POSTCARDS No.1&2
(A Tribute to Robin Williams)
2014

Composition and Orchestration
by Benjamin Zecker

INSTRUMENTATION

Piccolo
2 Flutes
2 Oboes
English Horn
2 Clarinets (Bb)
Bass Clarinet (Bb)
2 Bassoon
Contra Bassoon

4 Horn (F)
4 Trumpet (Bb)
2 Trombone
Bass Trombone
Tuba

Timpani

Perc. 1: Glockenspiel, Large TomTom, Triangle, Castinet
Perc. 2: Wind Chimes, Bass Drum, Triangle, Mark Tree, Snare Drum, Tambourine, Tubular Bells, Suspended Cymbal
Perc. 3: Suspended Cymbal, Tambourine, Gong, Tubular Bells, Bass Drum, Thunder Sheet, Anvil, Glockenspiel, Triangle
Perc. 4: Piatti, Xylophone, Bass Drum, Ride Cymbal

Celeste
Piano
Accordion (**optional*)

Choir S.A.T.B.(**optional*)

Harp

Violins 1
Violins 2
Violas
Celli
Basses

DURATION= c. 4:00

Postcard No.1

A

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♩=104 Rhapsodically
rit.

♩=50 Serenely

Piccolo
Flute 1
Flute 2
Oboe 1
Oboe 2
Clarinet 1
Clarinet 2
Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons
Contrabassoon
Horn 1.3
Horn 2.4
Trumpet 1.2
Trumpet 3.4
2 Trombones
Bass Trombone
Tuba
Timpani 1.2
Perc.1
Perc.2
Perc.3
Piano
Celesta
Choir
Violin 1
Violin 2
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass

Glock
Sus Cymbals
Wind Chimes
Bass Drum
Triangle
espress.
(music box)
Ahh...
div.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

♩=104 Rhapsodically
rit.

♩=50 Serenely

B C

accel. ♩=64 accel. ♩=81 rit. ♩=48 ♩=57

Piccolo
2 Flutes
2 Oboes
2 Clarinets
Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons
Contrabassoon
Horn 1.3
Horn 2.4
Trumpet 1.2
Trumpet 3.4
2 Trombones
Bass Trombone
Tuba
Timpani 1.2
Perc.1
Perc.2
Perc.3
Perc.4

Glock. soft mallets
hard mallets
Tri.
B.D.
Sus Cymb.
Piatti
Tamb.
Xylo.
harmon mute
plunger
wah
lazily
espress.

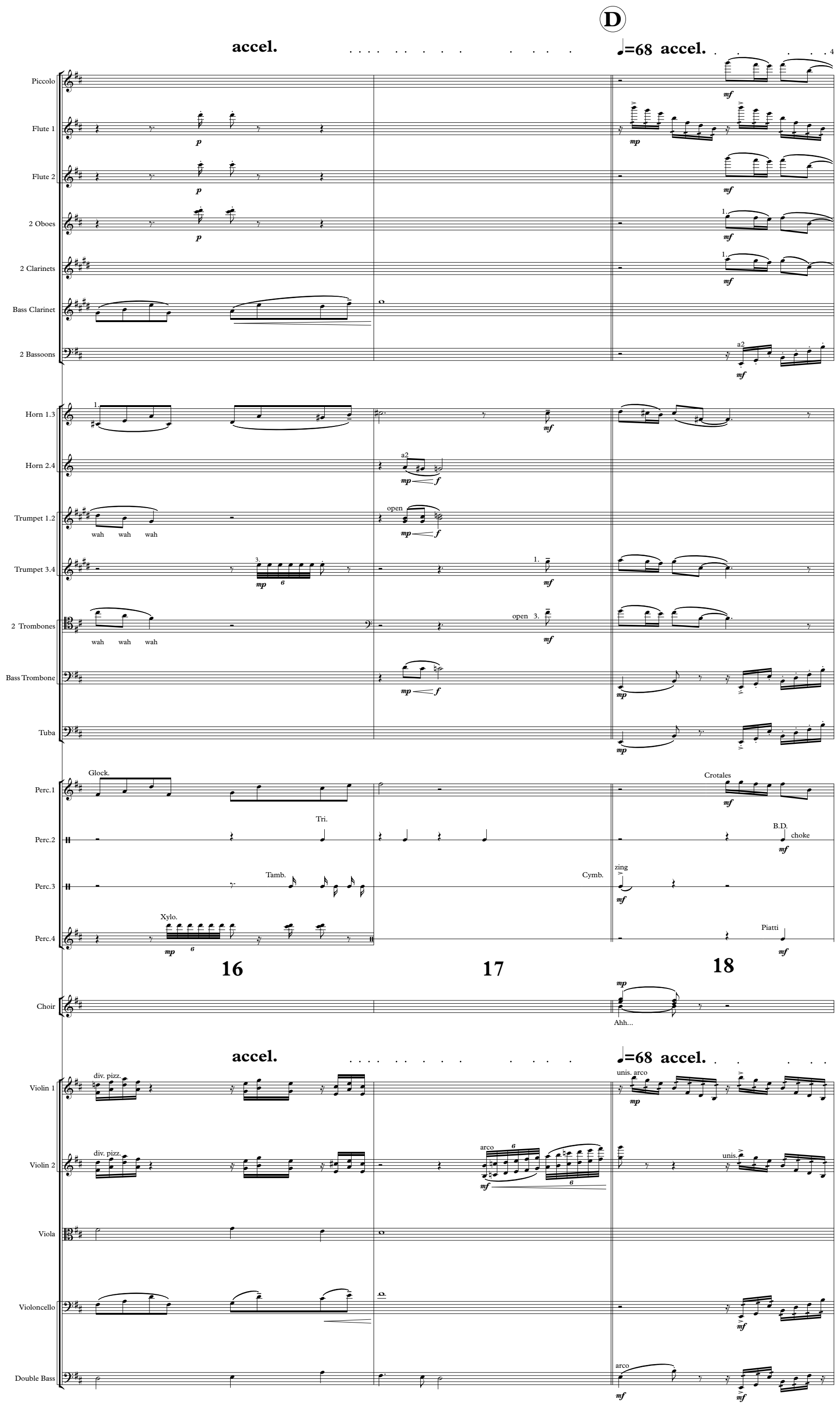
9 10 11 12 13 14 15

Piano
Celesta
Harp

accel. ♩=64 accel. ♩=81 rit. ♩=48 ♩=57

Violin 1
Violin 2
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass

div.
div. a3
unis.
divi. pizz.
div. pizz.
unis. arco
espress.
marc.
pizz. l.v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accel.
♩=68 accel.
4
Piccolo
Flute 1
Flute 2
2 Oboes
2 Clarinets
Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons
Horn 1.3
Horn 2.4
Trumpet 1.2
Trumpet 3.4
2 Trombones
Bass Trombone
Tuba
wah wah wah
open
Glock.
Tri.
Tamb.
Xylo.
Crotales
B.D.
choke
Cymb.
zing
Piatti
16
17
18
Choir
Ahh...
div. pizz.
unis. arco
arco
unis.
Violin 1
Violin 2
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass

♩=75 poco rit. ♩=50 rit. ♩=40

Piccolo
Flute 1 — cresc. — mf — pp
Flute 2 — pp
2 Oboes — a2. — mf — pp
Cor Anglais — mf — pp
Clarinet 1 — mf — pp
Clarinet 2 — f — pp
Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons — pp
Contrabassoon — mf — pp

Horn 1.3 — cresc. — mf — ff
Horn 2.4 — mf — ff
Trumpet 1.2 — ff
Trumpet 3.4 — ff
2 Trombones — f — ff
Bass Trombone — stac. — f — ff
Tuba — stac. — f — ff

Timpani 1.2 — n. — ff
Perc.1 — Crotales — f — Glock — mf
Perc.5 — Wind Chimes
Cymbals — Sus Cymb. — n. — ff

19 20 21 22

Choir — mf — Ahh... — Ahh... — ff
Harp — f

♩=75 poco rit. ♩=50 rit. ♩=40

Violin 1 — f — ff
Violin 2 — div. — mf — ff
Viola — mf — ff
Violoncello — f — mf — ff
Double Bass — f — mf — ff

E

F

♩=53 Triumphantly

♩=70 accel. . . . ♩=89

Piccolo

2 Flutes

2 Oboes

Cor Anglais

2 Clarinets

Bass Clarinet

2 Bassoons

Contrabassoon

Horn 1.3

Horn 2.4

Trumpet 1.2

Trumpet 3.4

2 Trombones

Bass Trombone

Tuba

Timpani 1.2

Perc.2

Perc.3

Perc.4

Celesta

Choir

Harp

Violin 1

Violin 2

Viola

Violoncello

Double Bass

a2

1.

straight mutes

Mark tree

Sus Cymb.

Tamb.

Piatti

Xylo.

23 24 25 26 27 28

espress.

unis.

pizz.

arco

div. arco

unis. pizz.

cresc.

ahh..

G

7

♩=63 accel. ♩=94 ♩=69 accel. ♩=98 rit. ♩=55

Piccolo
Flute 1
Flute 2
2 Oboes
Cor Anglais
Clarinet 1
Clarinet 2
Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons
Contrabassoon
Horn 1.3
Horn 2.4
Trumpet 1.2
Trumpet 3.4
2 Trombones
Bass Trombone
Tuba
Timpani 1.2
Perc.1
Perc.2
Perc.3
Perc.4

straight mutes
4. straight mutes
open
open a2
a2
Glock.
S.D.
Tri.
B.D.
B.D/Tamb.
Gong/B.D.
Tubular Bells
rim w/ stick
Thunder Sheet
Xylo.

29 30 31 32 33

Celesta
Choir
ahh.
Harp

♩=63 accel. ♩=94 ♩=69 accel. ♩=98 rit. ♩=55

Violin 1
Violin 2
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass
div.
arco
unis.

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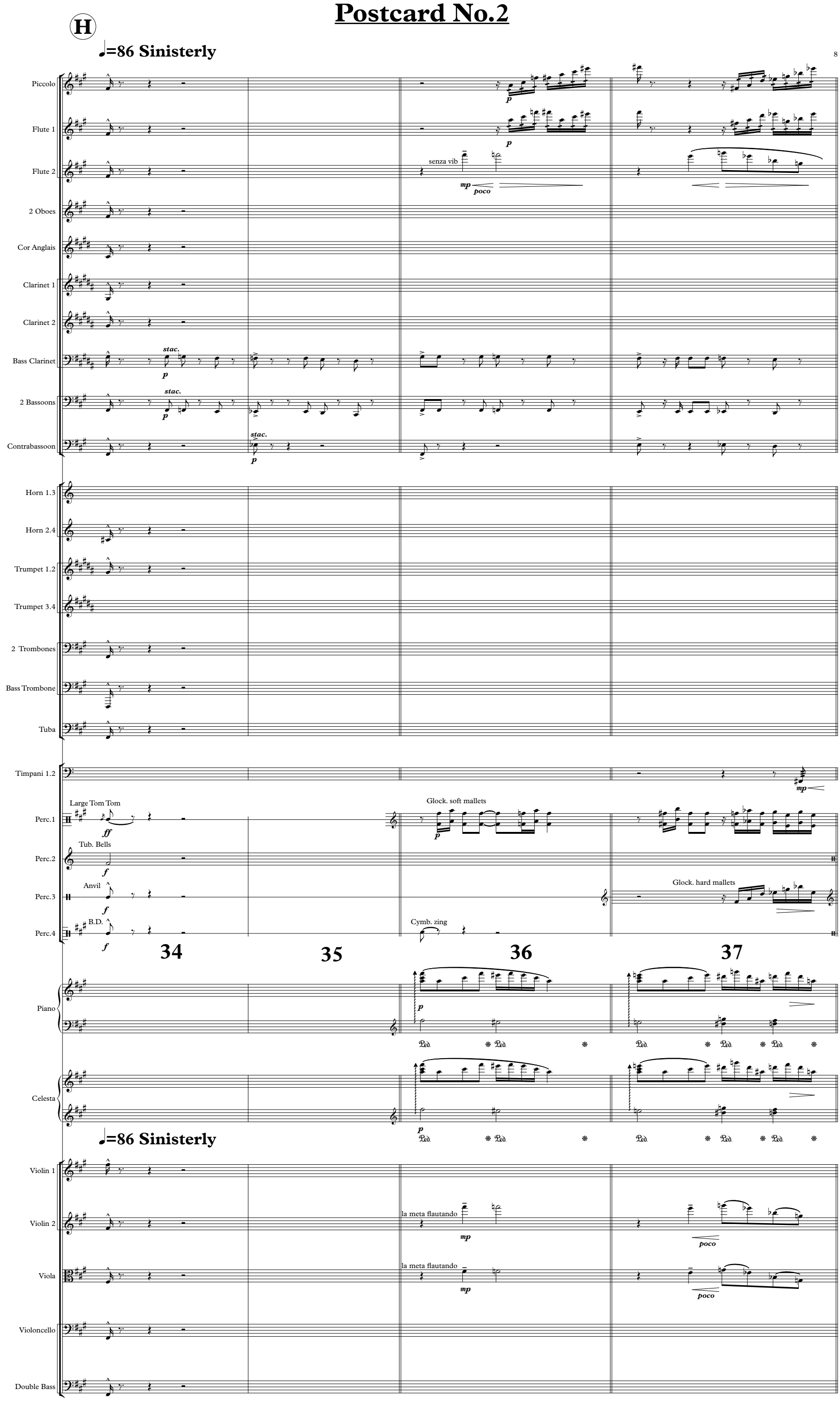

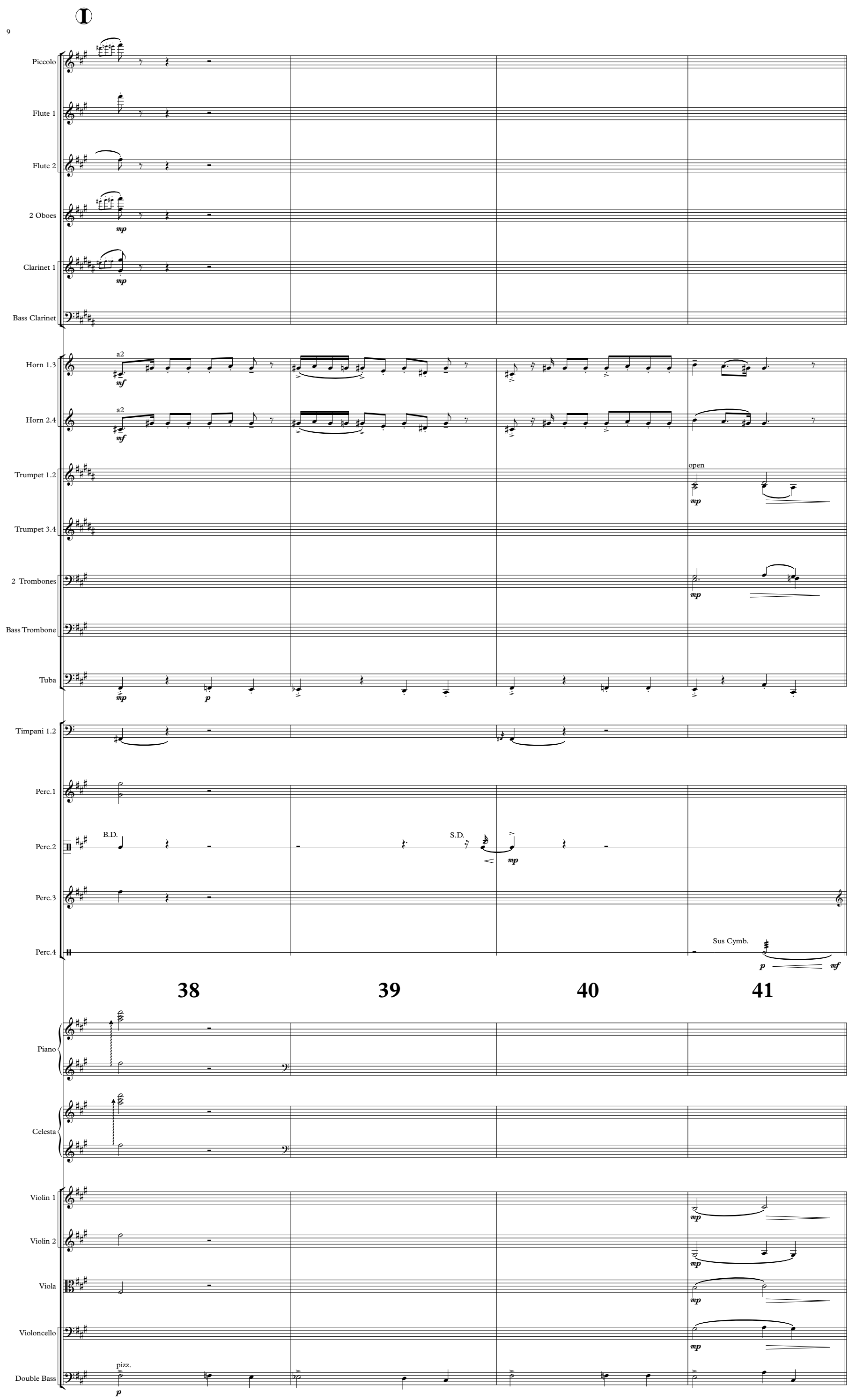
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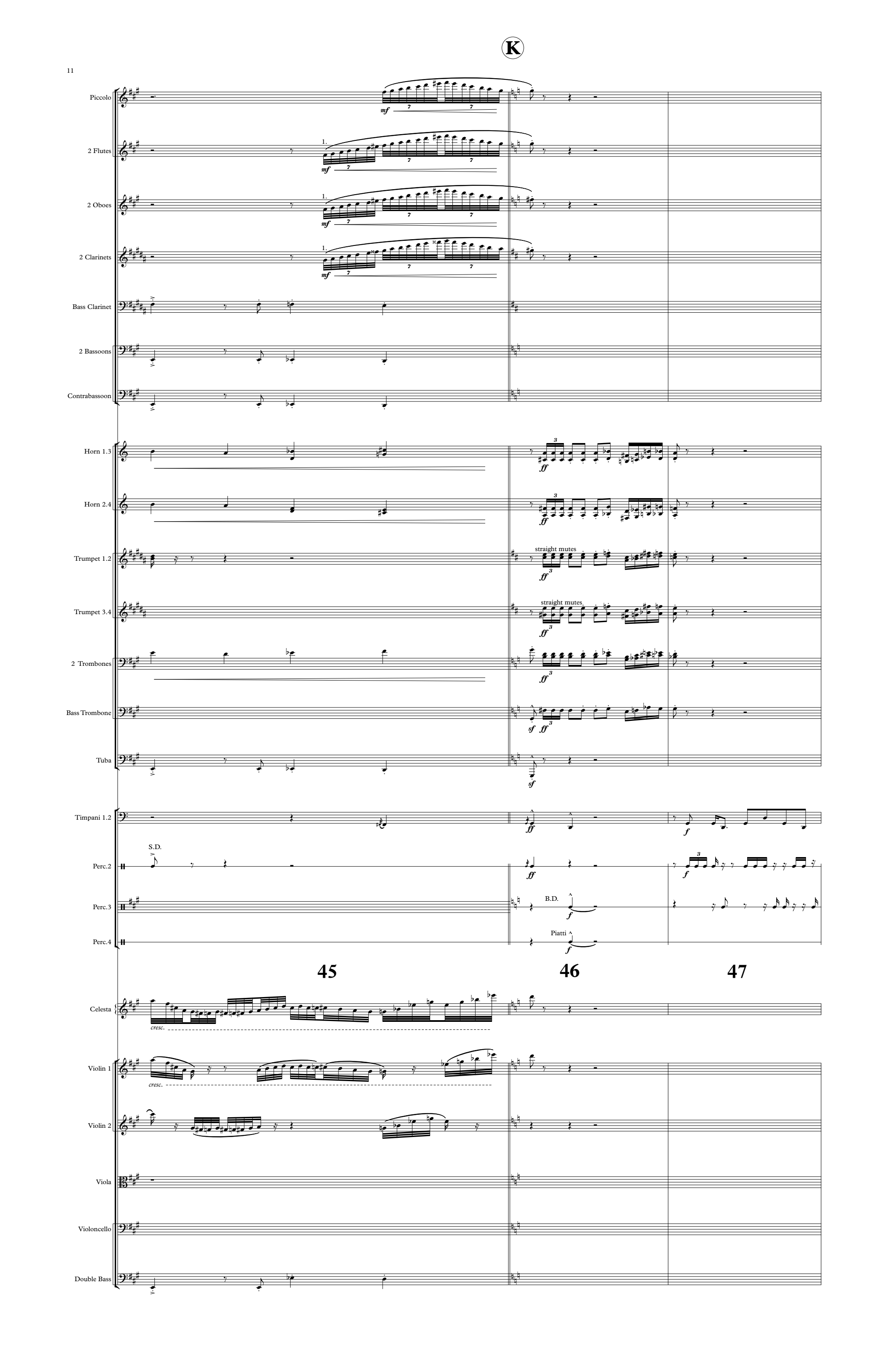
Piccolo
Flute 1
Flute 2
2 Oboes
mp
Clarinet 1
mp
Bass Clarinet
Horn 1.3
a2
mf
Horn 2.4
a2
mf
Trumpet 1.2
open
mp
Trumpet 3.4
2 Trombones
mp
Bass Trombone
Tuba
mp
p
Timpani 1.2
Perc.1
Perc.2
B.D.
S.D.
mp
Perc.3
Perc.4
Sus Cymb.
p
mf
38
39
40
41
Piano
Celesta
Violin 1
mp
Violin 2
mp
Viola
mp
Violoncello
mp
Double Bass
pizz.
p

Piccolo
2 Flutes
2 Oboes
Cor Anglais
2 Clarinets
Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons
Contrabassoon
Horn 1.3
Horn 2.4
Trumpet 1.2
Trumpet 3.4
2 Trombones
Bass Trombone
Tuba
Timpani 1.2
Perc.1
Perc.2
Perc.3
Celesta
Violin 1
Violin 2
Viola
Double Bass

a2
a2
Tri.
S.D.
Tub. Bells
4 soli
4 soli
4 sole
arco div.

42 43 44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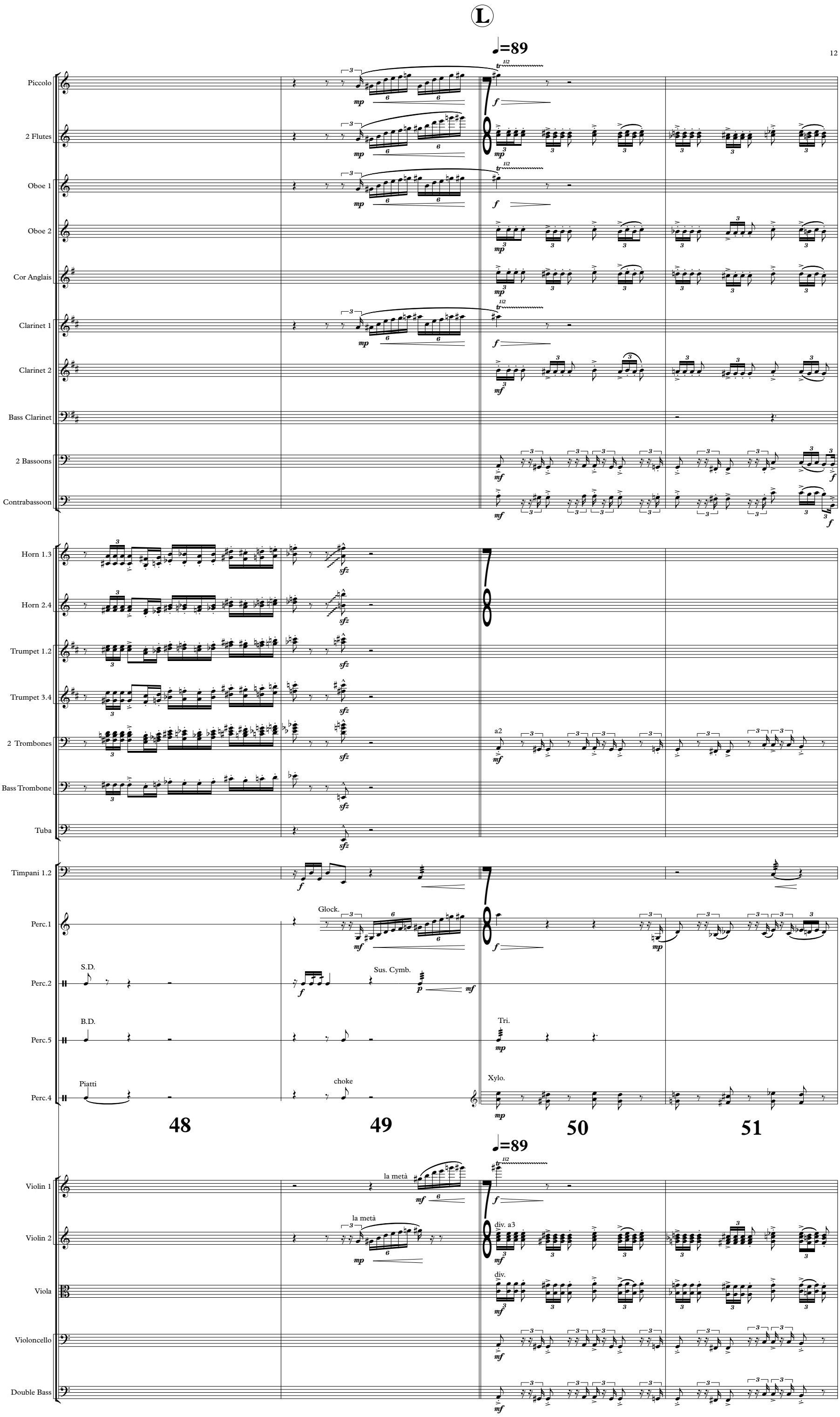
Piccolo
2 Flutes
2 Oboes
2 Clarinets
Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons
Contrabassoon
Horn 1.3
Horn 2.4
Trumpet 1.2
Trumpet 3.4
2 Trombones
Bass Trombone
Tuba
Timpani 1.2
Perc.2
Perc.3
Perc.4
S.D.
B.D.
Piatti
straight mutes
straight mutes
45
46
47
Celesta
Violin 1
Violin 2
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass
cresc.
cresc.

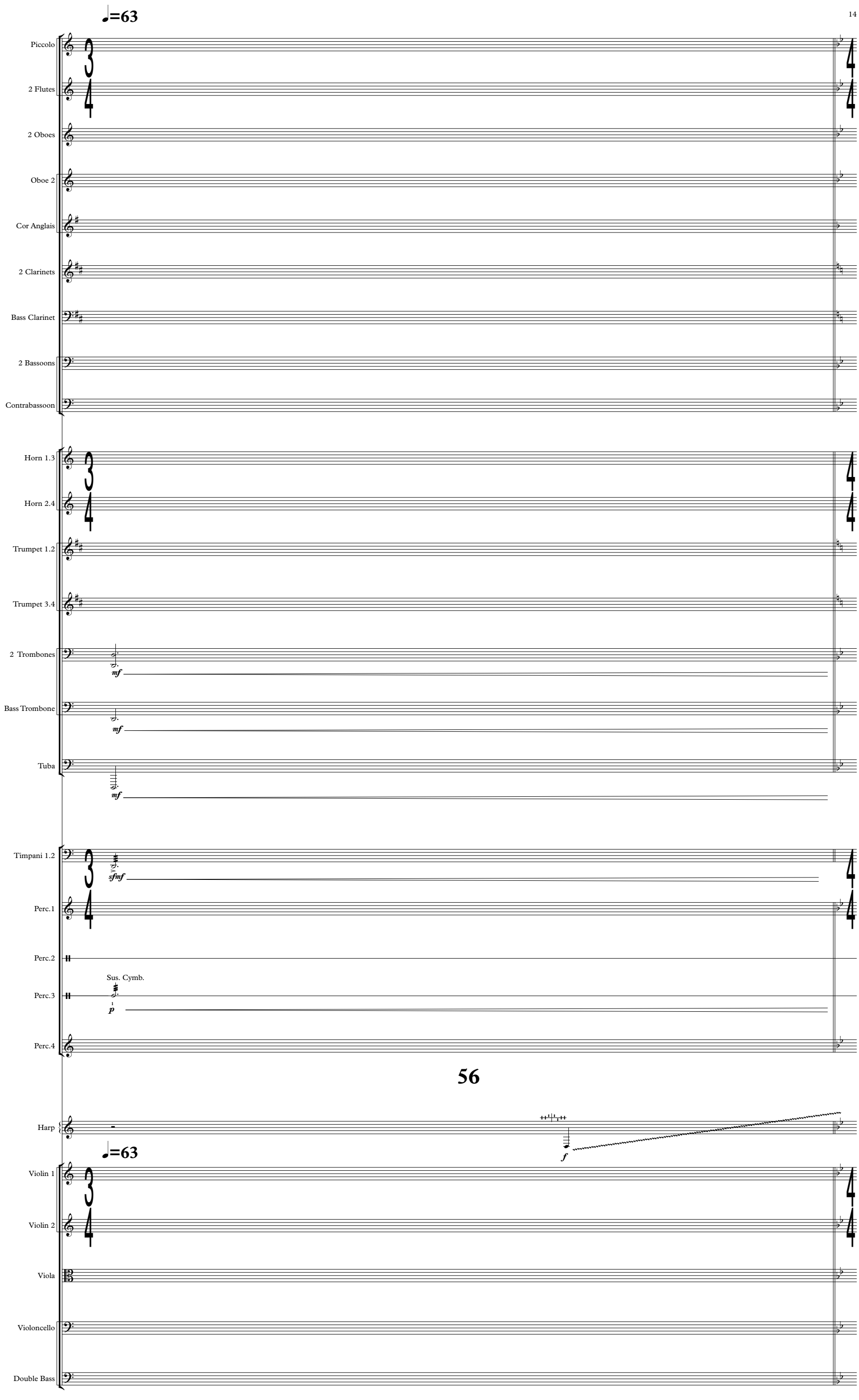

L
♩=89
Piccolo
2 Flutes
Oboe 1
Oboe 2
Cor Anglais
Clarinet 1
Clarinet 2
Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons
Contrabassoon
Horn 1.3
Horn 2.4
Trumpet 1.2
Trumpet 3.4
2 Trombones
Bass Trombone
Tuba
Timpani 1.2
Perc.1
Perc.2
Perc.5
Perc.4
Glock.
S.D.
Sus. Cymb.
B.D.
Tri.
Piatti
choke
Xylo.
a2
48
49
50
51
♩=89
Violin 1
Violin 2
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass
la metà
la metà
div. a3
div.

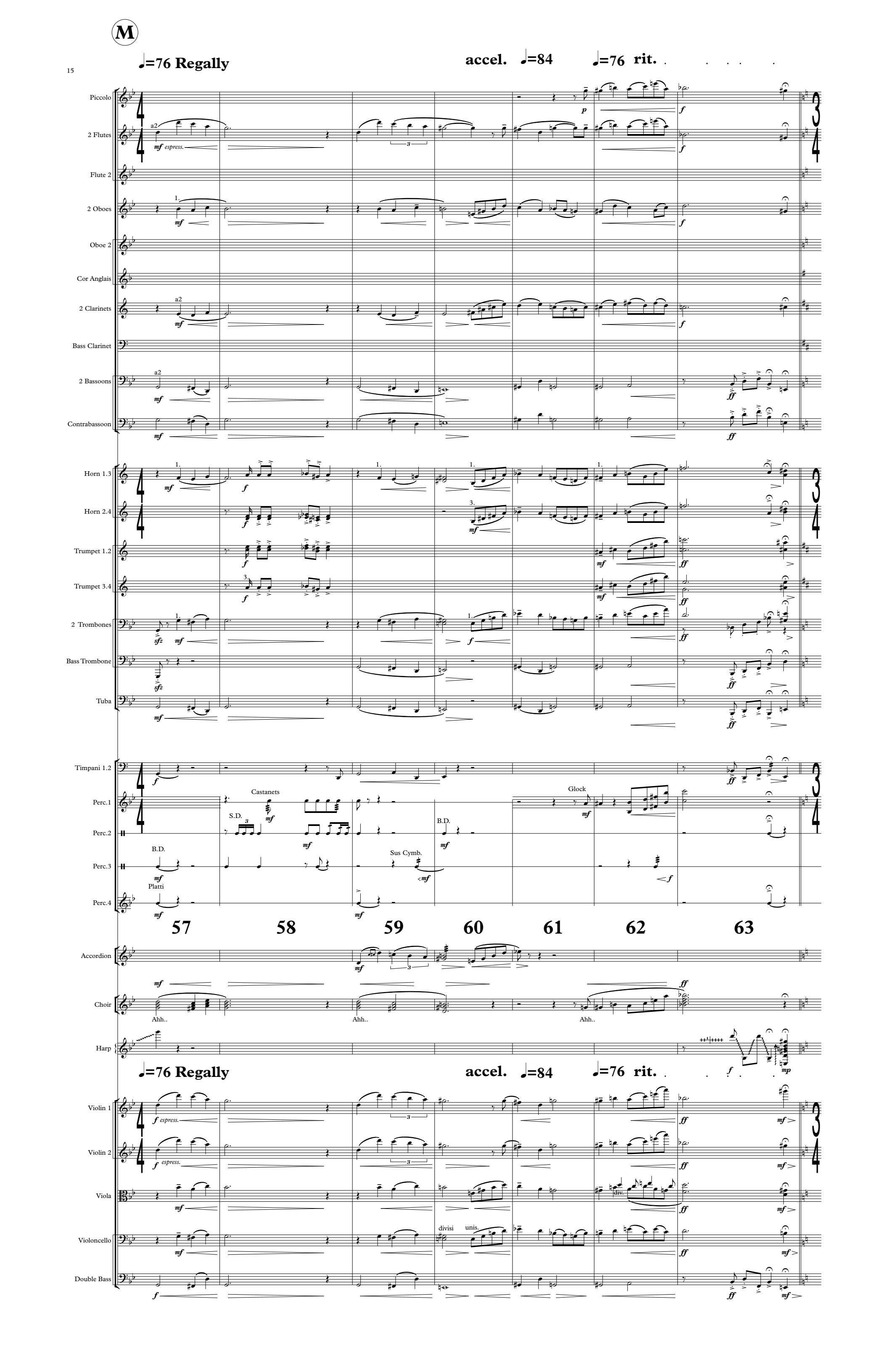
poco accel. ♩=82 rit. . . . . ♩=50

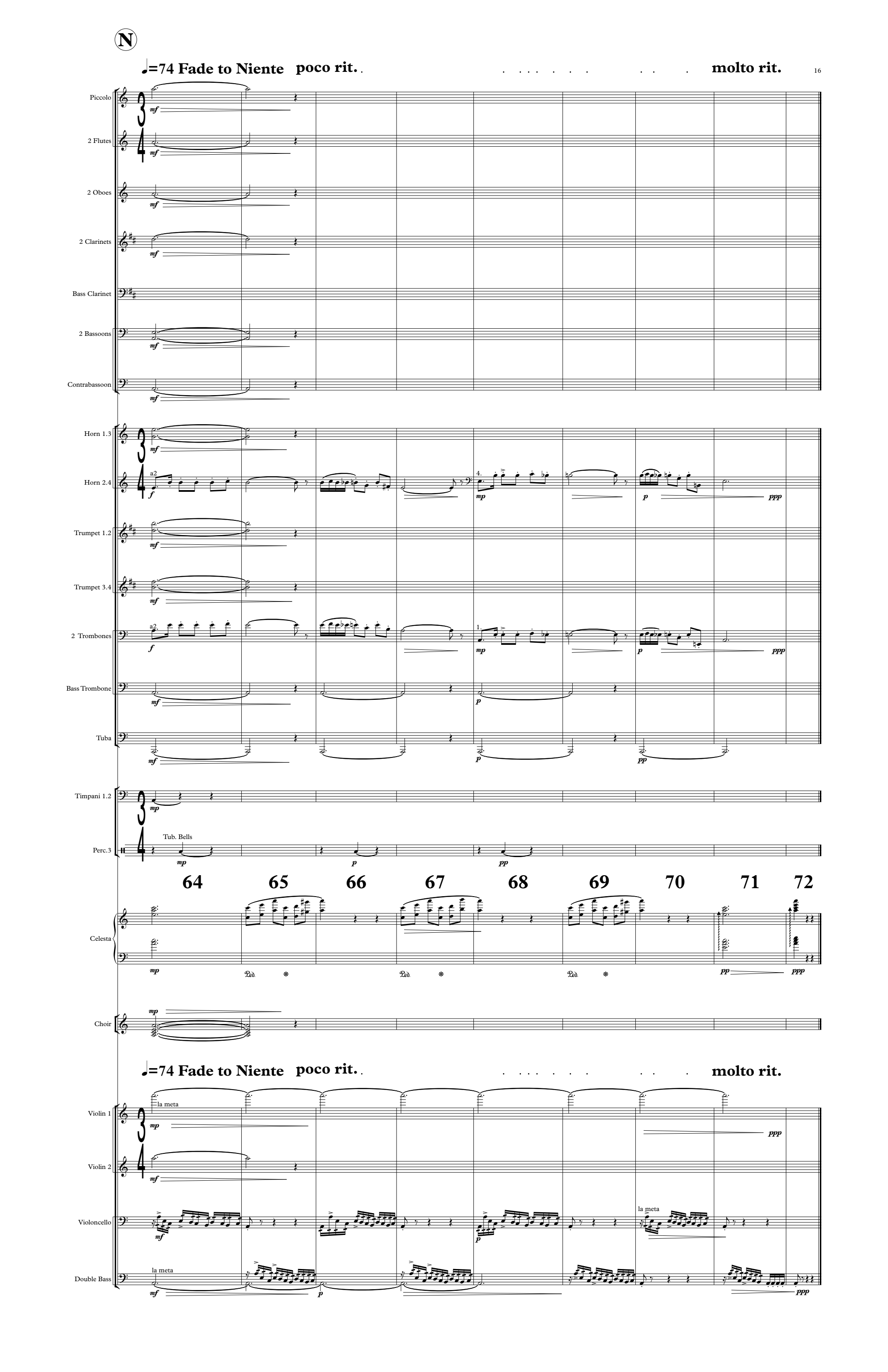
Piccolo
2 Flutes
2 Oboes
2 Clarinets
Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons
Contrabassoon
Horn 1.3
Horn 2.4
Trumpet 1.2
Trumpet 3.4
2 Trombones
Bass Trombone
Tuba
Perc.1
Perc.2
Perc.3
Perc.4
Harp
Violin 1
Violin 2
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass

52 53 54 55

poco accel. ♩=82 rit. . . . . ♩=50


♩=63
Piccolo
2 Flutes
2 Oboes
Oboe 2
Cor Anglais
2 Clarinets
Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons
Contrabassoon
Horn 1.3
Horn 2.4
Trumpet 1.2
Trumpet 3.4
2 Trombones
mf
Bass Trombone
mf
Tuba
mf
Timpani 1.2
sfmf
Perc.1
Perc.2
Sus. Cymb.
Perc.3
p
Perc.4
56
Harp
f
♩=63
Violin 1
Violin 2
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass


M
15
♩=76 Regally
accel. ♩=84
♩=76 rit.
Piccolo
2 Flutes
Flute 2
2 Oboes
Oboe 2
Cor Anglais
2 Clarinets
Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons
Contrabassoon
Horn 1.3
Horn 2.4
Trumpet 1.2
Trumpet 3.4
2 Trombones
Bass Trombone
Tuba
Timpani 1.2
Perc.1
Perc.2
Perc.3
Perc.4
Castanets
S.D.
B.D.
Sus Cymb.
Glock
Platti
57
58
59
60
61
62
63
Accordion
Choir
Ahh..
Harp
Violin 1
Violin 2
Viola
Violoncello
Double Bass
divisi
unis.
div.


N
♩=74 Fade to Niente
poco rit.
molto rit.
16
Piccolo
2 Flutes
2 Oboes
2 Clarinets
Bass Clarinet
2 Bassoons
Contrabassoon
Horn 1.3
Horn 2.4
Trumpet 1.2
Trumpet 3.4
2 Trombones
Bass Trombone
Tuba
Timpani 1.2
Perc.3
Tub. Bells
64
65
66
67
68
69
70
71
72
Celesta
Choir
♩=74 Fade to Niente
poco rit.
molto rit.
Violin 1
Violin 2
Violoncello
Double Bass
la meta