

## Instruments

Flauto Alto in G, Flauto Grande, Flauto Piccolo (1 player)

Clarinetto Basso in Sib, Clarinetto Grande in Sib, Corno de bassetto in Fa (1 player)

Violino

Violoncello

Percussion (Tenor Steel Drums, Bass Marimba, Vibraphone, Lithophone) (1 player)

Pianoforte

Electronics

## Notes for the performers

1. All dynamics are indicated by the size of the notes: the bigger the notehead, the louder it has to be played
2. The electronics are extremely sensitive to even small changes in timbre of the instruments. This gives the instrumentalists a lot of extended expressive means. As a general rule the instrumentalists should always strive to play in such a way that the acoustical blend amongst them is as smooth as possible, and then deviate from that to create special effects through the electronics.
3. In the flute part, the numbers of the multiphonics refer to the tables in Carin Levines "The Technique of Flute Playing" I and II, ed. Bärenreiter. The fingerings used are also included at the end of the individual flute part.
4. In the clarinet part, the multiphonics are based on Bruno Bartolozzi's "Metodo per Clarinetto", ed. Suvini Zerboni – Milano. The fingerings used are also included at the end of the individual clarinet part.
5. The electronics have to be triggered by a musician, nearby the mixing console in the concert hall. They should be mixed in such a way, that in the beginning the electronics are softer than the instruments (which, for best results, should be slightly taken into the mix also); in the Allegro both should be equal strength (as if the concert hall is dialoguing with the instrumentalists), and in the final Andante the electronics should be even louder than the instruments. The overall idea is that in the beginning the instruments are merely colored by the electronics, which become gradually more independent towards the Allegro where they 'answer' the instruments, up to the Andante where the electronics get completely disconnected from the acoustical instruments which disappear.

Duration: ca 12 min.

# Hodechtri

for Flute, Clarinet, Violin, Cello,  
Piano, Percussion and Electronics **Peter Swinnen**

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1.1 Poco Lento, ma senza misura (♩ = 36) (\*)

*Pft*

Clarinetto Basso in Sib

Clarinetto in Sib

*con Pft*

Detailed description: This block contains two staves of musical notation. The top staff is for Clarinetto Basso in Sib, starting with a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a common time signature. It begins with a *Pft* (Percussion) cue. The bottom staff is for Clarinetto in Sib, starting with a bass clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a common time signature. It begins with a *con Pft* cue. Both staves contain complex rhythmic patterns with many rests and slurs.

(\*) In the whole section until Allegro there should be no synchronisation between the 3 superposed musical layers, except for the different conductor's cues. Each layer however needs to be internally perfectly synchronised, as indicated in the many 'col' instructions. At each cue point the conductor should wait for the latest arriving layer, and cue the others immediately.

1.2

Detailed description: This block shows two staves of musical notation. The top staff is mostly empty with a few notes and rests. The bottom staff contains a melodic line with slurs and rests. There are two black rectangular markers on the right side of the staves, indicating cue points.

2.1

Detailed description: This block shows two staves of musical notation. Both staves contain complex rhythmic patterns with many rests and slurs. There are two black rectangular markers on the right side of the staves, indicating cue points.

2.2

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3.1

Perc

con Perc

3.2

3.3

4.1

Vc

con Vc

4.2

Two staves of musical notation. The top staff contains a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes. The bottom staff contains a bass line with eighth notes and rests. A slur is placed under the first two measures of the bottom staff.

5.1 Poco meno Lento, ma sempre senza misura (♩ = 39)

Two staves of musical notation. The top staff is labeled 'Vn' and contains a melodic line. The bottom staff is labeled 'Clarinetto Grande in Sib con Vn' and contains a bass line. A slur is placed under the first two measures of the bottom staff.

5.2

5.3

Two staves of musical notation. The top staff contains a melodic line. The bottom staff contains a bass line. A slur is placed under the first two measures of the bottom staff. The text 'Pft' and 'con Pft' are written above the second measure of the top and bottom staves respectively.

5.4

Two staves of musical notation. The top staff contains a melodic line. The bottom staff contains a bass line. A slur is placed under the first two measures of the bottom staff.

1 2 3 4

Perc

Clarinetto Basso in Sib

con Perc

1 2 3

1 2

2 3

Allegro (♩=113)

1

4+4+3+5 / 16

5+4+3+5 / 16

5+3+4+3 / 16

ben ritmato

3

5+3+4+3 / 16

5+4+5 / 16

4+5+5 / 16

5 

7 

9 

11 

14 

17 

19 

22 

24 

27 

31 





1 Senza Misura, ma sempre stesso Tempo (\*)

2

129

*Fl*

*Perc*

col *Fl e Perc*

(\*) From here till Sempre stesso Tempo there should be no synchronisation between the 2 superposed musical layers, except for the different conductor's cues. Each layer however needs to be internally perfectly synchronised, as indicated in the col' instructions. At 2 the conductor should wait for the latest arriving layer, and cue the others immediately.

Sempre stesso Tempo

132

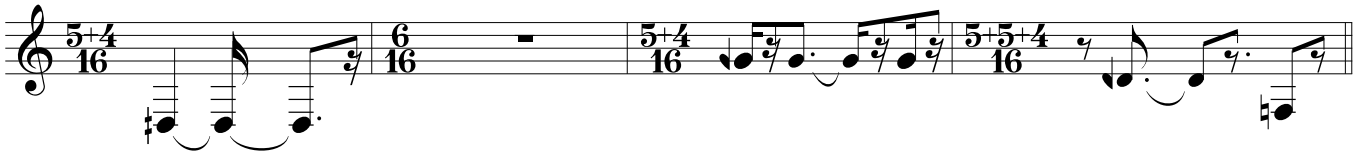
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Corno de bassetto in Fa

145

149



1 **Andante, ma senza misura** ( $\text{♩} = 45$ ) (\*)



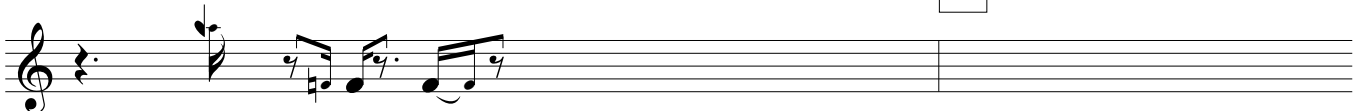
(\*) From here till the end there should be no synchronisation between the 6 superposed musical layers, except for the different conductor's cues. At each cue the conductor should wait for the latest arriving layer, and cue the others immediately.



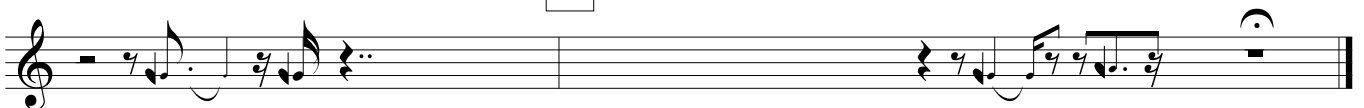
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3



4



Clarinetto Basso in Sib

2  
18

Clarinetto Basso in Sib

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18

Clarinetto Basso in Sib

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14

Clarinetto Basso in Sib

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18

Clarinetto Basso in Sib

T  
18

Clarinetto Basso in Sib

T  
16

Clarinetto Grande in Sib

T  
2  
15

Clarinetto Grande in Sib

T  
18

Clarinetto Grande in Sib

T  
12  
14

Clarinetto Grande in Sib

1  
12  
18