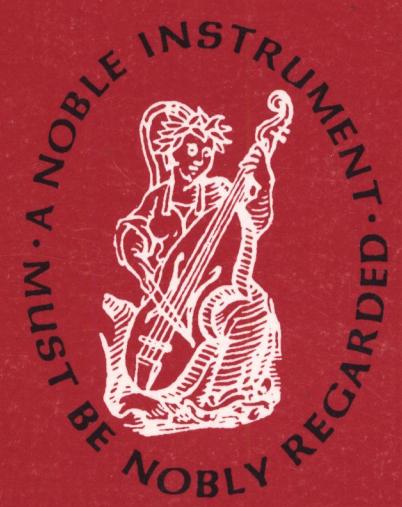
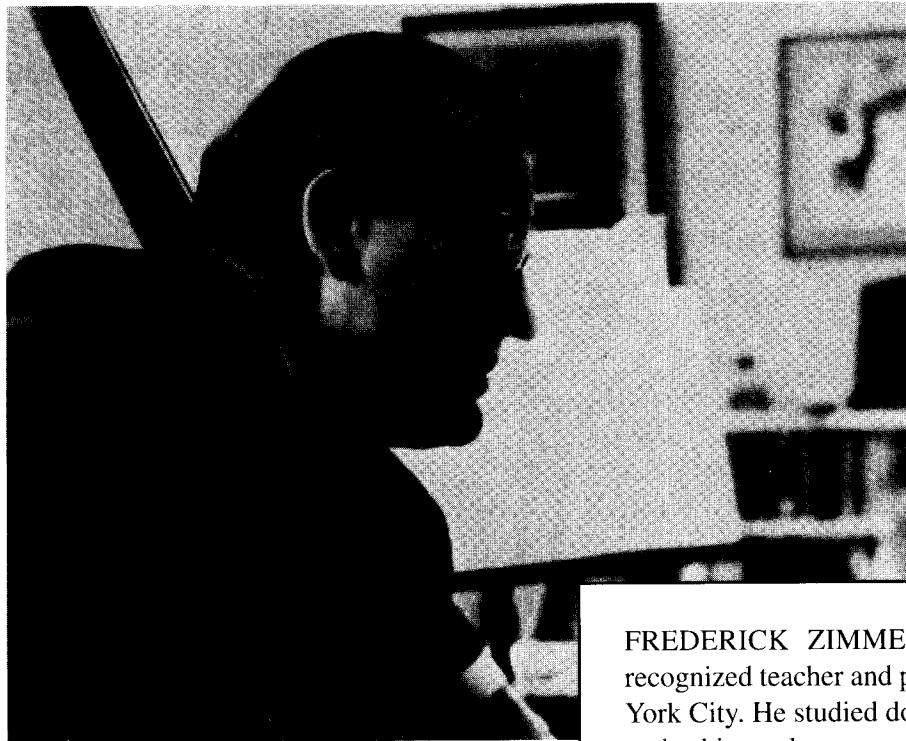


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FREDERICK ZIMMERMANN (1906-1967), internationally recognized teacher and performer, was born and educated in New York City. He studied double bass with Herman Reinshagen and, under his tutelage, was one of the first Americans to concertize on the double bass. He succeeded this eminent teacher as a member of the faculty of the Juilliard School of Music in 1935.

He was also a member of the faculty of the Mannes College of Music; The New School of Music, Philadelphia; double bass coach of the Canadian Youth Orchestra, Toronto, Canada and was a teacher in Education at New York University. He was also a member of the New York Philharmonic Symphony for 36 years.

As a lecturer he conducted seminars at various colleges in the East, presenting contemporary concepts of playing, as well as teaching techniques. As a writer he presented the history of the double bass, as well as a new image of the instrument and its performer, elevating it to a level heretofore never realized by either player or listener and giving it a dimension heretofore unknown.

The concept of two, three and four double basses playing in ensemble as a method of study, preparing the student as an ensemble and orchestral player, originated with Frederick Zimmermann. He has transcribed much music, from the 14th to the 20th centuries, for this purpose and has interested contemporary composers to write for consorts of double bass.

His pupils have filled important positions as players and teachers in the United States, Canada and Europe. More than anyone else in the 20th century, Frederick Zimmermann enlarged the literature of the double bass and gave the instrument prominence and dignity in the musical world.

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PREFACE

Many of the technical problems presented in the playing of the double bass are problems peculiar to that instrument. They exist because of its physical structure and its manner of tuning.

The most formidable problems presented by the proportions of the double bass are the great distances separating notes and intervals, and the excessive number of shifts made necessary by the fact that only two semi-tones can be played in one position.

The solution to the problem of playing a complex, non-diatonic passage at a rapid tempo is sought in fingering as many notes (intervals), or orders of notes (chordal), as possible in one position. However, while this solves one problem, it creates another: it adds to the number of cross-string bowing changes.

An approach to the development of a technique relating to this particular problem is the subject of this work.

Fingerings function as guides, outlining generalizations and "systems", to train the fingers to move automatically in established and readily recognizable patterns.

The fingers trained to respond to

Example 1:

Allegro

along the contours of the fingering pattern in

Example 2:

Allegro

will do so as a reflex in whatever context this figure may occur (Mozart, Beethoven, Brahms, Storch-Hrabe, etc.).

Such a spontaneous recognition of and response to a figure does not, however, occur in the action of the bow arm. There are no precise guides, such as fingering indications, to clarify and make knowledgeable the nature and structure of the bowing patterns which seem to be, so to speak, woven in the very texture of the passage itself.

To abstract such bowing patterns from their particular environment or passage for ready identification, classification, communication, detailed study and analysis is the main objective considered in organizing the material of this work.

Using measures from the last movement of the third Symphony of Beethoven, the method by which bowing patterns are abstracted is outlined as follows: The excerpt is written in the upper staff of a pair of bracketed staves:

Example 3:

The pattern is written note for note on the lower staff as follows: Any note played on the "D" string is written on the lower staff, directly below that note as an "A" in the fourth position on the "D" string:

Example 3a:

Any note played on the "G" string will be written on the lower staff, directly below that note as an "E" in the fourth position on the "G" string:

Example 3b:

After carrying out the steps of this procedure throughout the excerpt, the bowing pattern will take the form or structure illustrated in

Example 3c:

Allegro

The bowing now has a visual arrangement, and it is interesting to note that though there are four shifts of position for the left hand, there is but one bowing pattern; an element of four notes repeated five times. This excerpt as well as any passage, can now be practiced in parts - the bowing first, free from the distracting movements of the left hand; then the left hand shifts can be practiced unhindered by any uncertain motions of the bow arm.

In passages across four strings, notes on the "A" string are written as an open "A"; those on the "E" string are written as an open "E".

One soon notices, in examining the patterns abstracted from the orchestral excerpts in this work, how often the basic elements of the various sections occur - either by themselves or in combination with one another. They are present throughout the entire literature, regardless of the key, style or form of a composition.

The basic elements of each section, such as those of Section 1, and their inversions

should be studied together with the visual guide (graph) of each in detail, before going on to the next, since the understanding and skill with which one pattern is played (repeatedly) depends on the knowledge and assurance one has gained from the previous pattern, though each separate one is a new experience in controlling the alternating movements of the bow.

The general format of this work includes a preface (the object and purpose of this work); an introduction (description of the functions of the arm and hand, and the purpose of their functions and supplementary material), and six sections.

Sections I to IV are subdivided into these parts:

1. The Basic Patterns.
2. Suggested Practice Procedure.
3. Etudes constructed on the Basic Patterns and Permutations of Their Elements.
4. Bowings and Etudes Built on the Bowing Patterns.
5. Examples from Etudes, Orchestral Passages and Materials from the Solo Repertoire.
6. Graphic Bowing Charts.

Section V:

Patterns, Etudes and Excerpts Relating to Three and Four Strings.

Section VI:

Bowing Drills.

There are over four hundred bowing patterns forming the main portion of this book. Though not an attempt to exhaust all the possibilities, they serve as a sufficient basis for further study, reference, serious consideration and expansion. Their efficacy will be realized in proportion to the manner in which they are used. To have a knowledge of some is to bring a technique to the solution of a bowing problem; to have command of many is to face the materials of music with confidence and skill.

INTRODUCTION

There are two considerations which are of major importance in the course of practicing cross-string bowing patterns. First, the hair of the bow must remain as close to the strings as possible, in the particular pattern being studied; and second, the raising and lowering movements of the arm must be kept at a minimum.

The technique of bowing across two or more strings is a total operation consisting of three principal parts, each part acting in accord with the others:

1. The horizontal movements of the bow arm.
2. The raising and lowering motions of the arm.
3. The tilting actions of the hand.
 - a. A sub-phase is the feeling of the weight of the arm. This sensation of weight (the actual weight of the arm) is carried along the intricate motions of all the cross-string patterns.

Each stage in turn has its specific function and purpose:

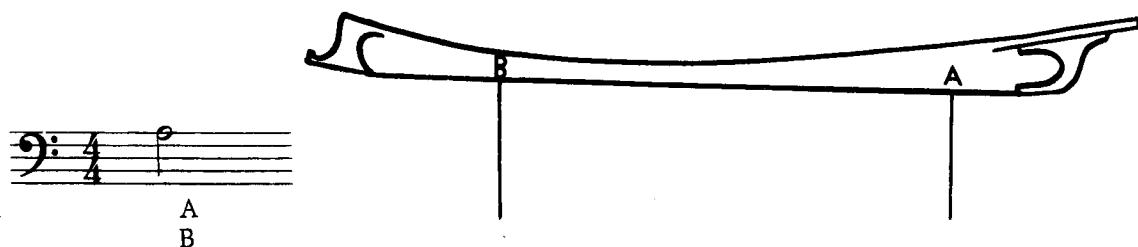
1. The horizontal movements of the arm direct the bow in either alternate or successive down and up-bow motions. They also serve to regulate the various rates of speed (velocity) at which the bow travels.
2. The raising and lowering motions of the arm tilt or direct the bow to either a lower or a higher pitched string.
3. The tilting action of the hand turns the stick of the bow toward the fingerboard in going to a higher pitched string, and away from it in going to a lower pitched string. This motion is auxiliary to and coincidental with the gradual raising and lowering movements of the arm, and serves to reduce its movements considerably. Both actions operate in accord, thus effecting smooth and facile string crossing.

The following exercises are included as outlines intended to train the hand and arm to move with an economy of motion from one string surface to another. The tilting action of the hand is valid for both styles of bowing, except that when using the *French Bow* there is more wrist movement, whereas when using the *Dragonetti Bow* (German) there is oblique wrist and forearm motion.

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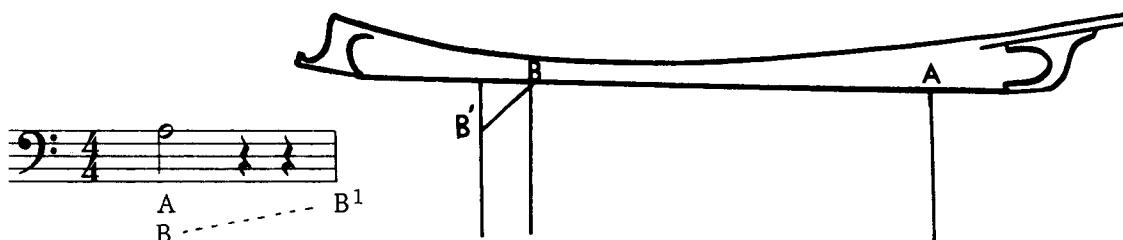
1. Stroke the note "A"; pause after the full durational value has been realized. (A to B)

Diagram 1:



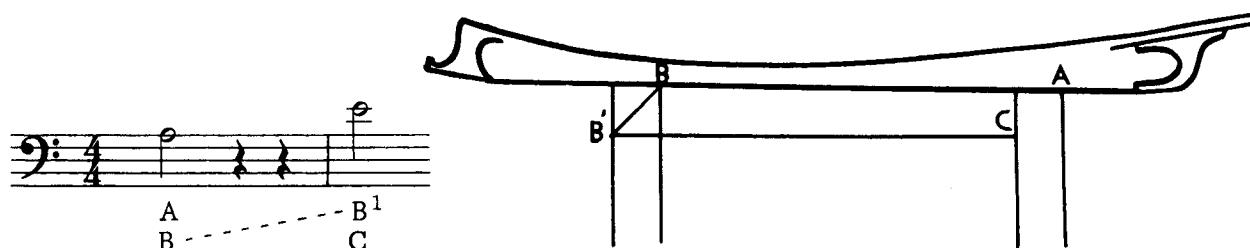
2. During the period of rest tilt the bow slowly, in the direction of the fingerboard, until the hair of the bow finds the surface of the "G" string, engaging it securely preparatory to stroking the note "E". (see Diagram 2.) (B to B¹)

Diagram 2:



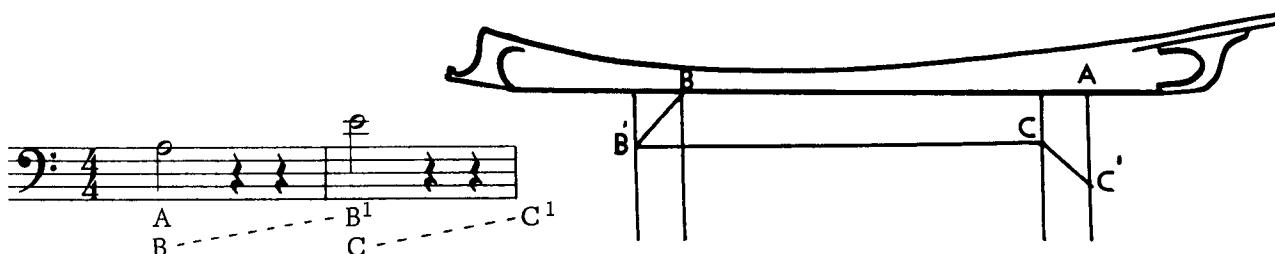
3. Stroke the note "E"; pause after the durational value has been realized. (see Diagram 3.) (B¹ to C)

Diagram 3:

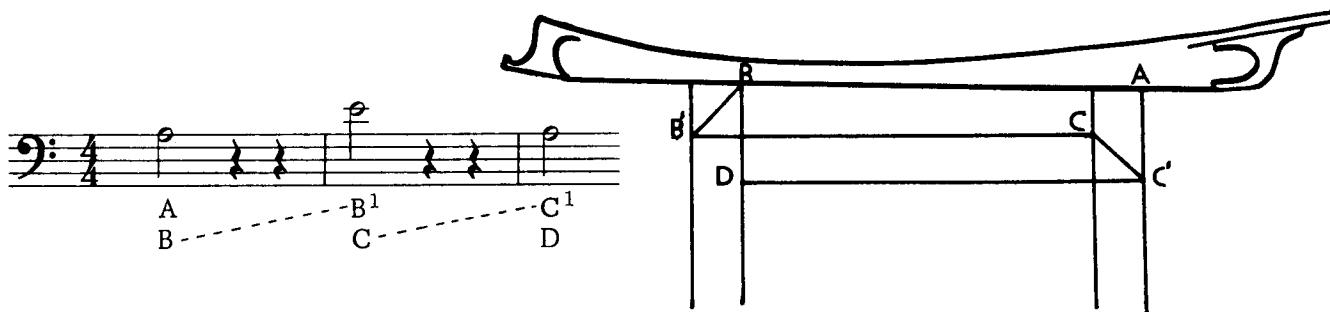


4. During the period of rest, tilt the bow slowly, away from the fingerboard, until the hair of the bow finds the surface of the "D" string, engaging it securely, preparatory to stroking the note "A". (C to C¹)

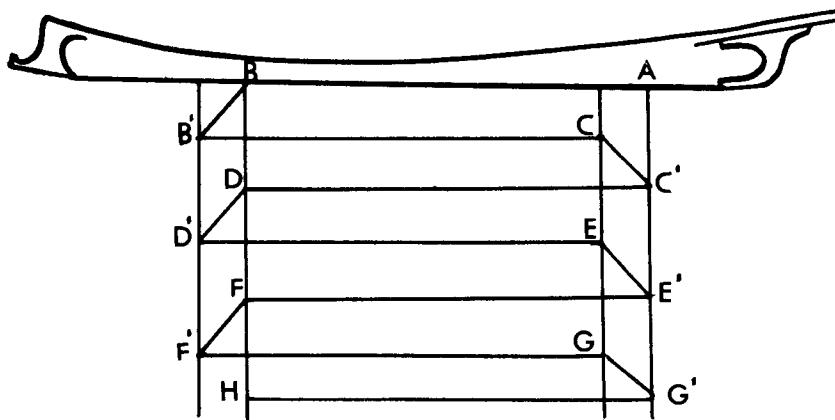
Diagram 4:



5. Stroke the "A"; pause after the durational value has been realized.



6. Repeat the steps as outlined in phases 1 to 4 (C to D, D¹ to E, E¹ to F, F¹ to G, G¹ to H).



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1. During the stroking of the first half of measure 1 (the sounding of the "A"), gradually tilt the bow toward the surface of the "G" string, as close as possible, without actually resonating it. Gauge the speed of the bow and its distance from the "G" string.
2. On the count of three, gently and delicately move the bow across the "G" string without any acceleration of speed or change in dynamics, thereby sounding and sustaining the double-stop for the remainder of the measure.
3. Raise the bow but slightly from the surface of the "D" string while sounding the "E" again.
4. While stroking the "E", gradually tilt the bow toward the surface of the "D" string, as close as possible, without actually resonating it. Gauge the speed (velocity) of the bow and its distance from the "D" string, preparatory to sounding the note "A", then repeat phases 1 to 4.

$\text{♩} = 72$

A musical staff in 4/4 time. The key signature is not explicitly shown but includes one sharp. The tempo is marked as $\text{♩} = 72$. The staff consists of eight measures. The first measure contains two eighth notes per beat. The second measure contains one eighth note followed by a quarter note. This pattern repeats for the remaining six measures.

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$\text{♩} = 66$

A musical staff in 4/4 time. The key signature is not explicitly shown but includes one sharp. The tempo is marked as $\text{♩} = 66$. The staff consists of eight measures. The first measure contains two eighth notes per beat. The second measure contains one eighth note followed by a quarter note. Subsequent measures show various eighth-note patterns with fingerings (0, 1, 2, 3, 4) indicating specific fingerings for each note.

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$\text{♩} = 69$

$\text{♩} = 72$

$\text{♩} = 72$

mf

$\text{♩} = 72$

mf

It is also important to the overall objective of developing a fine bowing technique, that the metric and durational values be kept under control. Since the rhythmic and metric beats in these examples and exercises are one and the same, care must be taken to accent only the primary and secondary beats, to avoid any alteration, in pattern or meter, caused by the accidental emphasis placed on a note by the mere act of crossing the string, as illustrated in the following figures.

Alteration of pattern:



Alteration of meter:

Alteration of durational values:



A compound of faults:



There are numerous instances, however, when non-metric beats are accented, as in the following excerpt, from the overture to *Der Freischütz*, by Carl Maria von Weber, in which the composer indicates a stronger emphasis on the last beats of the first four measures, and on the second and fourth beats of the following measures:

The metronome markings, suggested by the writer, are to be used for the practice of the various abstracted patterns throughout the sections of this book. It is advisable also to practice them one notch above as well as one notch below the metronome marks indicated.

SECTION I

PATTERN I

C. 100

A B C D

E F G H

SUGGESTED PROCEDURE FOR PRACTICE

Begin each measure with the metronome set at $\text{d} = 72$ (two beats to a measure). These are to be played with a détaché bowing; a smoothly articulated stroke with no pause or break between the notes. When the movements of the arm and hand feel comfortable and the crossing motion secure and well directed, advance the mark to $\text{d} = 88$. Again, when these are played with a feeling of ease and control, advance to $\text{d} = 104$. Play each measure keeping the metronome at $\text{d} = 104$, using a spiccato bowing. When these are played with a sense of ease and control, increase the metronome marking step-wise to $\text{d} = 116$ and $\text{d} = 126$. At an advanced marking of $\text{d} = 132$ to $\text{d} = 152$, the bow is again moved with a rapid détaché bowing.

A

B

C

D

ETUDE

PATTERN I

$\text{♩} = 92$ (*spiccato*), $\text{♩} = 126$ (*détaché*)

The musical score consists of ten identical staves, each starting with a bass clef and a common time signature. The notation is primarily composed of eighth notes, with sixteenth-note patterns interspersed. The first staff begins with a sixteenth-note pattern: B, A, G, F, E, D, C, B. This is followed by a series of eighth notes: B, A, G, F, E, D, C, B. The second staff continues this pattern, with a sixteenth-note pattern at the beginning: B, A, G, F, E, D, C, B. The third staff follows the same structure. The fourth staff introduces a new element: a sixteenth-note pattern at the beginning: B, A, G, F, E, D, C, B. The fifth staff continues the established pattern. The sixth staff begins with a sixteenth-note pattern: B, A, G, F, E, D, C, B. The seventh staff follows the standard pattern. The eighth staff begins with a sixteenth-note pattern: B, A, G, F, E, D, C, B. The ninth staff continues the pattern. The tenth staff concludes with a sixteenth-note pattern: B, A, G, F, E, D, C, B.

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN I

Bass clef, 2/3 time.

A B A C A D

A E A F A G A H

B A B C B D

B E B F B G B H

C A C B C D

C E C F C G C H

D A D B D C

D E D F D G D H



ETUDES

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN I

Allegro $\text{♩} = 96$ (*spiccato*)

The music consists of five staves of bass clef (F) 2/4 time. The first four staves each begin with a sixteenth-note pattern of (F#-E-G-D). The fifth staff begins with a sixteenth-note pattern of (D-G-F#-E). The patterns are followed by eighth-note pairs (F#-E) and (G-D), respectively. The music is composed of eighth-note pairs (F#-E) and (G-D) throughout.

Allegro molto $\text{♩} = 112$ (*spiccato*)

The music consists of seven staves of bass clef (F) 2/4 time. The first six staves each begin with a sixteenth-note pattern of (F#-E-G-D). The seventh staff begins with a sixteenth-note pattern of (D-G-F#-E). The patterns are followed by eighth-note pairs (F#-E) and (G-D), respectively. The music is composed of eighth-note pairs (F#-E) and (G-D) throughout.

BOWINGS

PATTERN I

The sheet music consists of eight staves of cello music, each staff starting with a bass clef and a 2/3 time signature. The staves are divided by vertical bar lines into measures. Each measure contains a sequence of notes with specific bowing markings above them. The markings include 'A', 'B', 'C', 'D', 'E', 'F', 'G', and 'H', which correspond to the sections of the pattern. The notes are primarily eighth and sixteenth notes, with some quarter notes. The bowing patterns involve various combinations of strokes (downbow, upbow) and rests.

* The dotted notes are to be played alternately on the string (*Staccato*) and off the string (*Flying Spiccato*).

ETUDE
BOWINGS (PATTERN I)

Moderato $\text{♩} = 84$



22 | S [2] $\text{♩} = 80$

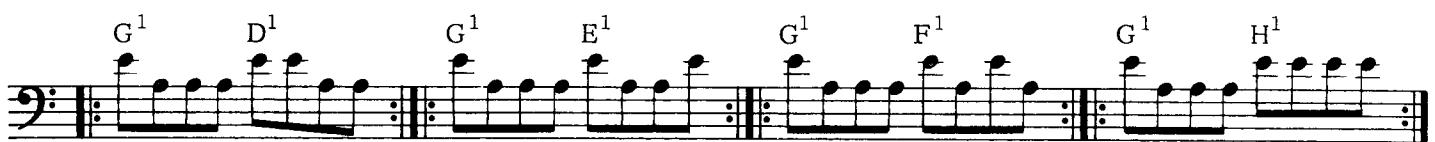
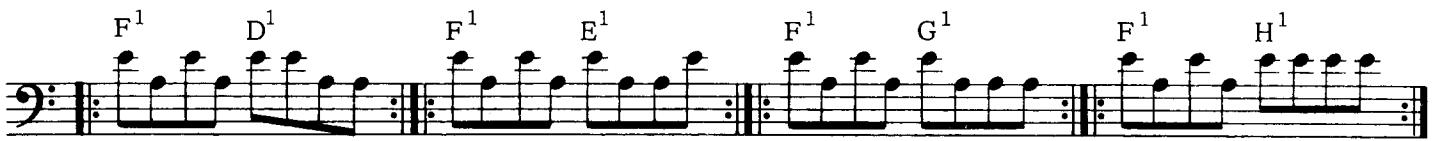
PATTERN II

A¹ B¹ C¹ D¹

E¹ F¹ G¹ H¹

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN II





ETUDE

PATTERN II

Allegro con brio $\text{J} = 100$ 

ETUDES

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN II

Allegro non troppo $\text{♩} = 88$

The music consists of five staves of bass clef notation. Each staff begins with a sixteenth-note pattern followed by eighth-note pairs. The patterns are repeated across all staves.

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BOWINGS PATTERN II

The sheet music consists of eight staves of cello music. Each staff begins with a bass clef, a '2' indicating two measures of 1/2 time, and a repeat sign. The staves are labeled A¹, B¹, C¹, D¹, E¹, F¹, G¹, H¹, and *.

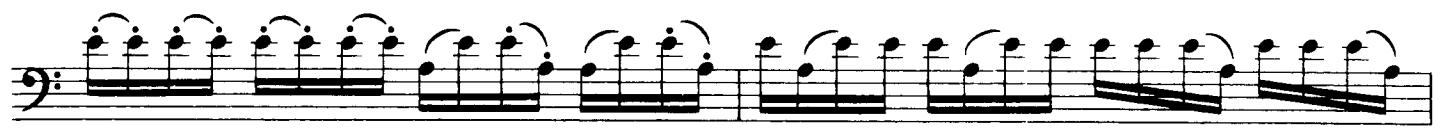
- A¹**: Vertical up bows on the first measure, followed by horizontal parallel bows on the second.
- B¹**: Vertical up bows on the first measure, followed by horizontal parallel bows on the second.
- C¹**: Vertical up bows on the first measure, followed by horizontal parallel bows on the second.
- D¹**: Vertical up bows on the first measure, followed by horizontal parallel bows on the second.
- E¹**: Vertical up bows on the first measure, followed by horizontal parallel bows on the second.
- F¹**: Vertical up bows on the first measure, followed by horizontal parallel bows on the second.
- G¹**: Vertical up bows on the first measure, followed by horizontal parallel bows on the second.
- H¹**: Vertical up bows on the first measure, followed by horizontal parallel bows on the second.
- ***: Vertical up bows on the first measure, followed by horizontal parallel bows on the second. The note heads in the second measure have small dots above them, indicating a staccato or flying spiccato technique.

* The dotted notes are to be played alternately on the string (*Staccato*) and off the string (*Flying Spiccato*).

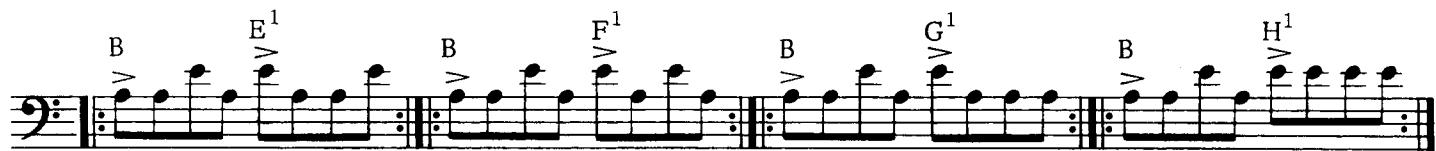
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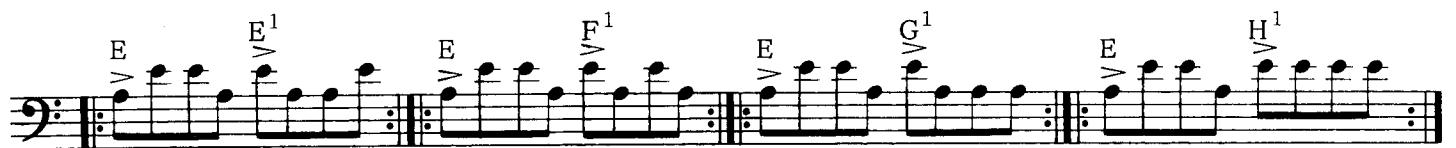
BOWINGS (PATTERN II)

Moderato $\text{♩} = 69$ to Allegro $\text{♩} = 96$



PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERNS I & II





ETUDES

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERNS I & II

Vivo $\text{♩} = 126$ (*spiccato*)

Allegro di molto ♩ = 112

This exercise is to be practiced with a Martelé bowing; each note beginning with a sharp attack and separated from the next note.

Allegro giusto ♩ = 100

ETUDES

BOWINGS (PATTERNS I & II)

Allegro non troppo $\text{♩} = 88$

The musical score consists of eight staves of bassoon music. Each staff begins with a bass clef, followed by a 'C' key signature, and a '2/4' time signature. The music is set to an 'Allegro non troppo' tempo, indicated by a metronome mark of $\text{♩} = 88$. The notation features vertical stems for each note, horizontal dashes indicating the direction of the bow, and curved bows above the notes to show the bow path. The patterns involve continuous eighth-note strokes with varying bow directions and bowings.

Allegro di molto $\text{♩} = 112$

The first section of the sheet music consists of five staves of bassoon music. The key signature is one sharp (F# major). The time signature is common time (indicated by a '4'). The tempo is Allegro di molto, with a tempo marking of $\text{♩} = 112$. The music features continuous eighth-note patterns with various slurs and grace notes. The bassoon part is supported by a steady harmonic foundation provided by a piano or harp.

Moderato assai $\text{♩} = 66$

The second section of the sheet music consists of six staves of bassoon music. The key signature changes to no sharps or flats (C major). The time signature remains common time (indicated by a '4'). The tempo is Moderato assai, with a tempo marking of $\text{♩} = 66$. The music features sustained notes with grace notes and slurs, creating a more melodic and rhythmic texture compared to the first section. The bassoon part continues to be supported by harmonic basso continuo.

(PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERNS I & II

A^1

A^1

B^1

B^1

C^1

C^1

D^1

D^1



ETUDES

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERNS II & I

Allegro $\text{J} = 92$

The musical score for the first study consists of six staves of music for bassoon or cello. The music is in common time (indicated by '4'). The key signature is not explicitly shown but appears to be C major. The notation is primarily in the bass clef staff, with some notes in the treble clef staff. The music features eighth-note patterns with various slurs and grace notes, primarily in the upper half of the bass clef staff. The patterns are varied, with some staves showing more complex rhythmic figures than others.

Allegro $\text{J} = 92$

The musical score for the second study consists of four staves of music for bassoon or cello. The music is in common time (indicated by '3'). The key signature is not explicitly shown but appears to be C major. The notation is primarily in the bass clef staff, with some notes in the treble clef staff. The music features sixteenth-note patterns with slurs, primarily in the upper half of the bass clef staff. The patterns are varied, with some staves showing more complex rhythmic figures than others.

ETUDES

BOWINGS (PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERNS II & I)

Allegro assai $\text{♩} = 100$

The sheet music consists of ten staves of musical notation for cello. Each staff begins with a bass clef, followed by a '4' indicating common time. The music is composed of eighth-note patterns, primarily using two strokes per note. The first six staves feature horizontal strokes, while the last four staves feature diagonal strokes. The patterns involve various combinations of vertical and horizontal strokes, creating different bowing permutations. The notes are grouped by vertical bar lines, and the music is set against a background of five horizontal lines.

SYMPHONY No. 40

WOLFGANG A. MOZART

Allegro

$\text{♩} = 108$

F H¹ H¹ A¹ F F F

F F F F F F

Combined in the first measure of this example are F of pattern I and H¹ of pattern II, one of the many permutations of patterns I and II.

In measure two we find H¹ and A¹ permutations of the basic patterns. Measures three, four, five and six are repetitions of the basic pattern F. Measure seven consists of an element of F and an alternate crossing between the D and the A strings.

Subsequent examples will be similarly notated, using symbols corresponding with each section.

PIANO CONCERTO No. 4

LUDWIG VAN BEETHOVEN

Vivace

Vivace

$\text{♩} = 108$

G G H A C¹ C¹ C¹ H¹

SYMPHONY No. 34

WOLFGANG A. MOZART

Presto

CONCERTO

Allegro moderato

DOMENICO DRAGONETTI

The image shows two staves of cello music. The top staff is in common time (indicated by a '4') and has a key signature of one sharp. It features a continuous eighth-note pattern with various fingerings: 3, 0, 3, 2, 1, 1, 0, 4, 1, 4, 1, 4, 1. The bottom staff is also in common time (indicated by a '4') and has a key signature of one sharp. It follows a similar eighth-note pattern. Both staves include dynamic markings such as 'p' (piano) and 'f' (forte). The music is attributed to DOMENICO DRAGONETTI at the top right.

CONCERTO

E. D. STEIN

Cadenza

Cadenza

♩ = 112

F¹

F¹

F¹

ETUDE

STORCH - HRABE

Allegro

$\text{♩} = 88$

CONCERTO

E. D. STEIN

Con fuoco

$\text{♩} = 120$

ETUDE

ANTON SLAMA

Allegro molto

$\text{♩} = 88$

Allegro molto

$\text{♩} = 92$

SONATA No. 5

Allegro con spirito

ANTONIO VIVALDI

Sheet music for Antonio Vivaldi's Sonata No. 5, Allegro con spirito. The music is in 4/4 time, key of G major (indicated by a C-sharp symbol). The tempo is indicated as $\text{♩} = 92$. The notes are primarily eighth notes, with some sixteenth-note patterns. Fingerings are shown above the notes: 4, 0, 2; 1; 4, 0, 2; 1. The bass line consists of eighth-note patterns. Measure numbers G¹, H¹, G¹, H¹, G¹, H¹ are written below the bass line.

CARNIVAL OVERTURE

Allegro vivo

ANTON Dvorak

Sheet music for Anton Dvorak's Carnival Overture, Allegro vivo. The music is in 2/2 time, key of C major (indicated by a C-sharp symbol). The tempo is indicated as $\text{♩} = 120$. The notes are primarily eighth notes. Fingerings are shown above the notes: 4, 4, 1; 1, 4, 1; 1, 4, 1; 1, 1, 0; 4, 1, 0; 4, 1, 0. The bass line consists of eighth-note patterns. Measure numbers C¹, A¹, F, C, C, C, C, C are written below the bass line. A section labeled 'D' is indicated.

Sheet music for Anton Dvorak's Carnival Overture, continuing from the previous page. The music is in 2/2 time, key of C major (indicated by a C-sharp symbol). The notes are primarily eighth notes. Fingerings are shown above the notes: 2, 1; 2, 1; 2, 1; 2, 1; 1, 0; 4, 1, 0; 4, 1, 0. The bass line consists of eighth-note patterns. Measure numbers D, G, D, C, H, F, C, C, C, C, C, C are written below the bass line.

Sheet music for Anton Dvorak's Carnival Overture, concluding the piece. The music is in 2/2 time, key of C major (indicated by a C-sharp symbol). The notes are primarily eighth notes. Fingerings are shown above the notes: 4, 4, 1; 1, 4, 1; 1, 1, 2; 1, 4, 1, 1; 0, 1. The bass line consists of eighth-note patterns. Measure numbers C¹, A¹, C, H, C, C, C, C, C, C, C are written below the bass line. A section labeled 'D' is indicated.

SYMPHONY FANTASTIQUE

HECTOR BERLIOZ

Allegro

CONCERTO

DOMENICO DRAGONETTI

Allegro

Sheet music for Concerto by Domenico Dragonetti, Allegro tempo. The music is in 4/4 time with a key signature of two sharps. The tempo is indicated as ♩ = 112. The notes are primarily eighth notes, with some sixteenth-note patterns. Fingerings are shown above the notes, such as 1, 4, 6, 1, 2, etc. Pedal markings G¹ and H¹ are placed under groups of notes.

SYMPHONY No. 6

PETER I. TCHAIKOVSKY

Allegro vivo

Sheet music for Symphony No. 6 by Peter I. Tchaikovsky, Allegro vivo tempo. The music is in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp. The tempo is indicated as ♩ = 126. The notes are mostly eighth notes. Fingerings like 0 4 1 0, 1 1 0 1, etc., are written above the notes. Pedal markings E and H¹ are placed under groups of notes.

SYMPHONY No. 88

JOSEPH HAYDN

Allegro

Sheet music for Symphony No. 88 by Joseph Haydn, Allegro tempo. The music is in 2/4 time with a key signature of one sharp. The tempo is indicated as ♩ = 138. The notes are eighth notes. Fingerings like 1, 4, 1, 4, etc., are written above the notes. Pedal markings A¹, H¹, and A¹ are placed under groups of notes.

Allegro

Sheet music for Symphony No. 88 by Joseph Haydn, Allegro tempo. The music is in 2/4 time with a key signature of one sharp. The tempo is indicated as ♩ = 160. The notes are eighth notes. Fingerings like 0, 4, 1, 4, etc., are written above the notes. Pedal markings B¹ and F are placed under groups of notes.

SYMPHONY No. 5

Allegro giocoso

SERGEI PROKOFIEFF

Solo

d=72

OCTET

FRANZ SCHUBERT

Allegro

V

d = 88 p

p H¹ G¹ D H¹ H¹

H¹ D H¹

A H¹ H¹

SYMPHONY No. 3

LUDWIG VAN BEETHOVEN

Presto

$\text{♩} = 112$

sf

B F
C¹ A¹ D H¹ A¹

SYMPHONY No. 5

LUDWIG VAN BEETHOVEN

Allegro

$\text{♩} = 92$

0 1 3 1 4 0 1 4 1
F H¹ F

B¹ B¹

SYMPHONY No. 8 (Unfinished)

FRANZ SCHUBERT

Allegro

$\text{♩} = 100$

0 1 4 1
A¹ A¹ A¹

SYMPHONY No. 7

Allegro vivace (in one)

FRANZ SCHUBERT

This bowing (*Piqué*) is to be played in the upper half of the bow; the dotted eighth note short (*Martelé*) and the sixteenth note with a smoother stroke (*Détaché*).

SYMPHONY No. 41

WOLFGANG A. MOZART

Allegro vivace

Musical score for the first system of the Allegro vivace movement. The tempo is indicated as $\text{♩} = 168$. The music is in common time (indicated by '4') and consists of two staves for bassoon. The bassoon part features continuous eighth-note patterns with various slurs and grace notes. Fingerings are marked above the notes, such as '4 0' and '2 4 2 1'. The bassoon parts are separated by a vertical bar line.

Musical score for the second system of the Allegro vivace movement. The music continues in common time (indicated by '4'). The bassoon parts are shown on two staves, with fingerings like '0' and '1 4 1' above the notes. The bassoon parts are separated by a vertical bar line.

Musical score for the third system of the Allegro vivace movement. The music continues in common time (indicated by '4'). The bassoon parts are shown on two staves, with fingerings like '1 4 1' and '2 1' above the notes. The bassoon parts are separated by a vertical bar line.

Musical score for the fourth system of the Allegro vivace movement. The music continues in common time (indicated by '4'). The bassoon parts are shown on two staves, with fingerings like '2 4 1' and '1 4' above the notes. The bassoon parts are separated by a vertical bar line. The section concludes with the bassoon playing a single note followed by a rest, with the letters 'D' and 'A' written below the staff.

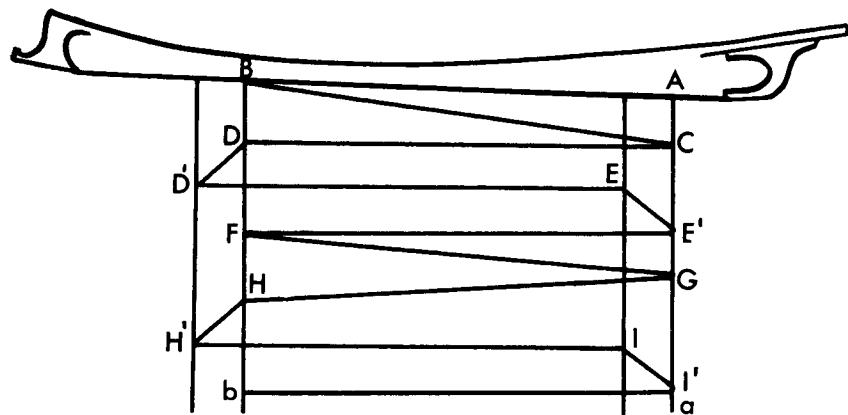
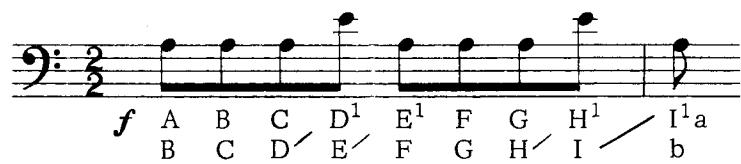
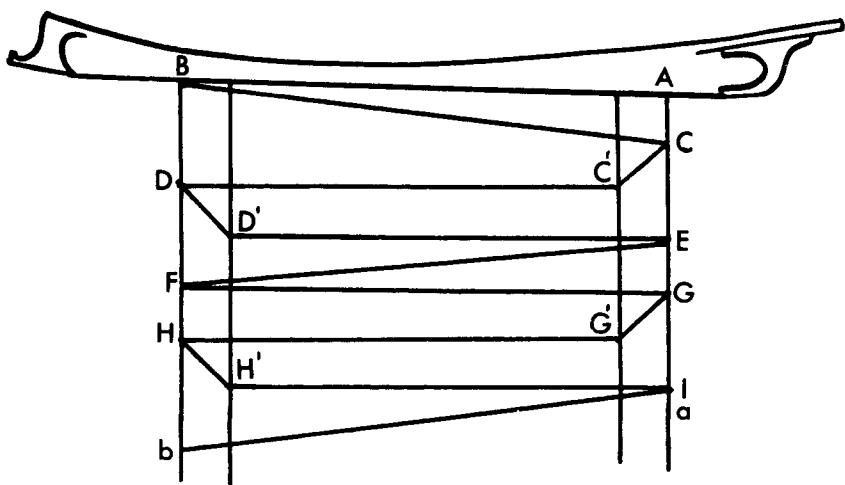
SONATA

for Two Violins, Cello and Double Bass

Moderato

GIOACCHINO ROSSINI

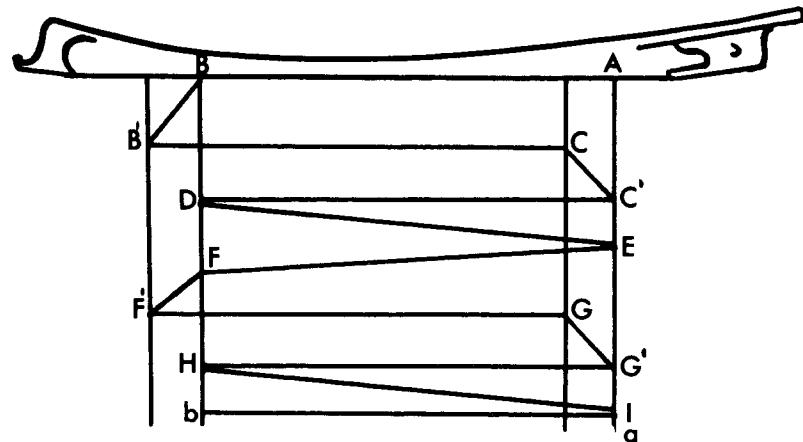
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$\text{♪} = 60$

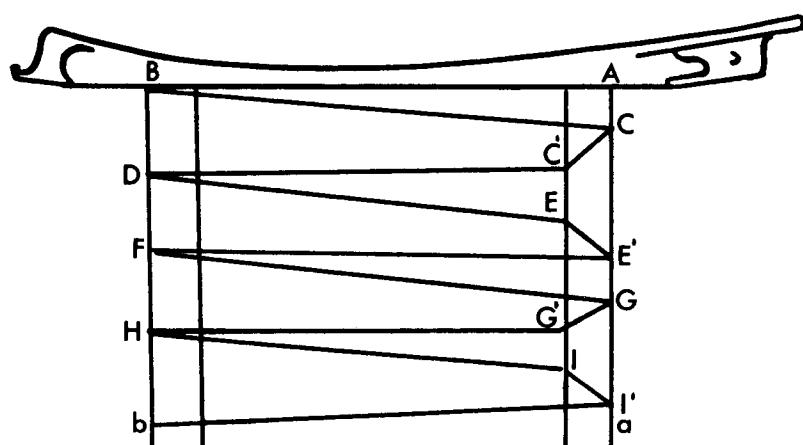
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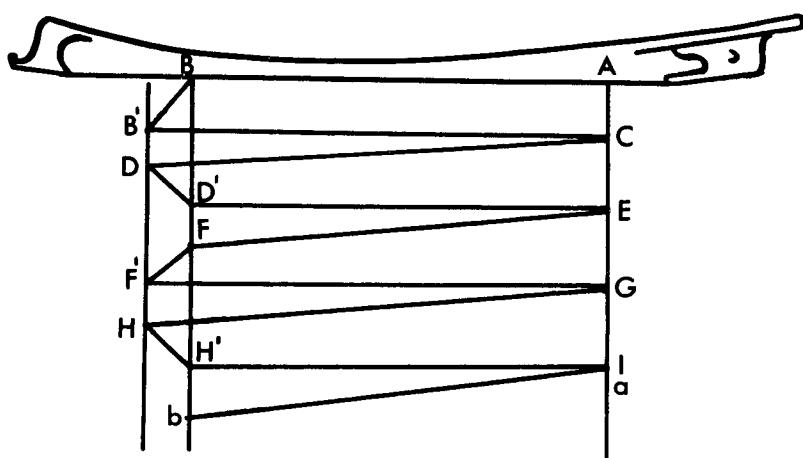
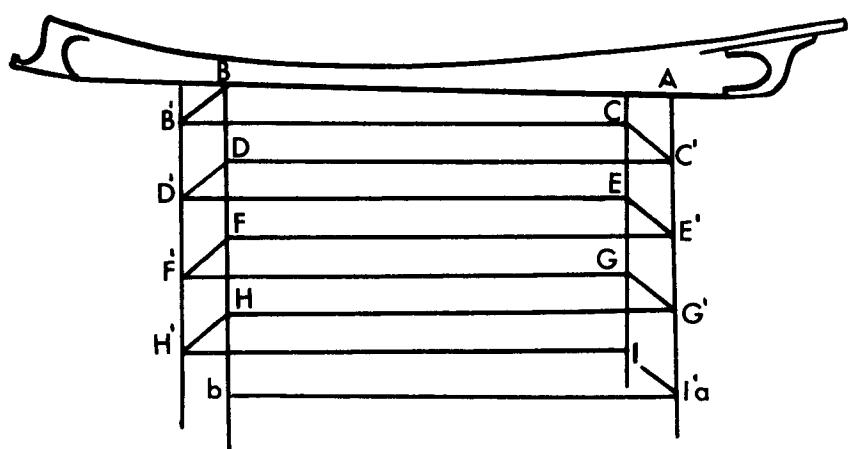
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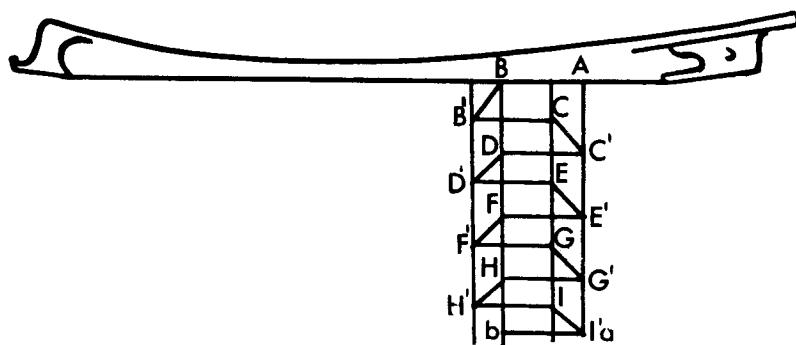
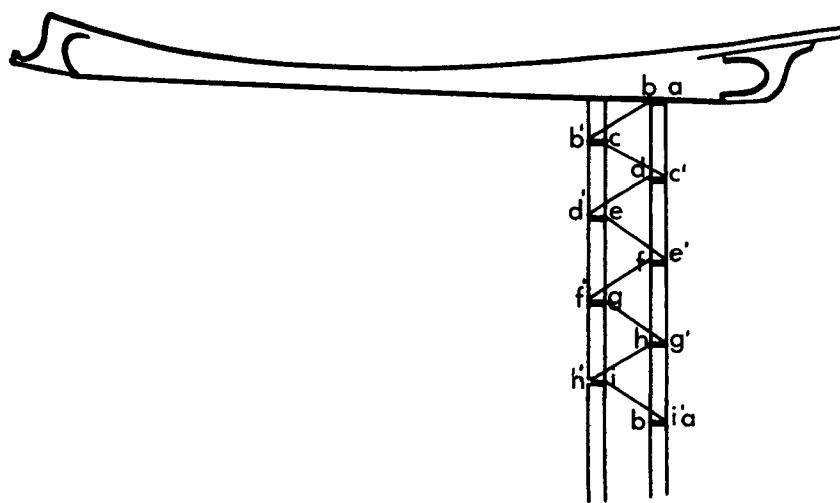
 $\text{♪} = 60$

Bassoon Fingerings:

Scale: f A B C¹ D E¹ F G¹ H I¹a b



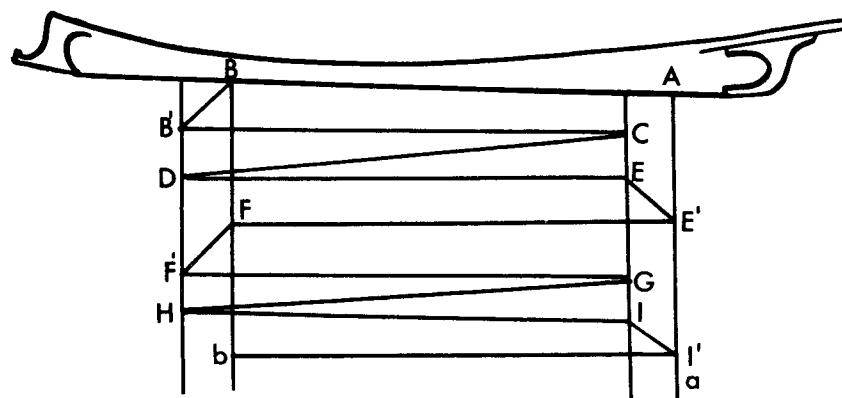
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$\text{♪} = 60$

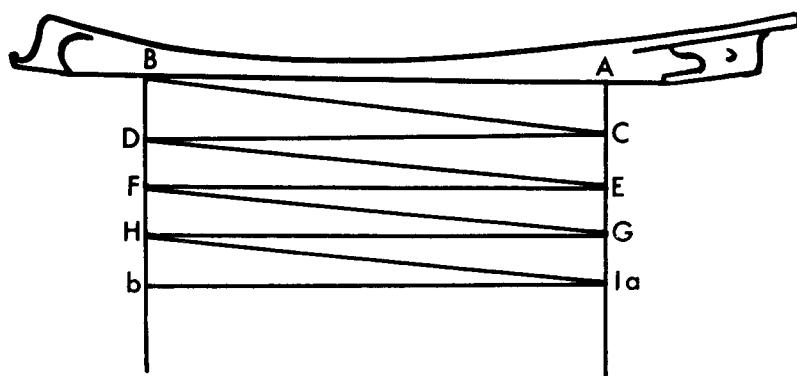
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B C D E F G H I b

 $\text{♪} = 60$

f A B C D E F G H I a b

B C D E F G H I b



SECTION II

PATTERN I



SUGGESTED PROCEDURE FOR PRACTICE

$\text{♩} = 92$ to $\text{♩} = 108$ on the string - *détaché*.

$\text{♩} = 116$ to $\text{♩} = 152$ *spiccato*.

$\text{♩} = 160$ on the string.



ETUDE

PATTERN I

Allegro $\text{♩} = 88$ (*détaché*) $\text{♩} = 112$ (*spiccato*)

The music consists of five staves of bass clef notes. The first four staves are in common time (indicated by a '8') and the last staff is in 12/16 time (indicated by a '16'). The notes are primarily eighth notes, with sixteenth-note patterns appearing in the later staves. The first four staves begin with a single eighth note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. The fifth staff begins with a sixteenth-note pattern.

Allegro $\text{♩} = 88$

The music consists of five staves of bass clef notes. All staves are in 12/16 time (indicated by a '16'). The notes are primarily sixteenth notes, creating a continuous rhythmic pattern across all staves. The first staff begins with a sixteenth-note pattern. The subsequent staves show a variety of sixteenth-note groupings, including pairs, triplets, and quadruplets.

BOWINGS

PATTERN I



ETUDES

BOWINGS (PATTERN I)

Allegro $\text{J} = 88$

Sheet music for bassoon, four staves of sixteenth-note exercises with various bowing patterns.

Allegro $\text{J} = 96$

Sheet music for bassoon, four staves of sixteenth-note exercises with various bowing patterns.

Moderato $\text{J} = 80$

Sheet music for bassoon, four staves of sixteenth-note exercises with various bowing patterns.

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN I



The musical score consists of eight staves of music for a bassoon or similar instrument. The music is in common time (indicated by '6/8' on the first staff) and uses a bass clef. The notes are represented by dots on vertical stems. The score is divided into measures by vertical bar lines and sections by double bar lines. Each section is labeled with a letter: A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H. The letters are placed above the first note of each section.

The music consists of two main melodic lines, one starting on E and the other on G, which are combined in various ways across the sections. The E-line starts at the beginning of section A and continues through sections B, C, D, E, F, G, and H. The G-line starts at the beginning of section A and continues through sections B, C, D, E, F, G, and H. The two lines are combined in different ways in each section, such as playing them simultaneously or one after the other.

ETUDES

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN I

Allegro con brio $\text{J.} = 112$ (*spiccato*)



Vivace $\text{♩} = 126$

Sheet music for double bass exercise 1, Vivace tempo. The music consists of five staves of sixteenth-note patterns. The first four staves are in common time (indicated by '9:8') and the fifth staff is in common time (indicated by '9:'). The notes are primarily eighth-note pairs connected by vertical stems, with occasional single eighth notes.

This exercise is to be practiced with a *Martelé* bowing; each note beginning with a sharp attack and separated from the next note.

Allegro non troppo $\text{♩} = 88$

Sheet music for double bass exercise 2, Allegro non troppo tempo. The music consists of seven staves of sixteenth-note patterns. The first three staves are in common time (indicated by '9:8') and the remaining four staves are in common time (indicated by '9:'). The notes are primarily eighth-note pairs connected by vertical stems, with occasional single eighth notes. The patterns are more complex than those in exercise 1.

ETUDES

BOWINGS (PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN I)

Allegro $\text{d} = 88$

The musical score consists of nine staves of bassoon music. Each staff begins with a bass clef, followed by a 'G' (common time). The music is composed of eighth and sixteenth note heads, with horizontal stems extending to the right. Above each stem is a curved line, representing a specific bow stroke. The pattern of these strokes changes from one staff to the next, illustrating various permutations of a basic bowing pattern. The notes are grouped into measures by vertical bar lines.

Allegro $\text{J.} = 96$

Sheet music for bassoon, Allegro tempo ($\text{J.} = 96$), 9/8 time. The music consists of five staves of bassoon parts. Each staff begins with a bass clef, followed by a 9/8 time signature. The music features continuous eighth-note patterns with various slurs and grace notes.

Moderato $\text{J.} = 76$

Sheet music for bassoon, Moderato tempo ($\text{J.} = 76$), 9/8 time. The music consists of five staves of bassoon parts. Each staff begins with a bass clef, followed by a 9/8 time signature. The music features continuous eighth-note patterns with various slurs and grace notes.

VARIATION OF PATTERN I

A B C D

E F G H

PERMUTATIONS

A B A C A D

A E A F A G A H

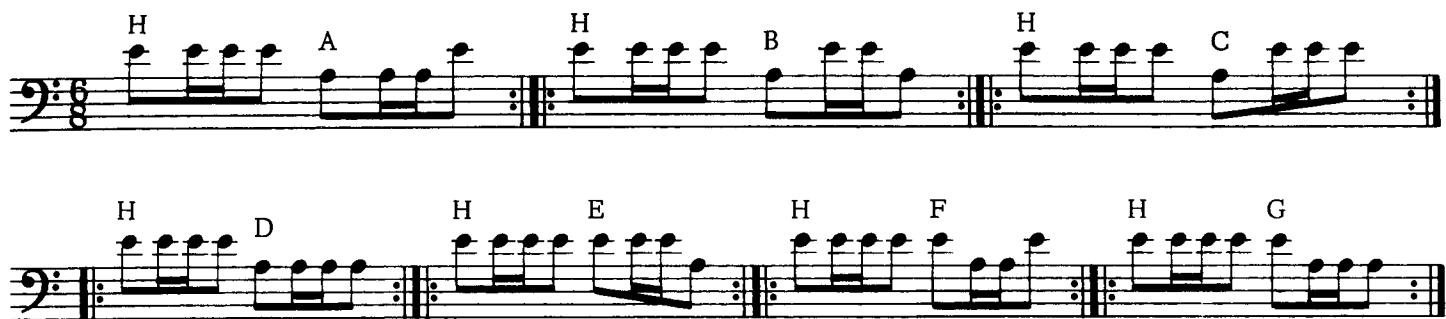
B A B C B D

B E B F B G B H

C A C B C D

C E C F C G C H





ETUDE

PERMUTATIONS OF VARIATIONS OF PATTERN I

Moderato $\text{♩} = 76$

A musical score for the Etude, featuring ten staves of music in 6/8 time with a bass clef. The music consists of eighth-note patterns that follow the permutations of the variations shown in the first section.

ETUDES

PERMUTATIONS OF ANOTHER VARIATION OF PATTERN I

Moderato $\text{♩} = 72$

The music consists of five staves of musical notation. Each staff begins with a bass clef and a common time signature (indicated by a 'C'). The notation is primarily composed of eighth-note patterns. In each measure, there are two groups of four eighth notes. The first group is divided into two pairs of two notes each, connected by vertical stems. The second group is also divided into two pairs of two notes each, connected by vertical stems. The notes are distributed across the three lower lines of the staff. The first four staves are identical, while the fifth staff concludes with a single eighth note followed by a repeat sign and a 'C' time signature.

Moderato $\text{♩} = 76$

The music consists of five staves of musical notation. Each staff begins with a bass clef and a common time signature (indicated by a 'C'). The notation is primarily composed of eighth-note patterns. In each measure, there are two groups of four eighth notes. The first group is divided into two pairs of two notes each, connected by vertical stems. The second group is also divided into two pairs of two notes each, connected by vertical stems. The notes are distributed across the three lower lines of the staff. The first four staves are identical, while the fifth staff concludes with a single eighth note followed by a repeat sign and a 'C' time signature.

EXERCISES BASED ON PATTERN I

Allegro di bravura $\text{♩} = 132$

The image displays a sequence of nine identical musical staves, each designed for a bassoon. The staves are arranged vertically. Each staff begins with a bass clef, followed by a 9/8 time signature. The staff itself is divided into measures by vertical bar lines. Within these measures, there are continuous eighth-note patterns. These patterns are embellished with slurs and grace notes, represented by small strokes placed above the main note heads. The overall style is dynamic and requires rapid finger work, as indicated by the tempo marking and the title.

TROUT - QUINTET

Allegro (in two)

$\text{♩} = 76$

FRANZ SCHUBERT

Scherzo (in one)

$\text{♩} = 126$

H A

SYMPHONY No. 4 (Italian)

Allegro vivace

FELIX MENDELSSOHN

$\text{♩} = 144$

C H A E

Allegro vivace

$\text{♩} = 144 \text{ } f$

C F H

f

E F G A C H A E

OVERTURE TO "EURYANTHE"

CARL MARIA von WEBER

Allegro

B 3 F 3 G 3 B 3

SYMPHONY No. 103 (Drum Roll)

Allegro con spirito

JOSEPH HAYDN

B 3 H D 2 0 1 1 4 2 2 0 1 1 4 2

H D H D

SYMPHONY No. 5

Moderato assai

PETER I. TCHAIKOVSKY

G D

CEPHALE ET PROCRIS SUITE

Allegro

ANDRE GRETRY - MOTTL

Musical score for the Allegro section of the Cephalus and Procris Suite. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in 6/8 time with a key signature of one sharp. The bottom staff is in 6/8 time with a key signature of one sharp. The tempo is indicated as $\text{J.} = 152$. The music features eighth-note patterns with various fingerings (e.g., 1, 0, 4, 2, 3) and rests. The notes are primarily black, with some white notes appearing in the lower staff. The score is divided into measures by vertical bar lines.

SYMPHONY No. 45 ("Farewell")

JOSEPH HAYDN

Presto

Musical score for the Presto section of Haydn's Symphony No. 45, "Farewell". The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in 3/8 time with a key signature of one sharp. The bottom staff is in 3/8 time with a key signature of one sharp. The tempo is indicated as $\text{J.} = 144$. The music features sixteenth-note patterns with various fingerings (e.g., 1, 2, 3, 4). The notes are primarily black, with some white notes appearing in the lower staff. The score is divided into measures by vertical bar lines. The bass clef is present on both staves.

SYMPHONY No. 7

LUDWIG VAN BEETHOVEN

Vivace

L. = 104

A D

PIANO CONCERTO No. 4

Presto

LUDWIG VAN BEETHOVEN

$\text{J.} = 160$

B 3 D 3 E 3

TILL EULENSPIEGEL

Allegro con brio

RICHARD STRAUSS

$\text{J.} = 132$

H E H

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DON QUIXOTE

Allegro di molto

RICHARD STRAUSS

$\text{J.} = 138$

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SYMPHONY No. 7

Allegro vivace (in one)

FRANZ SCHUBERT

Three staves of musical notation for a double bass or cello. The top staff shows a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes with '3' and 'H' markings below them. The middle staff shows a similar pattern. The bottom staff shows a different pattern with 'V' and '3' markings.

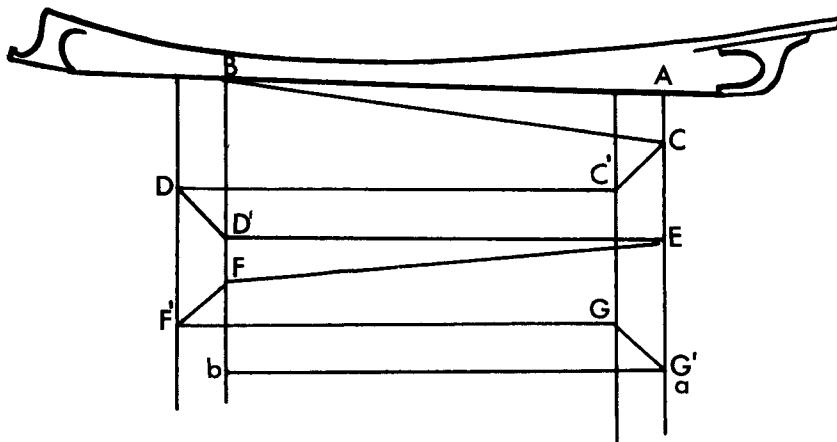
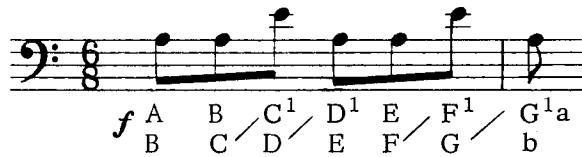
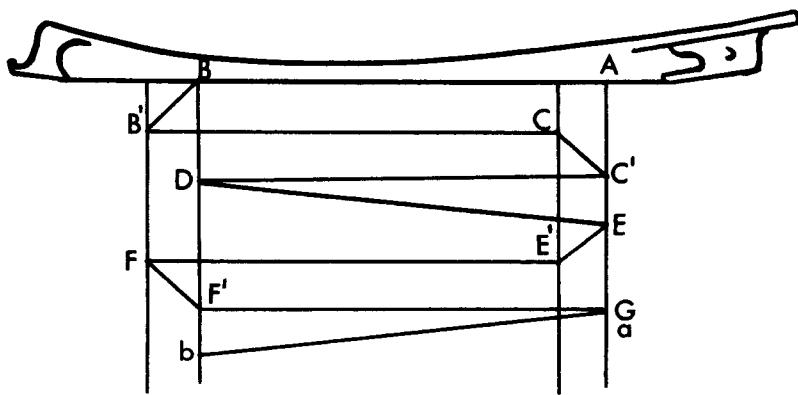
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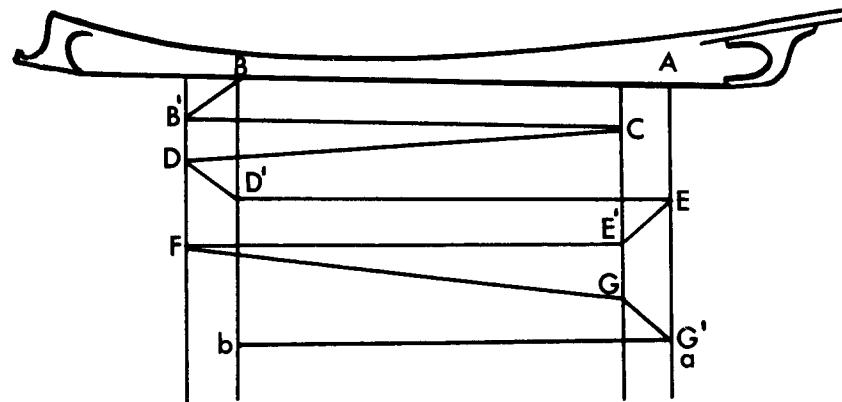
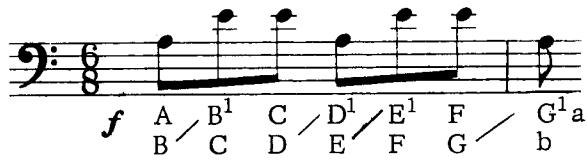
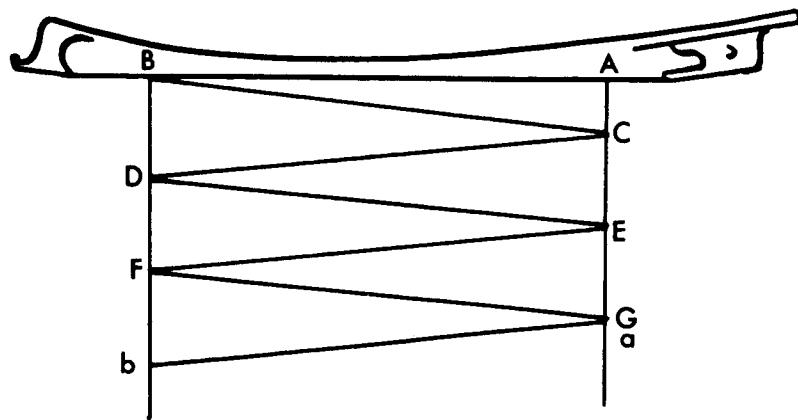
Allegro

JOHANNES BRAHMS

Musical score for Johannes Brahms' Symphony No. 1, Allegro movement, in 8/8 time. The tempo is indicated as $\text{J.}=120 ff$. The score consists of two staves, both in bass clef. The first staff has a key signature of one flat, and the second staff has a key signature of one sharp. The music features various rhythmic patterns, including eighth-note groups and sixteenth-note figures, with dynamic markings like V and ff .

Continuation of the musical score for Johannes Brahms' Symphony No. 1, Allegro movement. The score consists of two staves, both in bass clef. The first staff has a key signature of one flat, and the second staff has a key signature of one sharp. The music continues with eighth-note groups and sixteenth-note figures, with dynamic markings like V and ff .

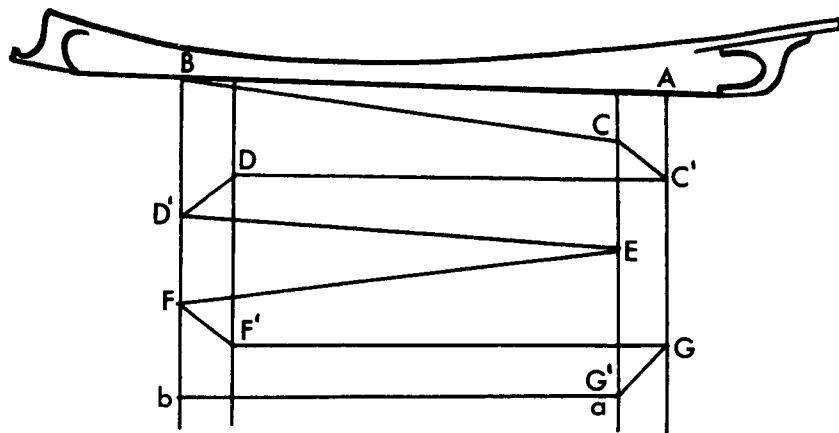
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$\text{♪} = 50$  $\text{♪} = 50$ 

$\text{♪} = 50$

Bass clef, 6/8 time.

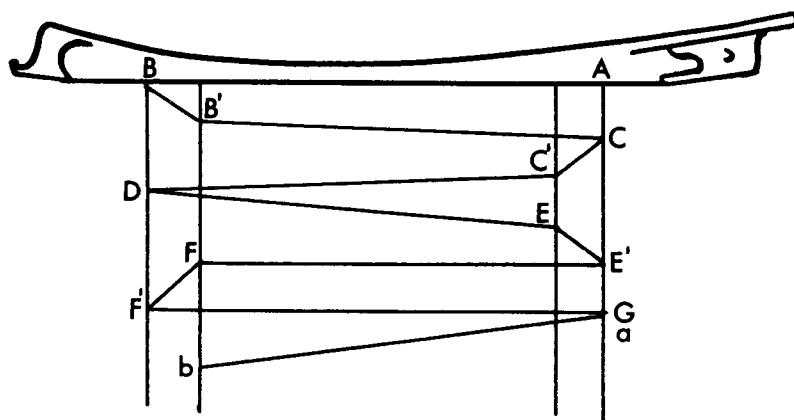
f A B C D C' D' E E' F F' G G' a b



$\text{♪} = 50$

Bass clef, 6/8 time.

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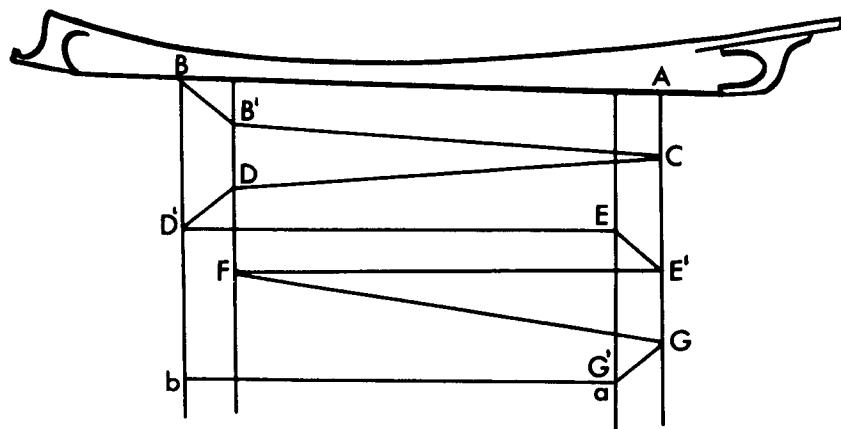


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Bassoon Fingerings:

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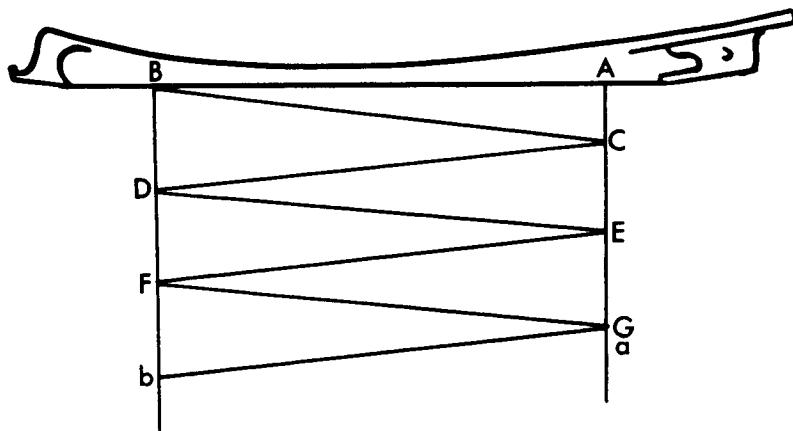
Notes: f A B C D E F G

 $\text{♪} = 50$

Bassoon Fingerings:

Scale: ♫ A B C D E F

Notes: f A B C D E F



SECTION III

PATTERN I

A B C D
E F G H

SUGGESTED PROCEDURE FOR PRACTICE

$\text{♩} = 72$ to $\text{♩} = 132$ (*détaché*)

ETUDE

PATTERN I

Moderato $\text{♩} = 84$

PERMUTATIONS

PATTERN I

Sheet music for bass clef, 2/4 time, featuring eight staves of musical patterns labeled A through H.

Staff 1:

- Pattern A: $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{A}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{B}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{A}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{C}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{A}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{D}$.
- Pattern B: $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{A}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{E}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{A}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{F}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{A}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{G}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{A}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{H}$.
- Pattern C: $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{B}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{A}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{B}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{C}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{B}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{D}$.
- Pattern D: $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{B}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{E}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{B}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{F}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{B}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{G}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{B}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{H}$.
- Pattern E: $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{C}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{A}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{C}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{B}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{C}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{D}$.
- Pattern F: $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{C}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{E}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{C}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{F}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{C}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{G}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{C}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{H}$.
- Pattern G: $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{D}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{A}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{D}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{B}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{D}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{C}$.
- Pattern H: $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{D}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{E}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{D}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{F}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{D}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{G}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{D}$, $\text{Bass} \downarrow \text{H}$.

The musical score consists of eight staves of bass clef notes. Each staff is labeled with letters A through H above the first note. The staves are separated by vertical bar lines and end with double bar lines.

- Staff 1: E, V, E, A, V, E, B, V, E, C
- Staff 2: E, V, E, D, V, E, F, V, E, G, V, E, H
- Staff 3: E, V, E, A, V, E, B, V, E, C
- Staff 4: F, V, E, D, V, E, F, V, E, G, V, E, H
- Staff 5: G, V, E, A, V, E, B, V, E, C
- Staff 6: G, V, E, D, V, E, G, V, E, F, V, E, H
- Staff 7: H, V, E, A, V, E, B, V, E, C
- Staff 8: H, V, E, D, V, E, H, V, E, F, V, E, G

ETUDES

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN I

Allegro vivo $\text{♩} = 96$ to $\text{♩} = 120$



Allegro vivo $\text{♩} = 96$ to $\text{♩} = 120$



BOWINGS

PATTERN I



*The dotted notes are to be played alternately on the string (*Staccato*) and off the string (*Flying Spiccato*).

ETUDE
BOWINGS (PATTERN I)

Moderato $\text{♩} = 76$

The music consists of five staves of eighth-note patterns. The first four staves use a single bowing pattern where each eighth note has a vertical stroke above it. The fifth staff uses a different bowing pattern where each eighth note has a vertical stroke below it. The music is in 2/4 time, bass clef, dynamic Moderato, tempo 76 BPM.

ETUDE
BOWINGS (PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN I)

Allegro $\text{♩} = 96$

The music consists of five staves of eighth-note patterns. The first four staves use a single bowing pattern where each eighth note has a vertical stroke above it. The fifth staff uses a different bowing pattern where each eighth note has a vertical stroke below it. The music is in 2/4 time, bass clef, dynamic Allegro, tempo 96 BPM.

PATTERN II

A¹ B¹ C¹ D¹

E¹ F¹ G¹ H¹

ETUDE

PATTERN II

Vivo $\text{♩} = 120$

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN II

Sheet music for a bassoon part, featuring 12 staves of musical notation. Each staff is in 2/4 time and has a bass clef. The music consists of six measures per staff, separated by double bar lines with repeat dots. The notes are primarily eighth notes, with some sixteenth-note patterns. Above each measure, there is a label indicating the permutation number: A¹, B¹, C¹, D¹, E¹, F¹, G¹, H¹, B¹, A¹, C¹, D¹, E¹, F¹, G¹, H¹, D¹, A¹, B¹, C¹, D¹, E¹, F¹, G¹, H¹, D¹, E¹, F¹, G¹, H¹, C¹, B¹, A¹, C¹, D¹, E¹, F¹, G¹, H¹, D¹, E¹, F¹, G¹, H¹, C¹, B¹, A¹, D¹, E¹, F¹, G¹, H¹.

Sheet music for a bassoon part, featuring ten staves of music. Each staff is in 2/4 time and has a bass clef. The music consists of eighth-note patterns with slurs and dynamic markings (V and >). The notes are grouped by vertical bar lines. The first staff starts with E¹, followed by A¹, E¹, B¹, E¹, and G¹. The second staff continues with E¹, D¹, E¹, F¹, E¹, G¹, E¹, and H¹. The third staff begins with F¹, followed by A¹, F¹, B¹, F¹, and C¹. The fourth staff continues with F¹, D¹, F¹, E¹, F¹, G¹, F¹, and H¹. The fifth staff begins with G¹, followed by A¹, G¹, B¹, G¹, C¹, G¹, and H¹. The sixth staff continues with G¹, D¹, G¹, E¹, G¹, F¹, G¹, and H¹. The seventh staff begins with H¹, followed by A¹, H¹, B¹, H¹, C¹, H¹, and C¹. The eighth staff continues with H¹, D¹, H¹, E¹, H¹, F¹, H¹, and G¹.

ETUDE

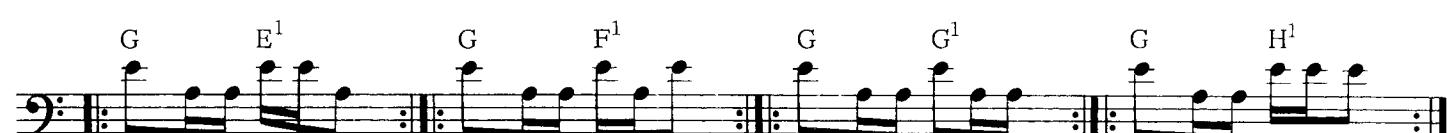
PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN II

Moderato $\text{♩} = 88$

The musical score consists of ten staves of bassoon music. The first staff starts with a bass clef, a common time signature, and a dynamic marking of 'Moderato' with a tempo of '♩ = 88'. The subsequent staves show various permutations of a sixteenth-note pattern, primarily consisting of eighth-note pairs and sixteenth-note pairs, demonstrating rhythmic complexity and technique.

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERNS I & II





ETUDES

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERNS I & II

Allegro $\text{♩} = 92$ to $\text{♩} = 108$

Sheet music for Etudes Permutations of Patterns I & II, first section. The music is written for bass clef (Bassoon) in common time (indicated by '2'). The tempo is Allegro, with a range from $\text{♩} = 92$ to $\text{♩} = 108$. The music consists of five staves of sixteenth-note patterns. The patterns involve various permutations of eighth-note and sixteenth-note groups, often with grace notes and slurs.

Allegro $\text{♩} = 108$

Sheet music for Etudes Permutations of Patterns I & II, second section. The music is written for bass clef (Bassoon) in common time (indicated by '2'). The tempo is Allegro at $\text{♩} = 108$. The music consists of five staves of sixteenth-note patterns, continuing the style established in the first section but at a faster tempo.

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERNS II & I

A¹ A **A¹** B **A¹** C **A¹** D

Bass clef, 2/4 time, 4 sharps.

A¹ E **A¹** F **A¹** G **A¹** H

Bass clef, 2/4 time, 4 sharps.

B¹ A **B¹** B **B¹** C **B¹** D

Bass clef, 2/4 time, 4 sharps.

B¹ E **B¹** F **B¹** G **B¹** H

Bass clef, 2/4 time, 4 sharps.

C¹ A **C¹** B **C¹** C **C¹** D

Bass clef, 2/4 time, 4 sharps.

C¹ E **C¹** F **C¹** G **C¹** H

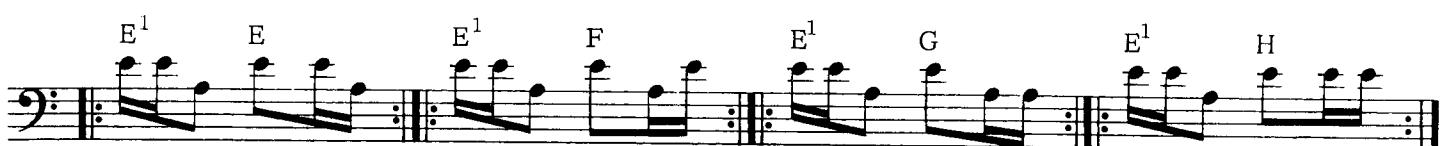
Bass clef, 2/4 time, 4 sharps.

D¹ A **D¹** B **D¹** C **D¹** D

Bass clef, 2/4 time, 4 sharps.

D¹ E **D¹** F **D¹** G **D¹** H

Bass clef, 2/4 time, 4 sharps.



ETUDE

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERNS II & I

Allegro con moto $\text{♩} = 88$ to $\text{♩} = 100$

The musical score consists of ten staves of bassoon music. The first staff starts with the instruction "Allegro con moto" and includes tempo markings of $\text{♩} = 88$ and $\text{♩} = 100$. The subsequent nine staves show various patterns of sixteenth-note permutations, primarily using eighth-note and sixteenth-note heads.

VARIATIONS ON A THEME BY HAYDN

(Variation No. 6)

Vivace

J. = 92

JOHANNES BRAHMS

OVERTURE "LEONORE No. 3"

Allegro (in two)

LUDWIG van BEETHOVEN

J. = 132

SYMPHONY No. 102

JOSEPH HAYDN

Allegro vivace

Bassoon and Piano Score

Allegro vivace

$\text{♩} = 132$

H H H D D

SYMPHONY No. 35

WOLFGANG A. MOZART

Presto

Bassoon and Piano Score

Presto

$\text{♩} = 132$

D H H H D

OVERTURE to "DER FREISCHÜTZ"

CARL MARIA von WEBER

Molto vivace

Bassoon and Piano Score

Molto vivace

$\text{♩} = 104 \text{ } p$

V V V V V

Bassoon and Piano Score

SYMPHONY No. 3

FELIX MENDELSSOHN

Vivace

$\text{♩} = 120 \text{ } p$

Vivace

$\text{♩} = 120$

OVERTURE TO ROMEO AND JULIET

PETER I. TCHAIKOVSKY

Allegro giusto

The musical score consists of three staves of bassoon music. The first staff begins with a dynamic of $\text{♩} = 138$. The second staff starts with a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp. The third staff starts with a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp. The music features various rhythmic patterns and rests. In the middle section, there are labels under the notes: 'C' and 'G' under the first staff, and 'H', 'G', 'D', 'D', 'D' under the third staff.

SYMPHONY No. 88

JOSEPH HAYDN

Allegro

The musical score consists of two staves of bassoon music. The first staff begins with a dynamic of $\text{♩} = 138$. The second staff starts with a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp. The music features various rhythmic patterns and rests. Labels under the notes include 'E', 'E', 'E', 'E', 'D', 'A', 'H' under the first staff, and 'D', 'D', 'E', 'E' under the second staff.

SUITE No. 2 in B MINOR

Badinerie

JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH

B C B D B B

SONATA No. 3

Allegro (sostenuto)

ANTONIO VIVALDI

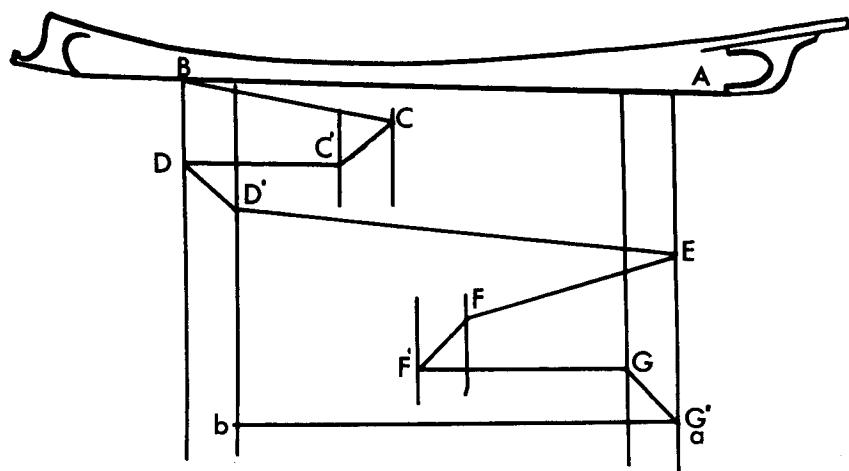
H¹ H¹ D¹ D¹ H¹ D¹ D¹ C¹ C¹ C¹ C¹

$\text{♪} = 72$

Bassoon Fingerings:

Line 1: A B C D E F G a
Line 2: B C D E F G b

The diagram illustrates the fingerings for a bassoon's first octave. It features a curved top line representing the instrument's body. Below it, vertical lines represent the keys. The notes are arranged in two rows: the first row contains A, B, C, D, E, F, G, and a; the second row contains B, C, D, E, F, G, and b. Small triangles indicate which fingers should be pressed down on each key.

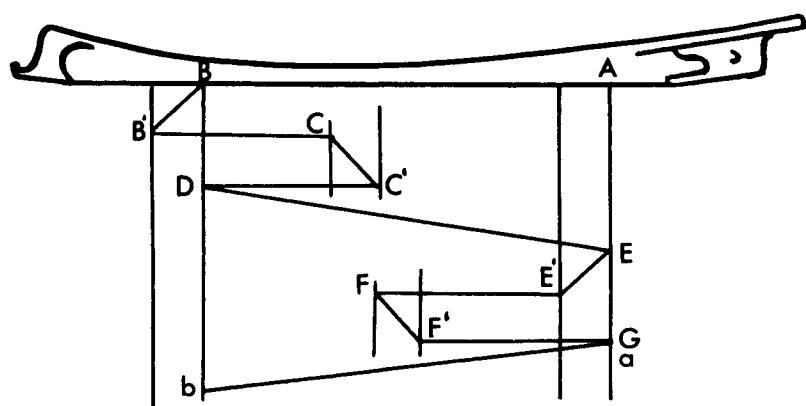


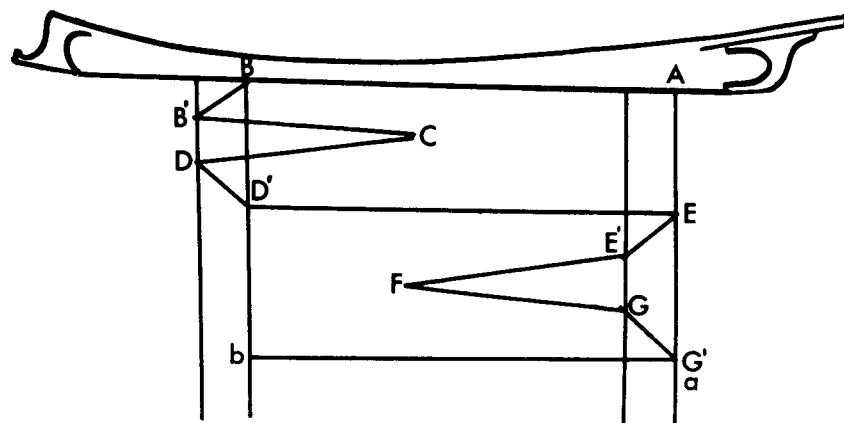
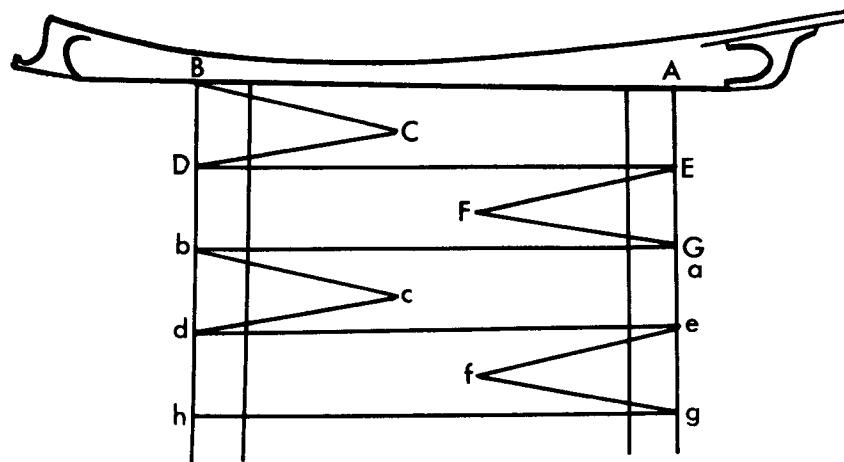
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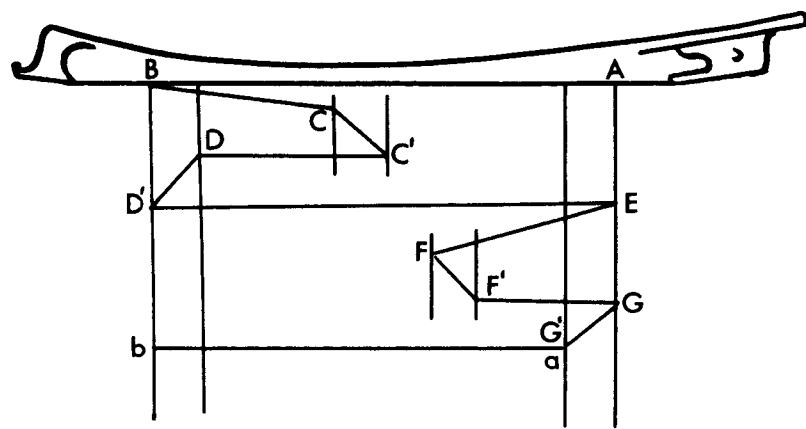
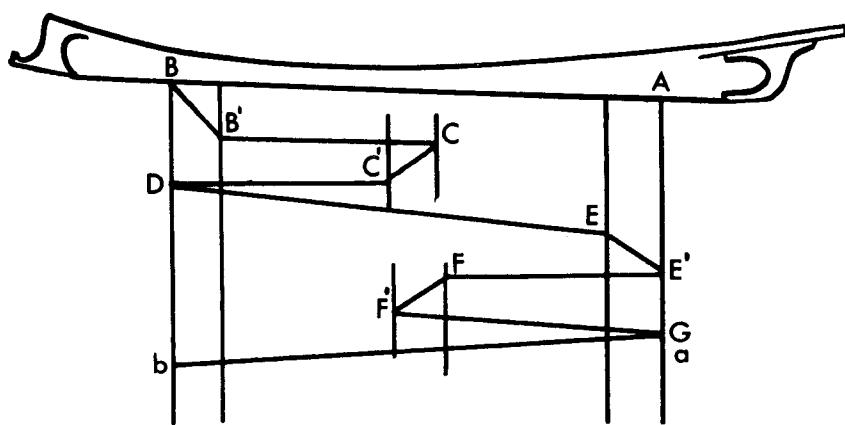
Bassoon Fingerings:

Line 1: A B¹ C¹ D E¹ F¹ G a
Line 2: B C D E F G b

This diagram shows the bassoon's first octave fingerings, including notes B¹, C¹, D, E¹, F¹, and G^a. The top horizontal line is the instrument's body. Below it, vertical lines represent the keys. The notes are arranged in two rows: the first row contains A, B¹, C¹, D, E¹, F¹, G, and a; the second row contains B, C, D, E, F, G, and b. Small triangles indicate which fingers should be pressed down on each key.



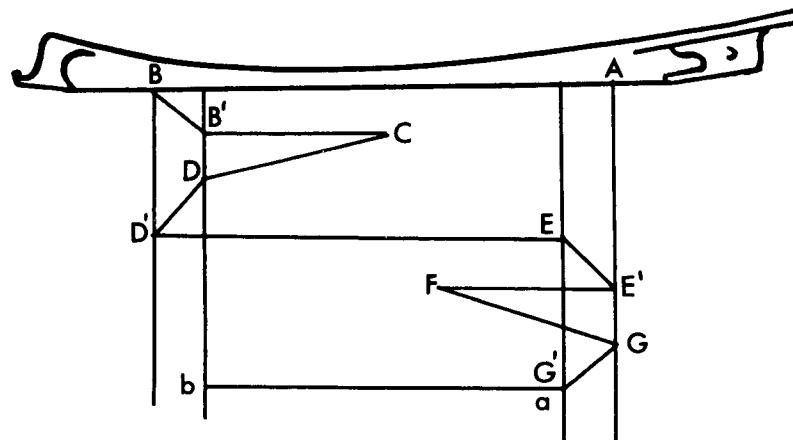
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Bassoon Fingerings:

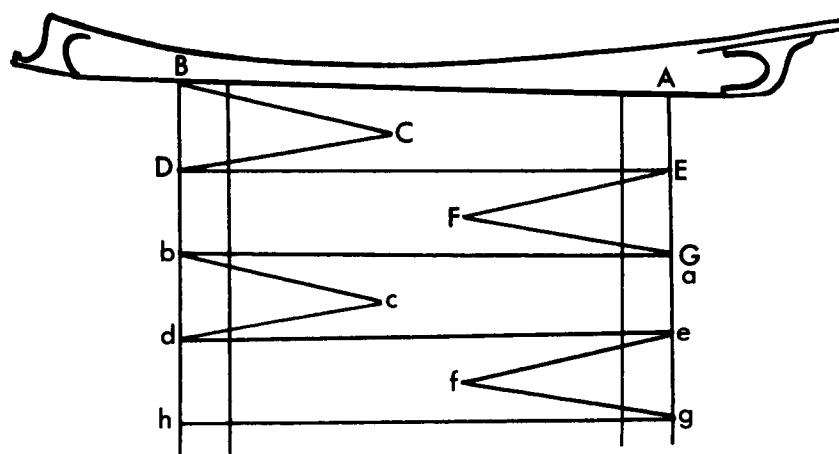
Scale: f A B¹ C D¹ E F G¹ a
 f B C D E F G b



$\text{♪} = 72$

Bassoon Fingerings:

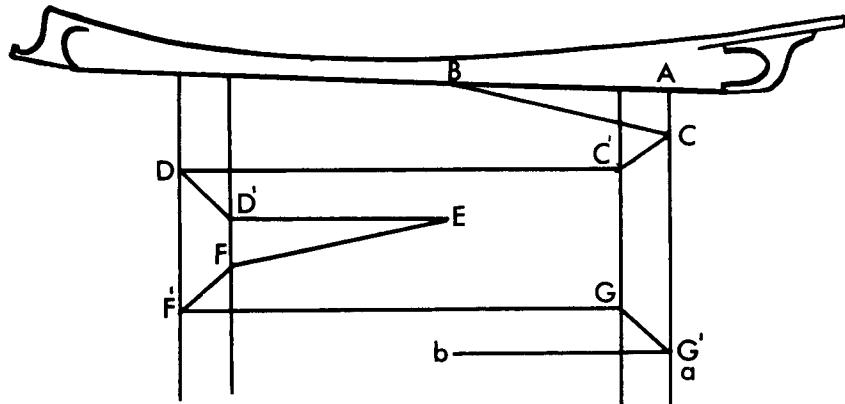
Scale: f A B C D E F G a
 f B C D E F G b



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$\text{Bass clef}, \text{2/4 time}$

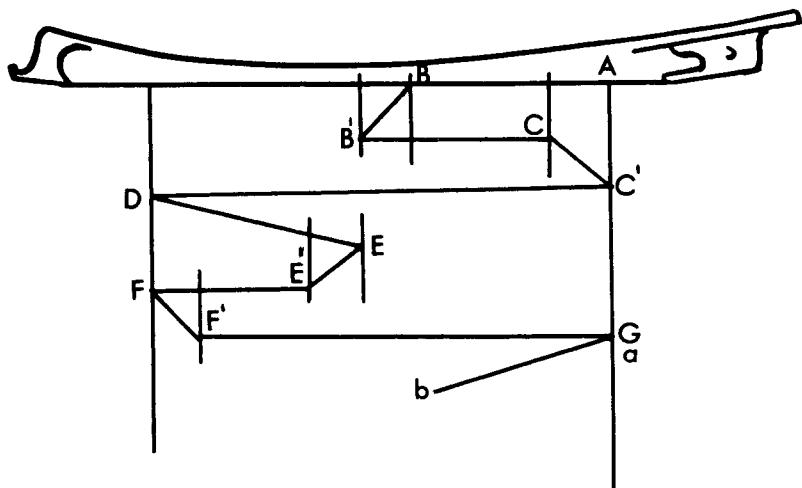
f A B C¹ D¹ E F¹ G¹a
B C D E F G b



$\text{♪} = 72$

$\text{Bass clef}, \text{2/4 time}$

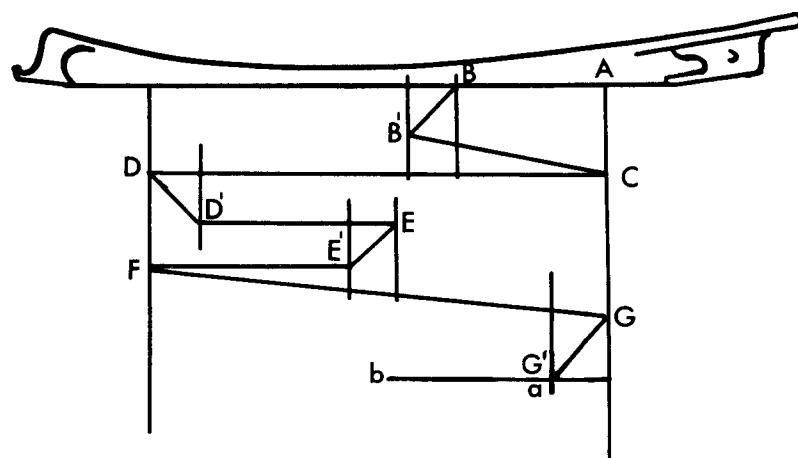
f A B¹ C¹ D¹ E¹ F¹ G¹a
B C D E F G b



$\text{♪} = 72$

$\text{Bass clef}, \frac{2}{4}$ time

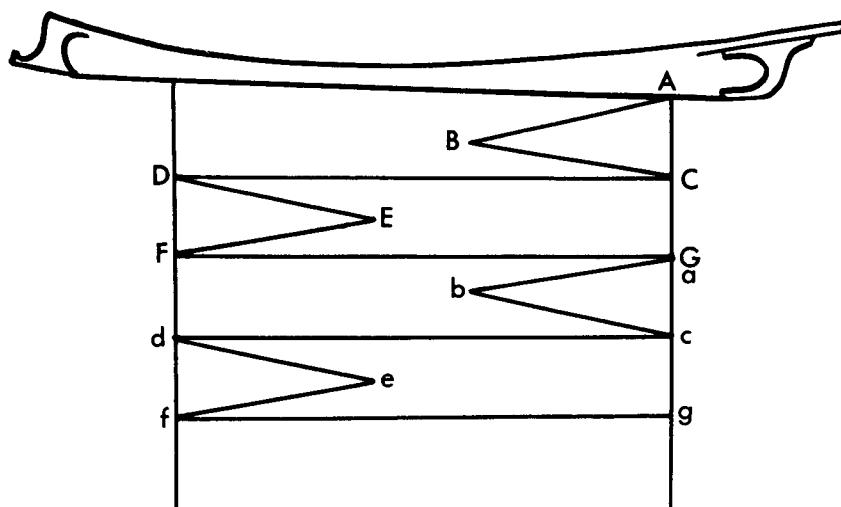
Measure 1: f A B C D E F G G¹a
B C D E F G b



$\text{♪} = 72$

$\text{Bass clef}, \frac{2}{4}$ time

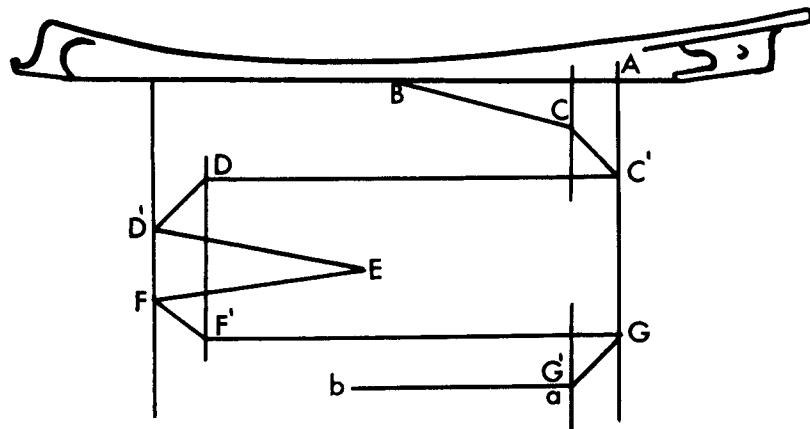
Measure 1: f A B C D E F G G^a
B C D E F G b



$\text{♪} = 72$

$\text{Bass clef}, \frac{2}{4}$

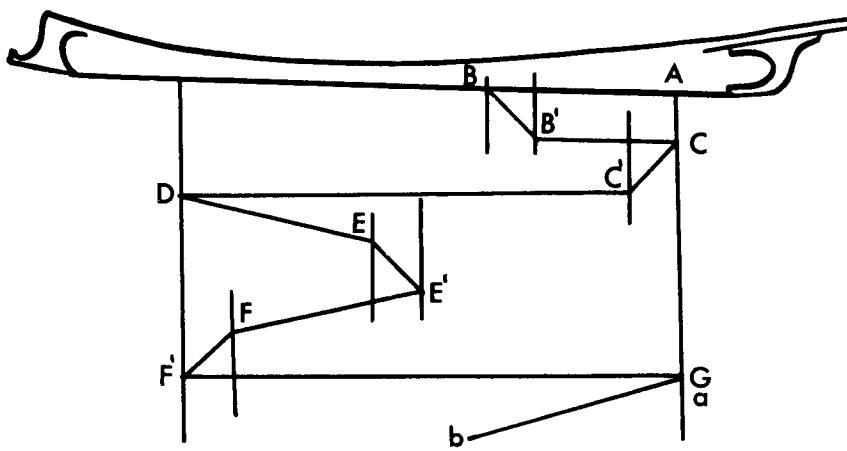
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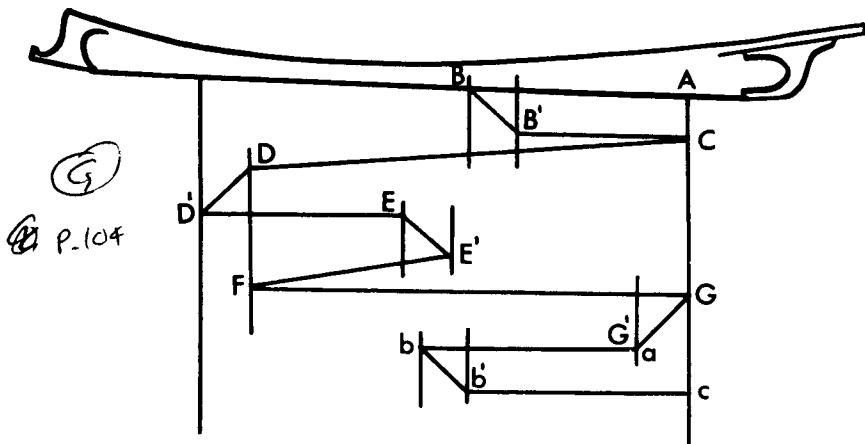


$\text{♪} = 72$

$\text{Bass clef}, \frac{2}{4}$

$f_A \ B^1 \ C^1 \ D \ E^1 \ F^1 \ G_a \ a \ b$





SECTION IV

PATTERN I

A

B

Suggested procedure for practice: Each pattern is played first at a metronome marking of $\text{♩} = 90$. The tempo is accelerated until $\text{♩} = 176$, with the bow on the string (*Détaché*). With the metronome set at $\text{♩} = 192$, the patterns are practiced with a *Spiccato* bowing. At $\text{♩} = 88$ the bow remains again on the string.

C

D

E

ETUDES

PATTERN I

Allegro giusto $\text{♩} = 168$

The musical score consists of nine staves of bassoon music. Each staff begins with a bass clef, followed by a 'C' (common time) or 'F' (F major) signature. The music is set in 3/4 time. The notation features a combination of eighth-note patterns and sixteenth-note grace notes, often grouped by slurs. The first two staves show a repeating pattern of eighth-note pairs with grace notes. The subsequent staves introduce more complex patterns, including eighth-note pairs followed by eighth-note pairs with grace notes, and finally a series of eighth-note pairs with grace notes followed by a single eighth note.

Presto ♩ = 76

Four staves of musical notation for bassoon, marked Presto ♩ = 76. Each staff consists of two measures of sixteenth-note patterns.

This exercise is to be practiced with a *Martelé* bowing; each note beginning with a sharp attack and separated from the next note.

Moderato ♩ = 144

Six staves of musical notation for bassoon, marked Moderato ♩ = 144. Each staff consists of two measures of sixteenth-note patterns with Martelé bowing, indicated by vertical strokes above the notes.

BOWINGS

PATTERN I

1

A B C D

This staff shows four measures of a bass clef line. Stroke A consists of two vertical strokes. Stroke B consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke C consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke D consists of two vertical strokes.

E F G H

This staff shows four measures of a bass clef line. Stroke E consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke F consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke G consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke H consists of two vertical strokes.

2

A B C D

This staff shows four measures of a bass clef line. Stroke A consists of two vertical strokes. Stroke B consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke C consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke D consists of two vertical strokes.

E F G H

This staff shows four measures of a bass clef line. Stroke E consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke F consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke G consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke H consists of two vertical strokes.

3

A B C D

This staff shows four measures of a bass clef line. Stroke A consists of two vertical strokes. Stroke B consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke C consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke D consists of two vertical strokes.

E F G H

This staff shows four measures of a bass clef line. Stroke E consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke F consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke G consists of a vertical stroke followed by a horizontal stroke. Stroke H consists of two vertical strokes.

4



E F G H



5



6



7



E F G H



ETUDES

BOWINGS (PATTERN I)

Moderato ♩ = 126

Sheet music for bassoon, 3/8 time, showing four staves of bowing exercises. The first staff uses vertical strokes. The second staff uses horizontal strokes. The third staff uses diagonal strokes. The fourth staff uses curved strokes.

Andante ♩ = 138

Sheet music for bassoon, 3/8 time, showing five staves of bowing exercises. The first four staves use various combinations of vertical, horizontal, diagonal, and curved strokes. The fifth staff consists of six eighth-note groups followed by a repeat sign and six more eighth-note groups.

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN I





ETUDES

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN I

Allegro molto ♩ = 152 to ♩ = 176 (*spiccato*) to ♩ = 208 (*détaché*)

The sheet music contains five staves of musical notation for bassoon. The music consists of eighth-note patterns with various slurs and grace notes, demonstrating different permutations of a basic pattern. The tempo changes from Allegro molto (♩ = 152) to spiccato (♩ = 176) and finally to détaché (♩ = 208).

Allegro molto ♩ = 168 to ♩ = 184 (*spiccato*)

The sheet music contains five staves of musical notation for bassoon. The music consists of sixteenth-note patterns with slurs and grace notes, demonstrating permutations of a basic pattern. The tempo changes from Allegro molto (♩ = 168) to spiccato (♩ = 184).

BOWINGS

PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN I





ETUDES

BOWINGS (PERMUTATIONS OF PATTERN I)

Allegro giusto ♩ = 138 to ♩ = 160



Allegro giusto ♩ = 160



Allegro giusto ♩ = 138 to ♩ = 160

A musical score for bassoon, featuring nine staves of music. The key signature is A major (no sharps or flats). The time signature is common time (indicated by '4'). The tempo is Allegro giusto, with a range of ♩ = 138 to ♩ = 160. The music consists of eighth-note patterns with various slurs and grace notes, primarily using the B, C, D, E, F, G, and A notes on the bassoon's fingerboard.

SYMPHONY No. 1

JEAN SIBELIUS

Scherzo

4 0 1 4
4 0 b 2 4
2 4 2 4
1 4 2 1 2 4

C H G D

2 4
0 2 4 1 4
4 2 1 2 4

G D H G D

d. = 92

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SONATA

HENRY ECCLES

Vivace (in one)

1 2 3
G D G D G D G D

F B F B F B F B G H

G E G E G E G E

d. = 72

SYMPHONY No. 8

LUDWIG van BEETHOVEN

Allegro vivace

1 4 1 2 4 1 2 4 1 2 4 4 4 0

H G G 1 0

d. = 69

SONATA No. 5

Allegro

F C

ANTONIO VIVALDI

SCYTHIAN SUITE

Vivace

H C H D D F D F D C H D

SERGEI PROKOFIEFF

SYMPHONY No. 39

Allegro

E F F G

E F D

D A

WOLFGANG A. MOZART

* As illustrated above, a change in fingerings will often induce a change in the bowing patterns. In analyzing the change of patterns one can readily observe, as in the measure indicated by an asterisk, that what is often judged to be an ideal fingering ("ideal" judged by the fact that all the notes of the measure can be played in one position) induces, however, a pattern that presents a complex bowing problem; whereas, in making a move or moves out of position, or even in preferring an open string, very often will induce a sequence of patterns whose similarity and familiarity will afford the passages to be played with greater fluidity.

SYMPHONY No. 9

Presto

LUDWIG van BEETHOVEN

The image shows two staves of musical notation for bassoon. The top staff is in 3/4 time, B-flat major, and has a tempo of 192 BPM. It features a bass clef, a B-flat key signature, and a common time signature. Fingerings are indicated above the notes: 4, V, 4, 2, 1, 1, 2, 1, 0, 4. The bottom staff is also in 3/4 time and has a bass clef. It shows a sequence of notes with fingerings: V, 4, 2, 1, 1, 2, 1, 0, 4. Below each staff, there are letter labels corresponding to the notes: A, G, E, C, A, G, E, C, H, H.

CONCERTO

Rondo Sostenuto

E. D. STEIN

Più mosso

8va -

8va

$\text{♩} = 69$

G C G H F H G H

gva -

A handwritten musical score for bassoon, featuring two staves of music. The top staff begins with a bass clef, a key signature of one sharp, and a 3/4 time signature. It contains two measures of music with fingerings: the first measure has fingerings 3°, 1, 1, 3°, 2; the second measure has fingerings 2, 1, 3. The bottom staff begins with a bass clef and a key signature of one sharp. It contains two measures of music with fingerings: the first measure has fingerings 1, 2, G; the second measure has fingerings C, G, C. The notes are primarily eighth notes, and there are several rests indicated by vertical bars.

SYMPHONY No. 45 ("Farewell")

Allegro assai

JOSEPH HAYDN

SYMPHONY No. 2

Allegro non troppo

JOHANNES BRAHMS

COURANTE from SONATA

Allegro con spirito

HENRY ECCLES

The sheet music consists of five staves of bassoon part. The first staff starts with a dynamic 'D' and a tempo of '♩ = 100'. Fingerings are indicated above the notes: 1, 4, 1; 2, 1; 3. The second staff begins with 'V' and '0'. The third staff starts with 'D' and 'G'. The fourth staff continues with fingerings 4, 1, 2, 4, 1, 0, 1, 4, 1, 1, 1, 4, 1, 4, 1. The fifth staff concludes with a dynamic 'D' and fingerings 0, 0, 1, 3.

SECTION V

Patterns, Etudes and Excerpts relating to three and four strings

BOWING DRILLS FOR THE UPPER THREE STRINGS

BOWINGS

* The dotted notes are to be played alternately on the string (*Staccato*) and off the string (*Flying Spiccato*).

BOWING DRILLS FOR THE LOWER THREE STRINGS

ETUDE

UPPER THREE STRINGS

Presto $\text{♩} = 138$ (*spiccato*)

The music is in 6/8 time with a bass clef. The tempo is Presto ($\text{♩} = 138$). The first three staves consist of sixteenth-note patterns. The fourth staff ends with a half note followed by a repeat sign.

ETUDE BOWINGS FOR THE UPPER THREE STRINGS

Moderato $\text{♩} = 100$

The music is in 6/8 time with a bass clef. The tempo is Moderato ($\text{♩} = 100$). The first four staves show different bowing patterns (downbow, upbow, etc.) across sixteenth-note groups. The fifth staff shows a continuous series of eighth-note pairs with various bowing markings.

BOWING DRILLS IN THREE QUARTER METER
(UPPER THREE STRINGS)

A B C D E

F G H I J

K L M N O

BOWINGS

1 2 3 4

5 6 7 8

9 10 11 12

BOWING DRILLS IN THREE QUARTER METER
(LOWER THREE STRINGS)

a b c d e

f g h i j

k l m n o

ETUDE

IN THREE QUARTER METER - UPPER THREE STRINGS

Moderato ♩ = 126 (*martelé*)

The musical score for the first etude consists of three staves of music for a three-stringed instrument. The music is in 3/4 time and is marked 'Moderato' with a tempo of ♩ = 126. The style is 'martelé', indicated by the text above the first staff. The music is composed of eighth-note patterns with vertical stems.

ETUDE

BOWINGS

Moderato ♩ = 126

The musical score for the second etude consists of four staves of music for a three-stringed instrument. The music is in 3/4 time and is marked 'Moderato' with a tempo of ♩ = 126. The style is 'bowings', indicated by the text above the first staff. The music features various bowing patterns, including single bows and double bows, with stems indicating direction.

SYMPHONY No. 1

Scherzo - allegro molto

JEAN SIBELIUS

Bass clef $\frac{2}{4}$ Bass clef $\frac{2}{4}$ Bass clef $\frac{3}{4}$ Bass clef $\frac{2}{4}$

$\text{Tempo} = 132 f$

H A H^1 A H^1 H D G H^1 H^1 H H $1 \ 4 \ 2 \ 1$ 8^* $2 \ 1 \ 2$

* If no low C available

BRANDENBURG CONCERTO No. 2

JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH

Allegro

The sheet music consists of six staves of musical notation for bassoon. The first two staves are in common time (indicated by '2'), while the remaining four staves are in 3/4 time (indicated by '3'). The bassoon parts are written in bass clef. The music features various rhythmic patterns, including eighth and sixteenth note figures, and dynamic markings such as accents and slurs. Some measures contain numerical fingerings above the notes, such as '1 4' or '4 0'. The overall style is characteristic of Baroque chamber music.

MAGNIFICAT

JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH

Allegro moderato

Musical score for Johann Sebastian Bach's Magnificat, Allegro moderato section. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in common time (3/4) and the bottom staff is in common time (3/4). The tempo is indicated as quarter note = 108. The music features eighth-note patterns and sixteenth-note figures.

Continuation of the musical score for Johann Sebastian Bach's Magnificat. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in common time (3/4) and the bottom staff is in common time (3/4). The music continues with eighth-note patterns and sixteenth-note figures, with some grace notes and dynamic markings like 1, 2, 0, 4, 0, 1, 4, 0.

Final continuation of the musical score for Johann Sebastian Bach's Magnificat. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in common time (3/4) and the bottom staff is in common time (3/4). The music concludes with eighth-note patterns and sixteenth-note figures.

OVERTURE "LEONORE No. 3"

LUDWIG van BEETHOVEN

Allegro

Musical score for Ludwig van Beethoven's Overture "Leonore No. 3", Allegro section. The score consists of two staves. The top staff is in common time (2/2) and the bottom staff is in common time (2/2). The tempo is indicated as quarter note = 132. The music features eighth-note patterns and sixteenth-note figures, with dynamic markings like 4, 0, 2, 1, 0, 2, 4, 1, 2, 4, 0, 2, 1, 0.

SYMPHONY No. 5

Allegro

LUDWIG van BEETHOVEN

Bassoon: $d = 76$

Allegro

Bassoon: $d = 84$

Bassoon: F^1, B^1, D^1

Two staves of cello music. The top staff starts with a dynamic of f , followed by a crescendo. Fingerings are indicated above the notes: 1, 4, 4, 1; 0, 2, 1, 4; 0, 4; 1, 4. The bottom staff starts with a dynamic of mf , followed by a crescendo. Fingerings are indicated above the notes: 1, 4, 1, 2, 1; 1, 4, 2, 1.

SONATA No. 2

Allegro

ANTONIO VIVALDI

Three staves of cello music for the Allegro movement of Sonata No. 2 by Antonio Vivaldi. The tempo is marked $\text{d} = 108 \text{ mf}$. The first staff shows a sequence of eighth-note patterns with fingerings: 4, 4, 0; 2, 4; 1, 0, 2. The second staff shows a sequence of eighth-note patterns with fingerings: 1, 0, 2; 4, 2, 1, 0, 4. The third staff shows a sequence of eighth-note patterns with fingerings: 4, 2, 1, 0, 4; 1, 4, 1, 2, 0, 4; 1, 4, 1, 2, 0, 4; 1, 4, 1, 2, 0, 4.

SYMPHONY No. 9

LUDWIG van BEETHOVEN

Prestissimo

Musical score for 'Prestissimo' section. The top staff is in 2/2 time, treble clef, key of A major. The bottom staff is in 2/2 time, bass clef. The tempo is marked $\text{♩} = 132$. The first measure starts with a dynamic *f*. Fingerings include 1-4 pairs and 3-0 pairs. The letter 'A' is placed in the middle of the page. The second staff consists of eighth-note patterns.

The image shows the first four measures of a guitar piece. The key signature is A major (no sharps or flats). The first measure has two notes: the first is an open B string (0), and the second is a D string (4). The second measure has three notes: an open B string (0), a D string (4), and an E string (4). The third measure starts with a dynamic *ff*. It contains six notes: an open B string (0), a D string (4), an E string (2), a C# string (1), a B string (2), and an open A string (0). The fourth measure begins with a dynamic *D*. It contains five notes: an open B string (3), an open A string (2), an E string (2), a D string (1), and an open C string (0).

Sheet music for bassoon, measures 1-4. The music is in common time, key signature of B major (two sharps). The bassoon part consists of eighth-note patterns. Measure 1: Bassoon part has two groups of four eighth notes each, with fingerings 1, 1, 4 above the first group and 1, 4 above the second. Measure 2: Bassoon part has two groups of four eighth notes each, with fingerings 1, 4 above the first group and 1, 4 above the second. Measure 3: Bassoon part has two groups of four eighth notes each, with fingerings 1, 4 above the first group and 1, 4 above the second. Measure 4: Bassoon part has two groups of four eighth notes each, with fingerings 1, 4 above the first group and 1, 4 above the second. The bassoon part is sustained throughout all measures.

Fingerings above the top staff: 2, 1, 4, 1, 3; 0, 1, 4; 1, 4; 1, 0; 1, 1, 1, 4, 0; 1. Fingerings below the bottom staff: 0, 0, 0, 0; 0, 0, 0, 0; 0, 0, 0, 0; 0, 0, 0, 0; 0, 0, 0, 0.

Text: Maestoso, D.

* Begin the study of this excerpt at the metronome mark $\text{♩} = 112$; advance gradually through $\text{♩} = 116$, $\text{♩} = 120$, $\text{♩} = 126$ to the final tempo indication by Beethoven of $\text{♩} = 132$.

SECTION VI

BOWING DRILLS FOR THE UPPER TWO STRINGS

PATTERN A

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13

VARIATIONS

The sheet music consists of six staves, each representing a variation (B through F). Each staff is in 2/4 time and uses a treble clef. The music is written in a key signature of one sharp (B major). The notes are primarily eighth notes, with some sixteenth-note patterns. Measure lines are present at the beginning of each staff, and a repeat sign with a 'C' is located in the middle of the first staff. Measure numbers are indicated above the staff lines.

B

C

D

E

F





Vivo ♩ = 200 (*spiccato*)

A musical score for bassoon in 4/4 time with a key signature of one sharp. The score consists of two staves of music. The first staff starts with a rest followed by a series of eighth-note patterns: (0, 0), (4, 0), (4, 1), (0). The second staff begins with a (4, 1) pattern followed by a (0, 0) pattern.

A musical score for bassoon, consisting of two staves. The first staff starts with a note, followed by six eighth-note groups, each marked with a '4' above it. The second staff starts with a note, followed by six eighth-note groups, each marked with a '1' above it.

$\text{♩} = 200$

Bass clef, Key of G, $\text{♩} = 120$

Measures 1-9: Repeating pattern of eighth-note pairs followed by a sixteenth-note pair, with slurs and grace notes.

Measure 10: Single eighth note.

$$\text{♩} = 200$$

A musical staff in bass clef and 4/4 time. It consists of ten measures of continuous eighth-note patterns. The notes are grouped by vertical bar lines and horizontal beams. The first measure starts with a note on the second line, followed by a beam connecting to a note on the fourth line. This pattern repeats across all ten measures.

A musical score for bassoon, page 10. The score features a bass clef, a key signature of two sharps, and a tempo marking of quarter note = 120. The music consists of ten measures of music, each containing a series of eighth-note patterns.

The dotted notes are to be played alternately on the string (*Staccato*) and off the string (*Flying Spiccato*).

$\text{♩} = 168$

A musical staff in bass clef and 4/4 time. It consists of ten pairs of eighth notes connected by slurs. Each pair is composed of a black note on the first beat and a white note on the second beat. The notes are grouped by vertical bar lines.

A musical score for bassoon, consisting of a single staff in bass clef. The staff is filled with a continuous eighth-note pattern, starting with a note on the first ledger line above the staff. The notes alternate between the main staff and the ledger line, creating a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes. The score is set against a white background with black horizontal lines representing the staff.

$\text{♩} = 168$  $\text{♩} = 152$ 

The dotted notes are to be played alternately on the string (*Staccato*) and off the string (*Flying Spiccato*).

 $\text{♩} = 160$ 

This bowing (*Pique*) is to be played in the upper half of the bow; the dotted eighth note short (*Martelé*) and the sixteenth note with a smoother stroke (*Détaché*).

 $\text{♩} = 160 \text{ to } \text{♩} = 176$ 

Moderato ♩ = 120

Three staves of bassoon music in 3/4 time with a key signature of two sharps. The first staff has a tempo of Moderato (♩ = 120). The second staff starts with a dynamic V. The third staff ends with a dynamic C.

The dotted notes are to be played with a *Flying Spiccato* bowing.

Allegro ♩ = 200

Six staves of bassoon music in 3/4 time with a key signature of two sharps. The tempo is Allegro (♩ = 200). Each staff features a series of dotted notes with curved stems, indicating flying spiccato bowing.

Moderato ♩ = 120 to ♩ = 138

Two staves of bassoon music in 3/4 time with a key signature of two sharps. The tempo changes from Moderato (♩ = 120) to Allegro (♩ = 138). Each staff consists of eighth-note pairs connected by curved stems.

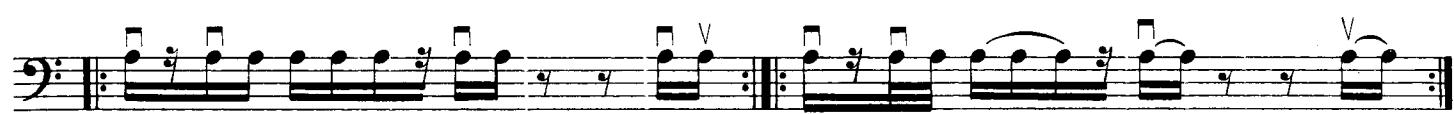
Allegro ♩ = 92

Two staves of bassoon music in 6/8 time with a key signature of two sharps. The tempo is Allegro (♩ = 92). Each staff consists of eighth-note pairs connected by curved stems.

Allegro ♩ = 160

The sheet music consists of ten staves of musical notation for bassoon. The key signature is three sharps (F major). The time signature starts at 8/8 and changes frequently, including 5/8, 2/4, 5/8, 3/4, and 3/4. The tempo is Allegro, indicated by ♩ = 160. The music features continuous eighth-note patterns with various slurs and grace notes.

Adagio ♩ = 200



The musical score consists of ten staves of bassoon music. The notation is primarily in common time, indicated by a 'C' at the beginning of each staff. The bassoon part is supported by a continuous harmonic foundation provided by a piano or harpsichord, indicated by a treble clef and a bass clef in the upper right corner of each staff. The bassoon part features a variety of rhythmic patterns, including eighth-note pairs, sixteenth-note groups, and sustained notes. Some notes have vertical stems pointing downwards, while others have stems pointing upwards. Vertical bar lines divide the music into measures. The overall style suggests a Baroque or Classical period composition.

A page of musical notation for bassoon, featuring ten staves of music. The notation includes various note heads, stems, and slurs, typical of woodwind sheet music.