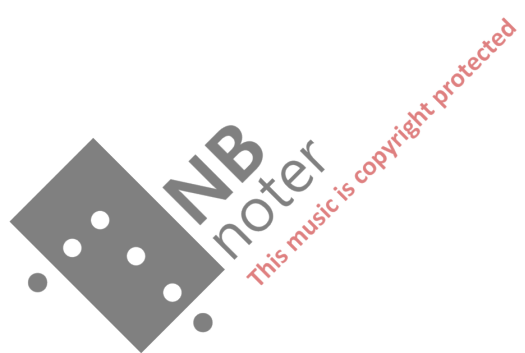


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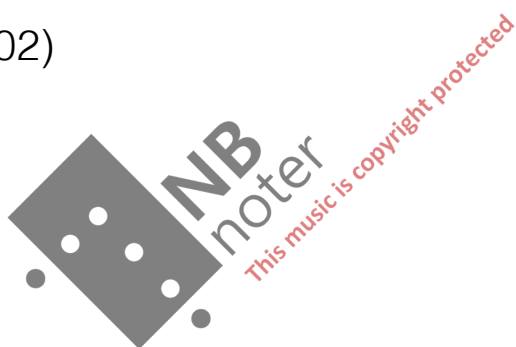
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Glossary

"Jété": allow bow to bounce naturally within specified duration.

"Crunch Tone": drag bow with increased pressure and friction. Sound should not totally obscure pitch.

"glissando" using natural harmonics of the string specified (up string and back).

*third-tones
place two notes between the whole step instead of one.

"Bartók Pizz."

imitate shape with gliss. for specified duration.

highest pitch on two strings.

trill between fingered and harmonic pitch and/or open string.

Quarter Tones-High to Low

(sul tasto)

S.T. II

(ord.)

gl.

trill (tr) while proceeding up the fingerboard (gl.).

alternate strings in time.

hold highest double-stop approx. as shown, then imitate shape of gliss. and continue to lowest limit of string.

(double-stop unison 'crunch tone')

(sul ponticello)

S.P.

gl. - - - - -

alternate strings and gradually drop (gl.) one 'g' to 'f#'.
hold given notes until others finish what is specified.

finger harmonic node 'e' and apply more friction/pressure w/ bow; remove finger from harmonic node:
low 'c' and resulting natural harmonic 'e' should sound together; though tone is rough it should be stable if possible.

The image shows a musical score with three staves. The top staff is in treble clef, the middle in alto clef, and the bottom in bass clef. Various musical notations are present, including triplets, slurs, and accidentals. Annotations with arrows point to specific parts of the score, explaining performance techniques like 'Jété', 'Crunch Tone', 'glissando', 'third-tones', 'Bartók Pizz.', 'imitate shape with gliss.', 'highest pitch on two strings', 'trill between fingered and harmonic pitch', 'Quarter Tones-High to Low', 'sul tasto', 'S.T. II', '(ord.)', 'gl.', 'trill (tr) while proceeding up the fingerboard', 'alternate strings in time', 'hold highest double-stop', 'sul ponticello', 'S.P.', 'alternate strings and gradually drop', and 'finger harmonic node'. A large diagonal watermark 'NB: this music is copyright protected' is overlaid on the score.

Additional Performance Notes:

1. Players should use minimal vibrato, except where specified by either *vib.*, meaning "normal" vibrato, or *molto vib.*, which should border a trill.
2. The meter indicated is for convenience; no metrical accents are intended. All intended accents have been indicated in the score.
3. All accidentals, including microtonal ones, stay in effect until cancelled by another accidental or a barline, and are somewhat flexible in intonation for expressive reasons, just as a semi-tone alteration is.

Duration: approximately 15 minutes.

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I. Fantasia

Violin

4 4

Jété *ppp*

IV ³ *mf* *crunch tone

Pizz. *sfz*

Viola

4 4

Jété *ppp*

S.T. ⁶ *mp* (ord.)

f *mf* ³ *crunch tone

Violoncello

III Pizz. *mp*

Arco *p*

Pizz. *fp*

Arco ³ (I)

Vln.

4 Arco *sfz*

sfz *ff*

Pizz. *p*

Vla.

sfz *sfz* *ff* *mp*

harm. gl.

S.P. ⁵ *p*

Vc.

Pizz. *sfz* *ff* *mp*

Arco ³ *crunch tone

harm. gl.

S.T. ⁶ (ord.)

5 4 5 4 4 4

Vln. **A** *sfz* *mf* S.T. *sfz* *sfz*

Vla. flau. *p* (ord.) *f*

Vc. IV *mp*

4 4

Vln. *mf* *sfz* *sfz*

Vla. *gl.* *Jété* *p* *p*

Vc. Pizz. Arco *f* Pizz. *sfz*

10 3 3 8va

Vln. *sfz* *p* *sfz* *mp* *sfz*

Vla. *sfz* *fff*

Vc. Arco *fp* *sfz* *f* *fff* molto vib.

12 3 3 5 4 5 4

B

Vln. *Arco* *sfz* *sfz* *Jété* *8va* *3* *mp*

Vla. *mf* *S.T.* *6* *6* *S.P.* *(ord.)* *gl.* *6* *6* *3* *mp*

Vc. *mp* *Pizz.* *Arco* *mp*

5 4 4 4

Vln. *c.l. tratto* *harm. gl.* *sfz* *8va* *sfz*

Vla. *c.l. batt.* *sfz*

Vc. *c.l. batt.* *Jété* *3* *3* *[attacca]*

5 4 5 4 3 4 3 4

II. Tranquillo

♩ = 34 *S.T.* *III* *vib.* *(ord.)* *S.P.* *(ord.)* *5*

Vln. *pp* *IV*

Vla. *S.T.* *sfz* *sfz* *(uni.)*

Vc. *Pizz.* *pp* *Arco* *sfz*

3 4 3 4

25 *gl.* (uni.) *8va vib.* *mf* *p*

(ord.) 4 4 4 *mp* *molto vib.*

Vc. (ord.) *pp* *f* *crunch* *p* *S.P.* *port.* (ord.)

(heard simultaneously)

29 *D* *8va* *ossia: use false harmonics*

Vln. *n* *pppp* *fff* *ppp sub.*

Vla. *n* *pppp* *fff* *flau.* *p espr.* *off the string*

Vc. *n* *pppp* *fff* *ppp sub.*

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33 *(8va)* *pp* *-3 +3* **third-tones* *n*

Vla. *sfz* *pp* *n*

Vc. *vib.* *S.T.* (ord.) *pp sub.* *sfz* *n*

Vln. 37 *pppp* *sfz* *pp* **E** *p* (-3) (+3) S.P. → S.T. S.P.

Vla. *pppp* *sfz* *pp* non dim. flau. (ord.) (-) (-3) (+3) *third-tones

Vc. *pppp* *sfz* *pp* S.T. *pp* *mp* S.T. ⁵

Vln. 43 (ord.) *mp* *ff* *pp* vib. --- molto vib. ---

Vla. *gl.* S.T. → S.P. (ord.) *mf* *p* Jété

Vc. (ord.) *pp* [attacca]

III. Pesante

Vln. 46 *ff* molto vib. 3 7 8 4 4 3 4

Vla. molto vib. *ff* 3 7 8 4 4 3 4

Vc. molto vib. *ff* 3 7 8 4 4 3 4

F (I) 3

49

Vln. $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$

Vla. $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$

Vc. $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$

f *mf* *ff*

tr *f* *mf* *ff*

f *mf* *ff*

Piu mosso $\text{♩} = \text{♩}$

53

Vln. *sfz* *ff*

Vla. *vib.* *mp* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff*

Vc. *(senza vib.)* *mp* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* simile

tr *ff*

59

Vln. *gl.* *8va*

Vla. *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* simile

Vc. *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* simile

G

$\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$

65 *Pesante*

Vln. $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ *ff*

Vla. $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ *ff*

Vc.

Arco

68 *fff* frenzied

Vln. $\frac{7}{8}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

Vla. $\frac{7}{8}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

Vc. $\frac{7}{8}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

70

Vln. $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ *fff* *ff*

Vla. $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ *fff* *fff*

Vc. $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ *fff* *f*

IV. Diminution

81

Vln. *pp* IV III IV *gl.* vib. -----

Vla. *pp* *tr* #

Vc. *pp* II III flau. ----- Pizz.

sfz

86 J

Vln. *port.* *n* *mf* *n*

Vla. *p* *tr* *n* *mf* *n*

Vc. Arco *p* *tr* *3* *n* *mf* *n*

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92 K

Vln. IV *pp* *3* *+3* *-3*

Vla. *pp* *tr* *gl.*

Vc. *pp* *sfz* flau. -----

Senza misura

96

Vln.

Vla.

Vc.

mp

pppp

poco

III IV

3 4

3 4

Pizz.

Arco

102 (*In metro*)

Vln.

Vla.

Vc.

pp

pp

pp

sfz

dolce

flau.

Pizz.

Arco

non cresc.
[attacca]

3 4

3 4

+3 -3

3

gl.

gl.

V. Scherzo ♩ = 69

107

Vln.

Vla.

Vc.

fff

fff

fff

mf

mf

mf

L

113

Vln. *fff* *n*

Vla. *fff* *n*

Vc. *fff* *n*

120

Vln. *pppp* *f*

Vla. *pppp* *mf* *f* *simile*

Vc. *pppp* *f*

M

128

Vln.

Vla.

Vc.

Poco ritenuto

134 rall. ----- a tempo

Vln.

Vla.

Vc.

(ord.)

c.l. batt.

simile

simile

141

Vln.

Vla.

Vc.

N

148

Vln.

Vla.

Vc.

rall. ----- a tempo

[attacca]

VI. Synchronization
Senza misura ♩ = 34

154 (Sync.)

Vln. *pp*

Vla. *pp*

Vc. *pp*

157 (Sync.) (non Sync.) (Sync.)

Vln. *p* accel. poco a poco *pppp*

Vla. *p* non accel. e non rit. *pppp*

Vc. (to be heard) *p* rit. poco a poco *pppp*

164 non Sync.

Vln. *pp* (bowed gliss.)

Vla. *pp* *sfz*

Vc. *pp*

* independently of others, repeat as desired and move on;
wait for others if you finish early and sync up where indicated.

Vln. *c.l. batt. Jété* *sfz* *mf* *-3 +3*

Vla. *8va* *mp* *Pizz.*

Vc. *mf*

Q (Sync.) *non Sync.* 15"

8va *sfz* *pp non cresc.* *S.T. → S.P. → S.T.* **hum independantly*

Arco *8va* *sfz* *pp non cresc.* *S.T. → S.P. → S.T.* **hum independantly*

8va *sfz* *pp non cresc.* *S.T. → S.P. → S.T.* **hum independantly*

pp *pp*

** use pitches to play and hum independently for 15 seconds.*

R (Sync.) *dim. poco a poco al niente*

Vln. *181* *n* *pppp* *pp* *n*

Vla. *n* *pppp* *pp non dim.* 15" *Rubato (uneven durations)* 3" *n*

Vc. *n* *pppp* *pp* *n*

