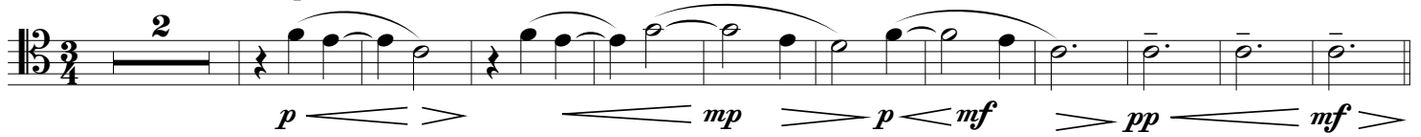
Solo Bassoon

DREAM VARIATIONS

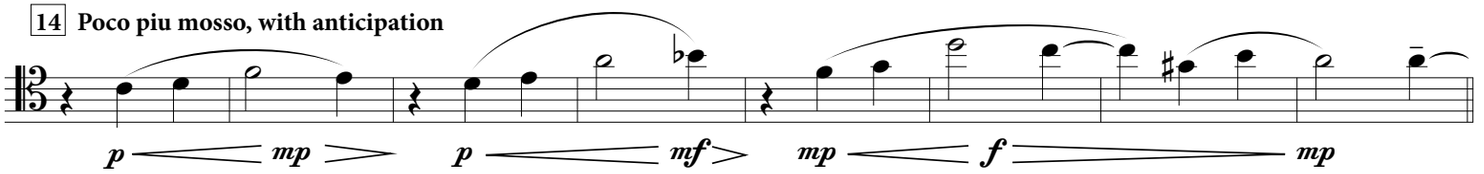
Jacob Bancks (2015)

THEME

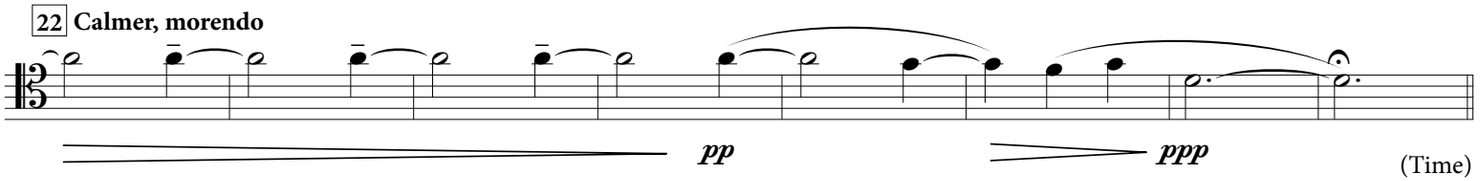
♩ = 76-80, slow, simple



14 **Poco piu mosso, with anticipation**



22 **Calmer, morendo**



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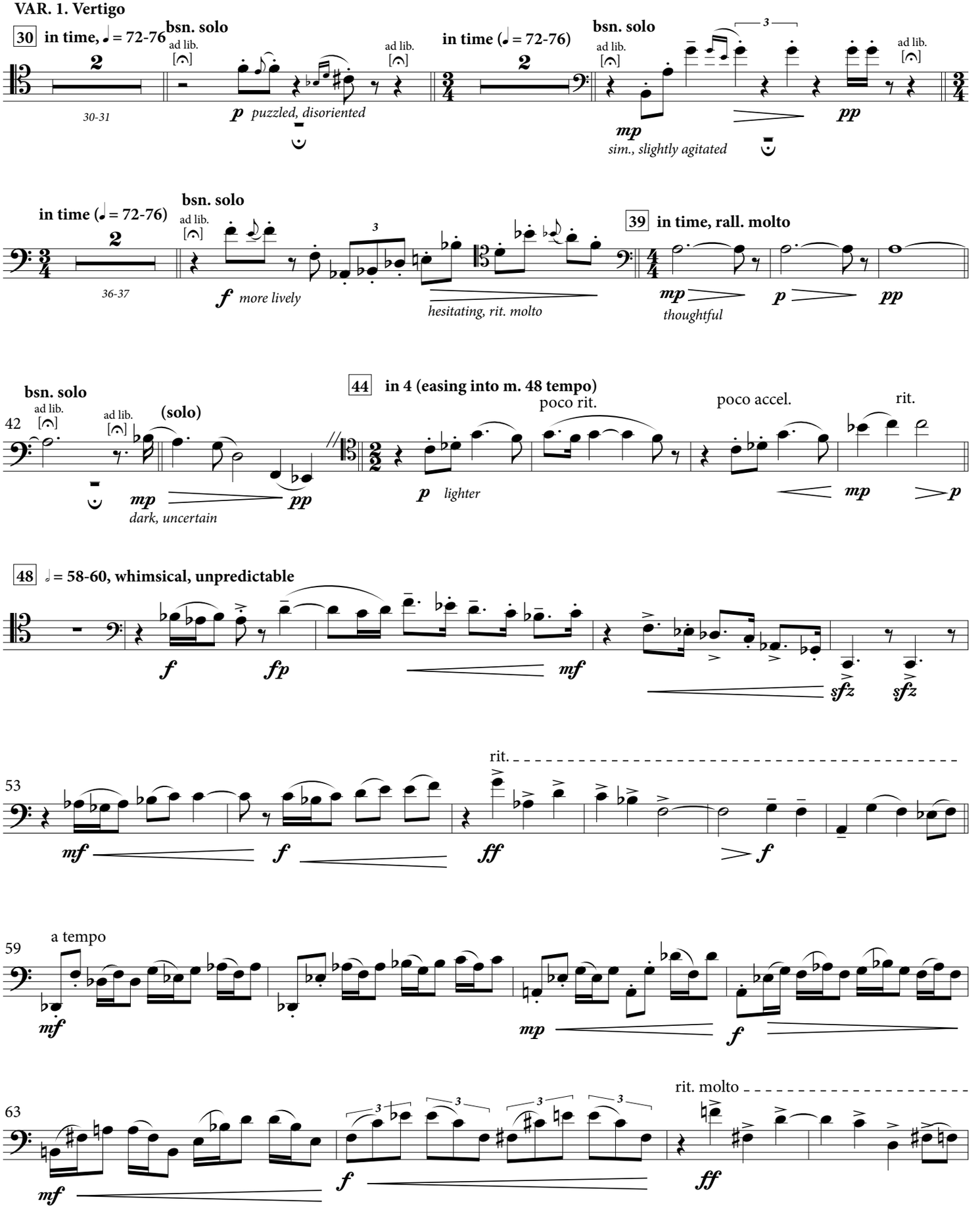
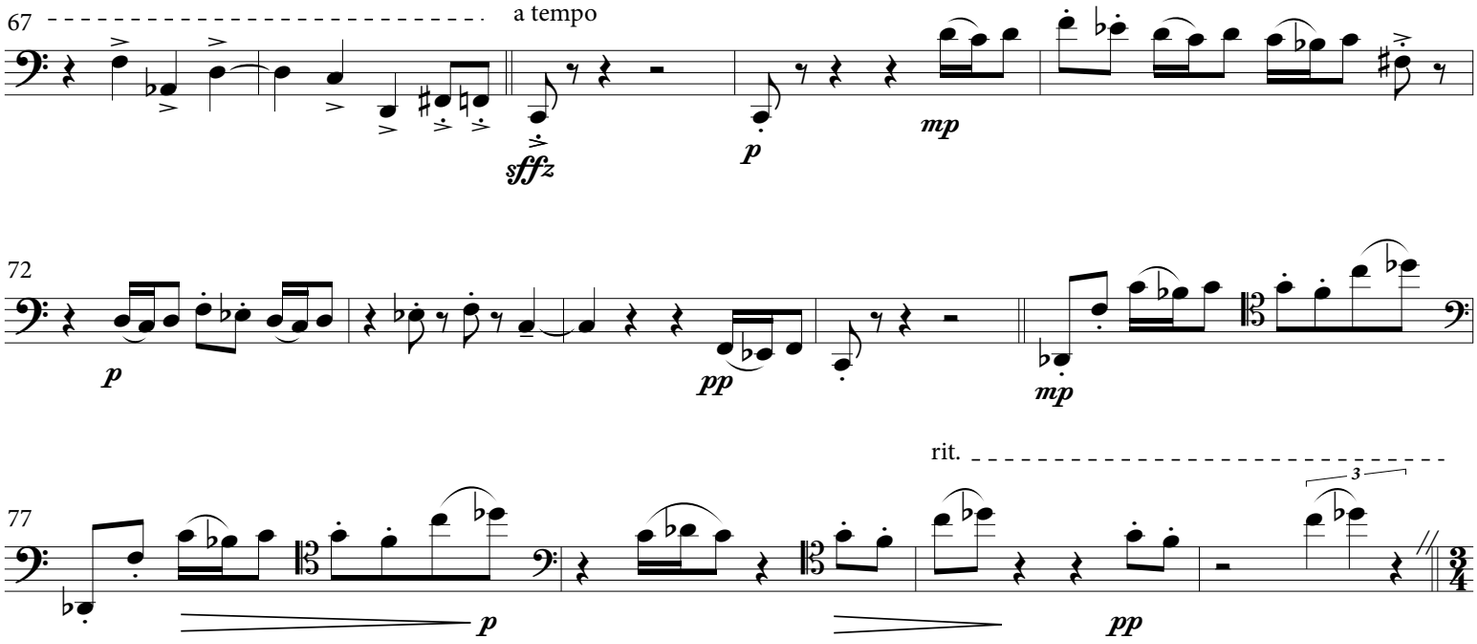
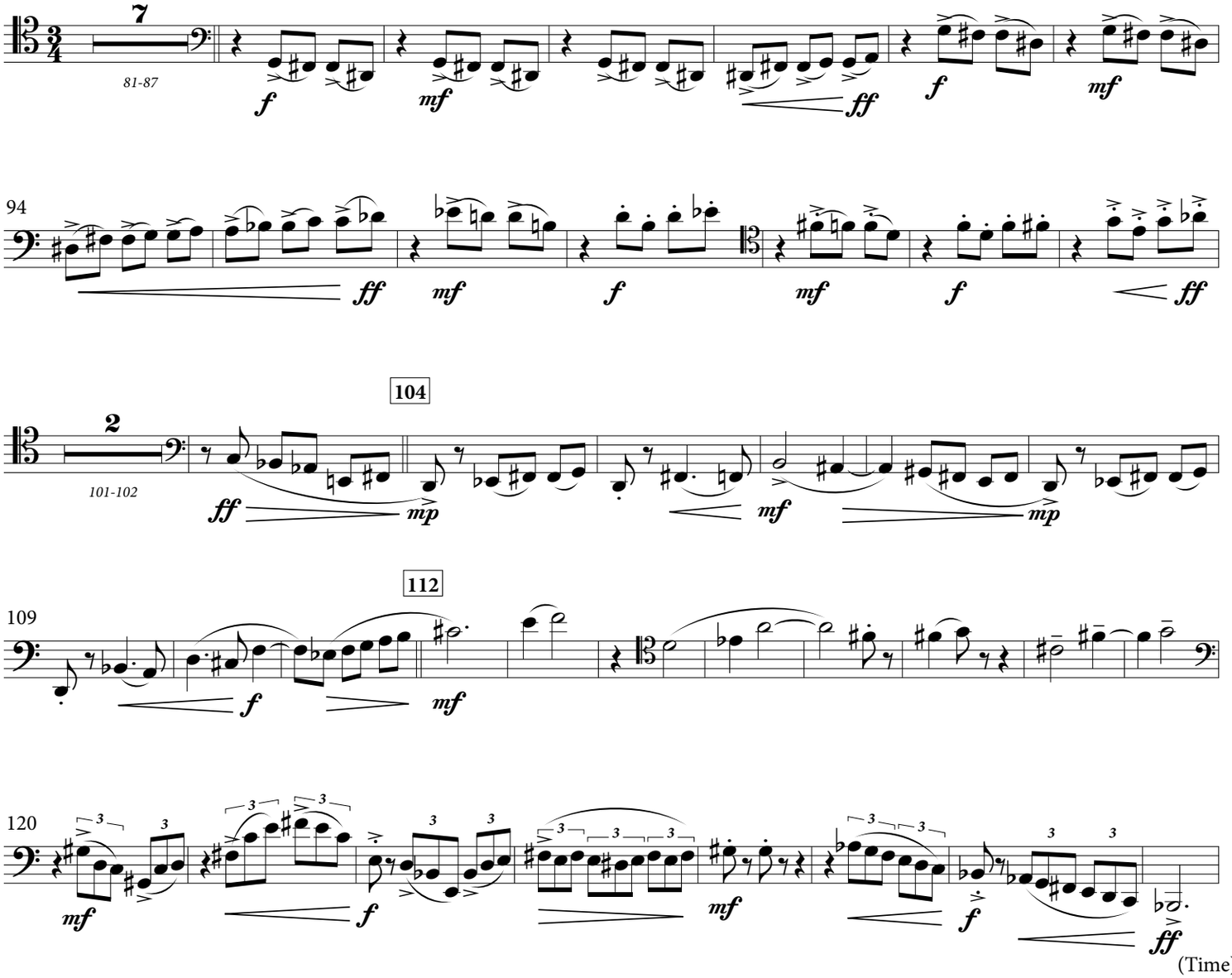
VAR. 1. Vertigo





VAR. 2. High Living

81 ♩. = **80, high-spirited, extravagant, wild**



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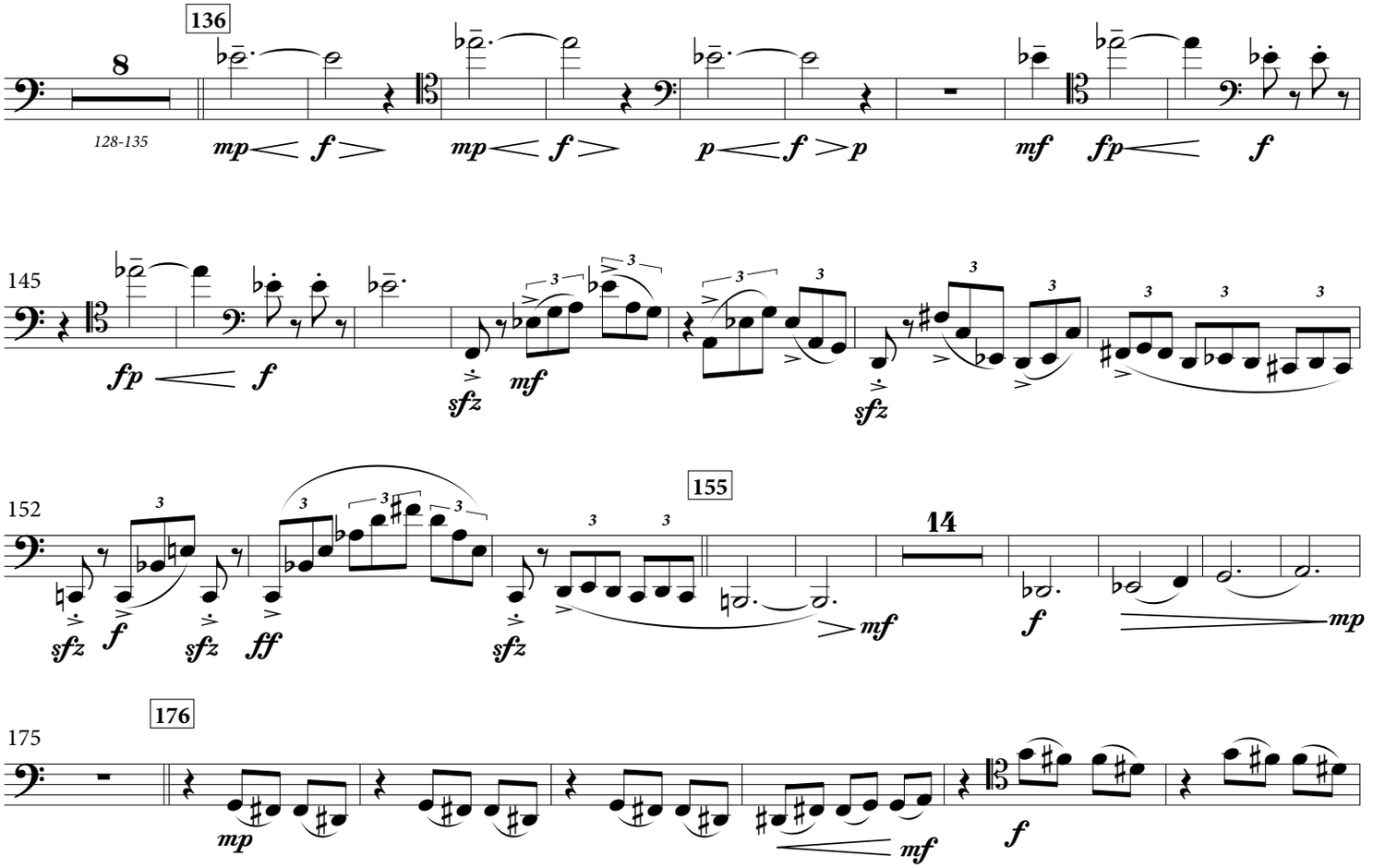
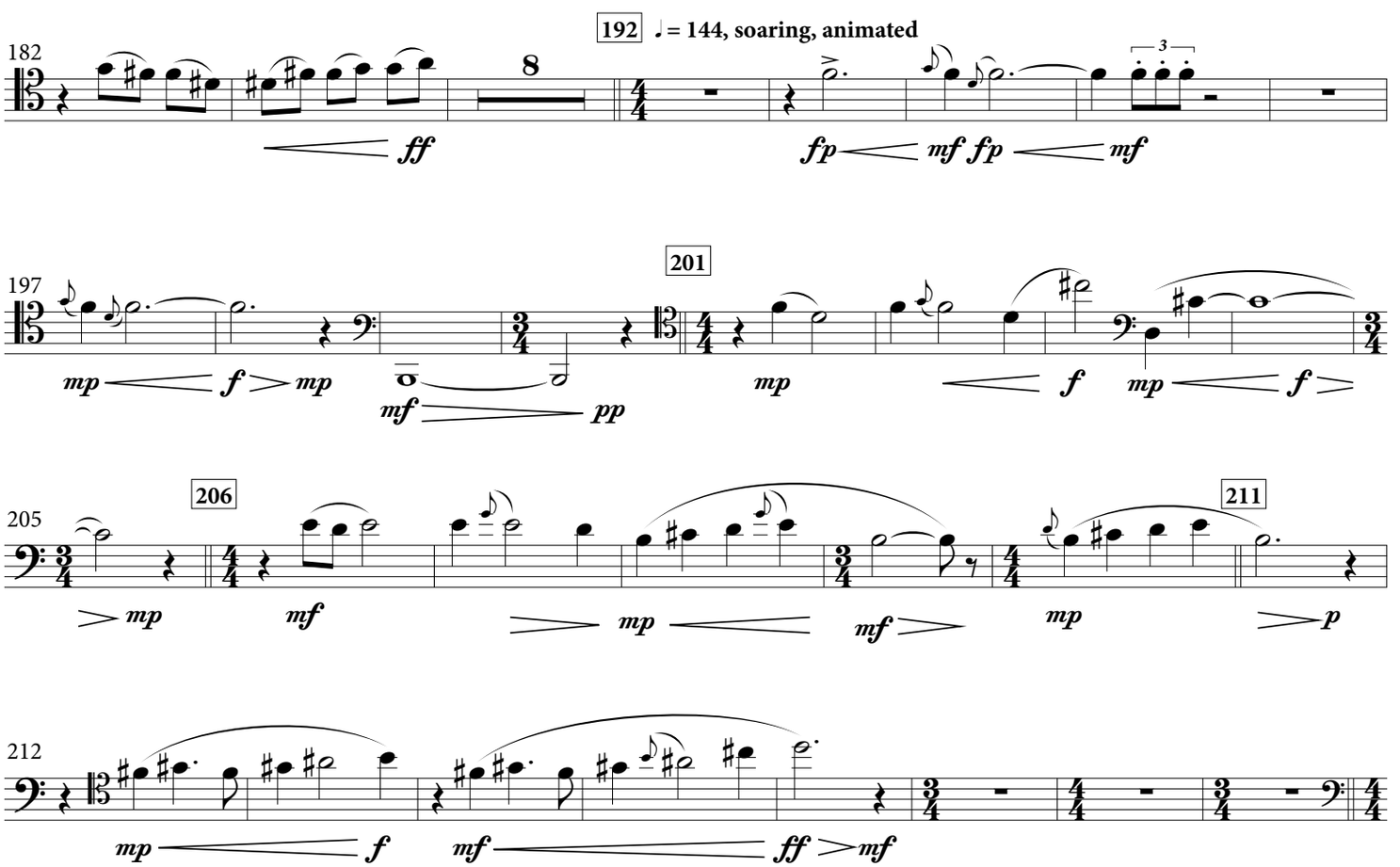
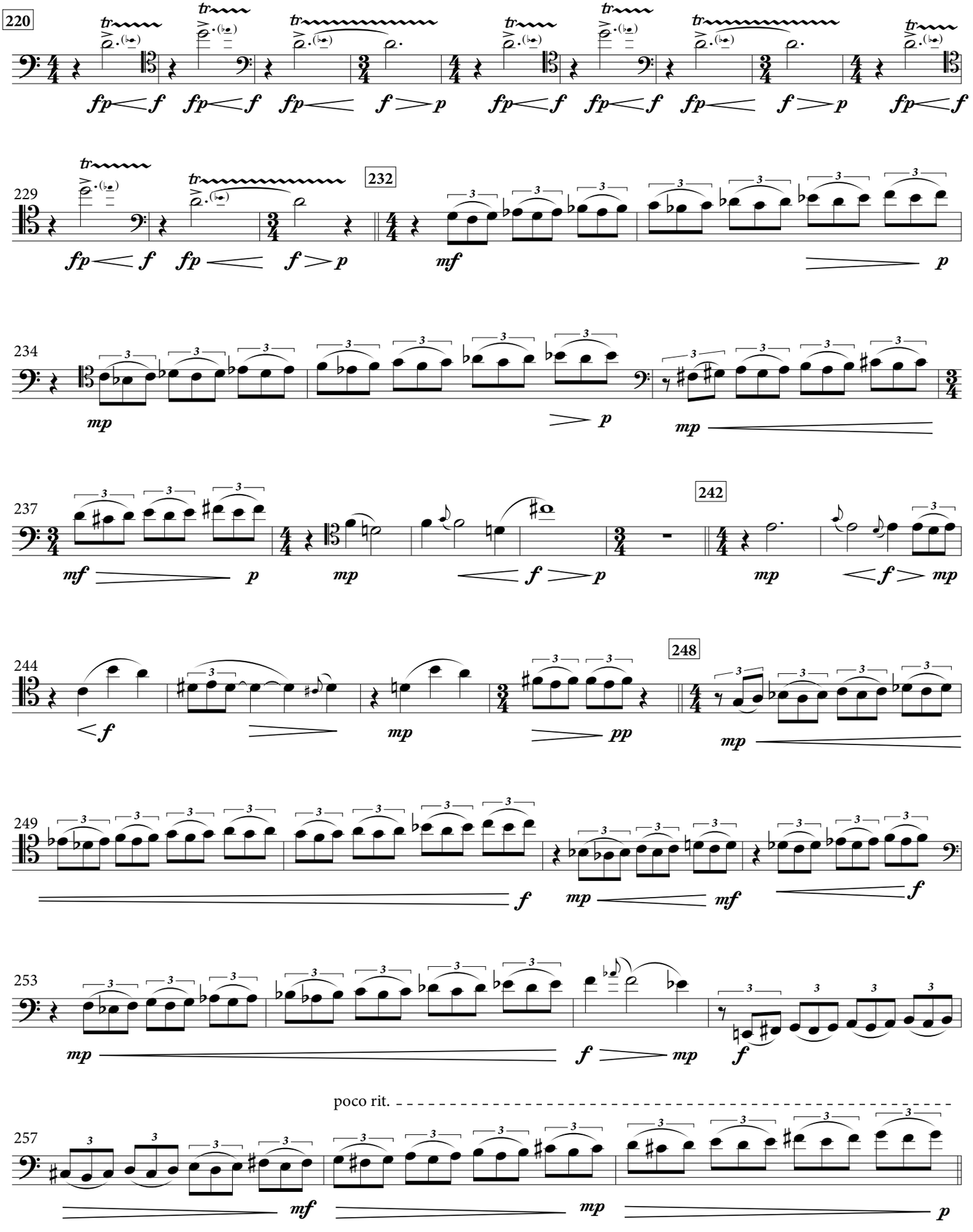


VAR. 3. Airborne

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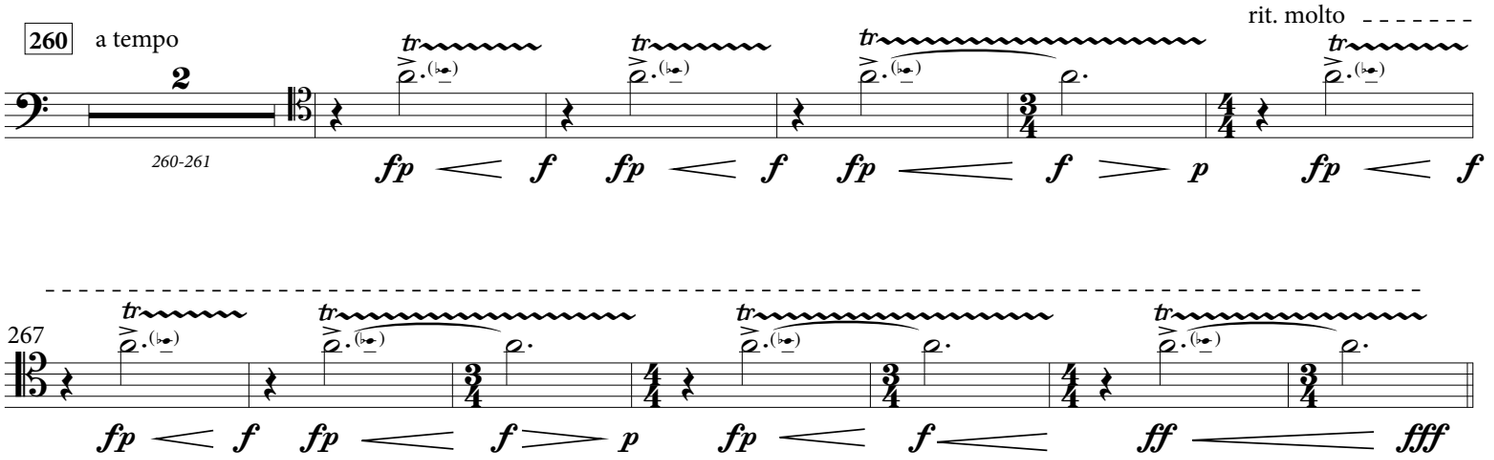
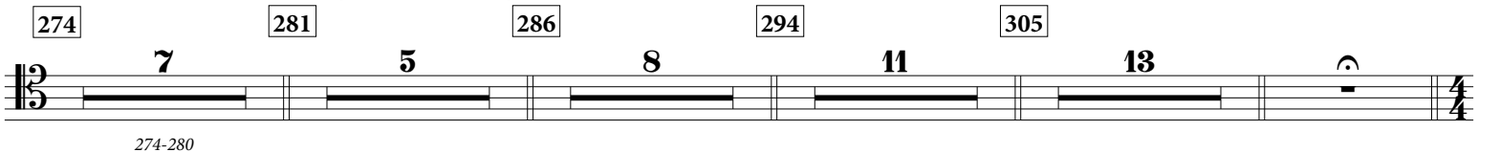
229
232
fp f fp f p mf p
234
mp p mp
237
242
mf p mp f p mp f mp
244
248
f mp pp mp
249
f mp mf f
253
mp f mp f
poco rit.
257
mf mp p
(V.S.)

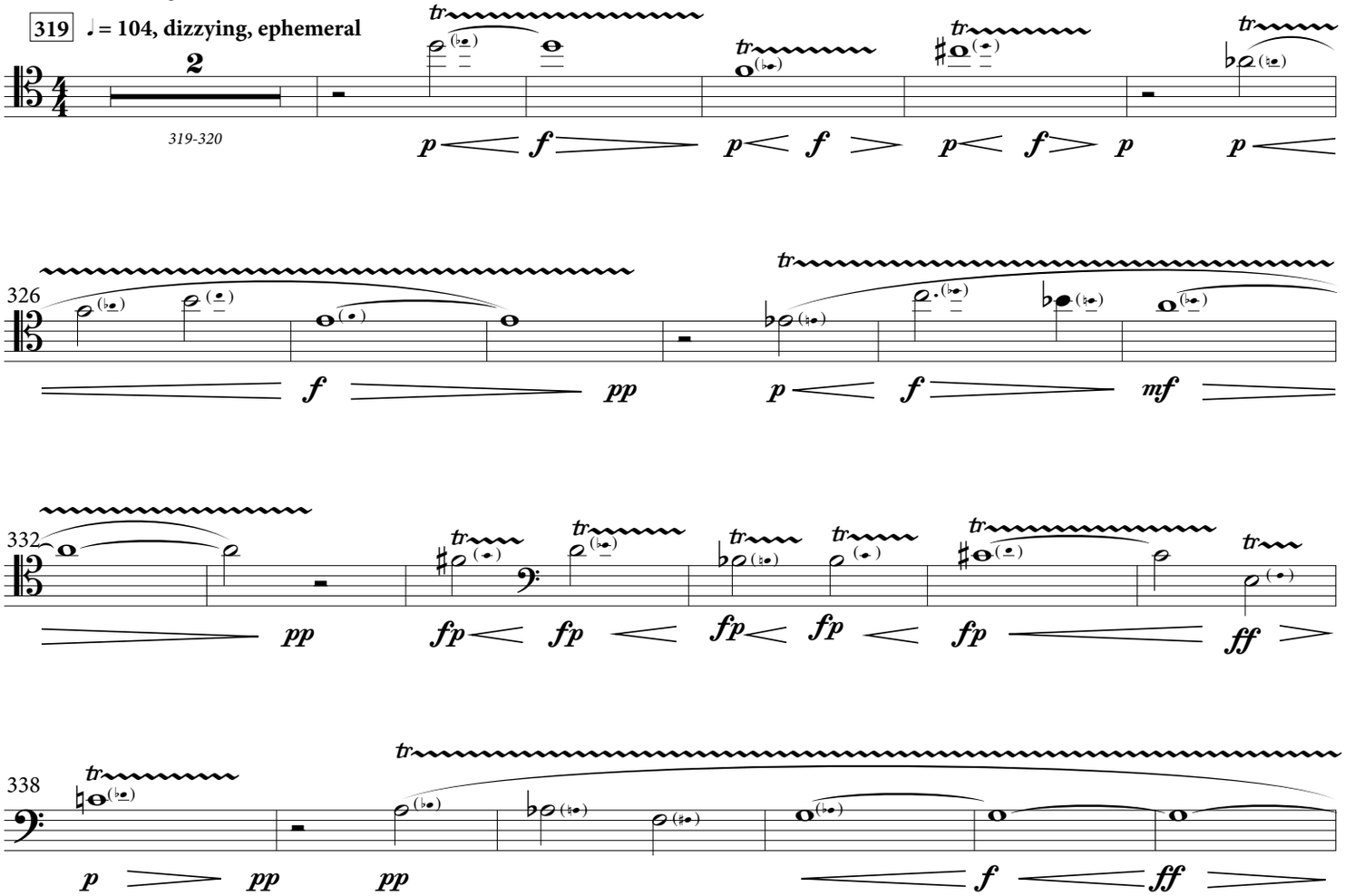


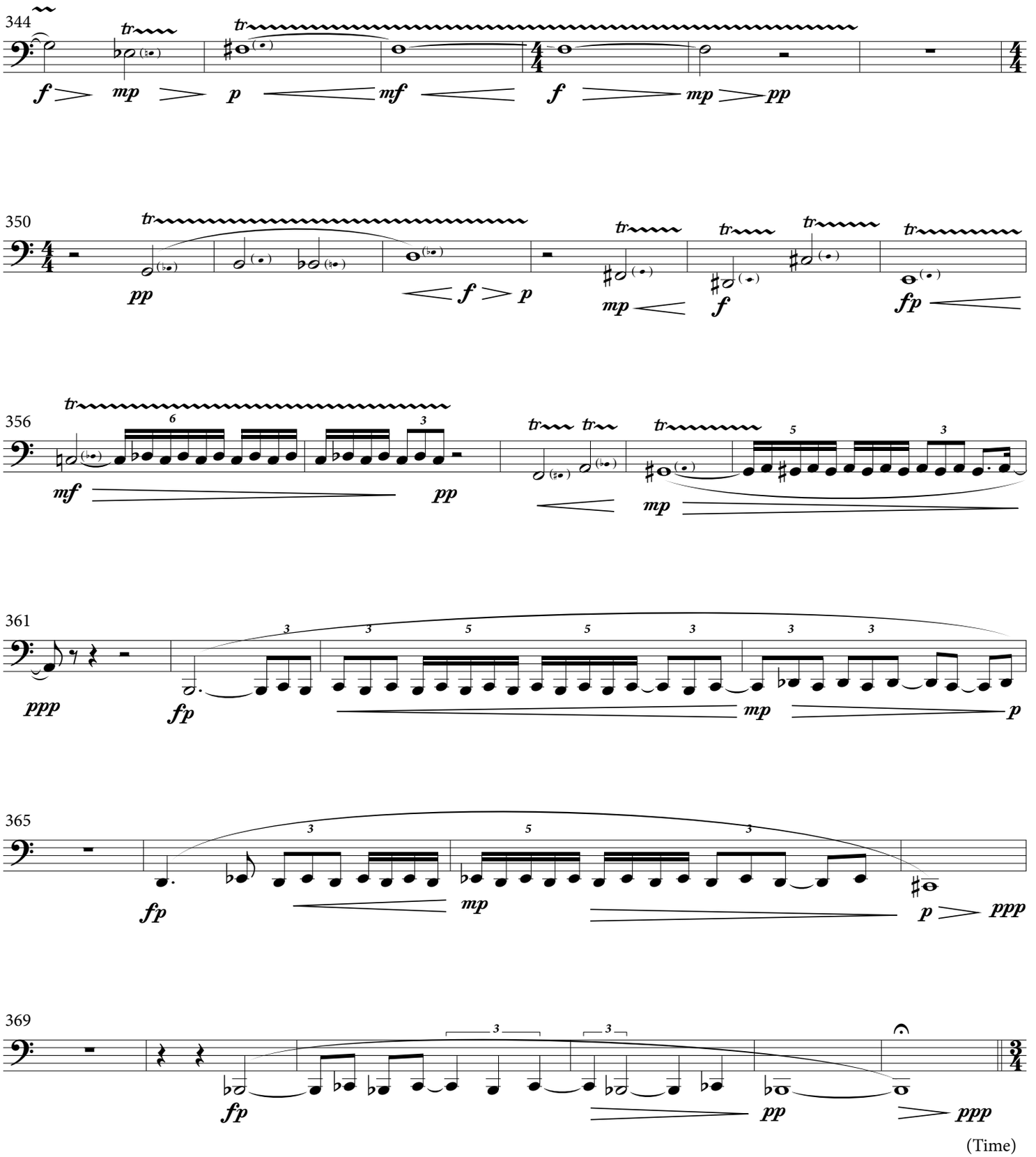
VAR. 4. Carillon Tower

♩ = 72, spectacular, imposing, overwhelming



VAR. 5. Falling

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3 3
fp pp ppp

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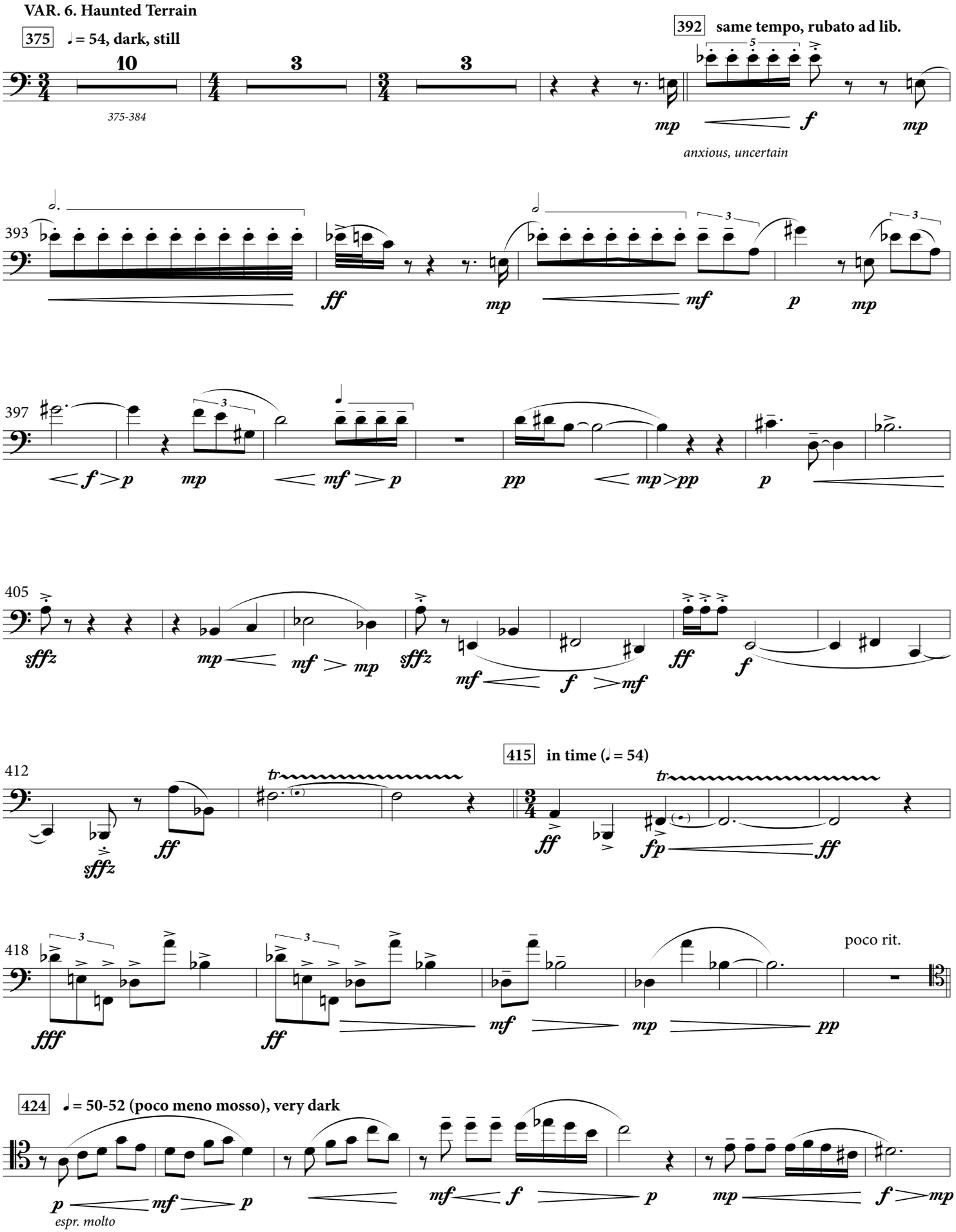
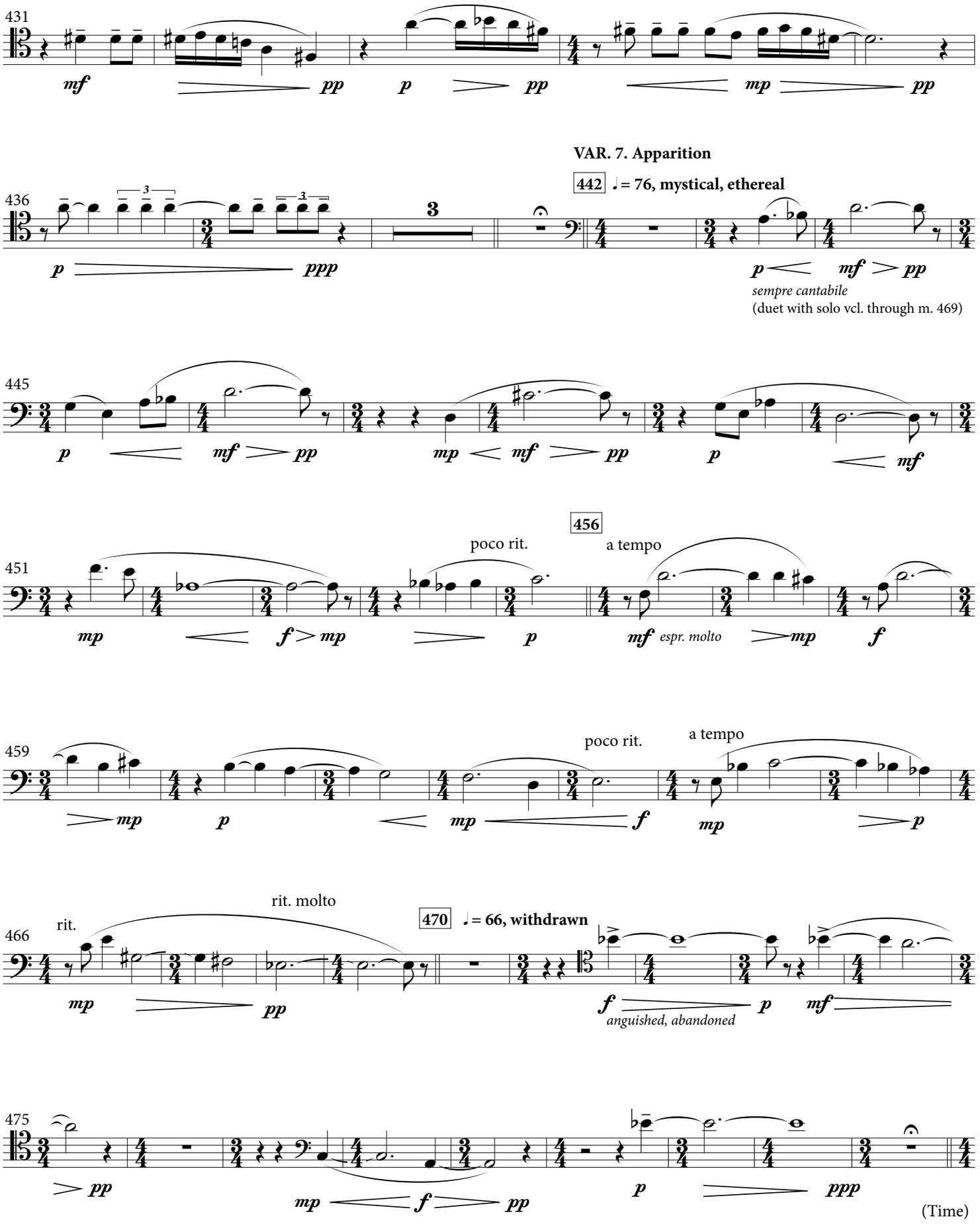

VAR. 6. Haunted Terrain
375 ♩ = 54, dark, still
375-384
392 same tempo, rubato ad lib.
anxious, uncertain
393
397
405
412
415 in time (♩ = 54)
418
poco rit.
424 ♩ = 50-52 (poco meno mosso), very dark
espr. molto


431
mf
pp
p
pp
mp
pp
VAR. 7. Apparition
442 ♩. = 76, mystical, ethereal
436
p
ppp
p
mf
pp
sempre cantabile
(duet with solo vcl. through m. 469)
445
p
mf
pp
mp
mf
pp
p
mf
456
poco rit.
a tempo
451
mp
f
mp
p
mf
espr. molto
mp
f
459
poco rit.
a tempo
mp
p
mp
f
mp
p
rit.
rit. molto
470 ♩. = 66, withdrawn
466
mp
pp
f
anguished, abandoned
p
mf
475
pp
mp
f
pp
p
ppp
(Time)

VAR. 8. Hysteria

484 ♩. = 160, frantic **490**

6

484-489

f

494

498

4

fff *f* *mf*

506

ff *mp*

514

511

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

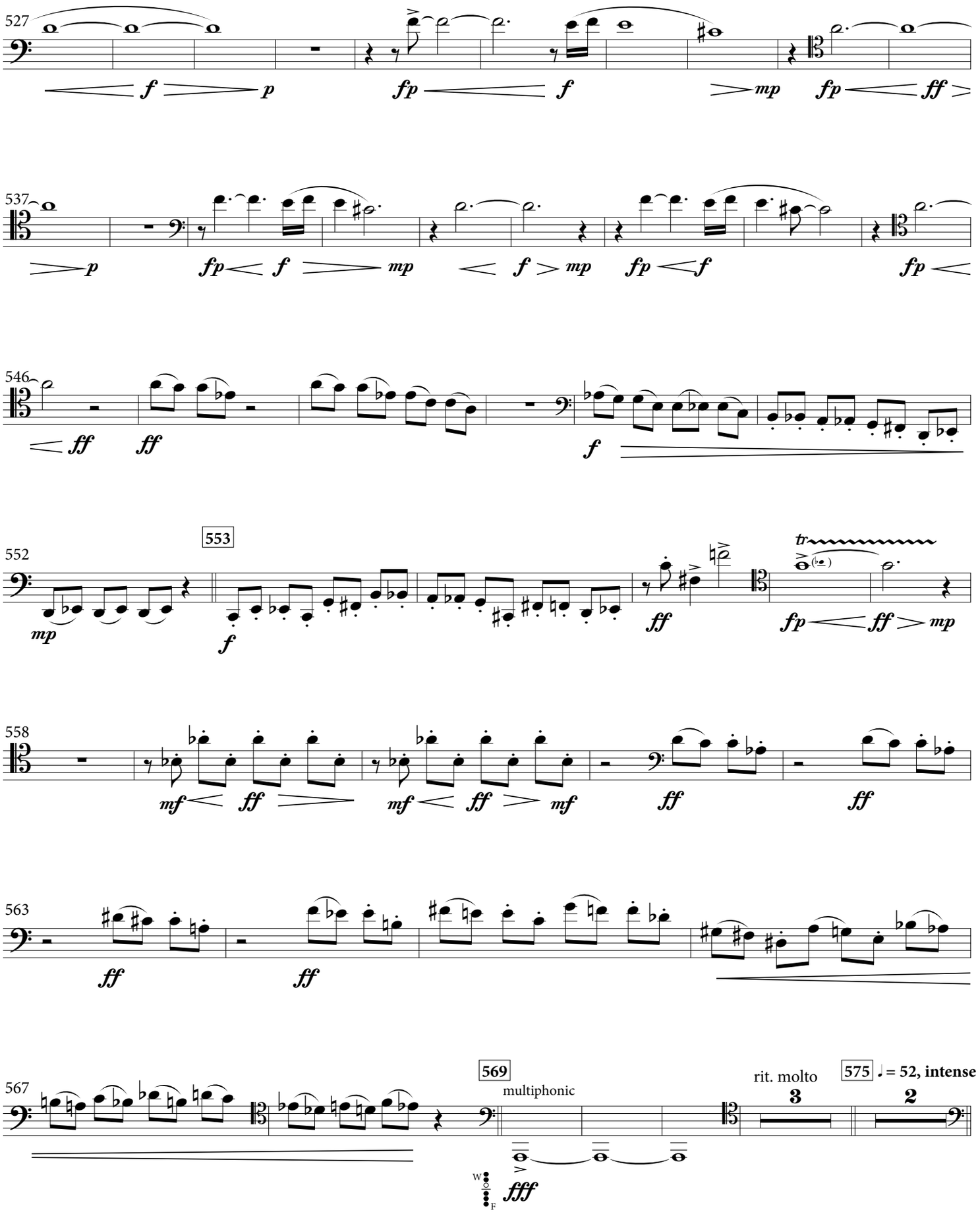
516

sfz *sfz* *mp* *f* *sfz* *sfz* *ff*

523

520

sfz *sfz* *ff* *fp* *f* *mp*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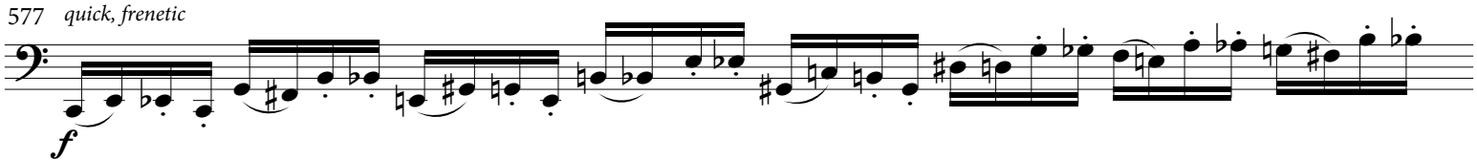
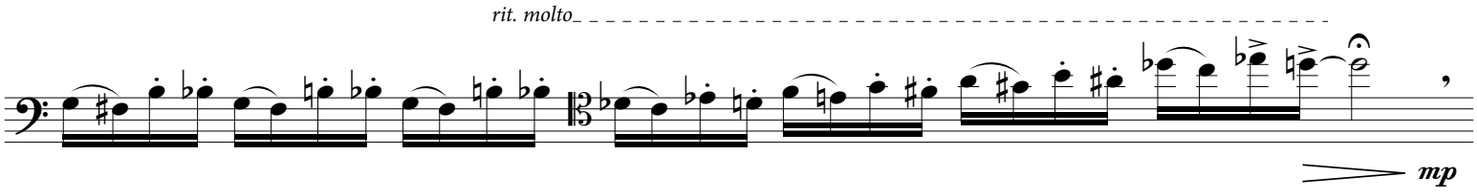
552
553
mp
f
ff
tr
fp
ff
mp
558
mf
ff
mf
ff
mf
ff
ff
563
ff
ff
567
569
multiphonic
fff
rit. molto
3
575
♩ = 52, intense
2

CADENZA

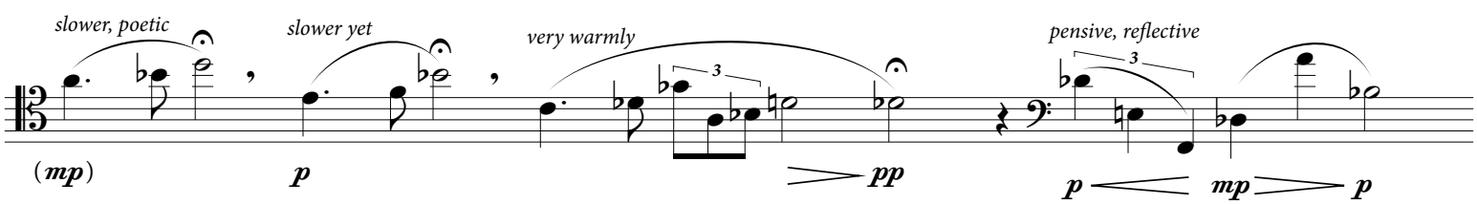
577 *quick, frenetic*



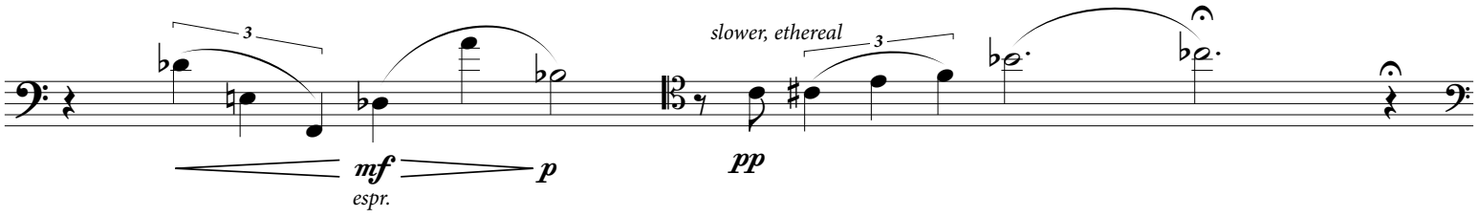
rit. molto



slower, poetic *slower yet* *very warmly* *pensive, reflective*

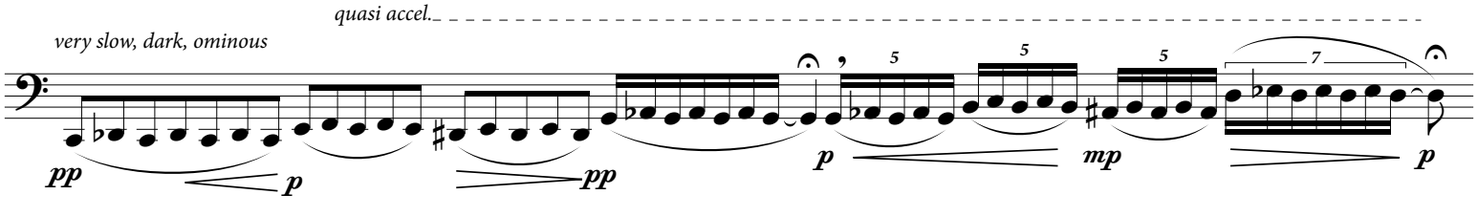


slower, ethereal

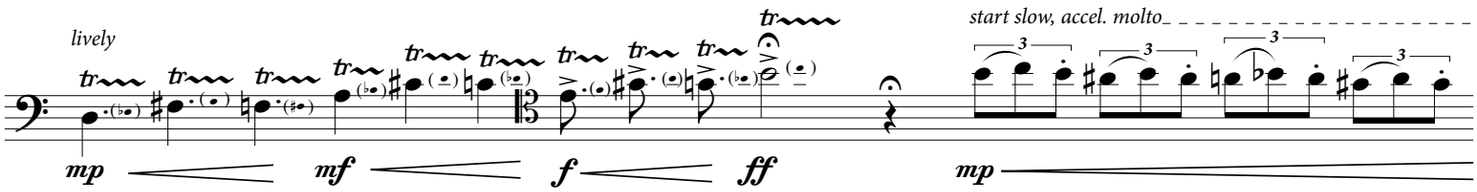


quasi accel.

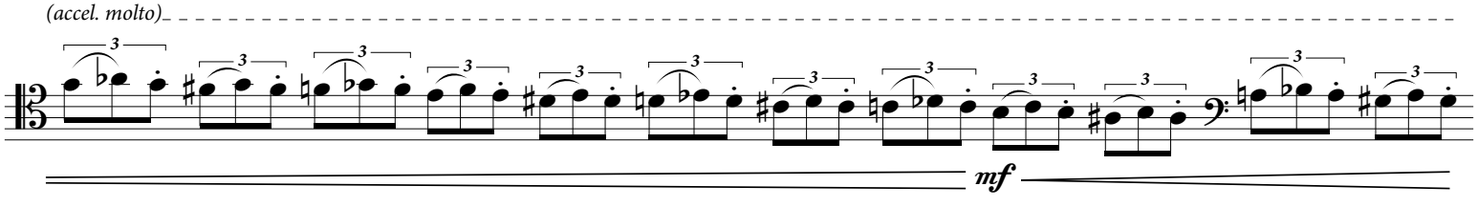
very slow, dark, ominous



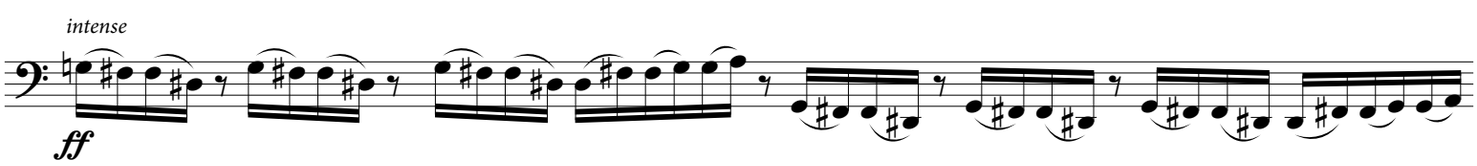
lively *start slow, accel. molto*

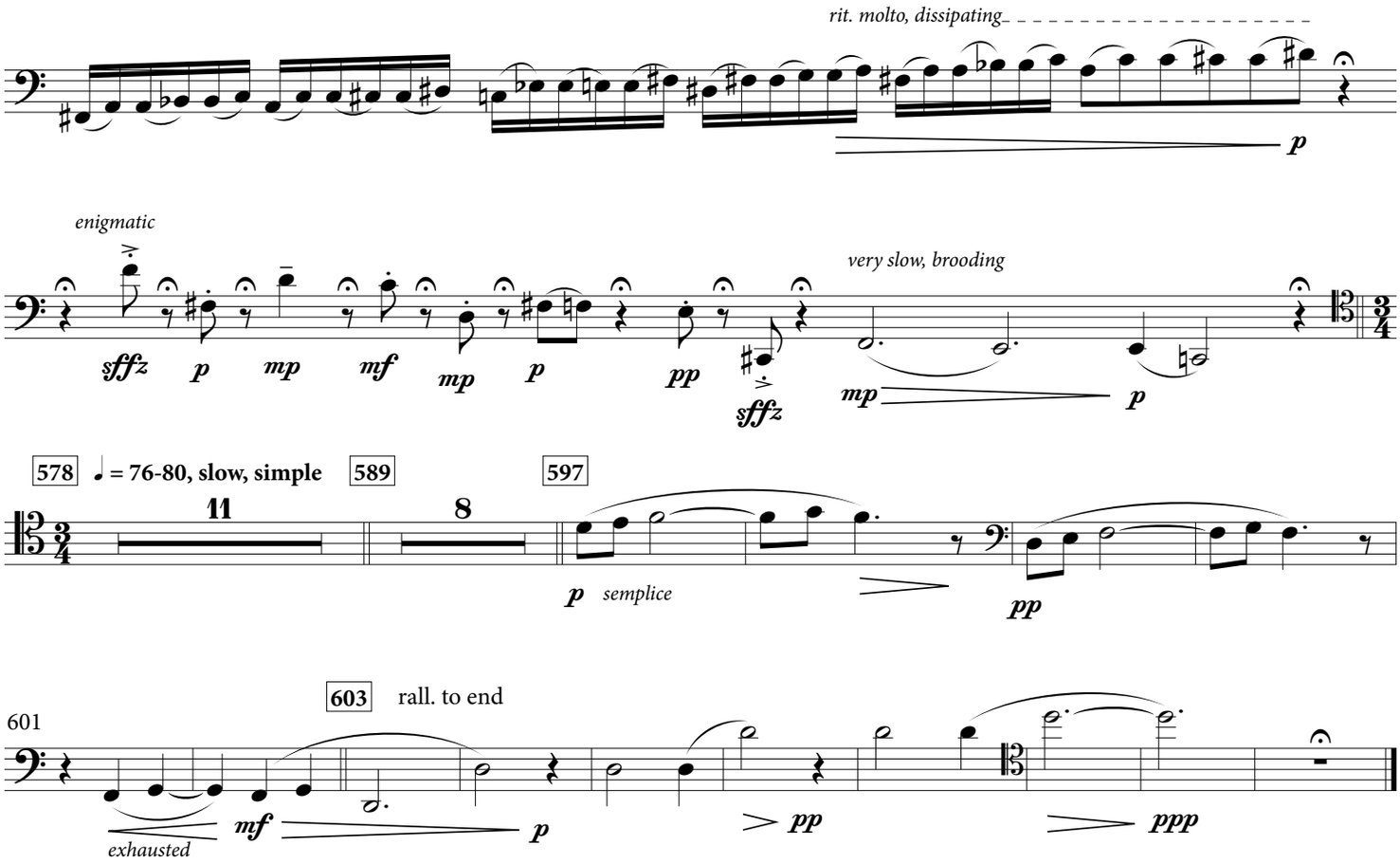


(accel. molto)



intense




rit. molto, dissipating
p
enigmatic
sffz
p
mp
mf
mp
p
pp
sffz
very slow, brooding
mp
p
578
♩ = 76-80, slow, simple
589
597
11
8
p
semplice
pp
601
603
rall. to end
exhausted
mf
p
pp
ppp