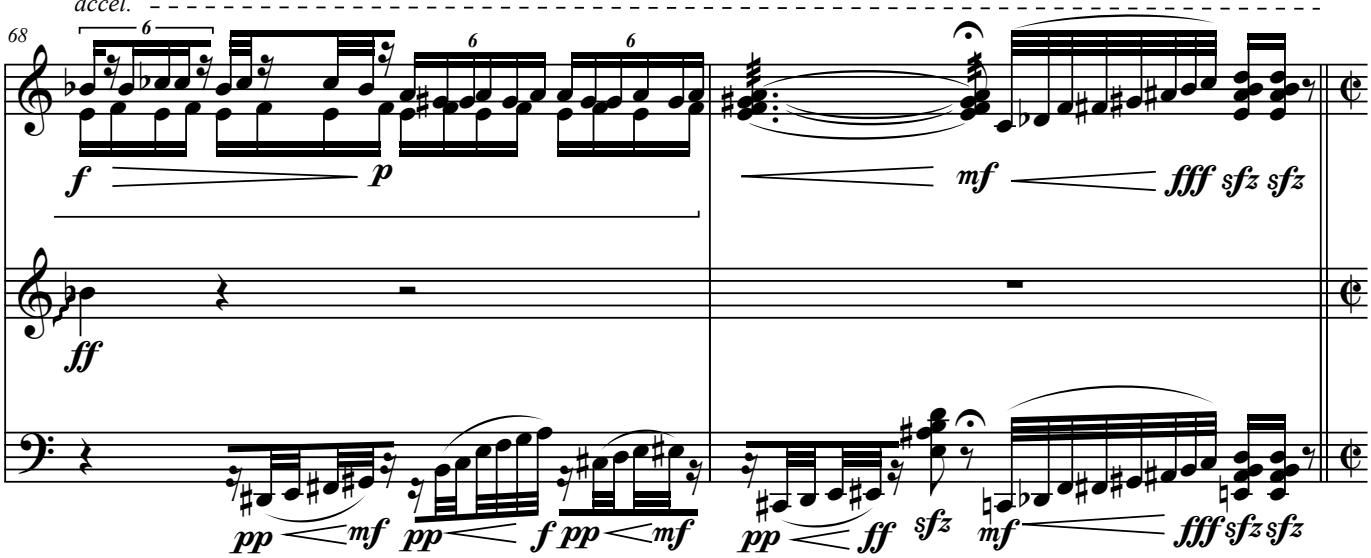
f ————— *p* ————— *f*

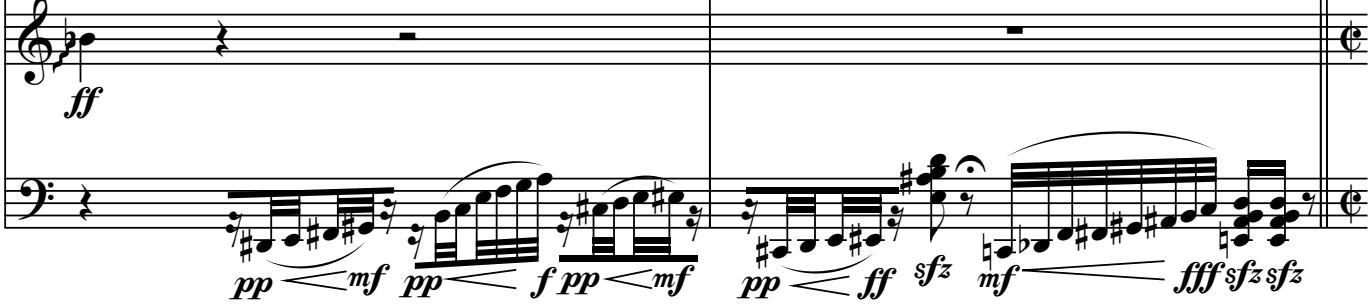
Mrb.

sffz

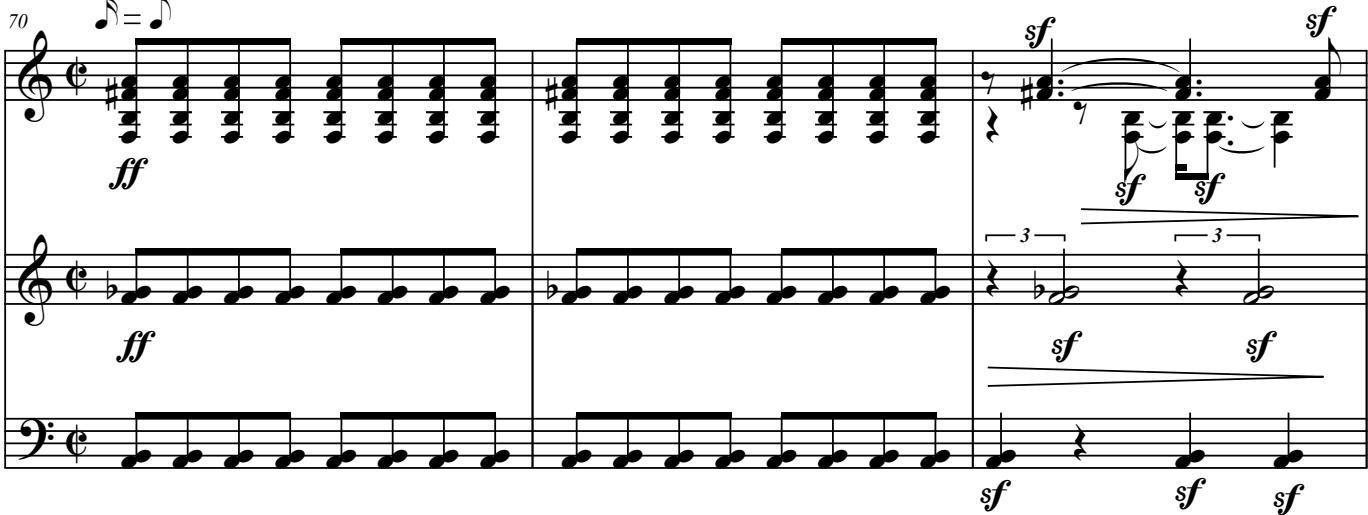
pp ————— *f* ————— *pp* —————

accel.

Vib. 68 

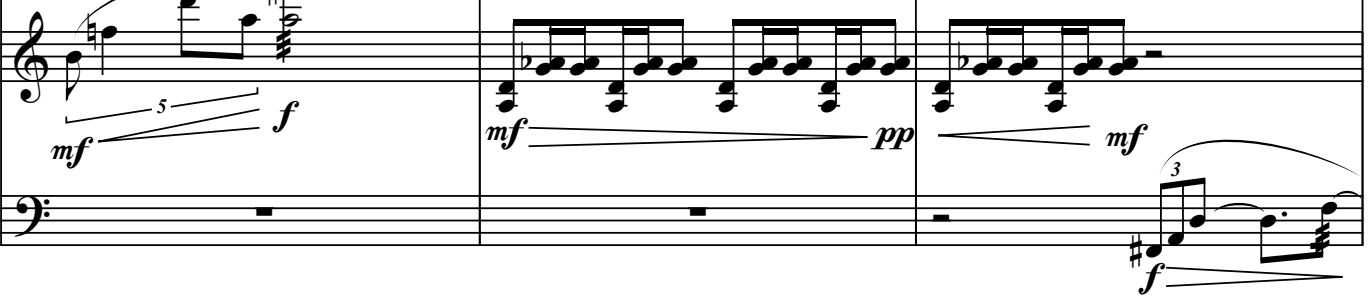
Mrb. 

E Rítmico y agresivo $\text{♩} = 75$

Vib. 70 

Mrb. 

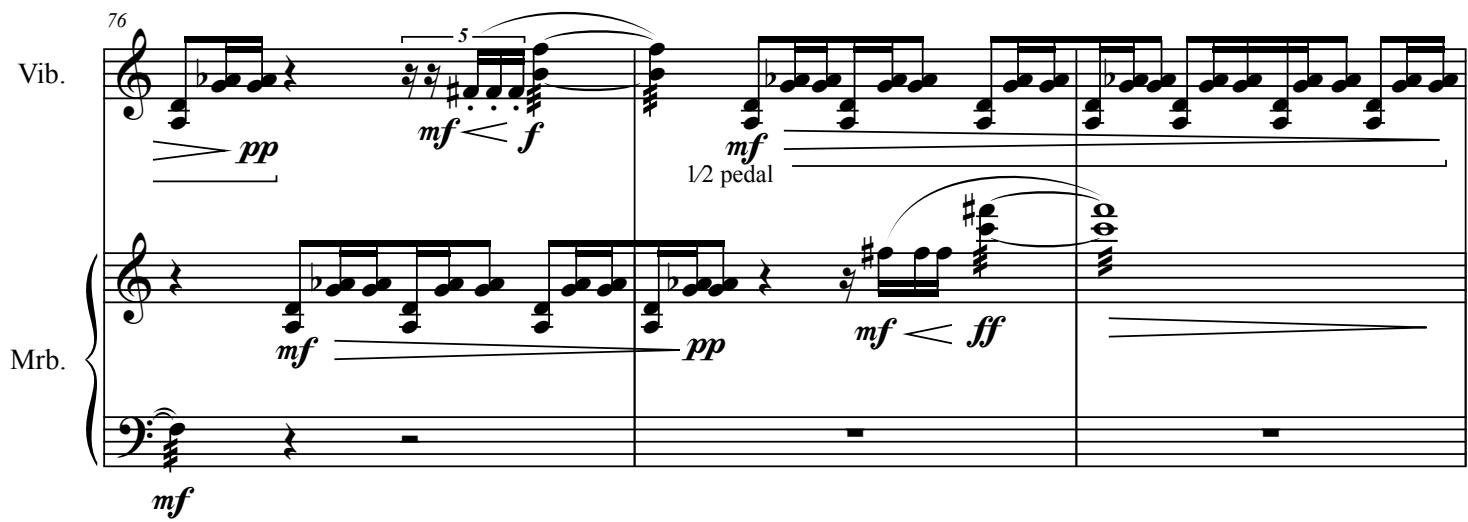
Vib. 73 

Mrb. 

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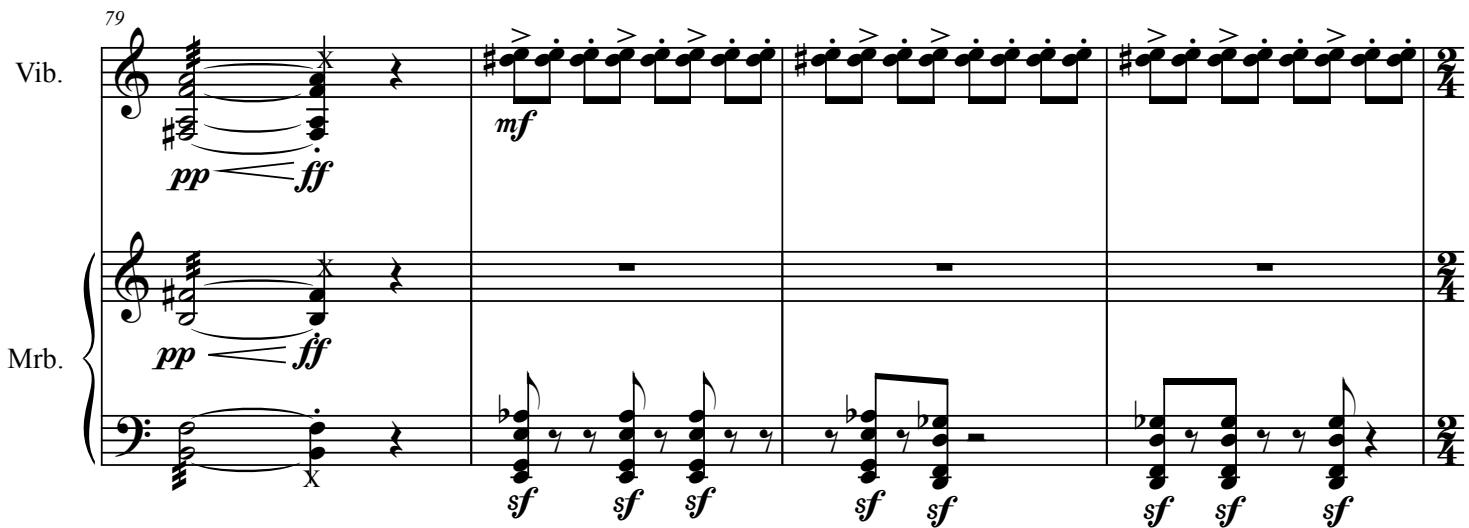
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Vib. 

Mrb.

mf

79

Vib. 

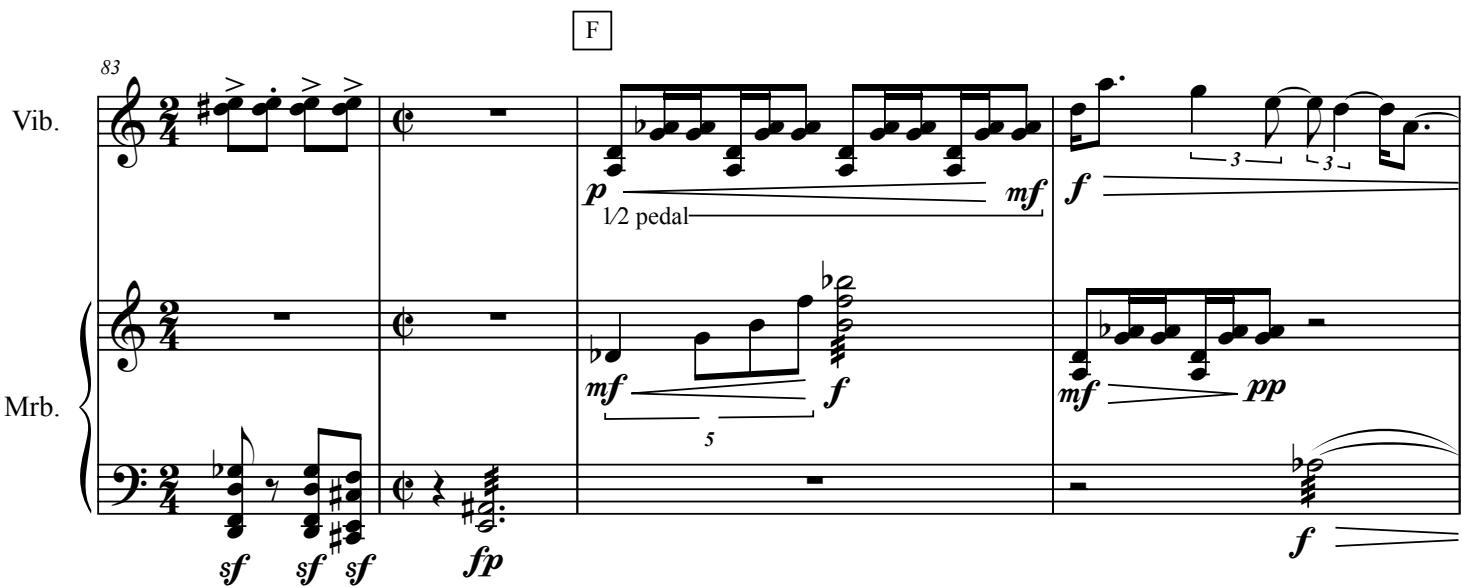
Mrb.

pp *ff*

sf *sf* *sf* *sf* *sf* *sf*

83

F

Vib. 

Mrb.

ff *p* *mf* *f* *pp*

sf *sf* *sf* *fp* *f*

87

Vib.

1/2 pedal

Mrb.

mf *f* *p*

pp

Detailed description: This musical score page contains two staves. The top staff is for the Vibraphone (Vib.) and the bottom staff is for the Marimba (Mrb.). Measure 87 starts with a single note on the Vibraphone followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Dynamic markings include *p*, *mf*, and *p*. A instruction "1/2 pedal" is placed under the first measure. Measure 88 begins with a rest, followed by a sixteenth-note pattern on the Marimba. Dynamic markings include *mf*, *f*, and *p*. Measure 89 starts with a sixteenth-note pattern on the Vibraphone, followed by a sustained note. Dynamic markings include *mf*, *p*, and *ff*.

90

Vib.

mf *p*

1/2 pedal

Mrb.

ff *ff* *mf* *p*

Detailed description: This musical score page contains two staves. The top staff is for the Vibraphone (Vib.) and the bottom staff is for the Marimba (Mrb.). Measure 90 starts with a sixteenth-note pattern on the Vibraphone. Dynamic markings include *mf* and *p*. A instruction "1/2 pedal" is placed under the first measure. Measure 91 begins with a sustained note on the Marimba. Dynamic markings include *ff*. Measure 92 starts with a sixteenth-note pattern on the Vibraphone. Dynamic markings include *ff*, *ff*, *mf*, and *p*.

93

Vib.

ffp *ff* *f* *p* *f* *p*

Mrb.

ffp *ff* *f* *p* *f* *p*

Detailed description: This musical score page contains two staves. The top staff is for the Vibraphone (Vib.) and the bottom staff is for the Marimba (Mrb.). Measure 93 starts with a sixteenth-note pattern on the Vibraphone. Dynamic markings include *ffp* and *ff*. Measures 94-95 show eighth-note patterns on both instruments. Dynamic markings include *f*, *p*, and *f*.

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25

97

Vib. 

Mrb.

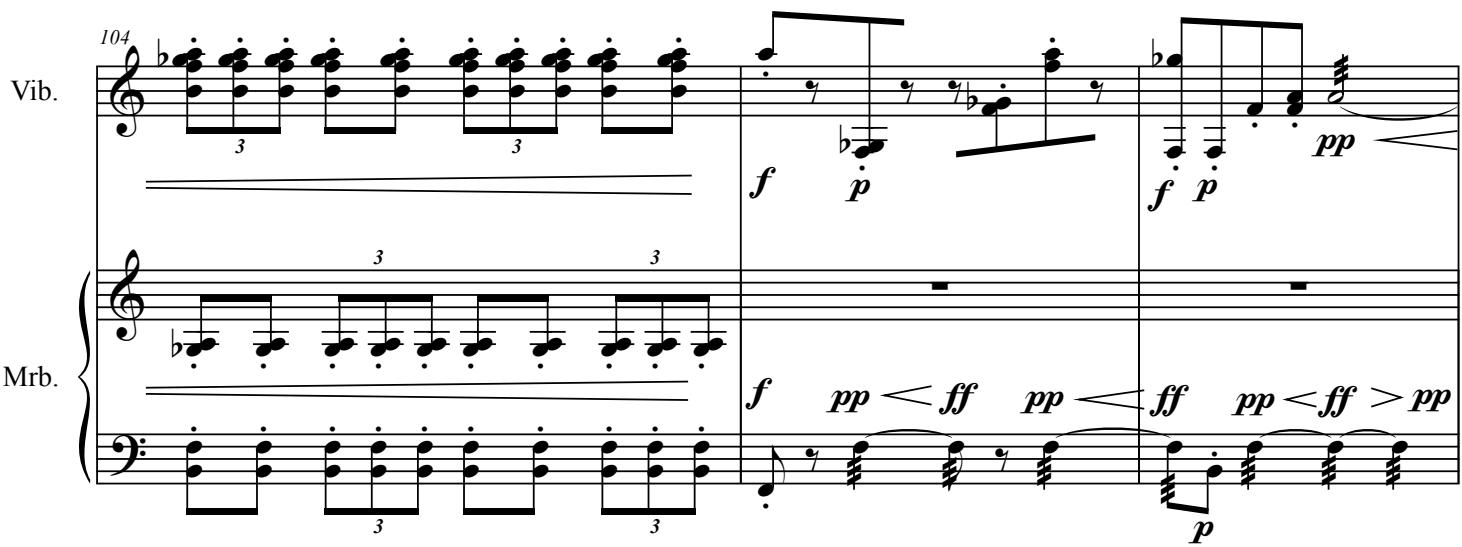
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100

Vib. 

Mrb.

104

Vib. 

Mrb.

107

Vib. *ff* > *pp* *f* *p* < *ff* *p* *ff* > *pp* *p* *pp*

Mrb. *pp* < *ff* *pp* < *ff* *pp*

110

Vib. *ff* *pp* < *ff* *pp* *agresivo!* *ff* *estático*

Mrb. *pp* < *ff* *pp* < *ff* *pp* *estático*

112

Vib. *pp* > 5 > 5 > 5 > 5 > 5 > 5 > *ff*

Mrb. *pp* > 3 > 6 > 3 > 6 > 3 > 6 > >