

**TRIGGER
MUSIC
(2013)**

**FOR
STRING QUARTET**

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Performance Notes

♯ = $\frac{1}{4}$ tone sharp

♯♯ = $\frac{3}{4}$ tone sharp

♭ = $\frac{1}{4}$ tone flat

♭♭ = $\frac{3}{4}$ tone flat

-Square fermatas are equal to half the duration of a standard fermata.

-All glissandos are to be played long and evenly for the duration of the given note. A change of string is acceptable and required on many long glissandos, which will result in a slight break in the glissando.

-Duration is approximately seven minutes.

Trigger Music

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Fierce ♩ = 132

Violin 1

Violin 2

Viola

Cello

p < *ff*

p < *ff*

p < *ff*

p < *f*

mf

p

f

rit.

(♩=♩)

a tempo

(slide between pitches)

5

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

p < *fff*

p < *fff*

p < *fff*

mf

p

ff

f

mf

rit.

(♩=♩)

a tempo

pizz.

arco

10 *rit.* (♩ = ♩) ♩ = 76-80

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

Molto Rubato
pizz. 3 arco *tr*
pizz.

ff *p* *f*

15 [A] **Tempo I** ♩ = 132

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

mf *mf* *mf*

legato sul tasto *legato sul tasto*

arco pizz. arco pizz.

mf *f* *ff*

20

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

pp

f

mp

mp

legato sul tasto

24

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

mp

ff

mf

mp

ff

(snap)
pizz.

28

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

ff

ff

mp

mp

mp

ff

B Slower ♩ = 72
(With Heavy Accents)

33

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vcl.

f

ff

p

f

ff

f

ff

mp

ff

f

ff

f

sfzp

f

sfzp

f

f

f

f

37

Vln. 1 *mf* *ff* *p* *ff* *mf* *sfz* *ff* *sfz* *ff* *sul. ponticello*

Vln. 2 *ff* *sfz* *sfz* *sfz* *sfz* *ff* *ff* *sfz* *ff* *sul. ponticello*

Vla. *mp* *ff* *pizz.* *arco* *mp* *ff* *ff* *sfz* *ff* *sul. ponticello*

Vlc. *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff* *f* *ff* *sul. ponticello*

Faster ♩ = 96

41

Vln. 1 (ord.) *f* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff*

Vln. 2 (ord.) *f* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff*

Vla. (ord.) *f* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff*

Vlc. (ord.) *f* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff* *mf* *ff*

C Much Slower ♩ = 66
(slide between pitches)

47

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

mf

f

p

p

p

D Faster ♩ = 88

52

Vln. 1

Vln. 2

Vla.

Vlc.

mf

p

mf

mf

pp

pp

mf

p

mf

pp

(no decresc.)

(no decresc.)

mf

mf

pizz.

pizz.