

S V E N L Y D E R K A H R S

COMME LE CIEL PARMI LES AILES DES OISEAUX

POUR VIOLON SEUL

DEDICATED TO OLE-HENRIK MOE



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INSTRUCTIONS:

	pressure	Heavy bow pressure, extremely heavy bow pressure
	pressure	Less bow pressure, extremely light bow pressure
ord press		To obtain indicated dynamics, compensate bow speed accordingly.
	ord bow	marked at end of above bowings
		Fast bow, slow bow
	marked at end of above bowings	All above bowings only indicated when an essential part of a the specific sound, and not obviously indicated otherwise. They will not be marked if being part of obtaining normal balance in "normal" sounds.
		A notation invented to indicate a tone whisper, barely audible, tone quality dominated by the sound of the hair, pitch audible. Obtained by using almost no bow pressure, fast bowing, sul ponticello: Alternatively, on certain instruments; medium bow speed, moderate sul p. and light bow pressure.
		This sign indicates a sort of damped, dead, preferably fair coloured distortion sound for pp areas, obtained by rather slow, not heavy bowing sul tasto. Or, for forte passages, same, but a heavier bow pressure producing a scratch sound with a lot more distortion. Pitch audible.
		This sign is designed for a regular fluctuation in bow pressure; a sort of bow vibrato, producing a tremble or a shiver. The fluctuation frequency is indicated by a small note.
		"Shimmer" tone, more fingers on one string. The lower tone has a normal notation and duration and an ordinary finger pressure, the upper tones notated as an x has a very light finger pressure. Requires a light and delicate bowing very sul tasto.
		String resonance damped by lying the left hand's finger along the string, giving a very dry muffled sound.
		Half pressure on indicated pitch position, sounding pitch lower.
		Pitch produced by firm left hand grip.
		Snap pizzicato, valid for one note only.
		left hand pizzicato, dynamics in brackets.
clb		col legno battutto.
clt		col legno tratto, a small amount of hair to be included to ensure tone.
1/2clt		Equal amounts of wood and hair.
col crine		with the hair of the bow
sul p		sul ponticello sounds always to be performed very sul ponticello, occasional distortions accepted.
Gett		gettattos notated with a general tremolo notation, should be allowed to bounce a "natural" number of times, eventually including slight decrescendo and accelerando.

Al Ponte/Batt al ponte/batt: The accented staccato al ponte should sound heavily distorted with a fair distortion tone quality, played like a bowed attack. Battutto al ponte is similar, but shorter, the bow more from above, and less violent, still heavily attacked and a lot of distortion sound. Batt. only, similar, less distorted more stricken. In all cases the sensation of pitch should be kept.

clar.reg. = Clarinet register; a clarinet like sound produced by placing the bow exactly half way between the bridge and the fingers. (at the actual point where the octave harmonic would be)

Glissando: when starting and/or ending with a gracenote means an immediate start/end; on pitch position without any duration or accentuation.

Gettattos or tremolos may have open end without specified pitch, only an arrow to indicate direction.

Tremolos, trills and gracenotes always as fast as possible. If no other indication, gracenotes are "on beat".

vibr a vibrato sign followed by a waved line indicates a rather slow vibrato with a large amplitude

harmonics are written as diamond shaped note head on actual position. String nr. in romans. Small note in brackets indicates sounding pitch. Small circle above if natural harmonic. To clarify durations, harmonics the length of 1/4 are given filled, black noteheads, contrary to normal praxis.

1/4 tone up, down

dal niente, al niente

gradually transition from one state to another (f.ex. from sul p to sul t)

p pos as piano as possible

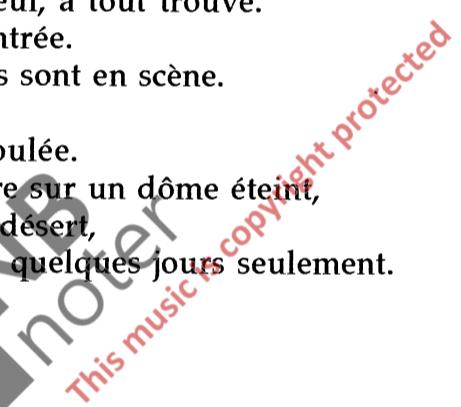
Accidentals valid for one note only! Naturals still used for annulation within bar or when following immediately.

Modèle

Tant de lumières,
Tant de mains et tant de visage,
Tous ces jours parmi ces nuits,
Comme le ciel parmi les ailes
Des Oiseaux !

Destinée.
L'homme, le seul, a tout trouvé.
Entrée.
Des horizons sont en scène.

Coulée.
Chute de la lumière sur un dôme éteint,
Un désert,
Une étoile de jour pour quelques jours seulement.



Paul Eluard
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sult (sult) → **sul p**

gliss → **trem**, **al ponte** (dotted), **sul p**, **ord**, **pressure**, **vibr**

sul p, **ord**, **pressure**, **vibr**, **gliss**, **sul p**, **pressure (sub)**, **mf > pp**, **(mf)**, **f**

pressure, **trem**, **gliss**, **ord**, **vibr**, **gliss**, **sul p**, **sul p**, **trem**, **d=72**, **pressure**

sul p, **I**, **II**, **III**, **IV**, **pressure**, **trem**, **gliss**, **sul p**, **trem**, **mp**, **d=96**

trem, **gliss**, **sult**, **vibr**, **ff**, **pp**, **mf**, **p**, **sul p**, **pressure**, **ord press**, **col crine**, **ord**, **trem**, **sul p**, **pressure**, **ord press**, **8:6**, **pp**, **f**, **p**, **sul p**, **pressure**, **8:7**, **5**, **16**

trem, **al ponte**, **1/2 CLT**, **sul p**, **mf**, **f**, **mp**, **1/2 CLB**, **ord**, **trem**, **pressure**, **ord press**, **sul p**, **pressure**, **ord**, **pressure**, **ord press.**, **trem**, **gliss**, **al ponte**, **sul t**, **pressure**, **sim**, **ord press**, **gett**, **gliss**

(#)

sul t ↑ pressure → *sul p*
ord press.

sult *sult*
tr

↑ pressure ord pressure (+) (+) (below) pizz
arco *ord* *gett* *sulp* trem alla punta *tr*
ord *gett* *sulp* → *sulp* → *sult* → *fast bow* ord press + bow
tr trem *al ponte* *fast bow* (*al ponte*)
al ponte → *fast bow* ↓ pressure
pressure *sulp* *ord* *pressure*
gliss *sult* *slow bow* *sulp* *ord* *pressure*
ord *gett* *gloss*

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mp PPP mp PPP

PP 3 5

mp PPP

mf PP

mp P

sult

f PP

f

f f

gett - - - -

P mp

trem - - - -

PP fPP

PPP P f P

3 5

3 3

al ponte sulp (°)

ord press+bow I

(P) trem

PP

fast bow

pressure

ord

ord press+bow

MP

pizz CLB arco gett gliss

f P

PP

II

mp f

I II

PP

sulp trem

gliss

al ponte

gliss pizz

arco ord

stop bow on string
keep pressure

J=60

P < f P < f P < f

slow bow

J=72

III

P < f P

P < f < P

< f

J = 72
ord
ord bow
al ponte
sul p
↑ pressure
+
ord press
gliss
PP
(mp)
mp — *PP*
mp

gliss
PP
P — *PP*
PPP (*mp*)

J = 56
gliss
f — *mp* (*mp*)
trem
f — *P*
sul p
↑ pressure
↑ pressure
↑ pressure
ord press
trem
circular bow movement
→ sult → s.p. → s.t. → s.p. → s.t. → s.p. → s.t. → sul p sempre
II
11
12
f (*f*)
3
gliss
P — *mf*
PP
3
P

trem
I
II
d. I
P — *PP*
mp
> PP
mf > p
PP

J = 42
trem alla punta
gliss
PPPP — *φ*
f > P
PP
mp

ord
mp
f — *P*
sul p
sub
f pos
PP
J = 63

trem
3
ff PP
PPP

ff PP

1st page of a musical score for violin. The score consists of eight staves of music, each with specific dynamics and performance instructions. A red watermark "This music is copyright protected" is visible across the middle of the page.

Staff 1: 4/4 time, key signature of one sharp. Dynamics: *mp*, *mf*, *PP*, *mf*, *mp*, *PP*. Performance instructions: *salt*, *slow bow*, *pressure*, *ord bow + press*. Measures include slurs, grace notes, and sixteenth-note patterns.

Staff 2: 2/4 time, key signature of one sharp. Dynamics: *ord*, *6*, *sul p*, *al ponte*, *mp*, *>P*, *PP*, *mf*, *mp*, *v.*, *p*, *mf*, *p*, *mf*. Measures include slurs and grace notes.

Staff 3: 4/4 time, key signature of one sharp. Dynamics: *sul p*, *gett*, *d=84*, *pressure*, *PP*, *P*, *PPP*, *mf*, *PPP*, *mf*, *PPP*, *mf*, *PPP*. Measures include slurs, grace notes, and tempo marking *d=84*.

Staff 4: 8/8 time, key signature of one sharp. Dynamics: *mf*, *PP*, *mf*, *PP*, *mf*, *PPP*, *pp*. Measures include slurs and grace notes.

Staff 5: 16/16 time, key signature of one sharp. Dynamics: *mp*, *pp*, *ff*, *ord*, *ord press*, *sul p*, *d=105*, *pressure*, *pp*, *<mf>*, *pp*. Measures include slurs, grace notes, and dynamic markings *ff*, *ord*, *ord press*.

Staff 6: 8/8 time, key signature of one sharp. Dynamics: *pp*, *mf*, *PPP*, *mf*, *PP*, *mf*, *PP*. Measures include slurs and grace notes.

Staff 7: 8/8 time, key signature of one sharp. Dynamics: *d=84*, *pp*, *mf*, *PPP*, *pp*. Measures include slurs and grace notes.

Staff 8: 4/4 time, key signature of one sharp. Dynamics: *pp*, *8*, *ord*, *pressure*, *ord press*, *p*, *PPP*, *pp*. Measures include slurs, grace notes, and dynamic markings *8*, *ord*, *pressure*, *ord press*.

Staff 9: 8/8 time, key signature of one sharp. Dynamics: *pp*, *mf*, *PP*. Measures include slurs and grace notes.

(sim)

Staff 1: Dynamics: PPP, PP, PPP. Tempo: $\text{♩} = 105$. Performance instruction: (sim).

Staff 2: Dynamics: PP, PPP, P. Tempo: $\text{♩} = 84$.

Staff 3: Dynamics: PP, PPP.

Staff 4: Dynamics: mp, PP. Tempo: $\text{♩} = 84$.

Staff 5: Dynamics: P. Performance instruction: ord press. A large red watermark "This music is copyright protected" is overlaid across this staff.

Staff 6: Dynamics: PP, PPP, PP.

Staff 7: Dynamics: PPP, P, PPP. Tempo: $\text{♩} = 63$. Performance instruction: al ponte. A small grey diamond-shaped graphic is placed over the notes in this staff.

Staff 8: Dynamics: ff, pressure. Performance instruction: al ponte ord press. A small grey diamond-shaped graphic is placed over the notes in this staff.

Staff 9: Dynamics: PPP. Performance instruction: sulp.

Staff 10: Dynamics: PP, mf. Tempo: $\text{♩} = 84$. Performance instruction: ord gett.

Staff 11: Dynamics: P. Performance instruction: ↑ pressure.

8 -

sul p
↑ pressure

ord press
trem alla punta
gliss

al ponte sul p
↓↑♪

PPP

8 -

#. 6

8 -

PPP PP PPP

8 -

Slow bow
sul p ↑ pressure
ord press. + bow
Sul t

J=72

8 -

ord
#. 6

8 -

ord ord press
sul t ↑ pressure
sul t ↑ pressure

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8 -

mp P PP P

8 -

al ponte → ord
f>P PPP mf PPP

8 -

slow bow

P PP mp

8 -

sul p
ord bow

PPP PPPP PP PPP <P> PPP <P> PPP <P> PPP

PPPP

al ponte *sulp*
 ↑ pressure
 → fast bow
ord press + bow
pressure

ord
PPP *PP* *J=96* *PP*
MP *PP* *mp* *PP*

sult
(↑)
ord press
P *MP* *PP* *sul p*
ord
→ fast bow
↑ pressure
ord press + bow
ord press
← slow bow
ord
ord press + bow
P *MP* *PP* *P* *PP*
J=72

1/2 CLT
sul p
J=72
mp *PP* *PPP*

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trem alla punta *col crine*
(sul p) *trem alla punta*
al ponte *ord*
J=84 *J=56*
PP *MP* *PPP* *PP* *f* *P* *PP* *sfz* *PP* *sub*
gliss

al ponte *sulp*
clar reg
J=56 *J=72*
sfz *sfz* *fff* *sul p*
tr *ord*
III *IV*
PP *f* *P* *PPP*
P
mf
IV *III*
f > PP

ord gett trem shimmer - - - - - ord

15 sul p $\text{d} = 108$ clar. reg. - - - - -
 PP PPP PP P PP

al ponte sul p
 gett
 sfz mf
 pressure trem ord press shimmer
 II I

15 PP P PPP PP

gliss $\text{d} = 54$
 PPP PPP P PP PPP

ord trem gett sult
 II I f PPP

15 PP mp PP f PPP

$\text{d} = 72$
 trem gett sult $\text{d} = 96$
 mf P mp PPP mp ff > mp

15 pressure - - - - - al ponte - - - - - sult
 f mf mp sfz sfz sfz pressure (↓) slow bow
 → sul p → ord press

15 gliss 5 6 7 8 5 6 7 8 5 6 7 8
 pressure fast bow (•) (•)

*sul p
gett*
al ponte
sul p
al ponte
*ord
vibr*
al ponte
*ord
gett*

mf
f
P (mf)
f
mp
sfz ff
mf

*pizz
arco
ord*
8-1
(mf)

P
mp
mf
mp > P
mf
(mf)

sul p
*→ ord
→ vibr*
(ord)
sult
mf
PP

pressure
ord. press.
al ponte
*ord
flaut*

mp
sfz

*sul p
trem alla punta*
sim
gliss
gliss
gliss
gliss

PPP
P
> PP
mp > P f PPP

trem alla punta-1
gliss
gliss
gliss
gliss
gliss
gliss

*ord
vibr*
→ sul p
PP
f
PP
mf
f
PP

(sul p)
trem
gliss
gliss

PP
P
PP
mf
P

pizz
arco
ord

mp
PP < P > PPP
(mp)
fP

al ponte
ord
pizz
mp

sfp
P
< mp > pp
mf
mp

Measure 1: *pizz*, *arco al ponte*, *ord gett*, *pizz*, *arco batt*
f, *mp*, *sfpz*, *mp*, *3*, *(mp)*, *3*, *f mp*

Measure 2: *al ponte*, *pressure*, *ord*
PPP, *sfpz*, *ff*, *3*, *(ff)*, *mp*

Measure 3: *batt*, *mart*, *ord*, *nail pizz*
mf, *3*, *mf*

Measure 4: *arco (ord)*, *gett*, *ord*, *pressure*, *sulp*, *pressure*, *d = 60*, *ord press*, *(#)*, *al ponte*
mp, *P*, *ff*, *mp*, *PPP*, *P*, *(mp)*, *mp < mf mp*, *3*, *sfpz*

Measure 5: *sult*, *al ponte*, *al ponte*, *mf*, *3*, *mf*, *P*, *PP*, *sfpz*

Measure 6: *al ponte*, *pizz*, *pizz*, *arco sulp*, *pressure*
sfpz, *ff*, *mp*, *3*, *mf (mp)*, *mf*, *(mp)*

Measure 7: *pizz*, *arco ord*, *slow bow*, *ord*
mf, *3*, *f*, *3*, *mp*

Measure 8: *al ponte*, *vibr*, *trem alla punta*, *al ponte*, *sulp*, *tr*, *trem*, *ord*
sfpz, *P*, *3*, *3*, *f*, *mf*, *PP*, *3*

Measure 9: *gett*, *sult*, *pressure*, *ord press*, *pressure*, *ord press*, *pressure*
mf, *ff*, *P (mp)*, *f*, *f*, *P f*, *3*, *mf*

pressure
 ord press
 battal ponte
 ord salt
 f mf
 p mp mf f
 I II
 sult tr.
 IV
 mf mp f pp
 PP
 J=81 I II
 P PP mp pp
 sult salt
 ↑ pressure - gett
 "ord press"
 gliss
 ↑ pressure
 J=108
 mp p mf mp pp
 sult ord press
 → sulp
 J=72
 gett
 f p
 J=96

sult

trem

sul p

mf > P *f mp* *PP* *PP < mp > PP* *PPP*

sul p *gett battal ponte* *sul p* *pressure gliss* *ord press* *battal ponte*

mp *mf* *f* *mf = mp* *f* *P* *PP* *PP < f* *mf*

ord *d=96* *gett gliss* *sult pressure gliss* *mf* *pressure III (o)* *ord press*

tr *sult pressure gliss* *sul p ord press* *al ponte pressure*

P *mf > P* *mf > P f*

sult pressure

ord press *sul p*

PP *mp* *PP* *f > mp* *ff* *f* *al ponte*

ord *tr* *trem* *gliss* *al ponte* *sul p*

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

sult

ord *pressure gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss* *gliss*

P *PP* *mp* *f > P* *PP* *mp* *f* *f > P*

8 *I* *8* *I* *8* *I*

PP *f* *mf* *f* *mp* *f* *fp* *PP*

tr *ord -> sult* *sul p*

d=72 *gliss* *II* *gliss*

P *mp* *PP* *PPP* *P* *f P* *f P* *f*

sul p al ponte sul p
 trem alla punta ord

ord trem
 gliss gliss gliss

tr (b.)
 mp > P f mp > P f > P PP mp PP

J=63 sul p
 pressure pressure
 ord press
 gliss

1/2 CLT
 Sult
 slow bow fast bow
 ord sul p
 ord bow gliss
 col crine
 (sul p)
 al ponte tr

vibr III IV
 mp f mp
 bow trem
 III IV gliss
 ord ord press
 gett gliss

CLT
 III IV
 sul p ord
 IV III
 CLT
 III IV
 PP

col crine
 II
 IV
 III
 II
 I
 (mf)

pizz
 IV
 mp
 arco
 batt
 mf
 d=84 ord
 III
 P
 IV III IV III

III (F#) IV III IV III IV
 sul p trem gliss sul p trem gliss gliss
 P PP mp P > PPP P fP
 (sul p sempre) CLT 1/2 CLT
 ↑ pressure ord press ord press vibr
 PP mp PPP PP
 pressure ord press IV
 mp P IV III
 f PP IV III
 f PP
 pressure ord → sul p
 gliss ord press tr
 III IV
 PP PPP
 pressure trem alla punta sim
 PPP mf P pos
 trem alla punta ord press gett ord vibr
 PP P mp
 clar. reg. sempre - - -
 PP
 ord batt + CLB pizz arco
 5 5 5 5
 mp
 CLB pizz flaut arco
 f mp (mf) f
 (mf) (mf)
 ord
 I (F#) 5
 (mf) (mf)
 gliss pizz + arco
 5 5 5 5
 mp PP mp
 CLB pizz flaut arco
 f mp (mf) f
 (mf) (mf)

J=63

arco
sul p
pressure

gliss
gliss

mf

f P

III (♯)

gliss

f PP mp

(o) (o)

batt sempre

J=105 CLB

ord press

II (o)

↓ pressure I (♯)

P (f)

sul p
pressure

PPP

trem

ord press

P PP PPP f PPP

5

f P PP f f PP mp

gett.

J=84 trem

3 1 trem gliss

PPP PP

A page of musical notation for a bowed string instrument, featuring six staves of music with various performance instructions. The notation includes:

- Staff 1:** Dynamics P, PPP; Fingerings (♯), b.; Measure 1: trill; Measure 2: 3, 3, 5; Measure 3: 5, 7, 8, 7; Measure 4: 4, 4; Measure 5: gliss.
- Staff 2:** Dynamics P, PPP; Measure 1: 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4; Measure 2: 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4.
- Staff 3:** Dynamics f, mp, ff, PP; Fingerings (♯), ord, III (♯); Measure 1: sul p, fast bow, pressure; Measure 2: ord, ord pressure + bow, gett; Measure 3: sul p.
- Staff 4:** Dynamics f, mp, ff, PP; Fingerings (♯), ord, III, IV; Measure 1: ord, III, IV; Measure 2: II, I; Measure 3: I, III.
- Staff 5:** Dynamics mf, P, pp, mp; Fingerings I, II, III; Measure 1: arco sult; Measure 2: pizz.
- Staff 6:** Dynamics P, pp, mp; Fingerings I, II, III; Measure 1: 7, 4, 4, 5; Measure 2: 7, 7, 7, 7.

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