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for string quartet

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F U L L S C O R E

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A Decisive and on-edge ♩ = 95

ff mf tense
bouncy scratch tone (m.s.p. for louder dynamics and sultasto for softer dynamics)

ff aggressive
strummed with a hard guitar pick

ff
strapped with a hard guitar pick

* circled x noteheads are used to indicate a slap mute with the left hand. The sound should be as percussive as possible (I know that in the viola won't be as effective, but if you have any ideas of how to get a more percussive sound out of it, feel free to do it) and it should completely stop the strings that are still ringing

8

B bounce scratch tone

fp $\rightarrow$ *ff*

f

12

senza vib.

ffp $\rightarrow$ *ff*

senza vib.
arco

ffp $\rightarrow$ *ff*

15

ord.

ffp $\rightarrow$ *ff* $\rightarrow$ *pp* $\rightarrow$ *ff*

guitar pick

18

C Quiet but menacing
 try to get pitch but I am looking for an almost pitchless and unstable sound.
 The most important thing is the articulation and the aggressive bowing

20

pp

ff ppp

ff pp

alternate strums whenn necessary

L.H. muted strumming (completely pitchless)

fp

L.H. muted strumming (completely pitchless)

fp

22

ff pp sub.

ff pp

ff pp sub.

ff pp

simile

24

ffp

26

28

fff

arco

ff

ffp

gliss.

senza vib.

(arco) II.

ff

(ff)

D if it's uncomfortable play E as an open string and the rest on the A string, double stop works, but I am not sure about the mobility for the gliss.

32

ffp gliss. gliss. f p

ff pp ff ppp ffp

mp ff ff p sub. ord.

36

gliss. gliss. gliss. f mf mf

ff p ff ffp

ff ffp ord.

(on the string)

39

p f fp fp

fff ffp mf

III

II

(take a rest in the previous measure
if you need time to prepare this dyad)

43

ffp *ff* *ffp* *ff* *ffp* *fp* *ffp*

ffp *ff* *ff* *ffp* *fp*

ord.

ffp *ff* *ffp*

46

ff *ffp* *fp* *ff* *fp*

ff *ffp* *ff* *mf*

ff *mp* *ff*

49

fp *fp* *f* *fp* *ff* *fp* *fp* *fp*

p *f* *fp* *fp* *ff*

p *ff* *p sub.*

The image displays a musical score for the song "The Sound of Silence" by Simon & Garfunkel. The score is written for piano (p) and guitar (g). The piano part is in the upper staves, and the guitar part is in the lower staves. The score is divided into three measures. The first measure shows the piano playing a soft, sustained chord (fp) and the guitar playing a simple, rhythmic pattern. The second measure continues the piano's sustained chord (fp) and the guitar's rhythmic pattern. The third measure features a louder piano part (ff) with a more complex, arpeggiated texture and the guitar playing a more intricate, rhythmic pattern. The score is marked with "fp" (fortissimo piano) and "ff" (fortissimo) dynamics. The guitar part is marked with "alternating strums".

58

smooth transition to light touch

gliss.

p

Unhinged

I

II

slight overpressure to distort the harmonics

fff

fff

61

f

G

64

ffp

ffp arco

67

ff *> ffp sub.*

ff *pp* *ff*

ff *(ff)* *ffp*

70

ff *ffp sub.* *ff* *pp* *ff* *fp* *ff* *(ff)* *ffp* *ff* *(ff)*

73

ff *ffp sub.* *pp* *ff* *ff* *pp* *ff* *fp* *ff* *pp* *ppp* *ff* *ff* *ffp* *ff* *ff* *pp* *ff* *ppp* *ffp* *ff* *ff* *pp* *ff*

II.
76

ff p *ff p sub.* *ff pp sub.* *ff p*

(slight dist.)

79

H III. III.

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

ff *f* *p* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp*

ffp *ff*

82

ff *ff* *p sub.* *ff* *p* *ff* *p sub.*

natural harmonic gliss
III gliss.

pp *ff* *f*

ffp *fp* *fp* *fp* *ff* *(ff)*

85

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

ff *p sub.* *ff* *pp*

ff *ff* *p* *f*

p *fp* *fp* *p* *fp* *fp* *p* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp*

88

ff *ff pp* *ff ppp* *ff pp* *ff ppp* *ff pp* *ff*

ff *ff*

ffp *ff*

gliss.

92

I

II
ord.

ff sub.

ff sub.

96

sames as before, I just notated this way to make it easier to read the rhythm

f *mf* *fff* *ff* *mf*

f *fp* *ff* *ff* *mf*

99

ff *fp* *ff*

102

ff *mf* *ff* *mf*

J not sure if this is all too fast to really tune
The most important note to tune is the 11th partial

105

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

ff *p* *ff* *fp* *fp*

p *ff*

II

108

fff

fp $\leftarrow$ *ff*

ff $>$ *p* $<$ *f*

f *p sub.* $\rightarrow$ *ff*

111

ff > p < f

smooth transition to light finger for the harmonics

ffpp

ff

fp < fp

112

ffpp

ord.

ffpp

ff

fff stern

113

ffpp

ff

114

ff ppp *ff pp* *ff* *ff*

IV

ff *ff* *ff* *ff*

gliss.

K Relentless and frenetic

118

fff
senza vib.

fff
ord.
exaggerate as much as possible the accents

fff
ord.

fff

121

124

127

ffp

131

L

ffp

fff

ffp

fff

135

ff

mp

ffp

simile

ffp

ff

mp

The D is supposed to be in-tune with the B, is that possible to hear with the A open string? would it help to do the B6o harmonic as a normal stopped note?

138

ffp *ff*

fp *ff* *f*

141

mf *ff* *mp*

fp *ff* *fp* *ff*

144

ff *mp* *ffp* *ffp* *fff* *fff* *mp* *fff*

M Tender

147

fff

fff

mp

pp

fp

150

fp

pp

f

ppp

f

ppp

f

154

f

mf

mp

ff

f

ppp

f

ppp

f

ppp

fp

fp

158

mf *p* *f* *p*

f *mp* *mp*

mf *fff*

162

mf *ff* *pp*

mf

f *fp* *3* *3* *3* *3* *3* *3* *3* *3* *3* *3* *3* *3* *3* *3* *3* *fff*

165

III

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

tune the F# to the harmonic of violin I

mf *p*

168

mf

171

ffff

fff