Full Score

Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky Opus 49

1812 Overture
arranged for
6-part Cello Orchestra

Performance notes:

1. The original score has been transposed down a semitone so that the themes and fanfares best suit cello tuning (i.e. the main keys become D major and minor, rather than E flat major and minor).

2. the six cello parts/desks have been arranged into two groups:
(A) cellos 1, 2 and 3 (led by cellos 1)
(B) cellos 4, 5 and 6 (led by cellos 4).

3. Group A have been allocated most of the French fanfares while Group B have been given most of the Russian fanfares. In performance, a separation of groups A and B (with or without French and Russian flags) is recommended to highlight the interplay between the two groups.

4. An optional Cannon part has been included from bar 328

This arrangement was made for James Halsey (director and conductor), and members of the Giant Cello Ensemble to perform during the annual Aboyne Cello Festival (in North-East Scotland), in July 2010

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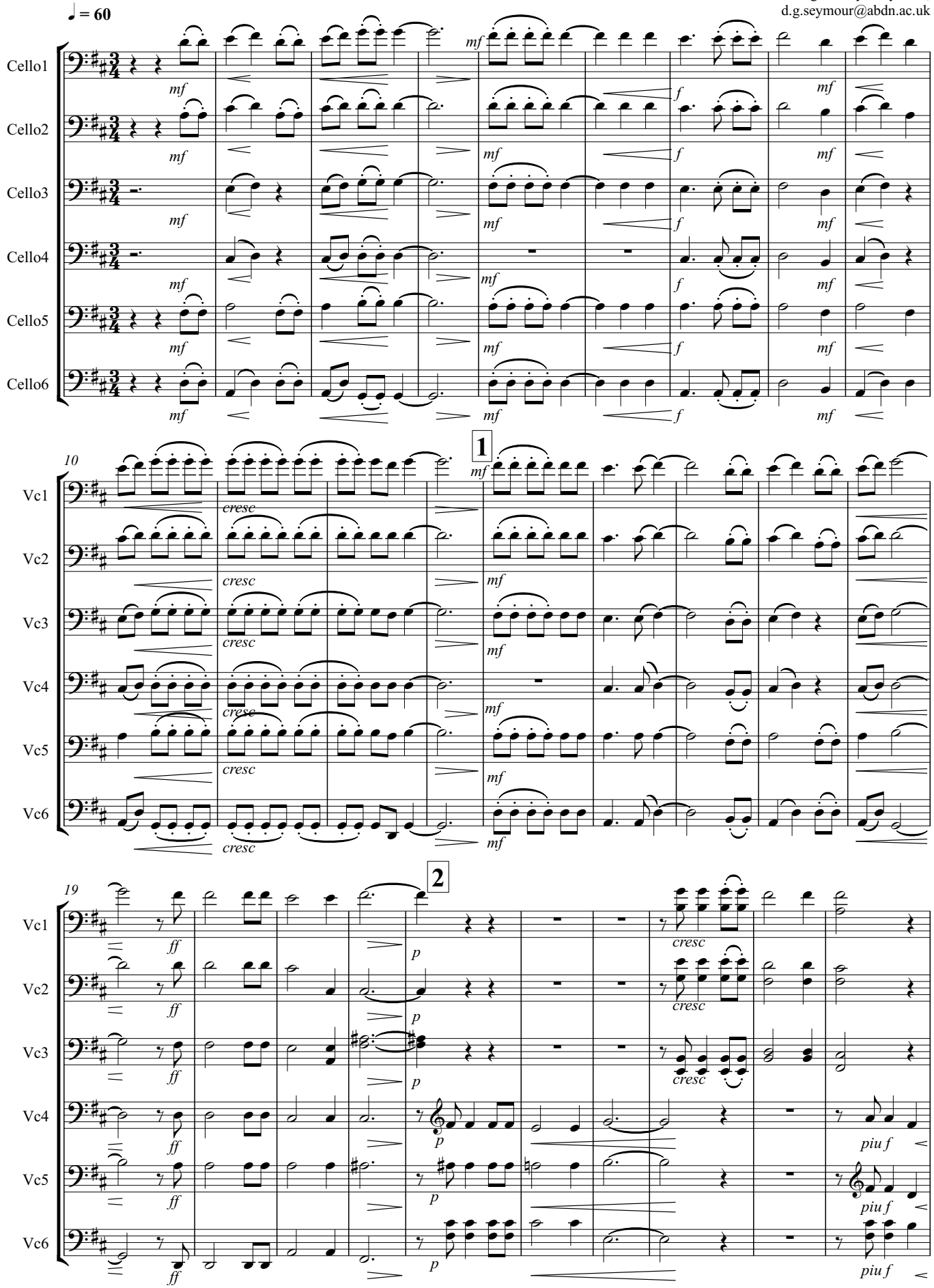
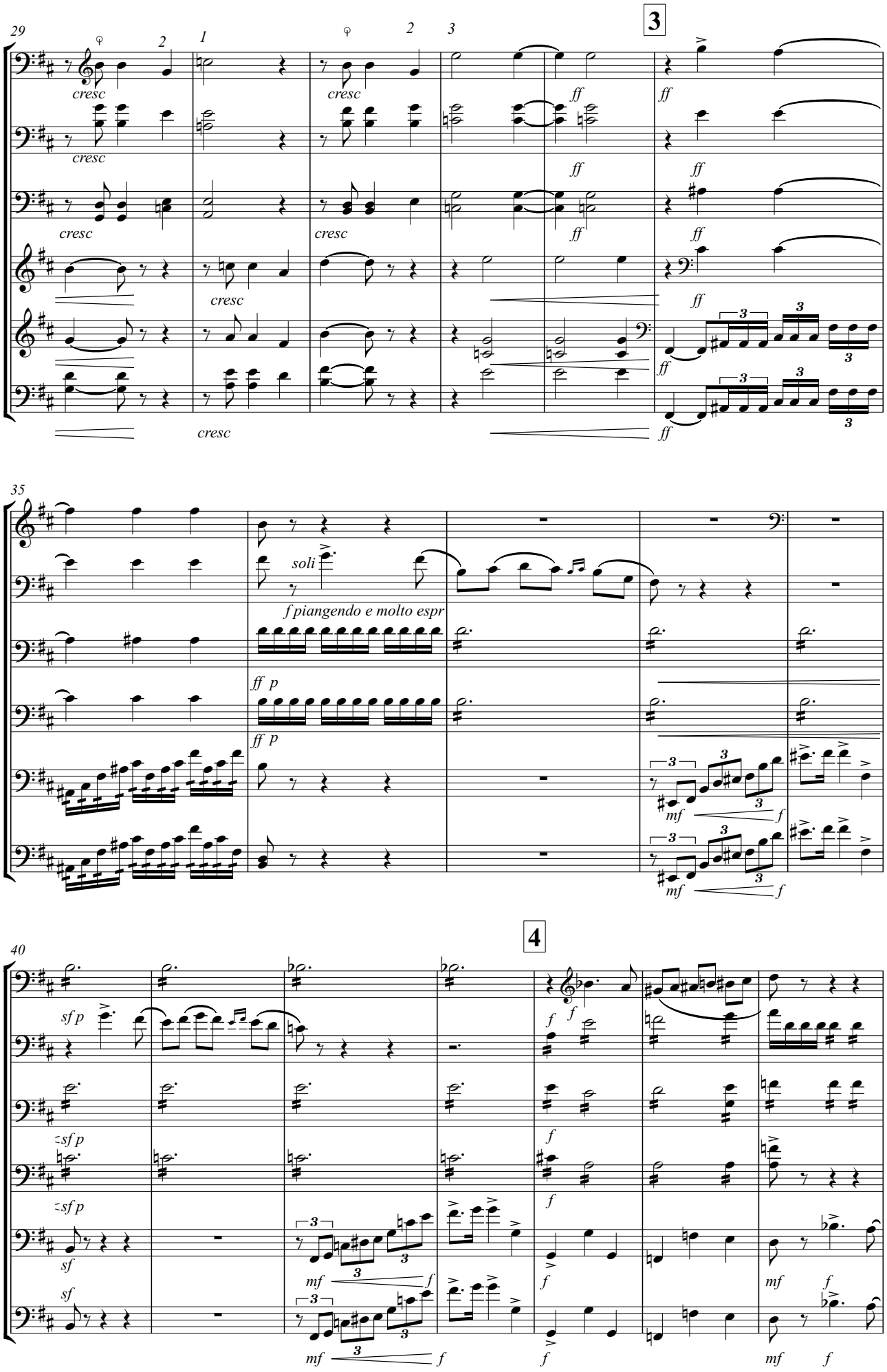
Largo

♩ = 60

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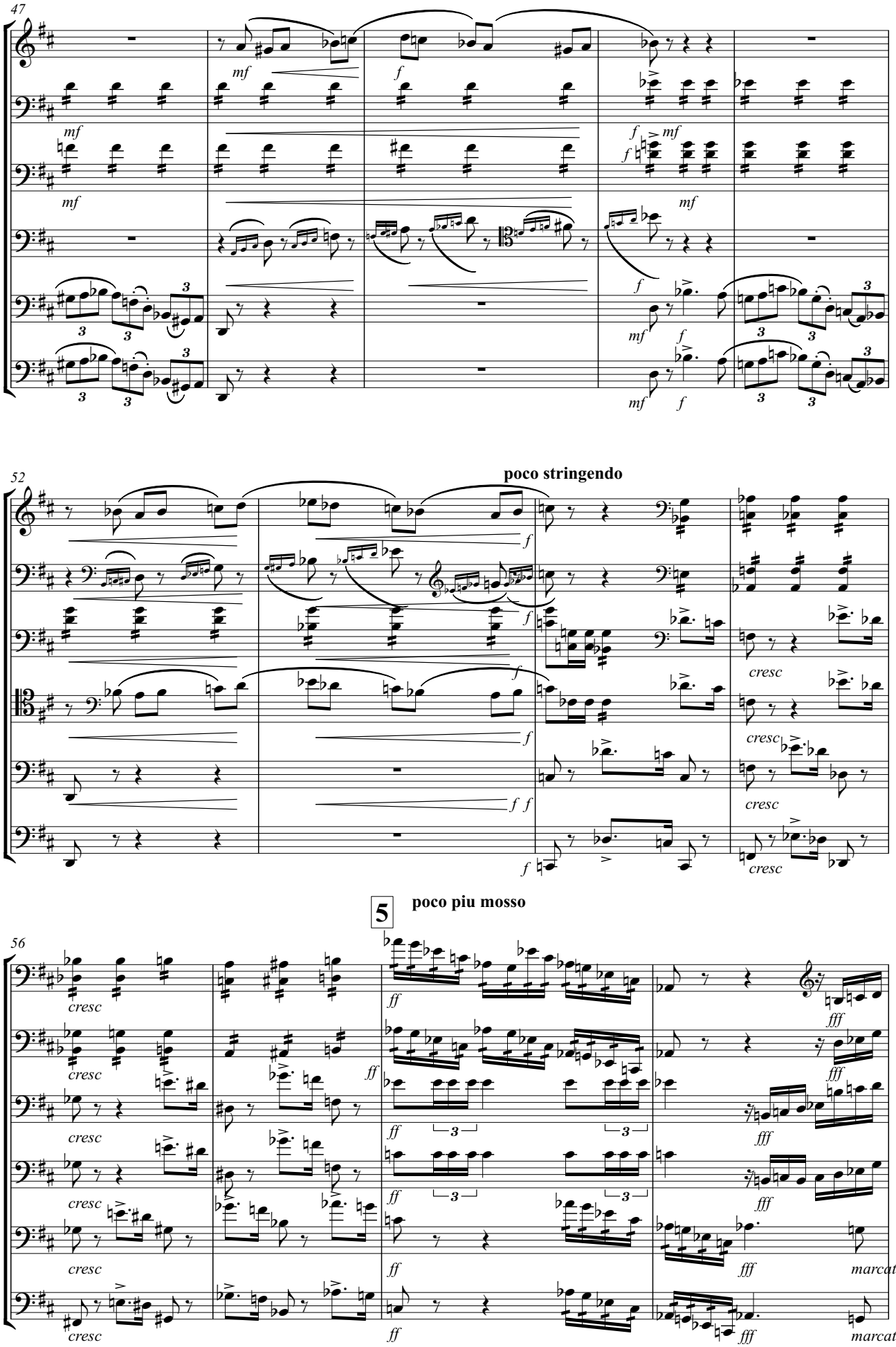
3
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
cresc
ff
35
soli
f piangendo e molto espr
ff p
mf
f
40
4
sf p
sf
mf
f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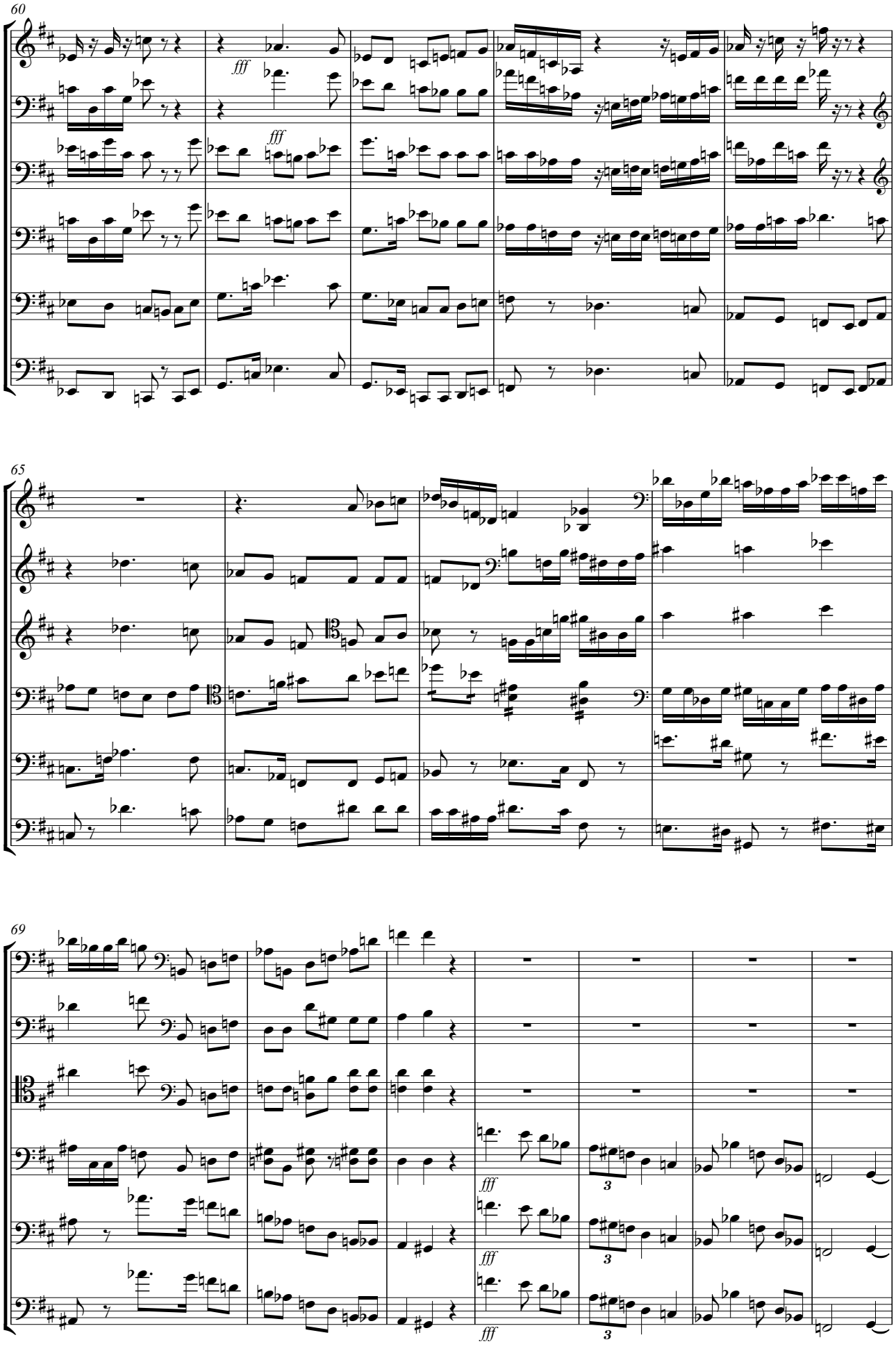
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
mf
f
52
poco stringendo
cresc
5
poco piu mosso
56
ff
fff
marcatiss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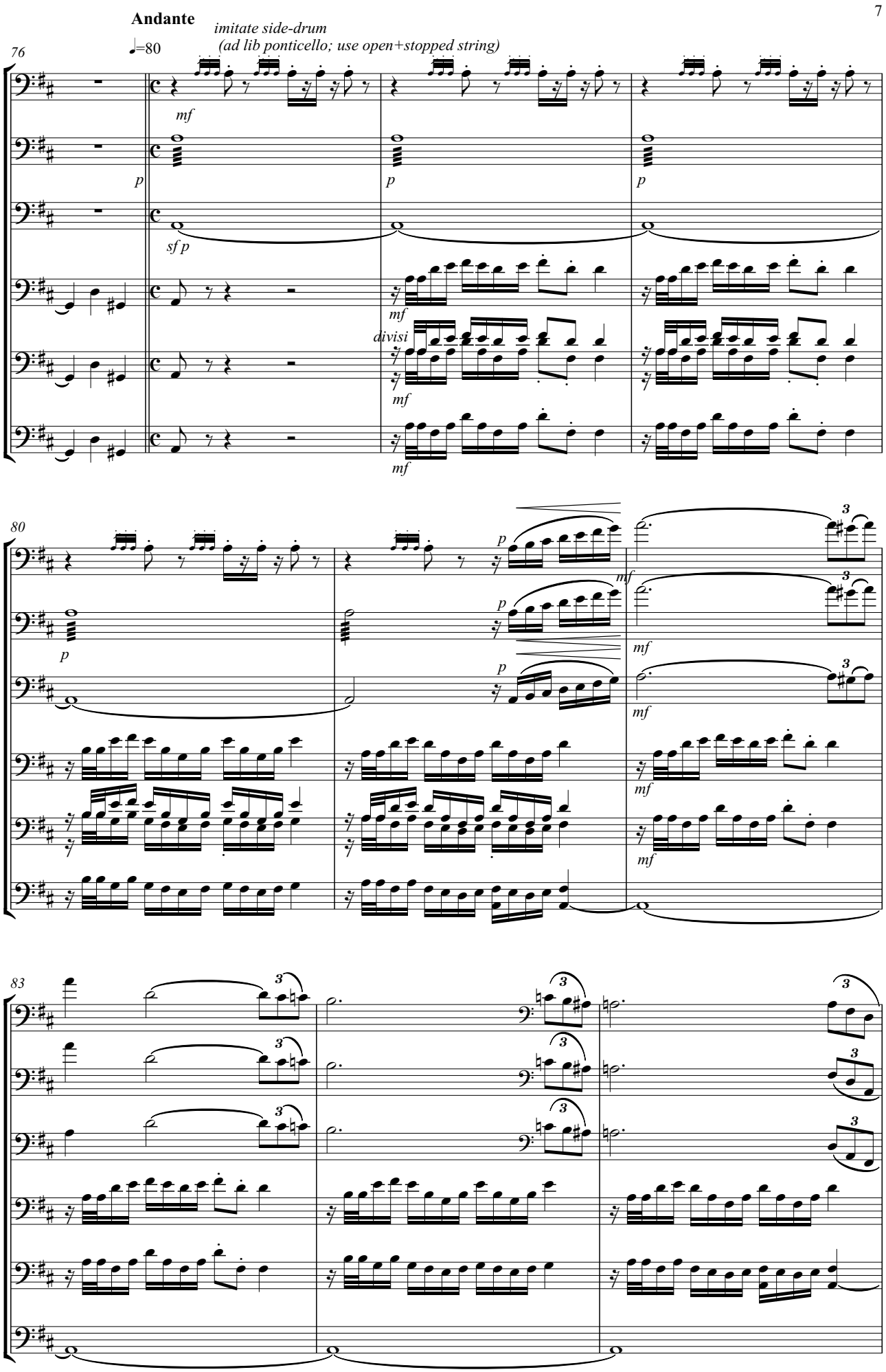
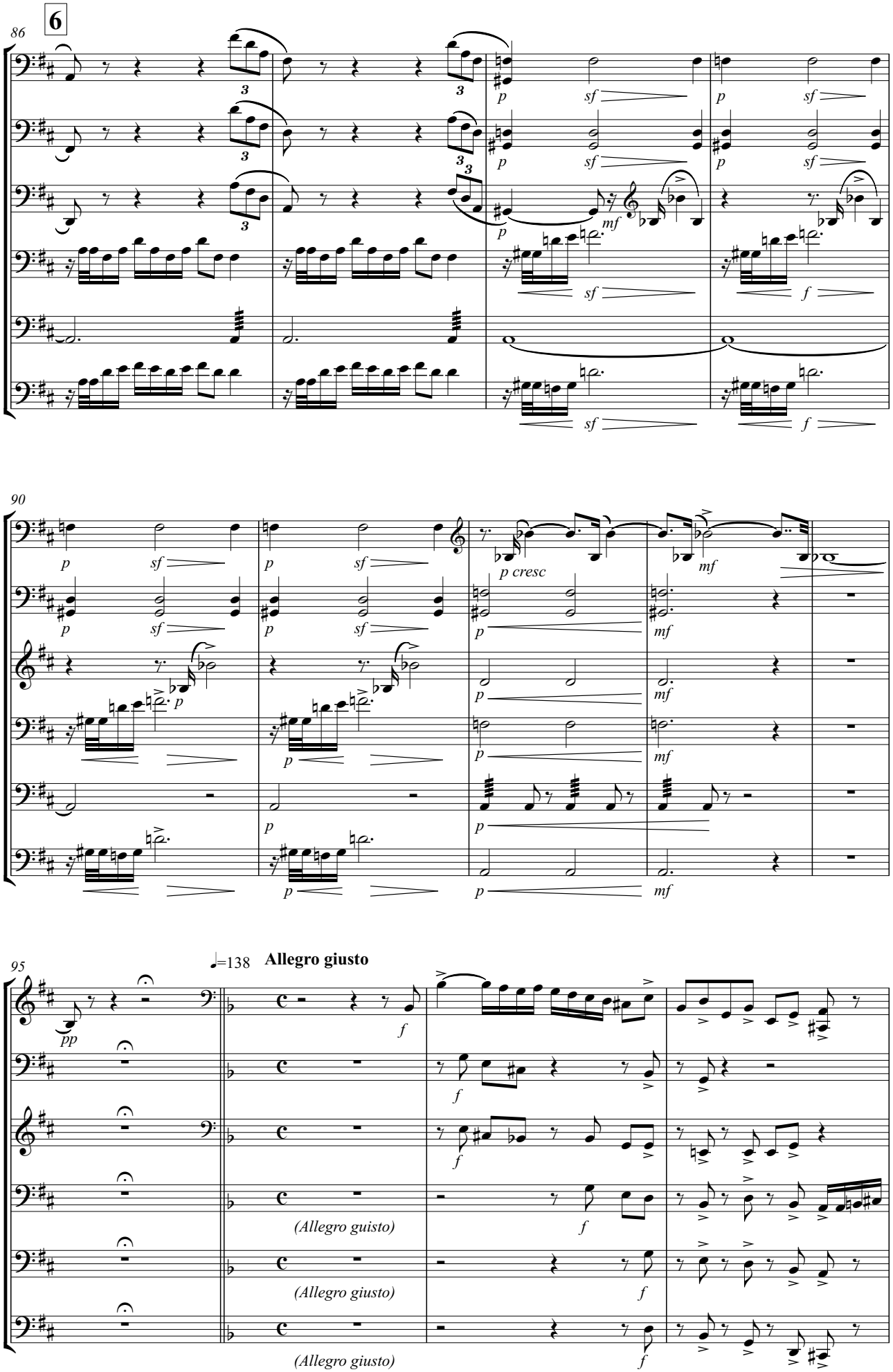
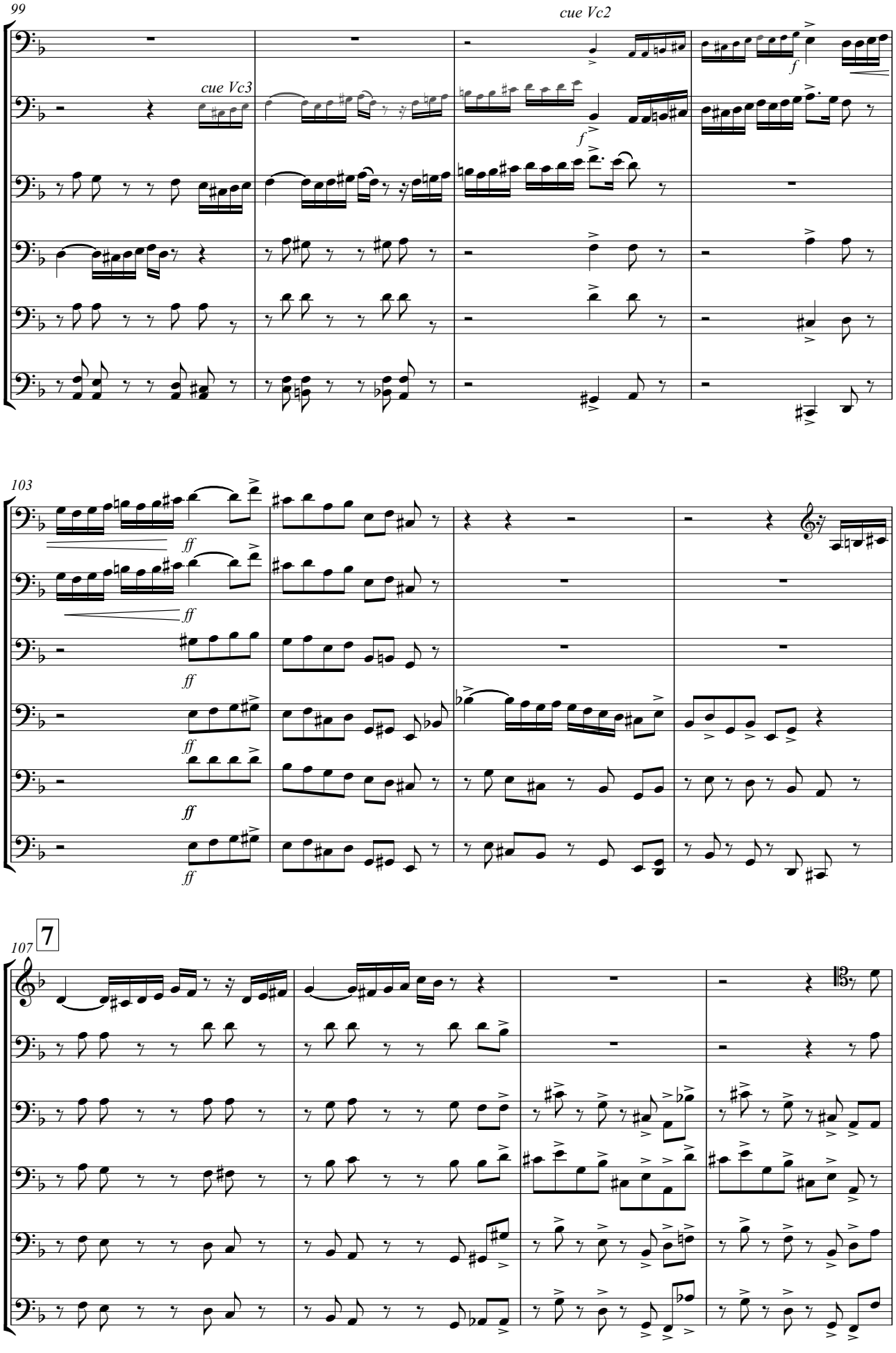
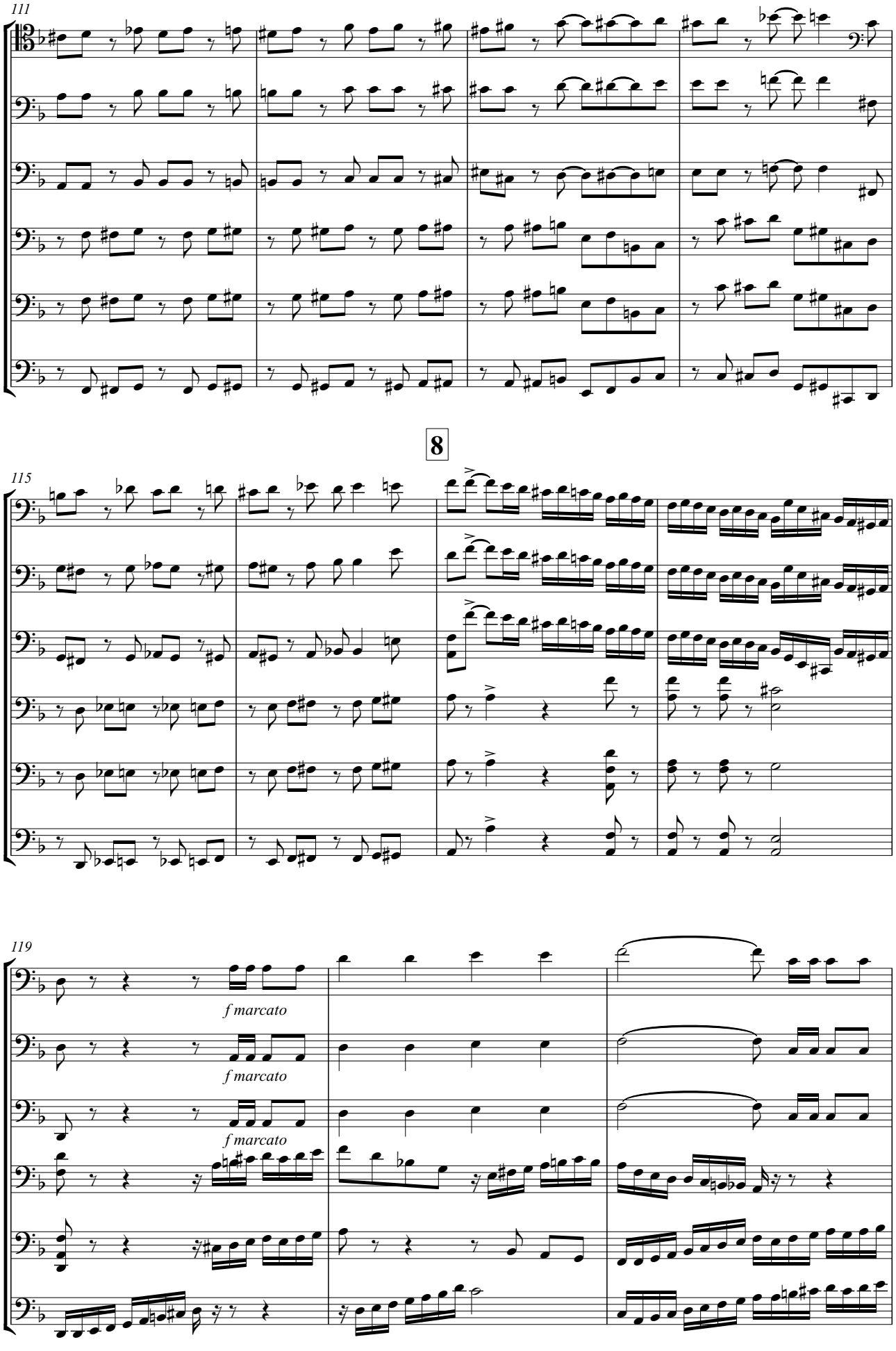
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
fff
fff
65
69
3
3


Andante
♩=80
imitate side-drum
(ad lib ponticello; use open+stopped string)
76
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
mf
p
sf p
divisi
80
83


6
86
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
90
p cresc
95
♩=138
Allegro giusto
(Allegro guisto)
(Allegro giusto)
(Allegro giusto)


99
cue Vc2
cue Vc3
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
f
103
ff
107
7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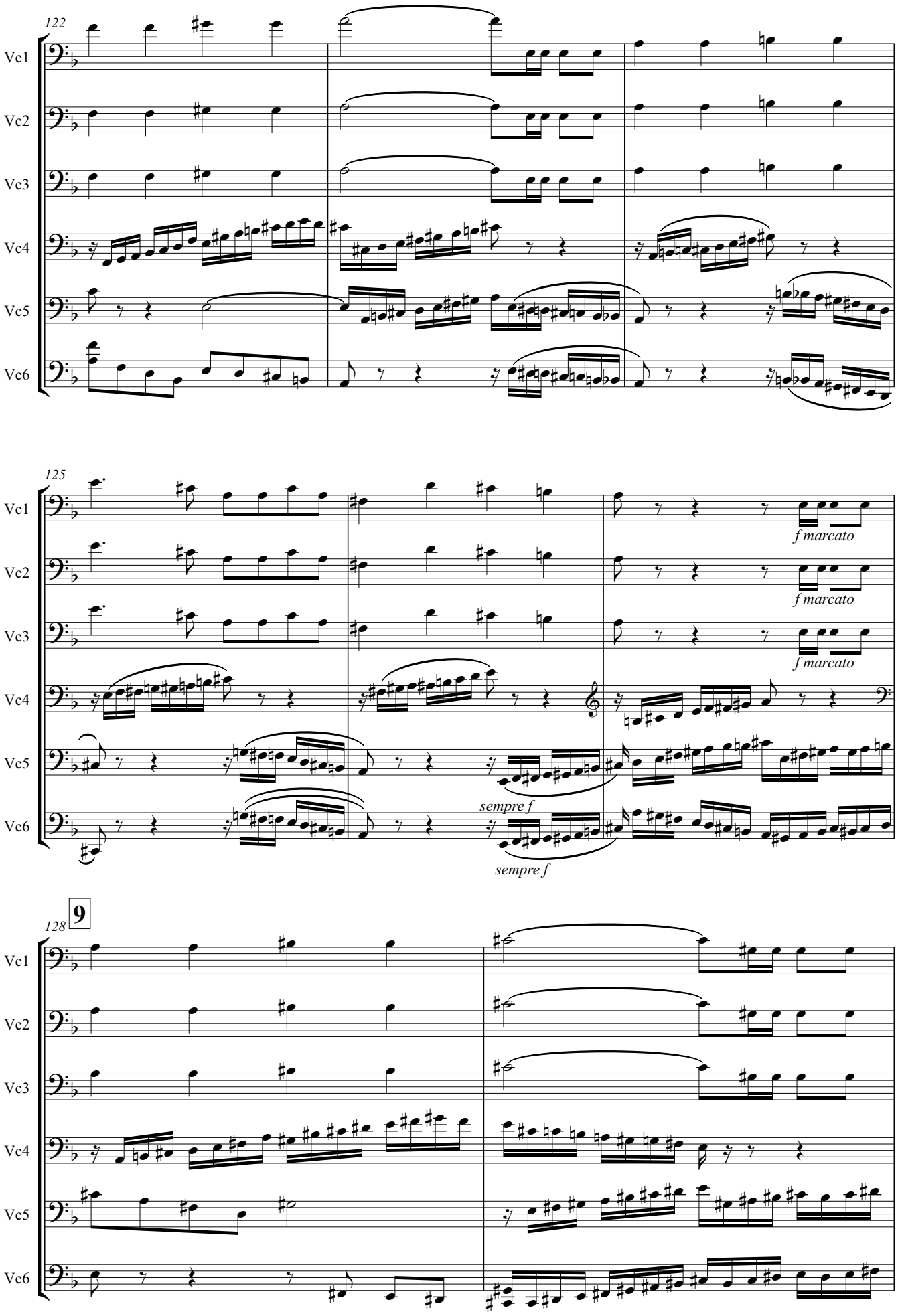
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
8
115
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
119
Vc1
f marcato
Vc2
f marcato
Vc3
f marcato
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6


122
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
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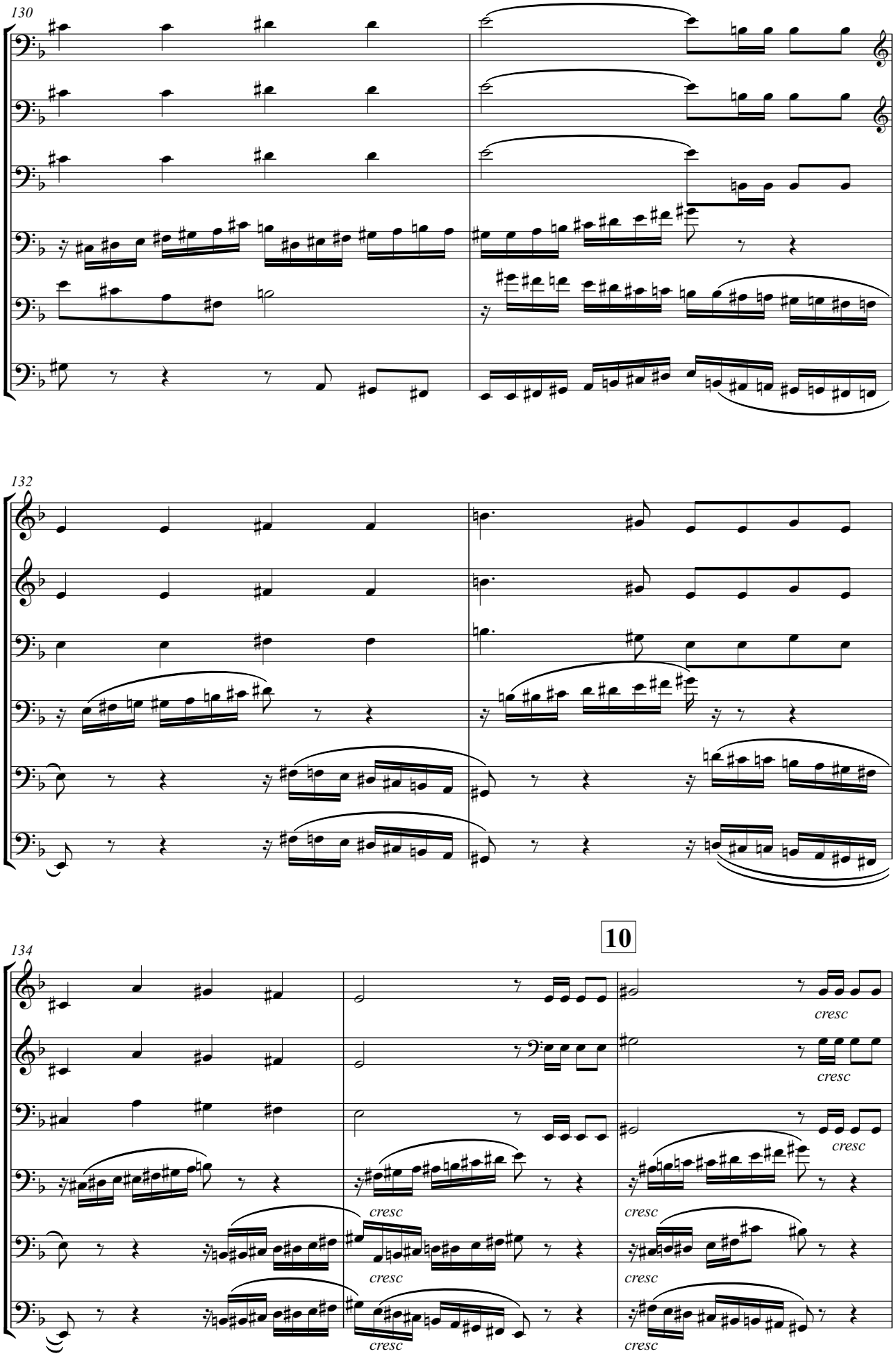
f marcato
f marcato
f marcato
sempre f
sempre f
128
9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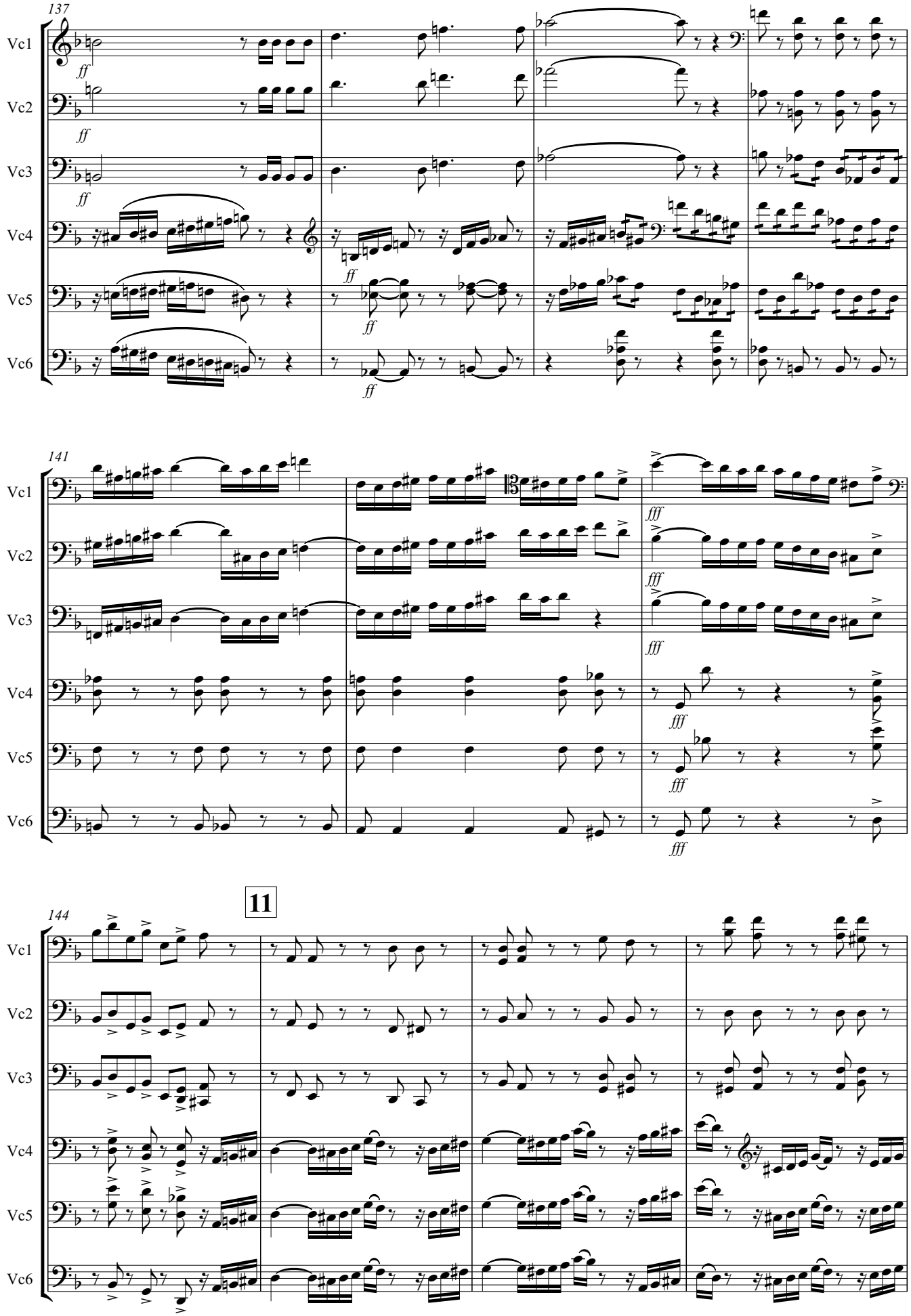
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
132
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
10
134
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
cresc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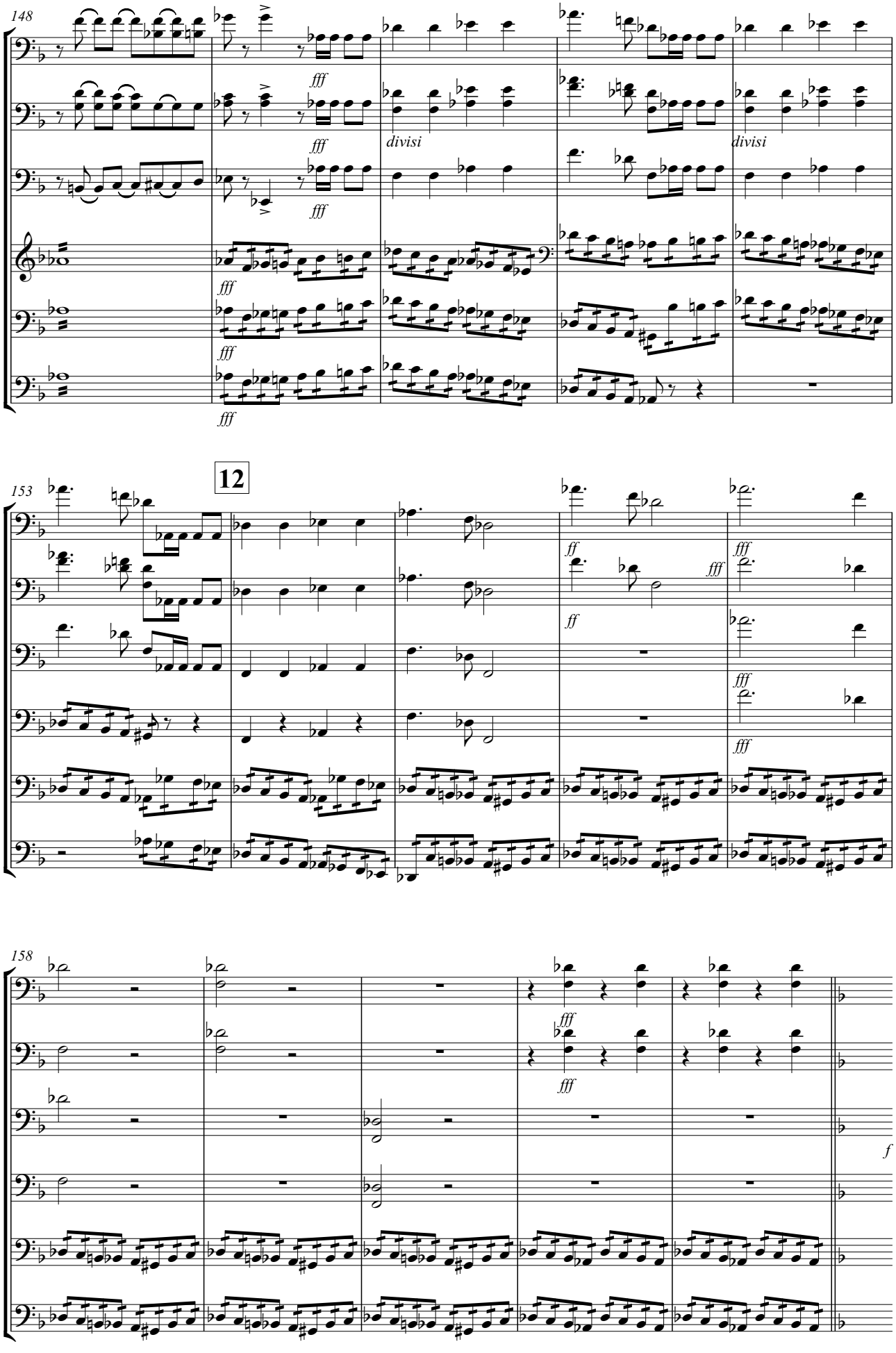
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
ff
141
fff
144
11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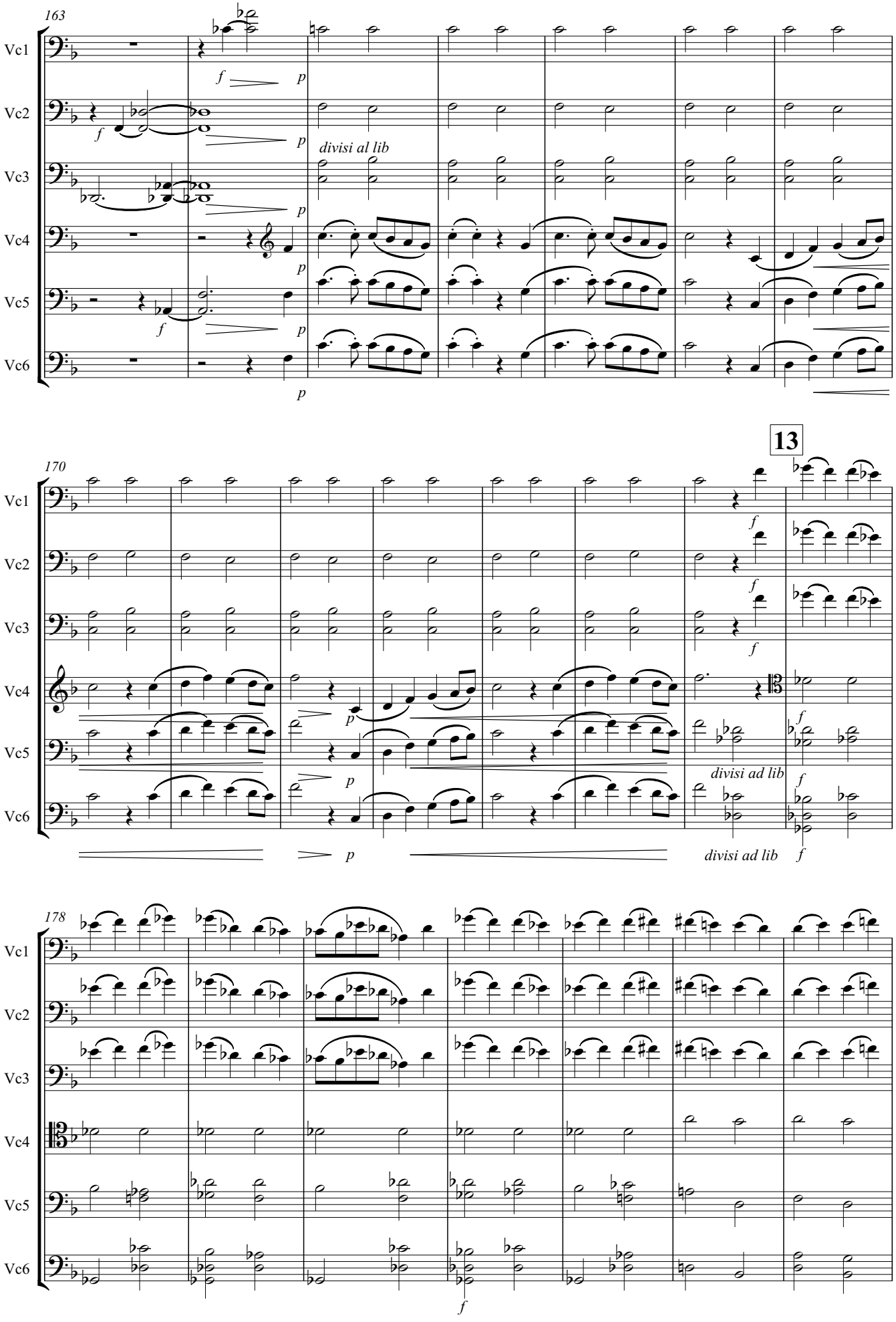
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
fff
divisi
12
153
ff
158
f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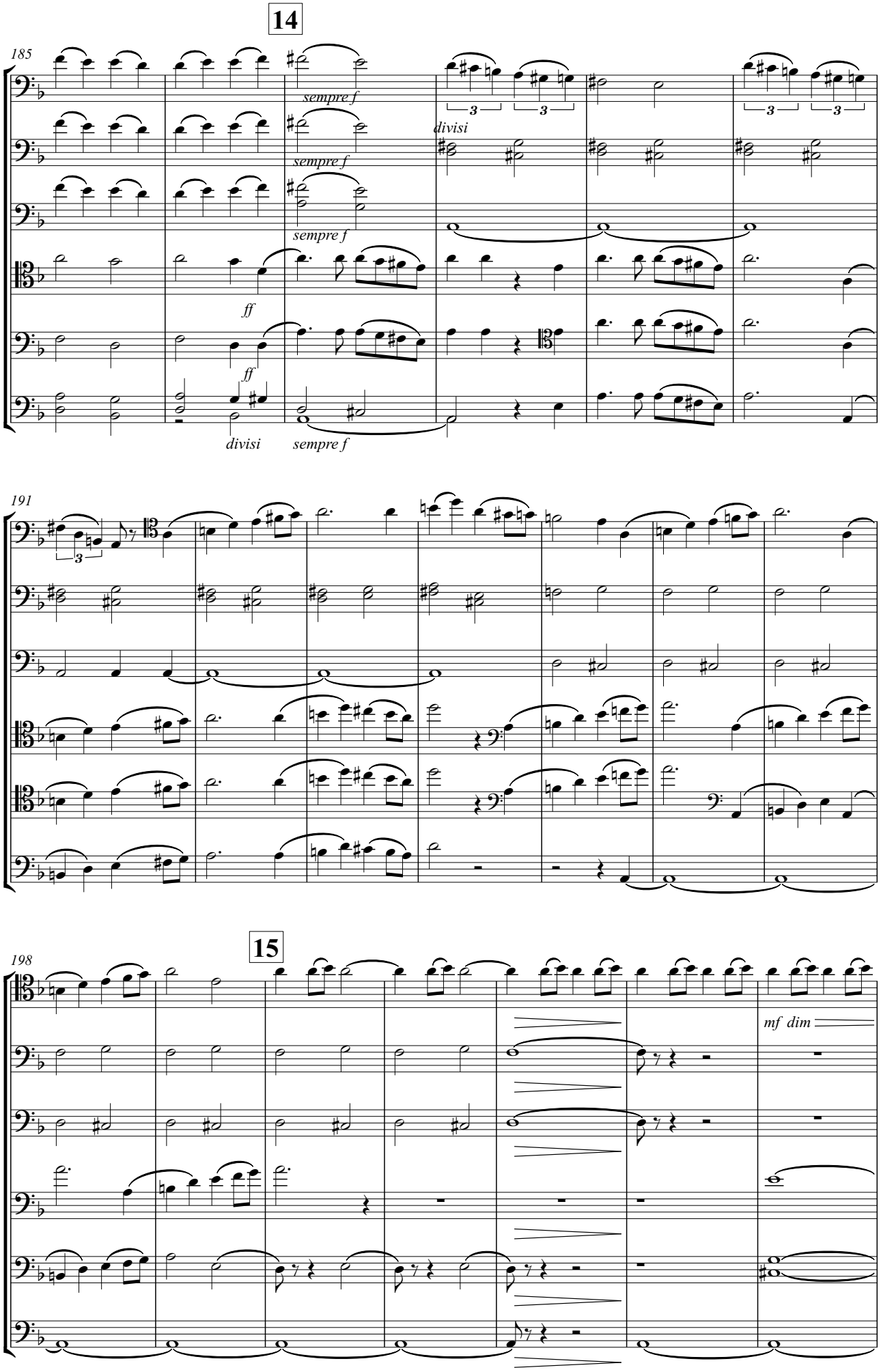
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
divisi al lib
13
170
divisi ad lib
divisi ad lib
178


14
185
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
sempre f
sempre f
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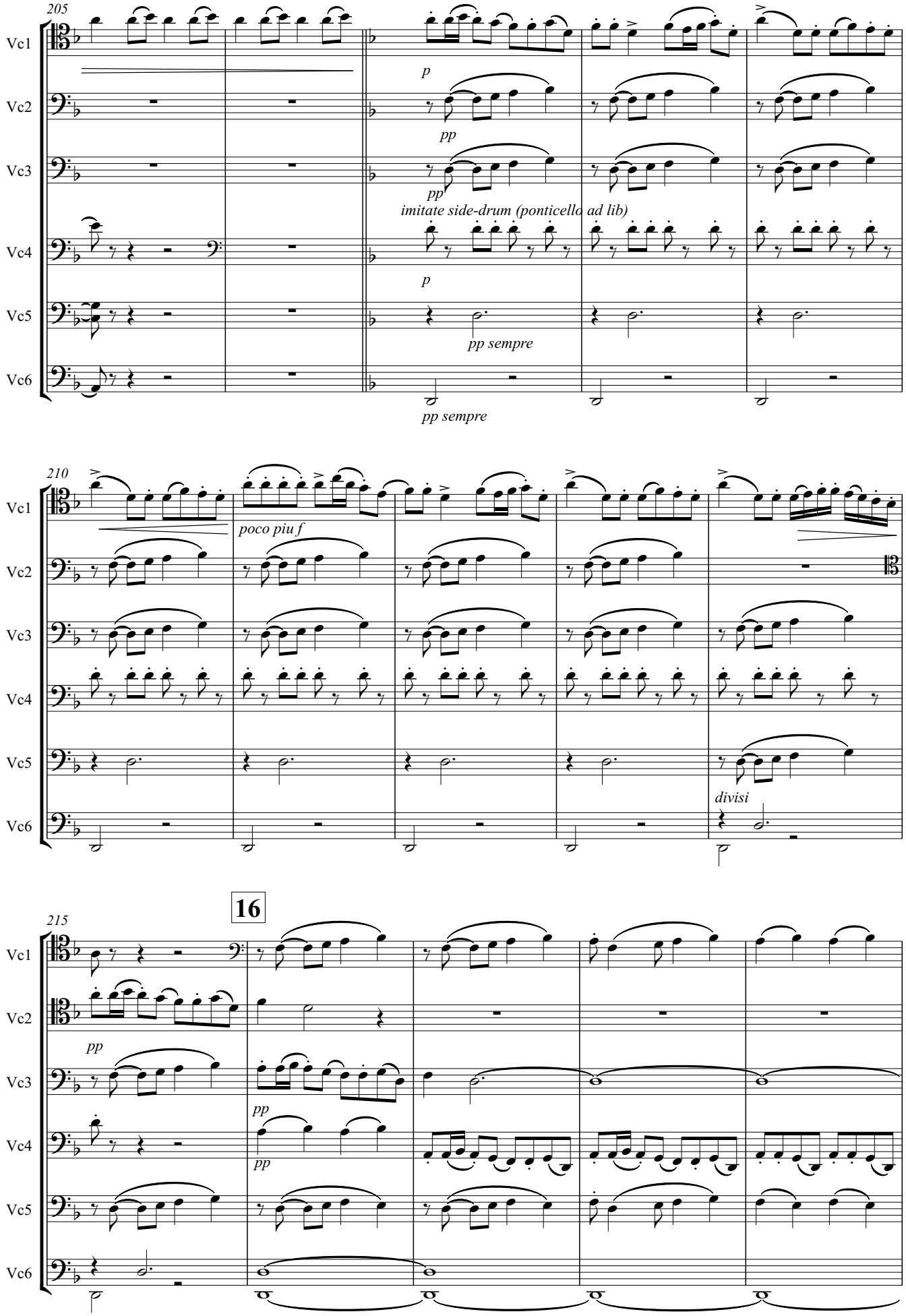
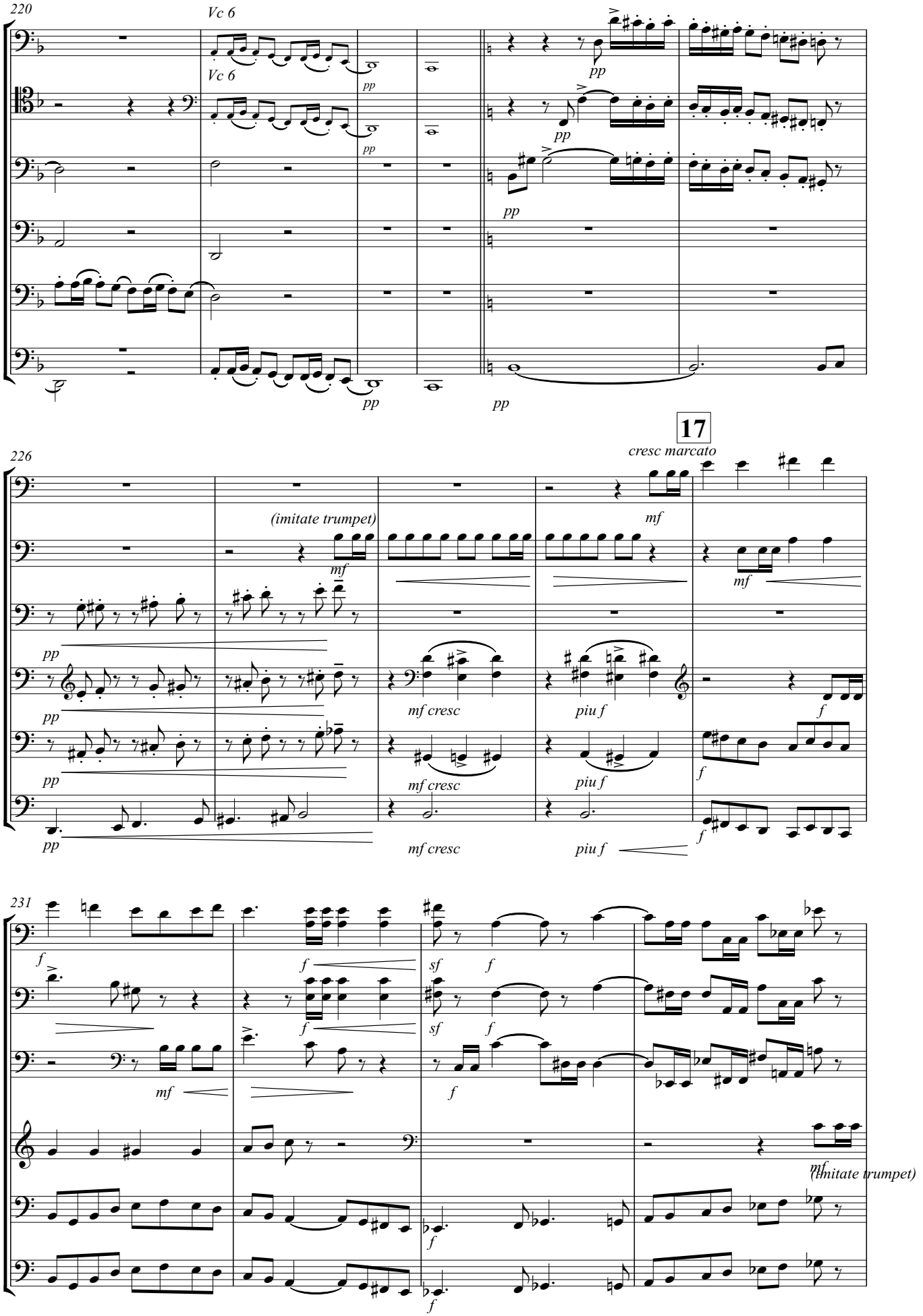
ff
ff
divisi
sempre f
divisi
3
3
3
3
191
3
15
198
mf dim


205
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
p
pp
pp
imitate side-drum (ponticello ad lib)
p
pp sempre
pp sempre
210
poco piu f
divisi
16
215
pp
pp
pp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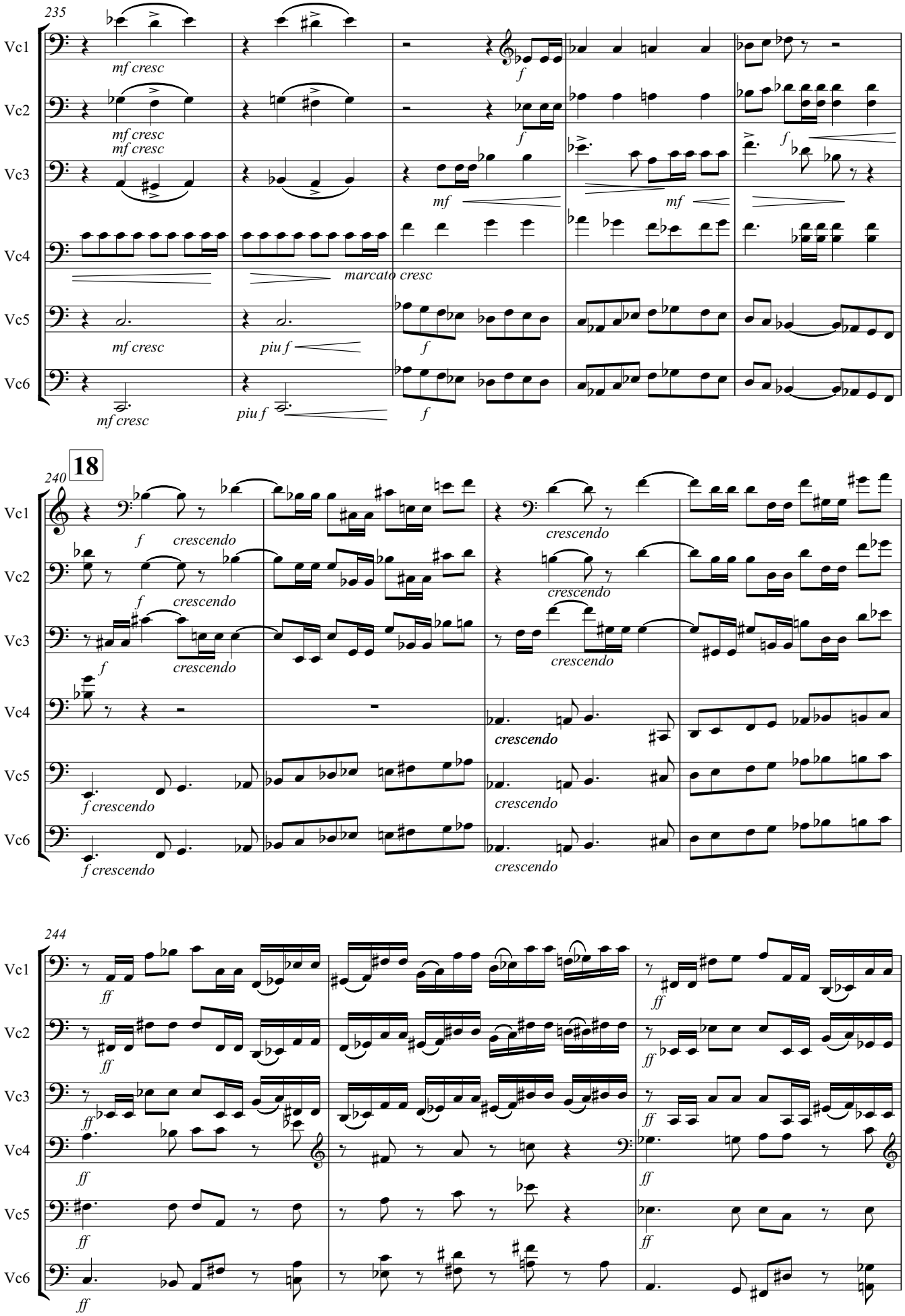
Vc 6
Vc 6
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
pp
17
cresc marcato
226
(imitate trumpet)
mf
mf cresc
piu f
231
sf
(imitate trumpet)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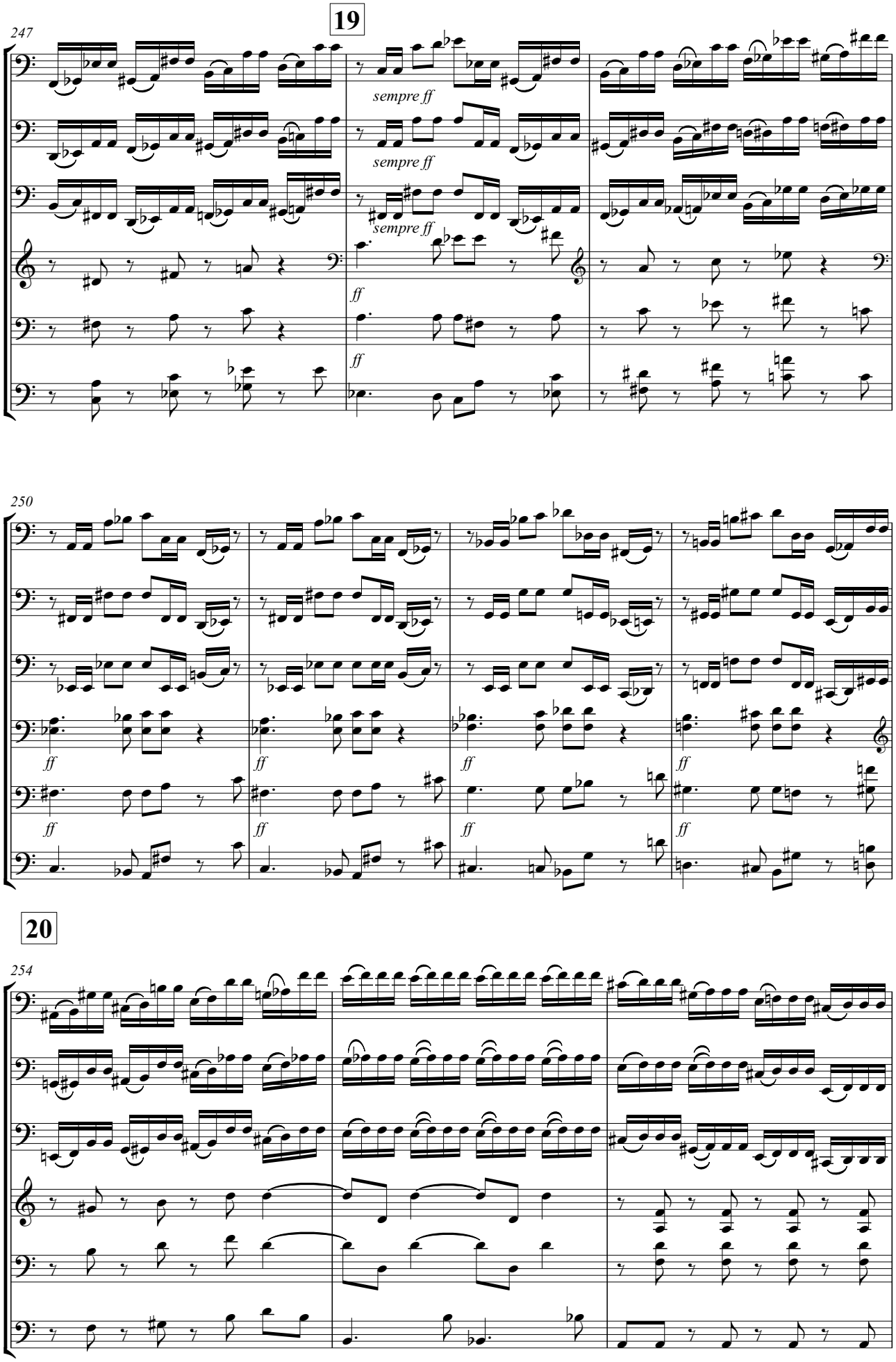
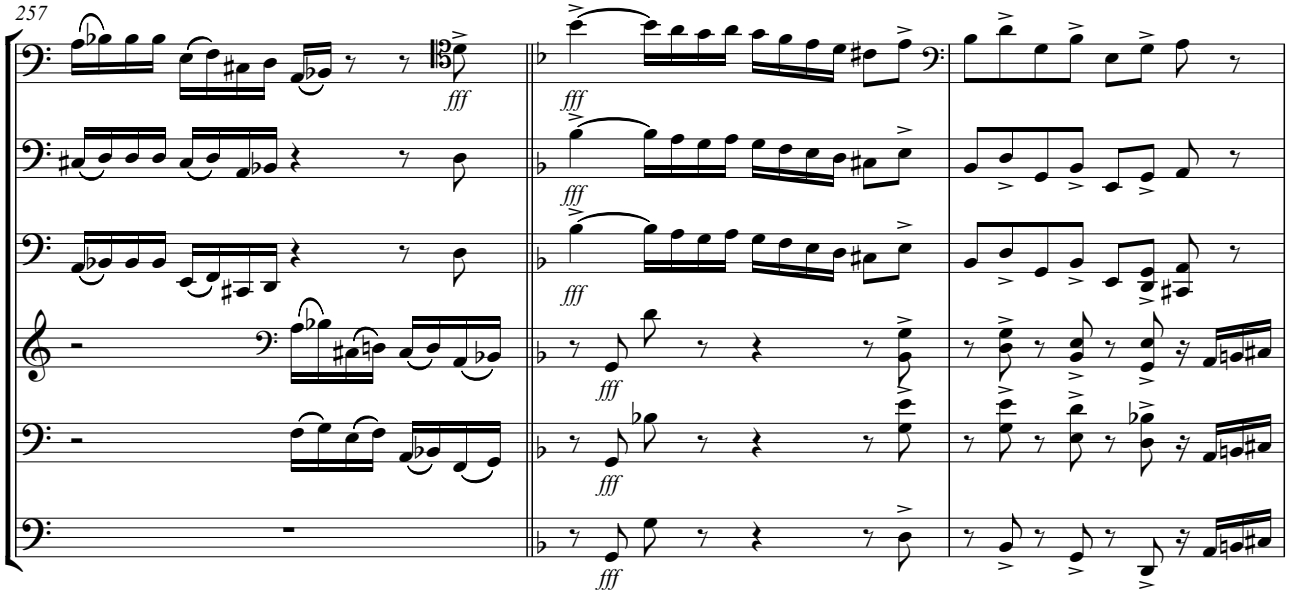
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
mf cresc
mf cresc
mf cresc
mf cresc
piu f
f
mf
mf
marcato cresc
18
240
f crescendo
crescendo
244
ff


19
247
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
sempre ff
sempre ff
sempre ff
ff
ff
250
ff
20
254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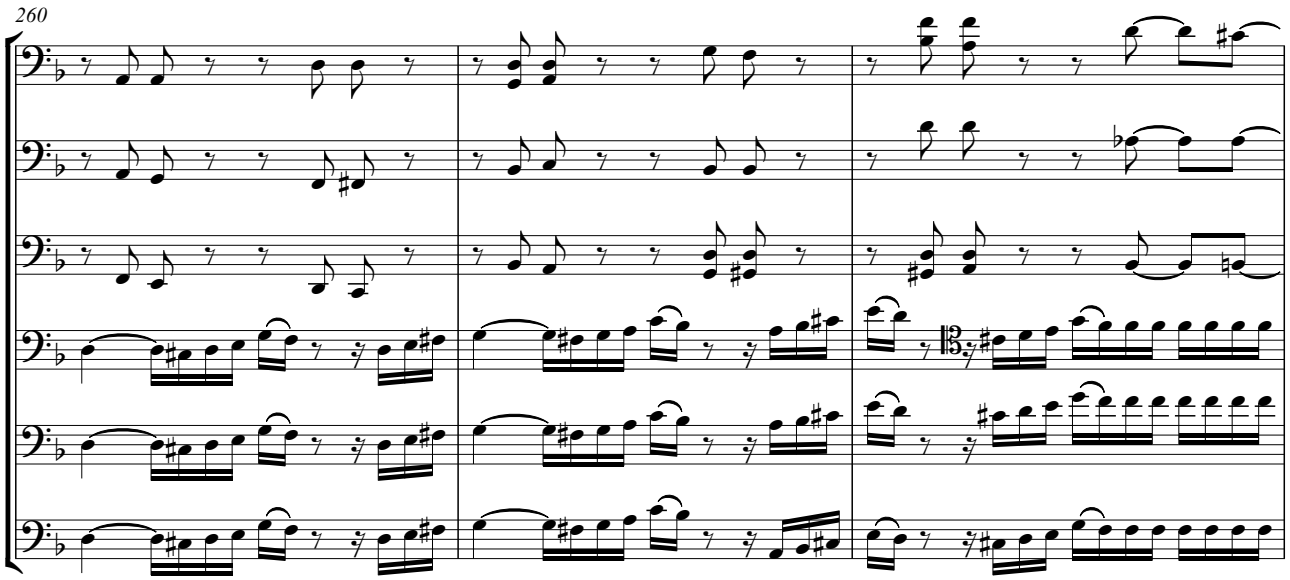
Vc6
fff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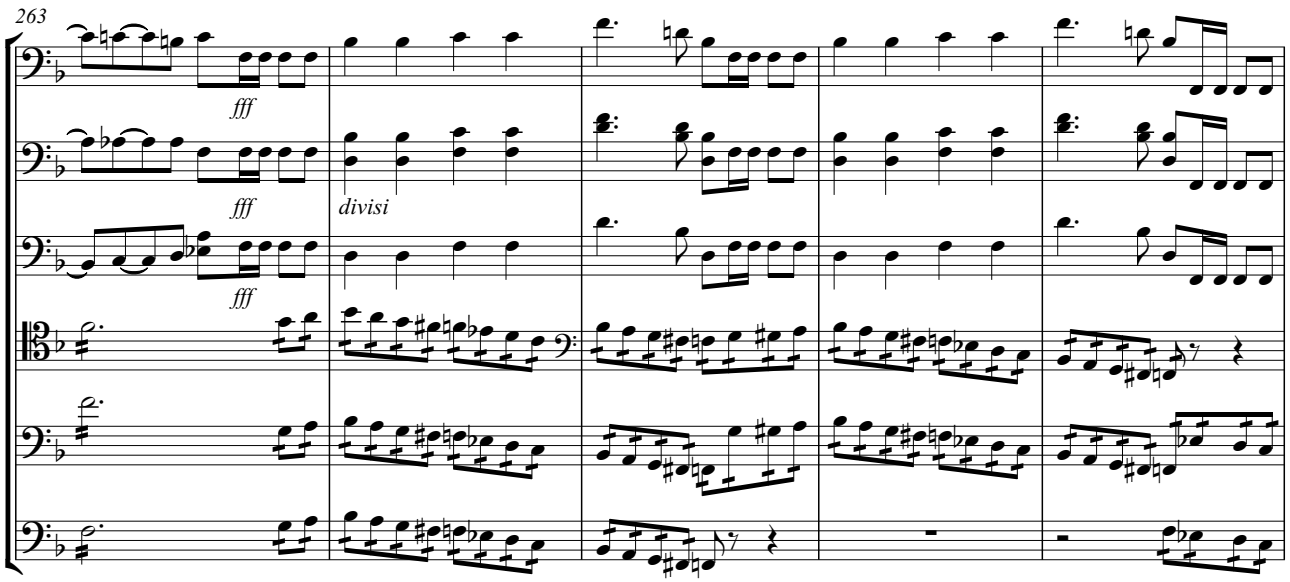
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6

21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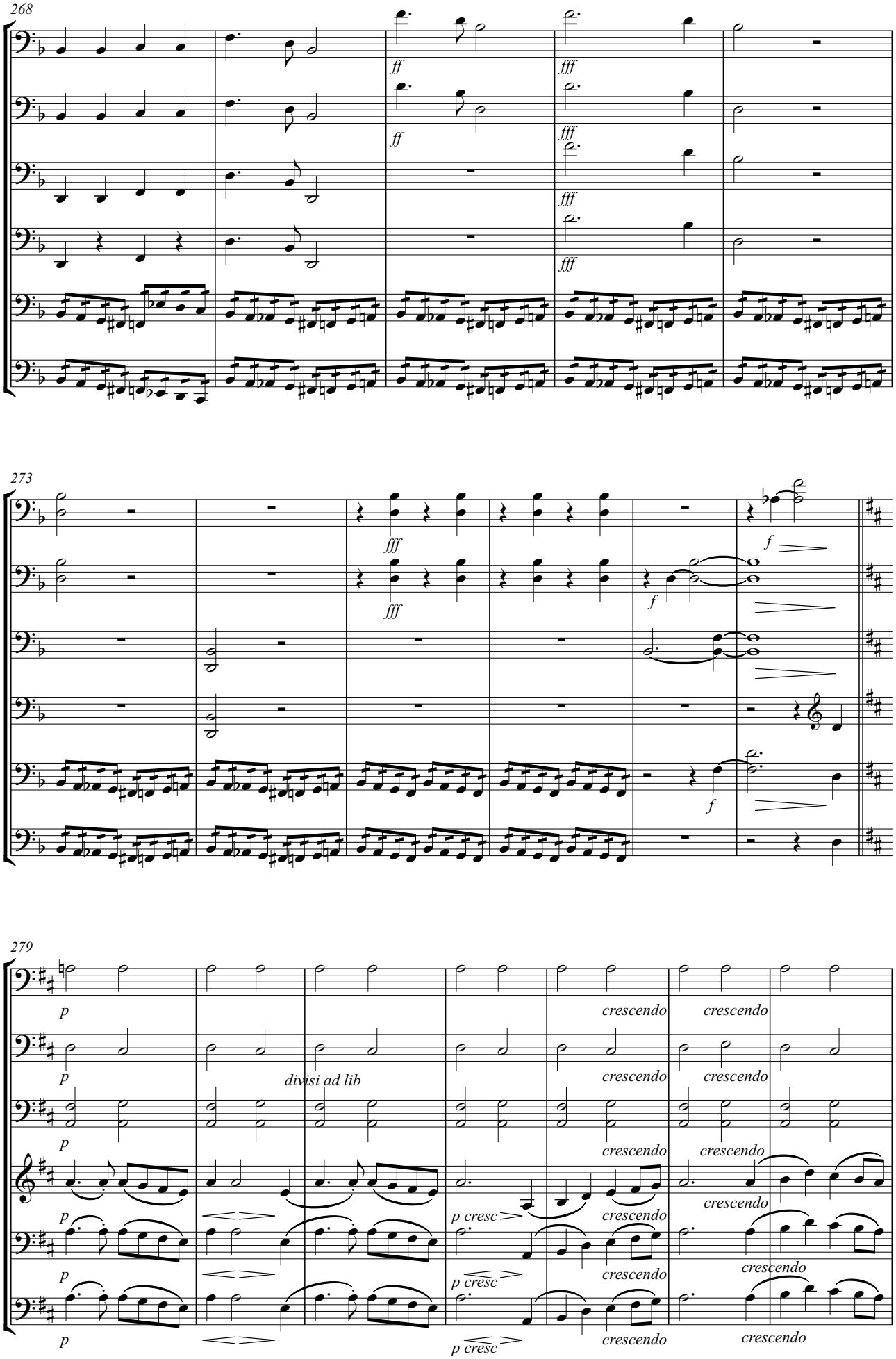
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
fff
divisi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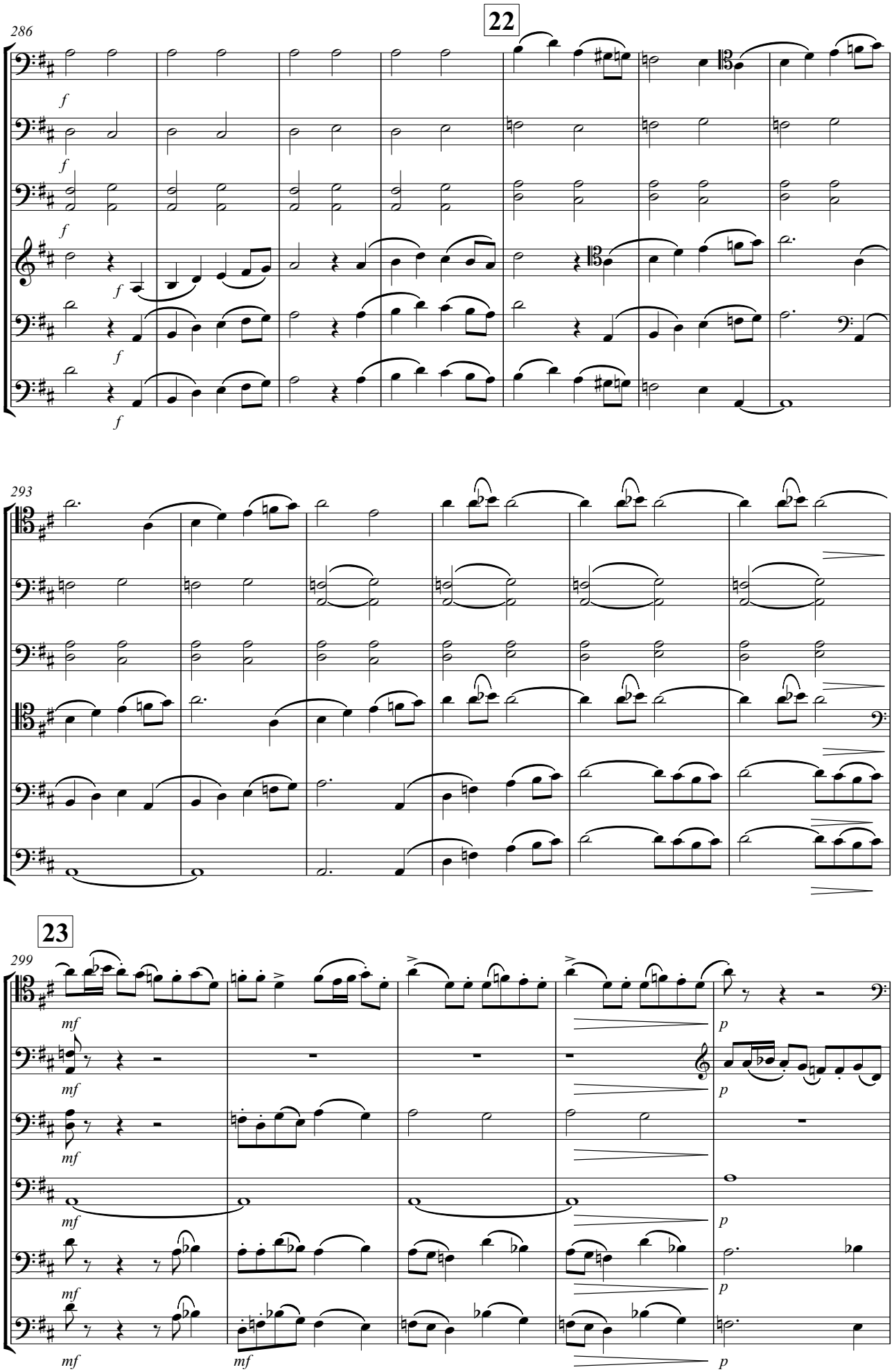
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
ff
fff
273
f
279
p
crescendo
divisi ad lib
p cresc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Vc1
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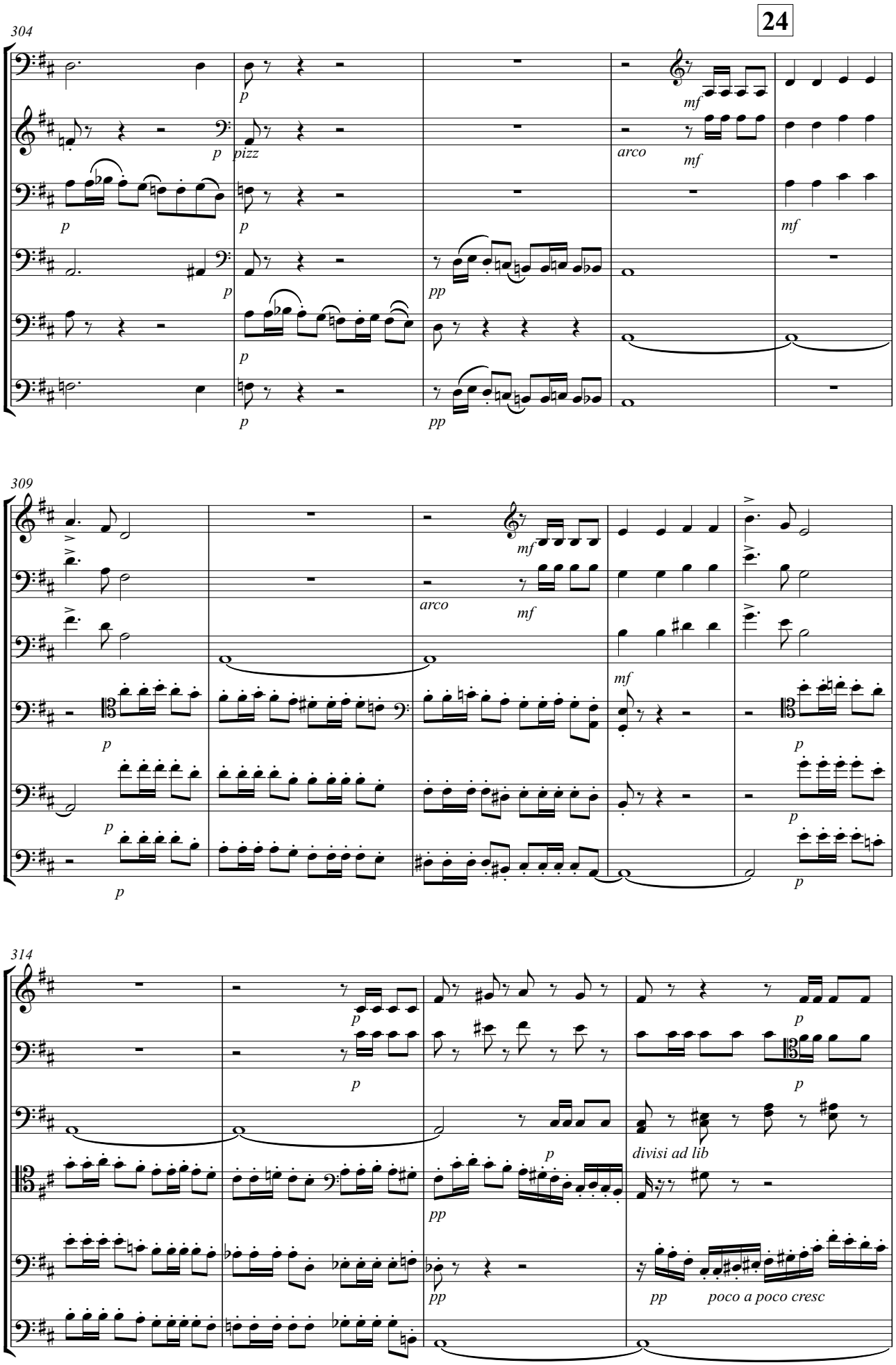
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
f
293
23
299
mf
p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Vc1
Vc2
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Vc5
Vc6
p
pizz
arco
mf
pp
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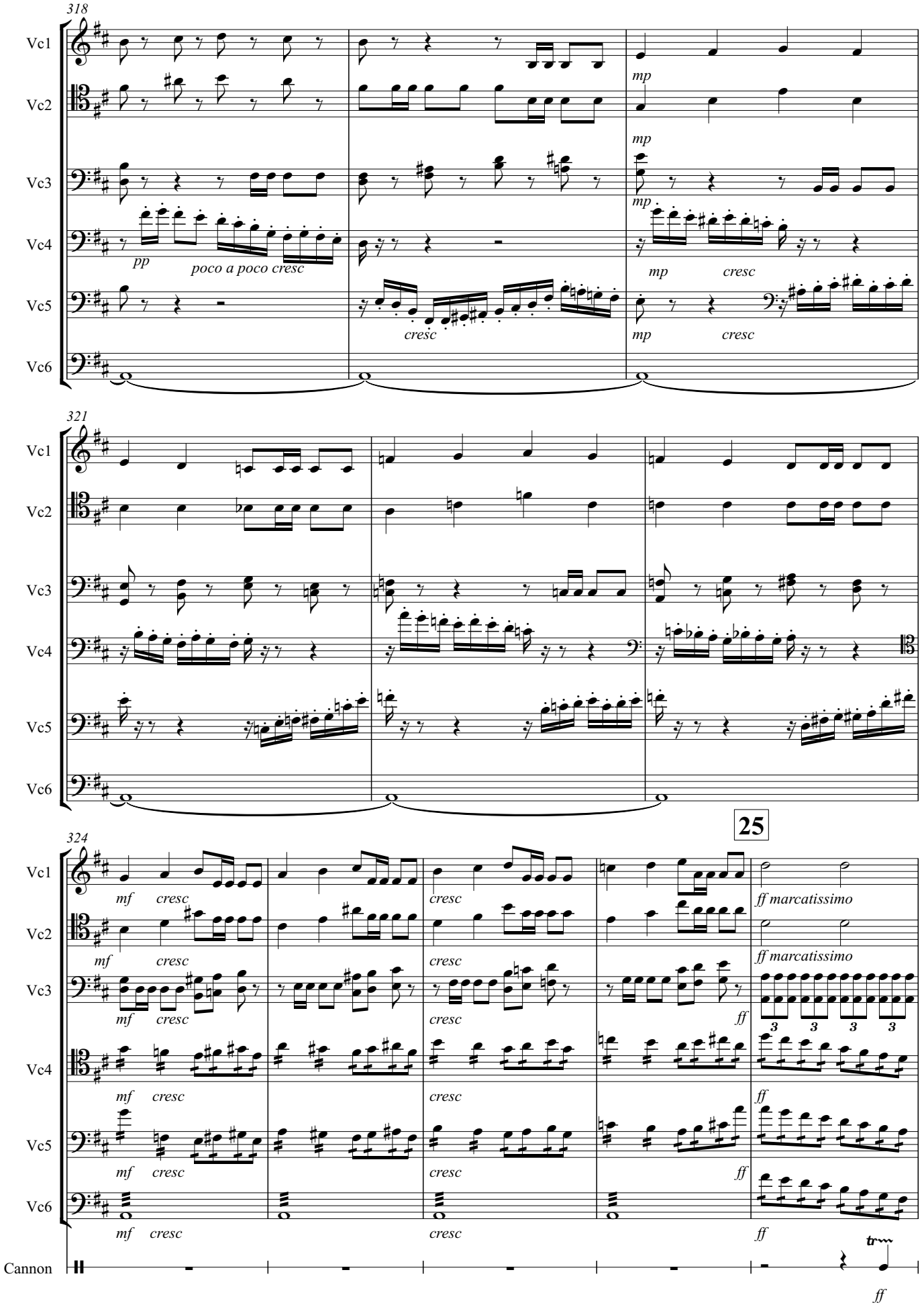
divisi ad lib
poco a poco cresc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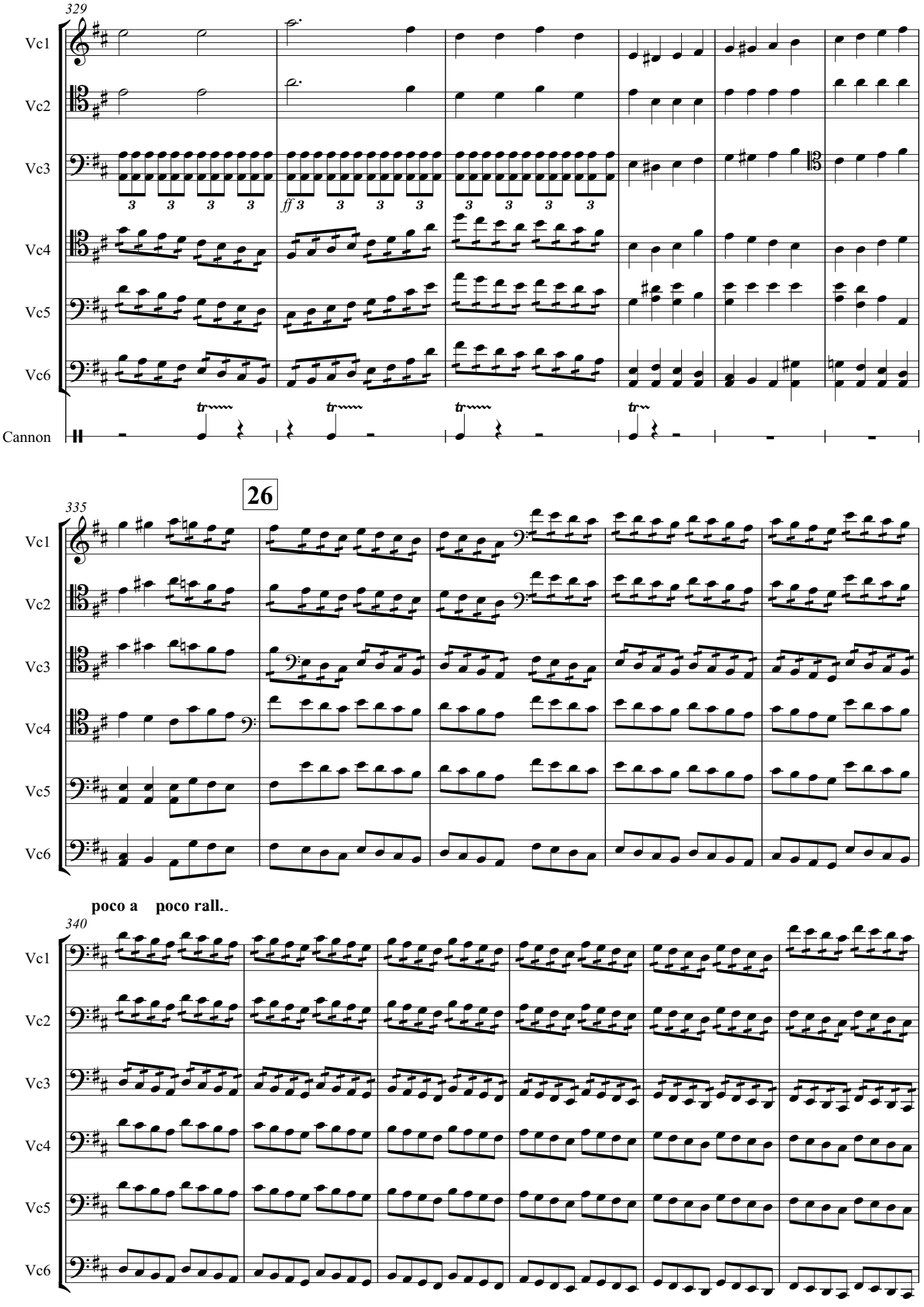
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
pp
poco a poco cresc
cresc
mp
mp
mp
mp
cresc
mp
cresc
321
25
324
mf
cresc
ff marcatissimo
ff
Cannon
tr
ff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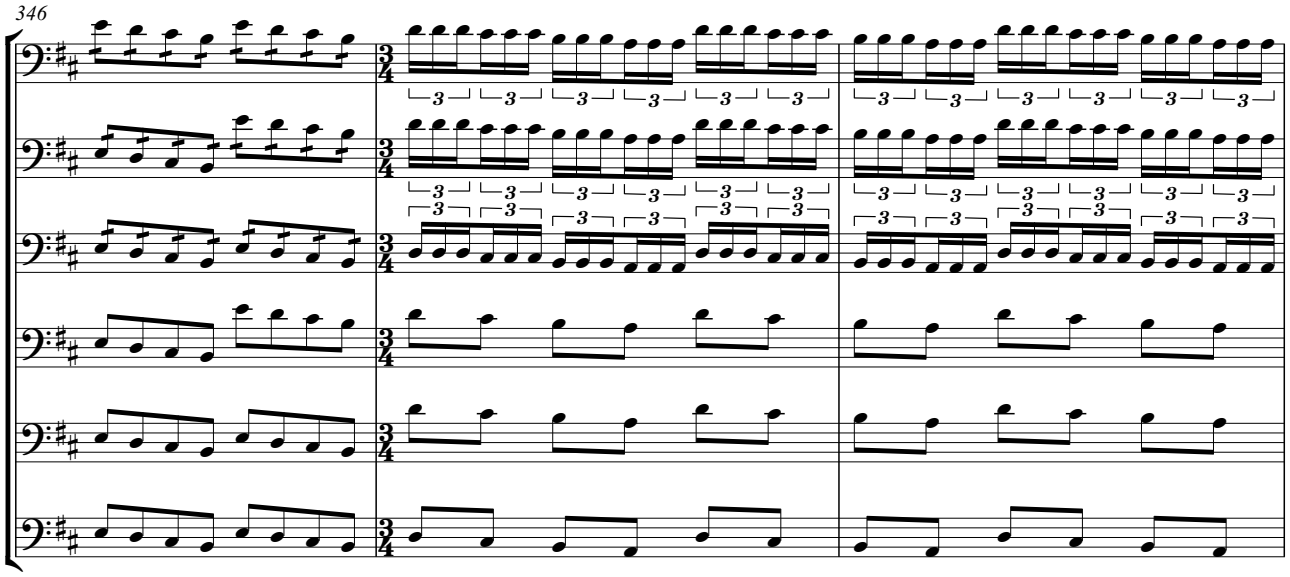
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
Cannon
ff
26
335
poco a poco rall.
340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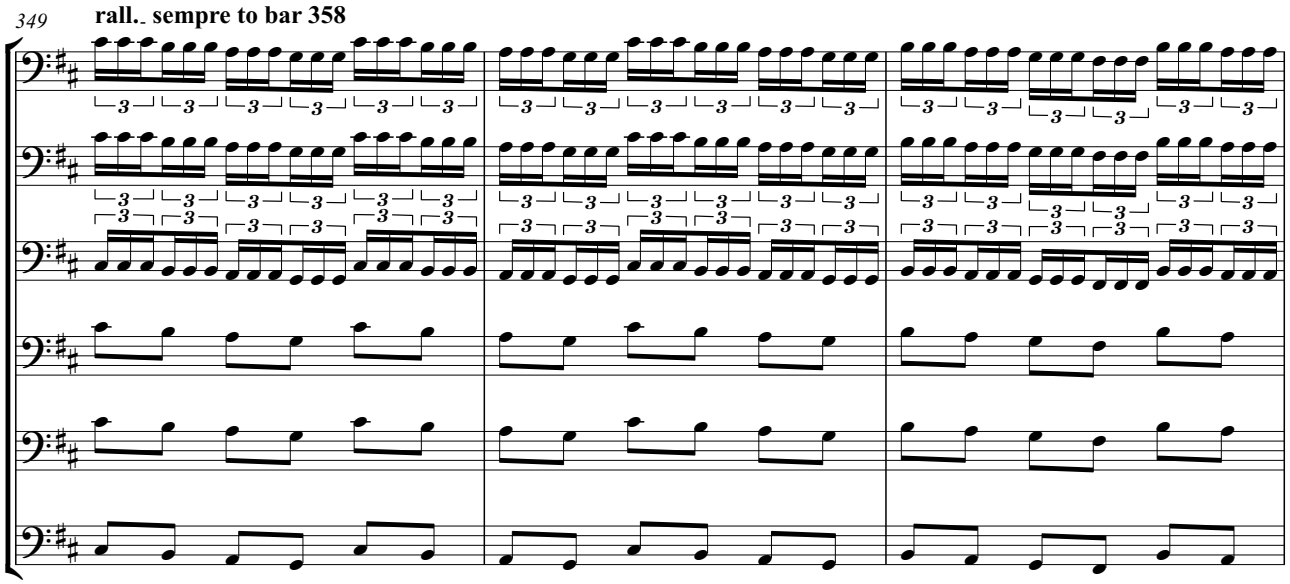
Vc6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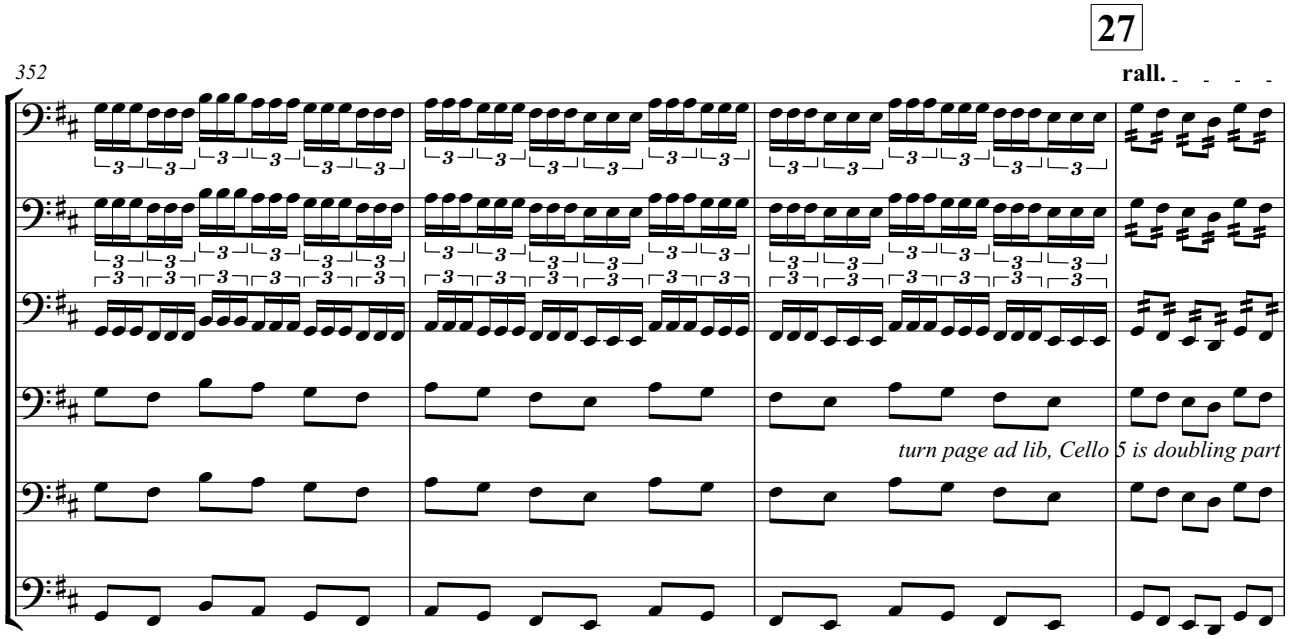
rall. sempre to bar 358
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6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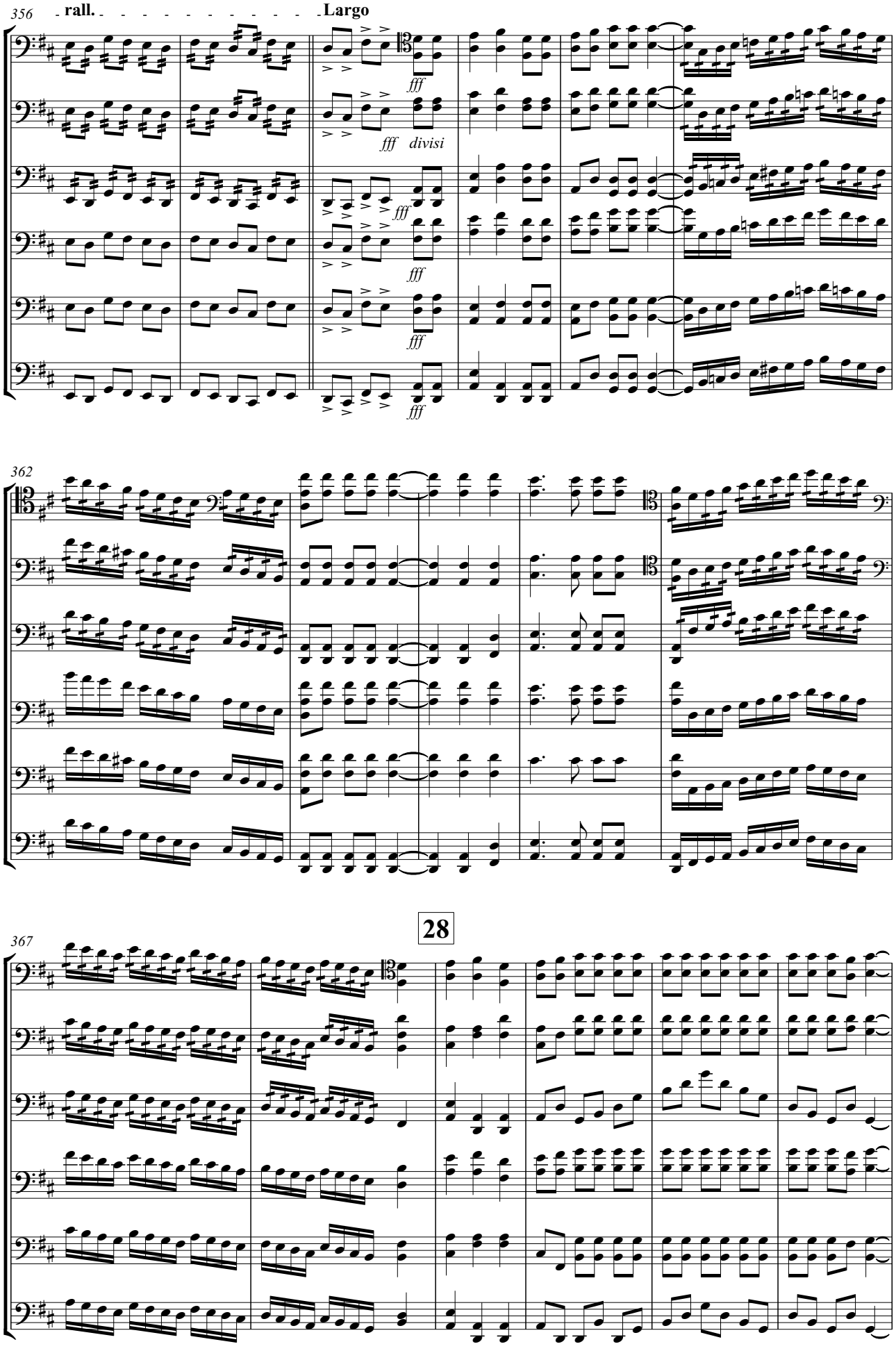
rall.
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
turn page ad lib, Cello 5 is doubling part
Vc5
Vc6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rall.
Largo
Vc1
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Vc6
fff
divisi
362
28
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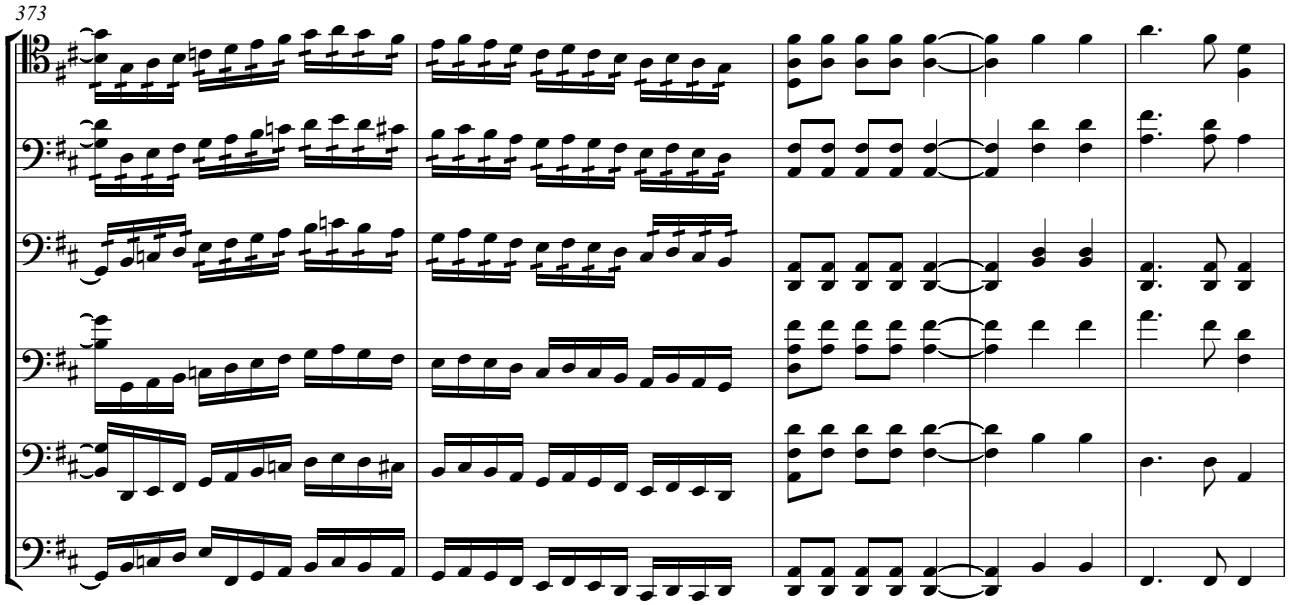

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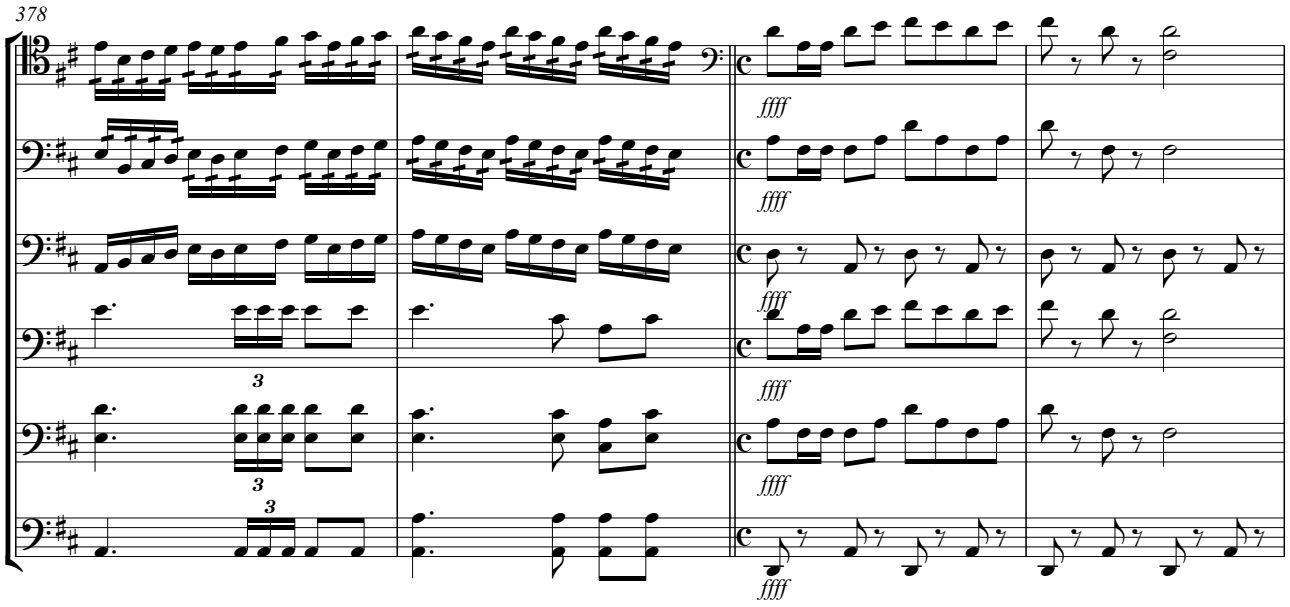

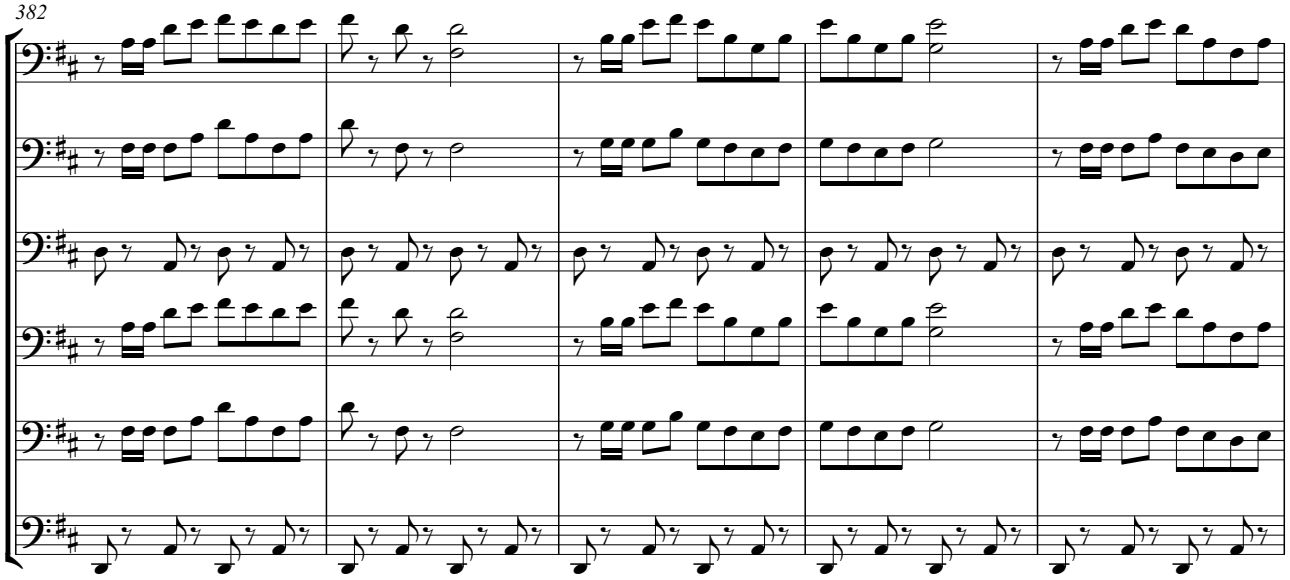

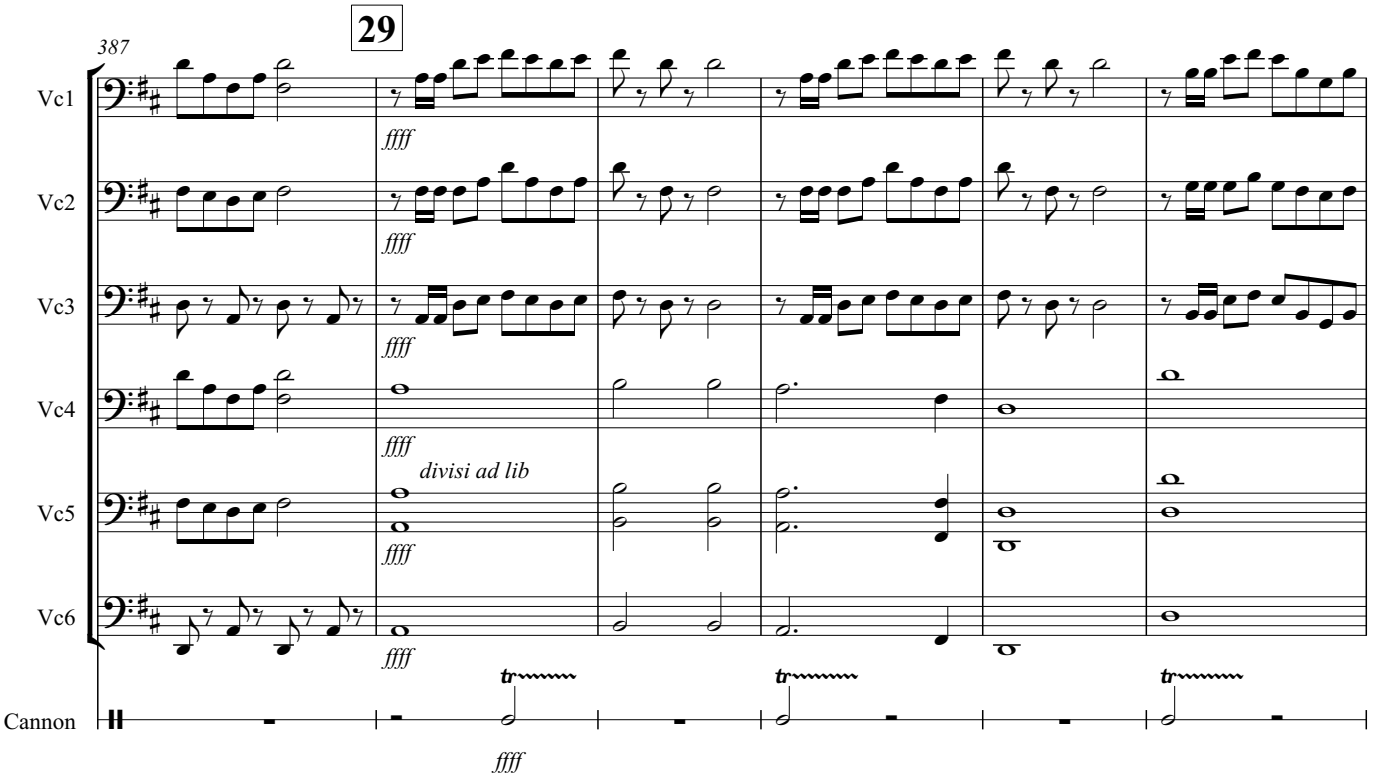
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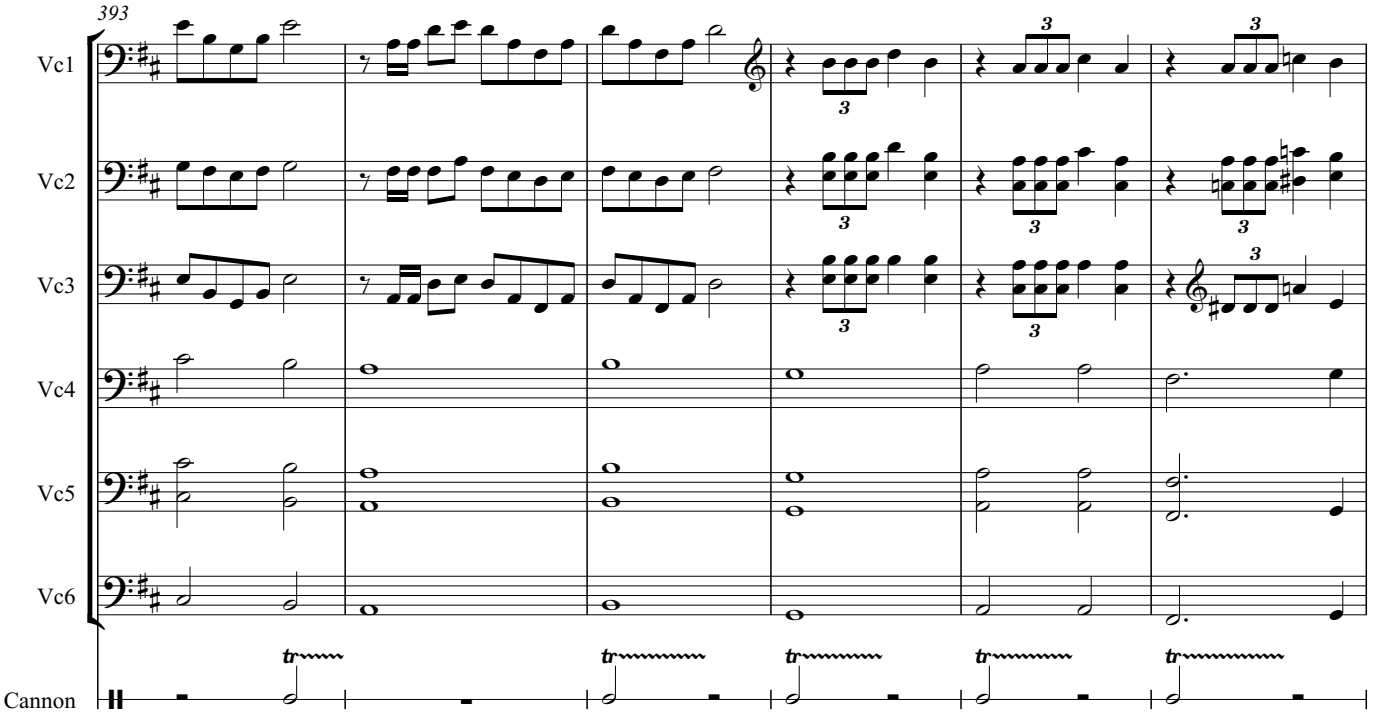
387
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
Cannon
ffff
divisi ad lib
tr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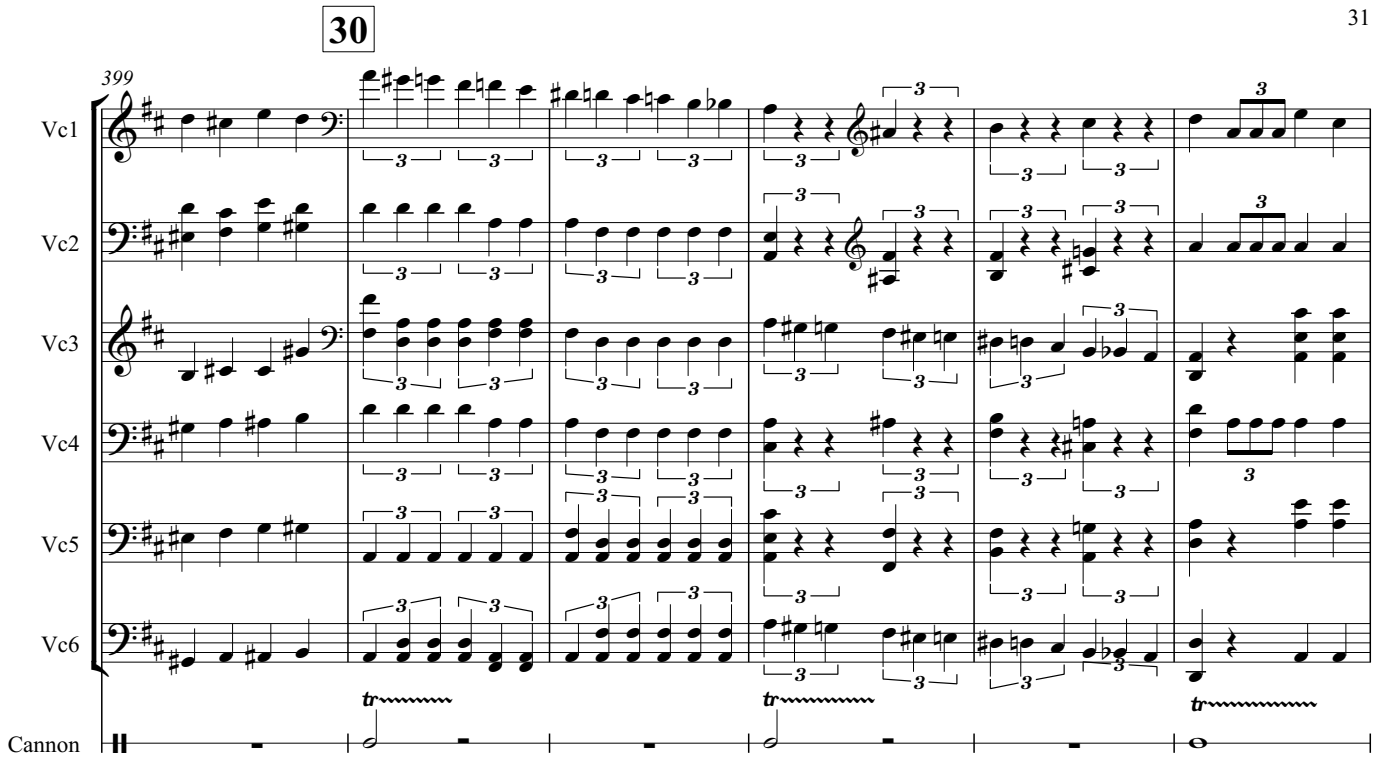
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
Cannon
3
tr


30
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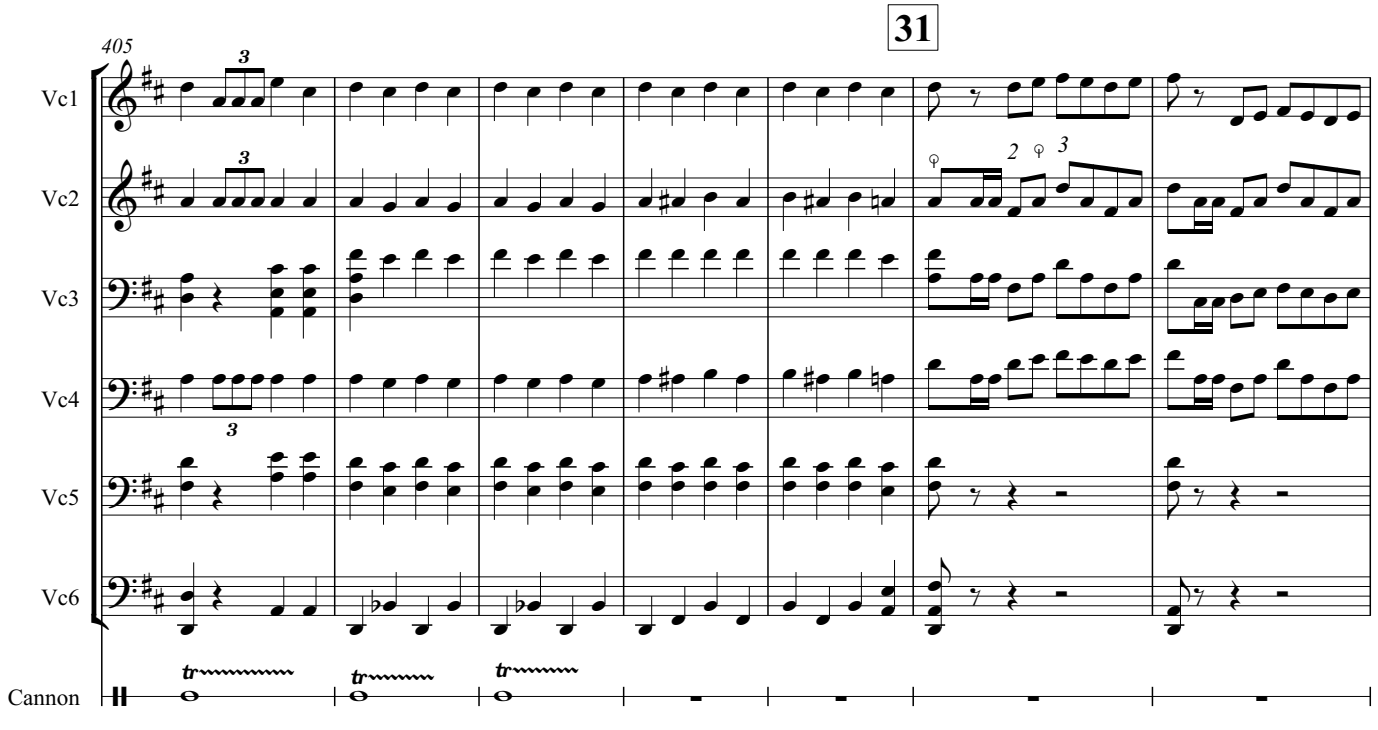
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6
Cannon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405
Vc1
Vc2
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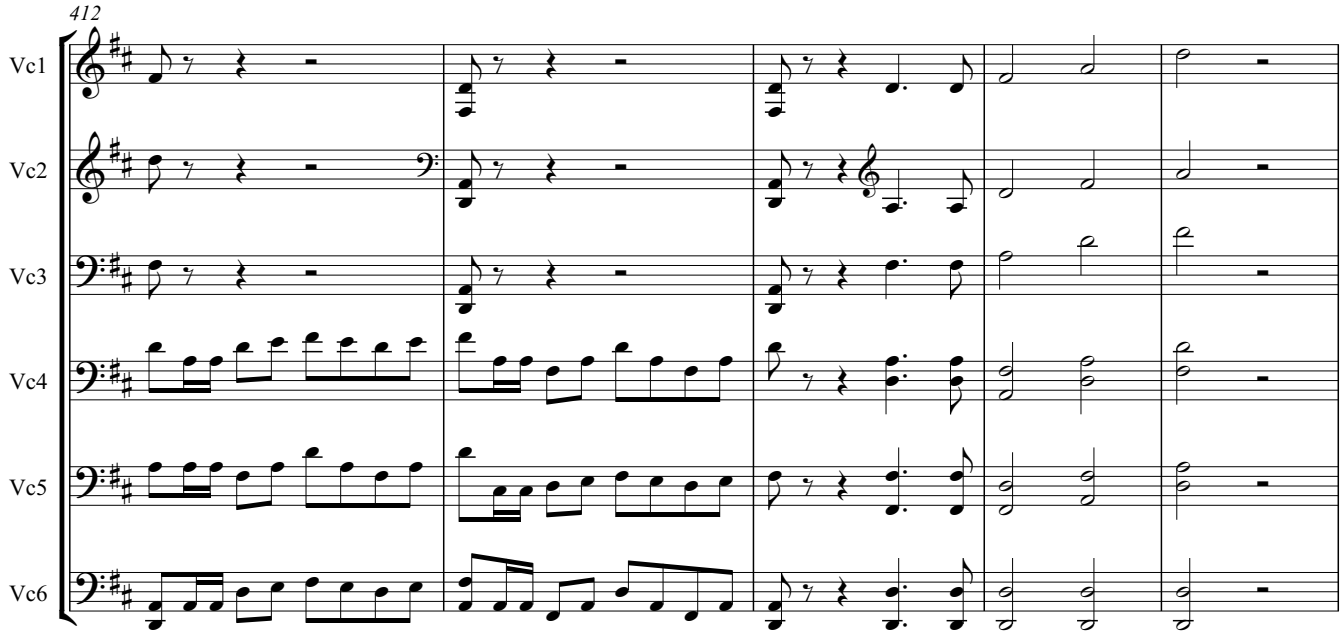
Vc6
Cannon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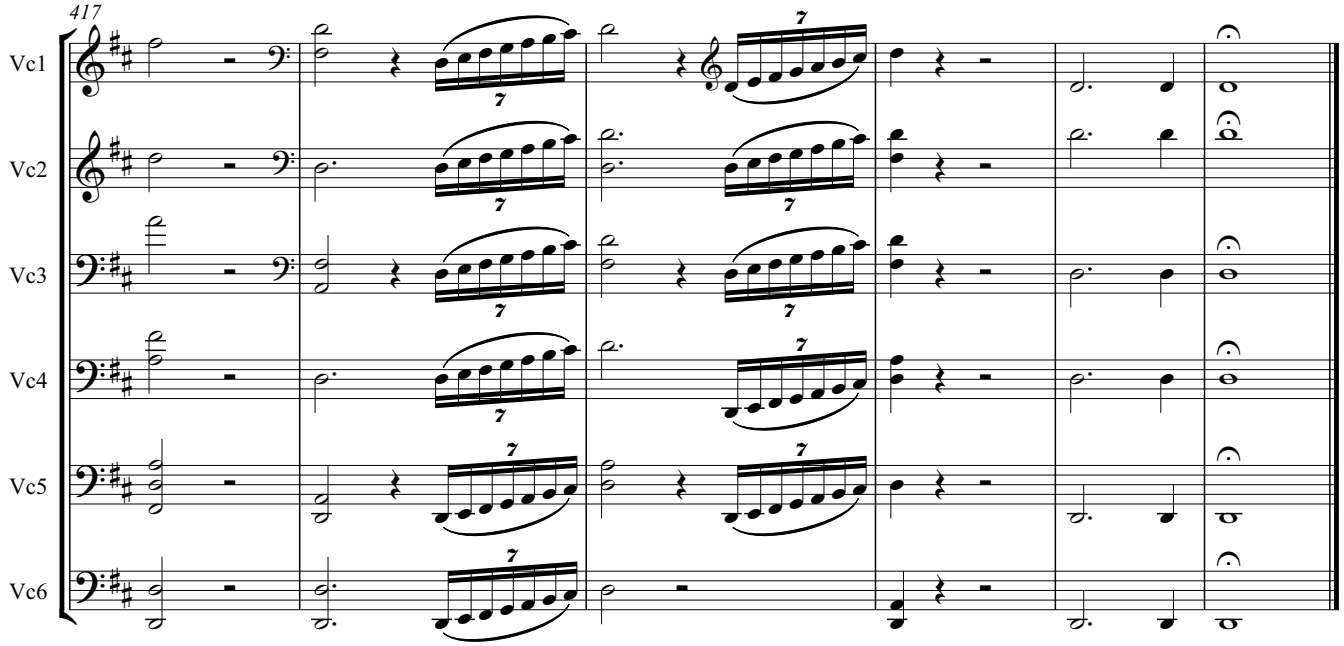
417
Vc1
Vc2
Vc3
Vc4
Vc5
Vc6

Cannon

OPTIONAL CANNON PART FOR 1812 Overture

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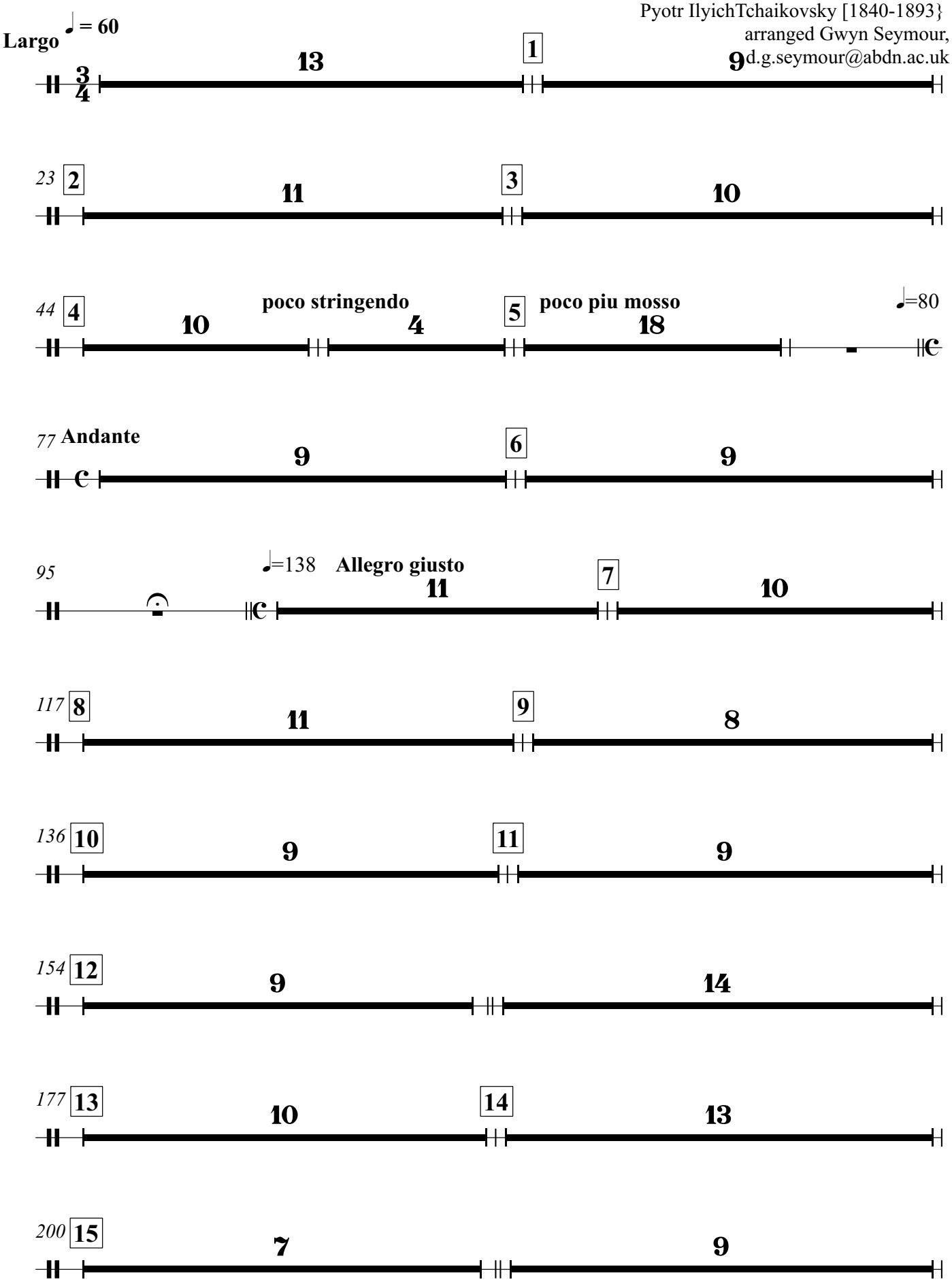

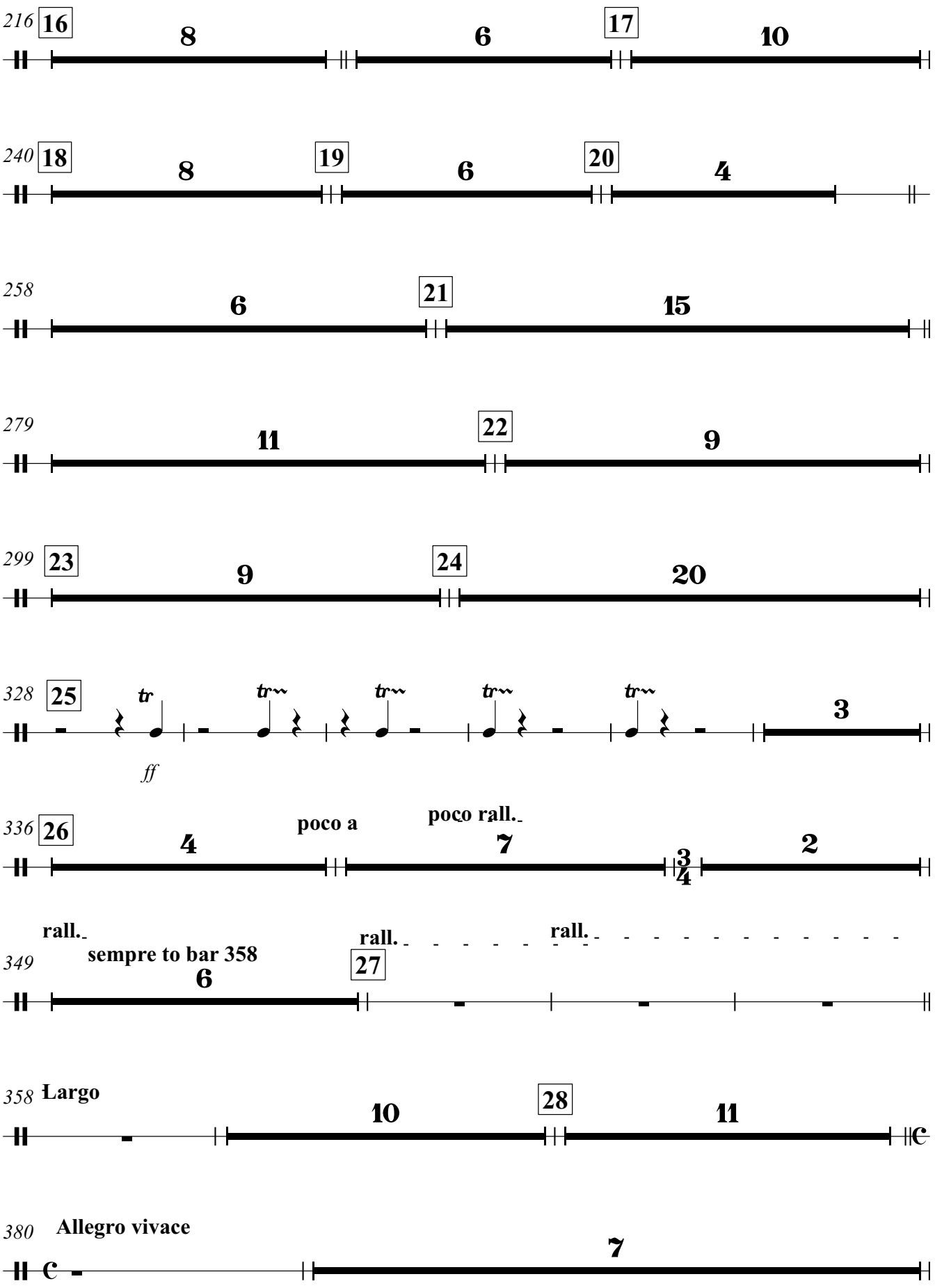
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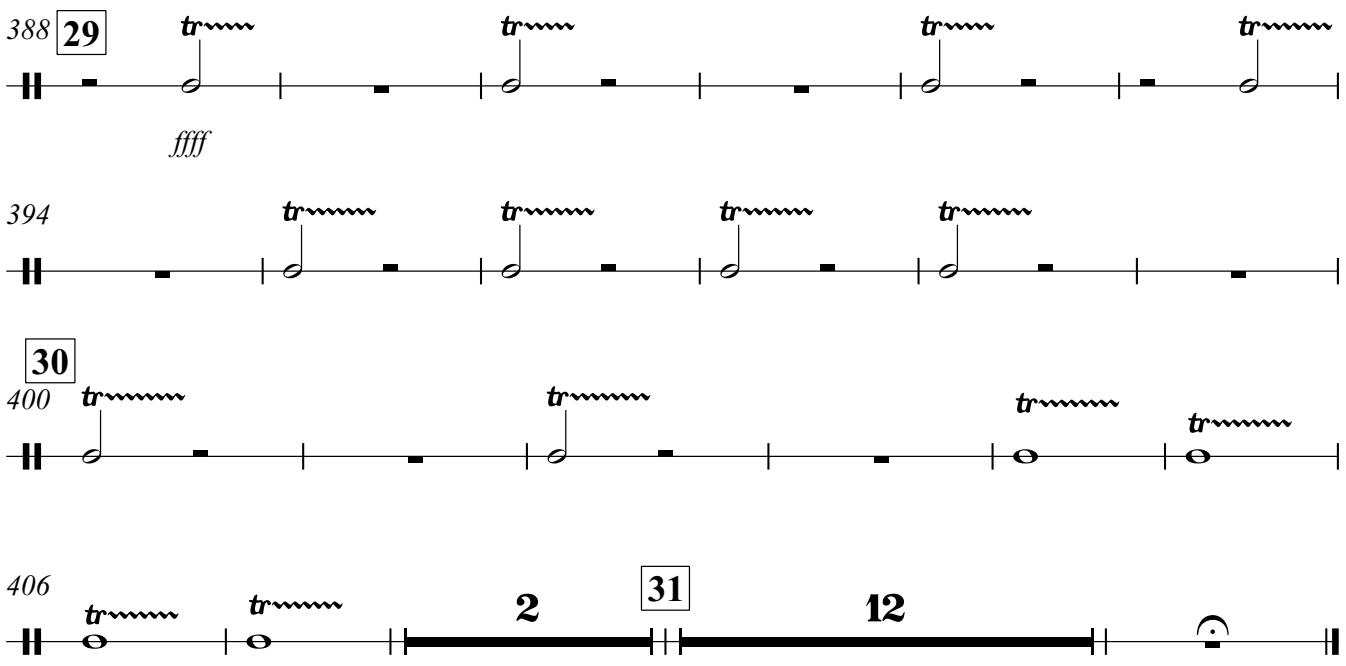
299
23
9
24
20
328
25
tr
tr
tr
tr
tr
3
ff
336
26
4
poco a
poco rall.
7
3/4
2
rall.
rall.
rall.
349
sempre to bar 358
6
27
358
Largo
10
28
11
380
Allegro vivace
7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29
ffff
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30
400
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2
31
12

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Vc 1

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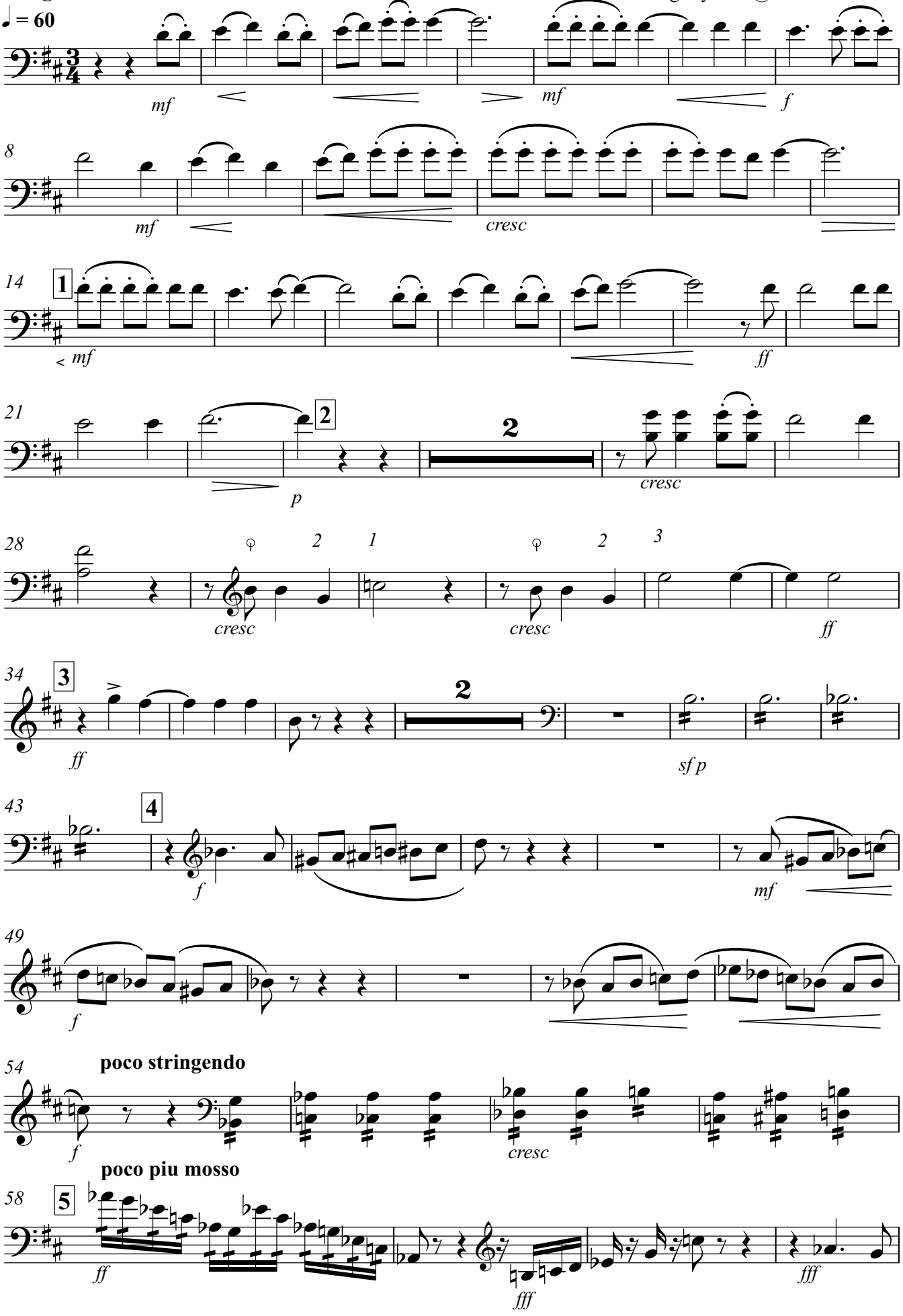
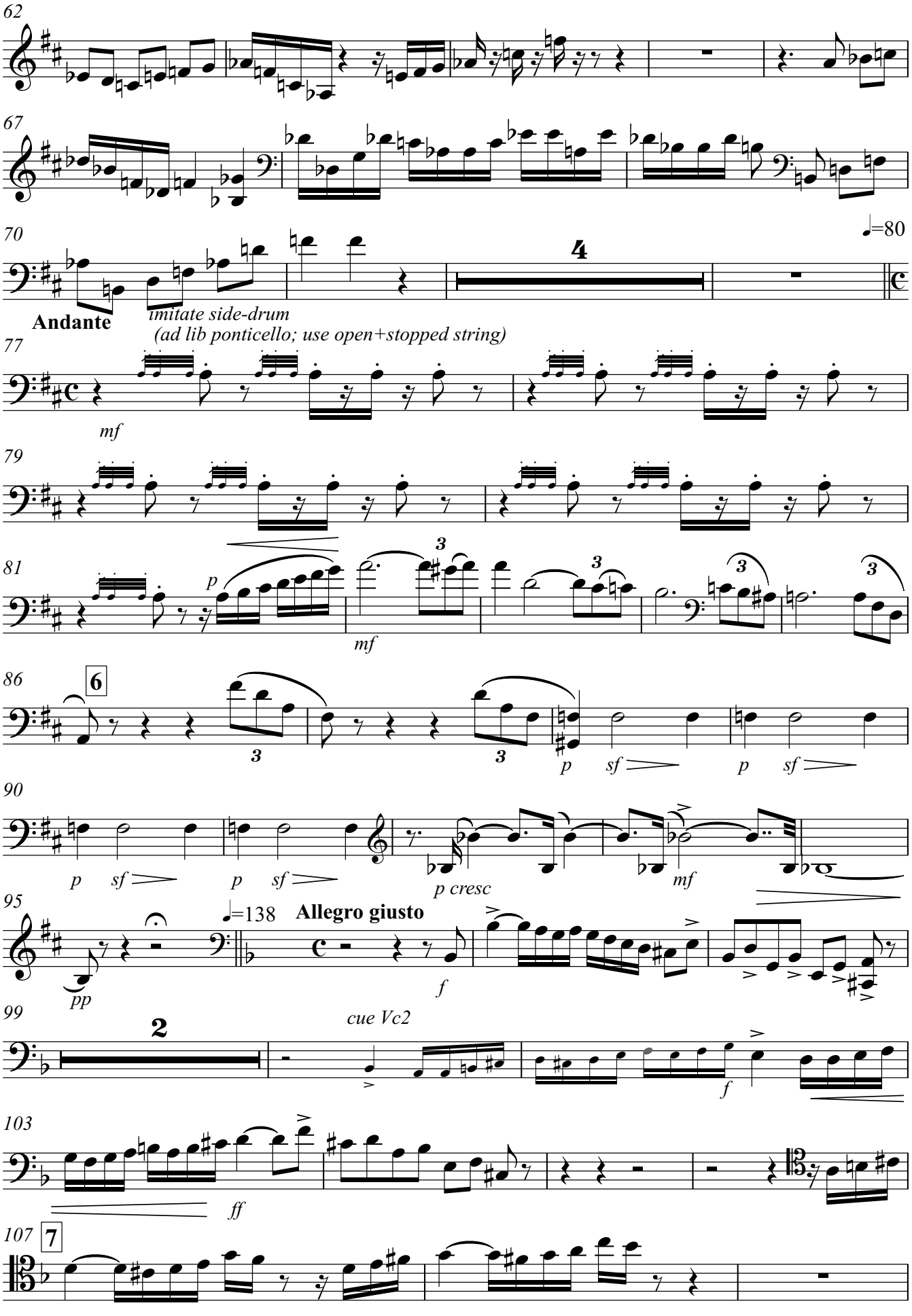
Largo

♩ = 60

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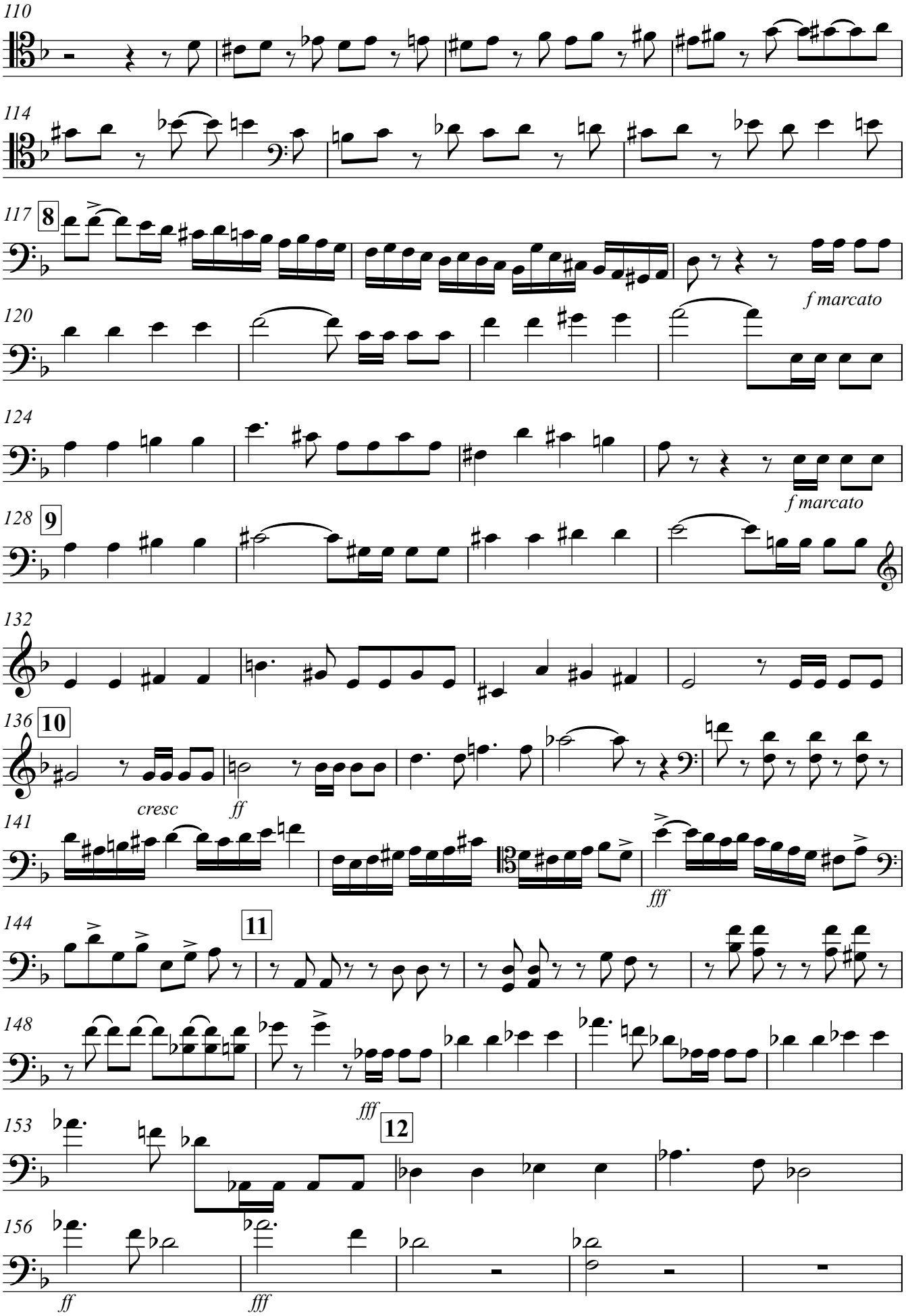
67
70
♩=80
4
Andante
imitate side-drum
(ad lib ponticello; use open+stopped string)
77
mf
79
81
p
mf
86
6
p sf p sf
90
p sf p sf
p cresc
mf
95
♩=138
Allegro giusto
pp
f
99
2
cue Vc2
f
103
ff
107
7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8
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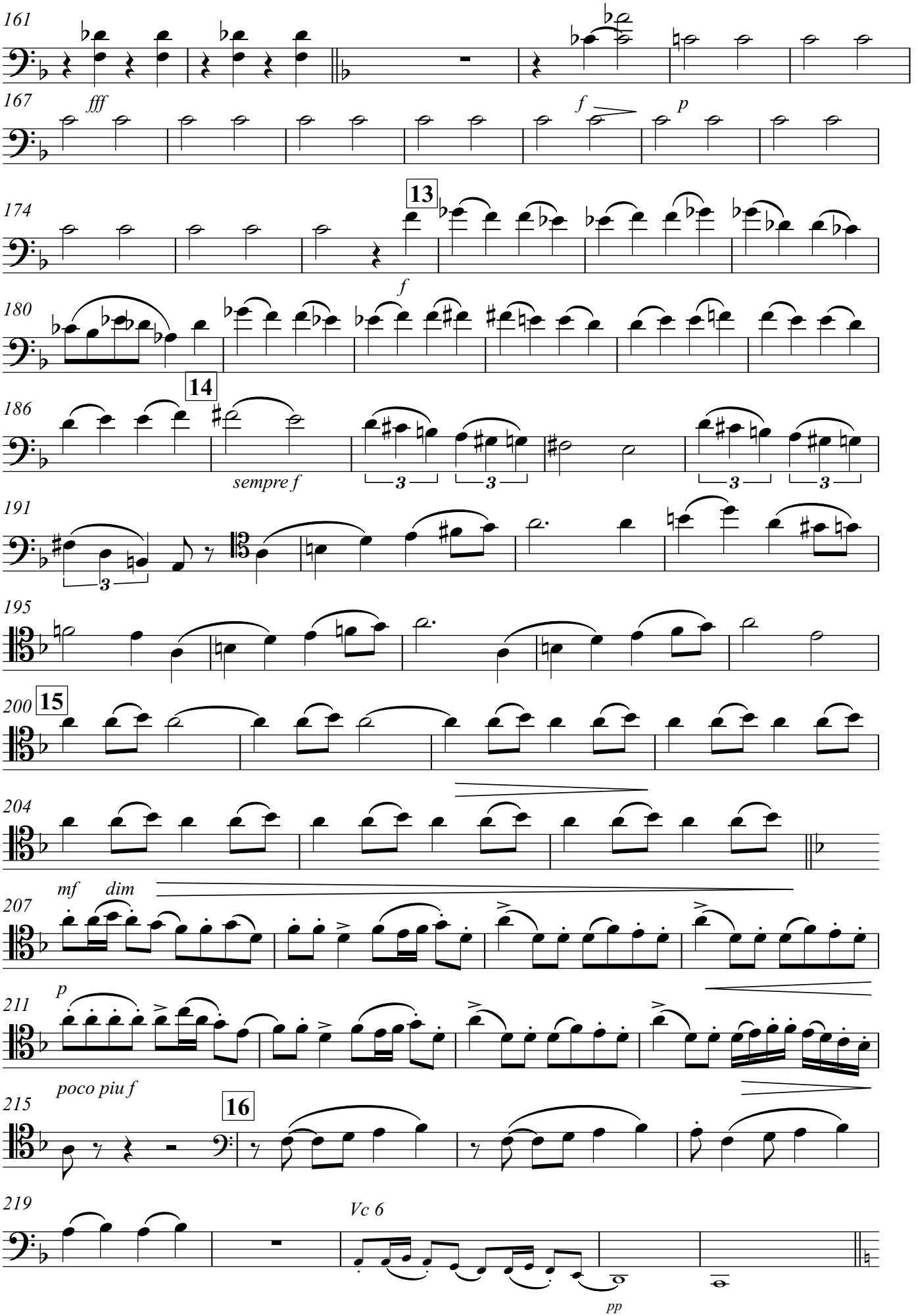
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f
p
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180
f
186
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200
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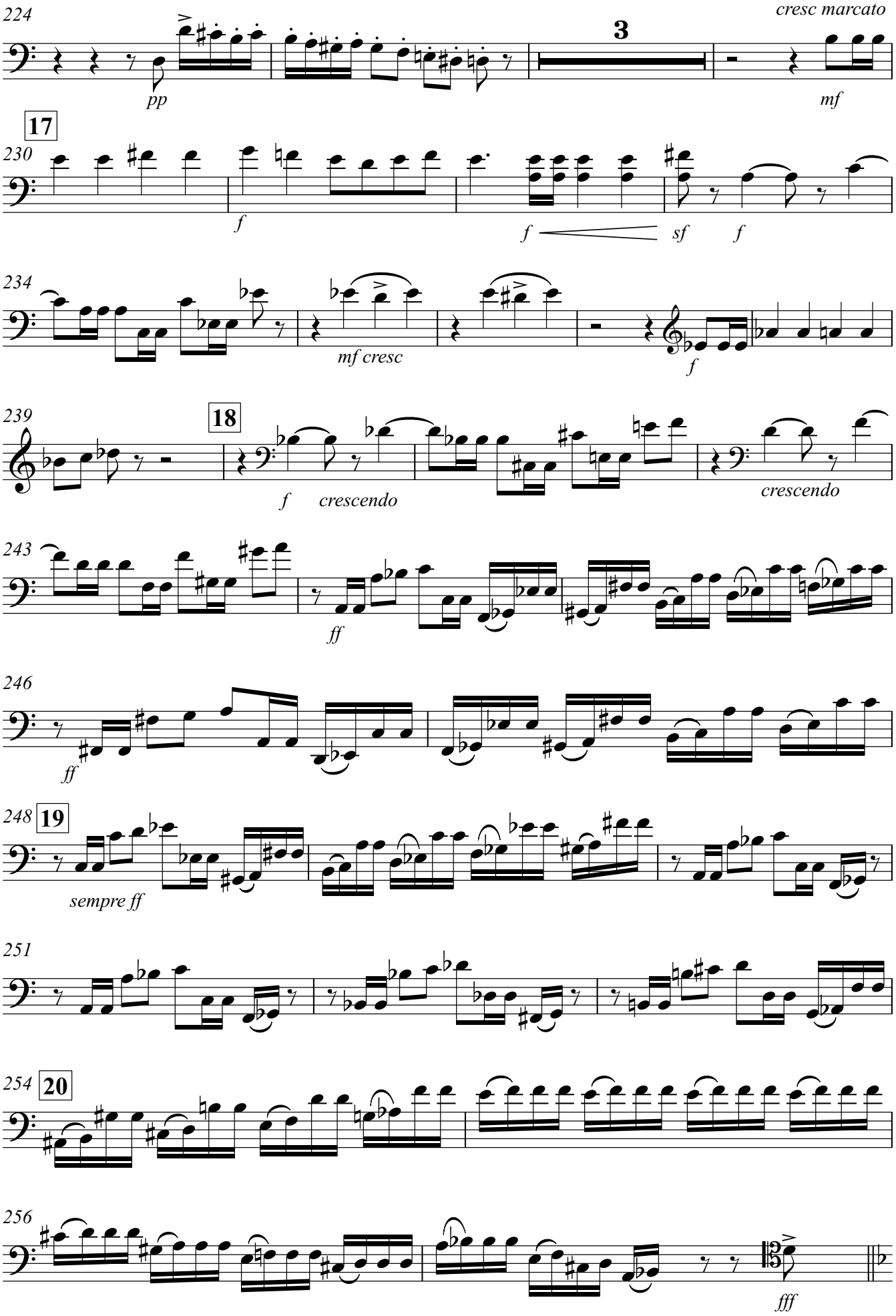
mf
dim
211
p
215
poco piu f
16
219
Vc 6
pp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cresc marcato
3
pp
mf
17
230
f
f
sf
f
234
mf cresc
f
239
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crescendo
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ff
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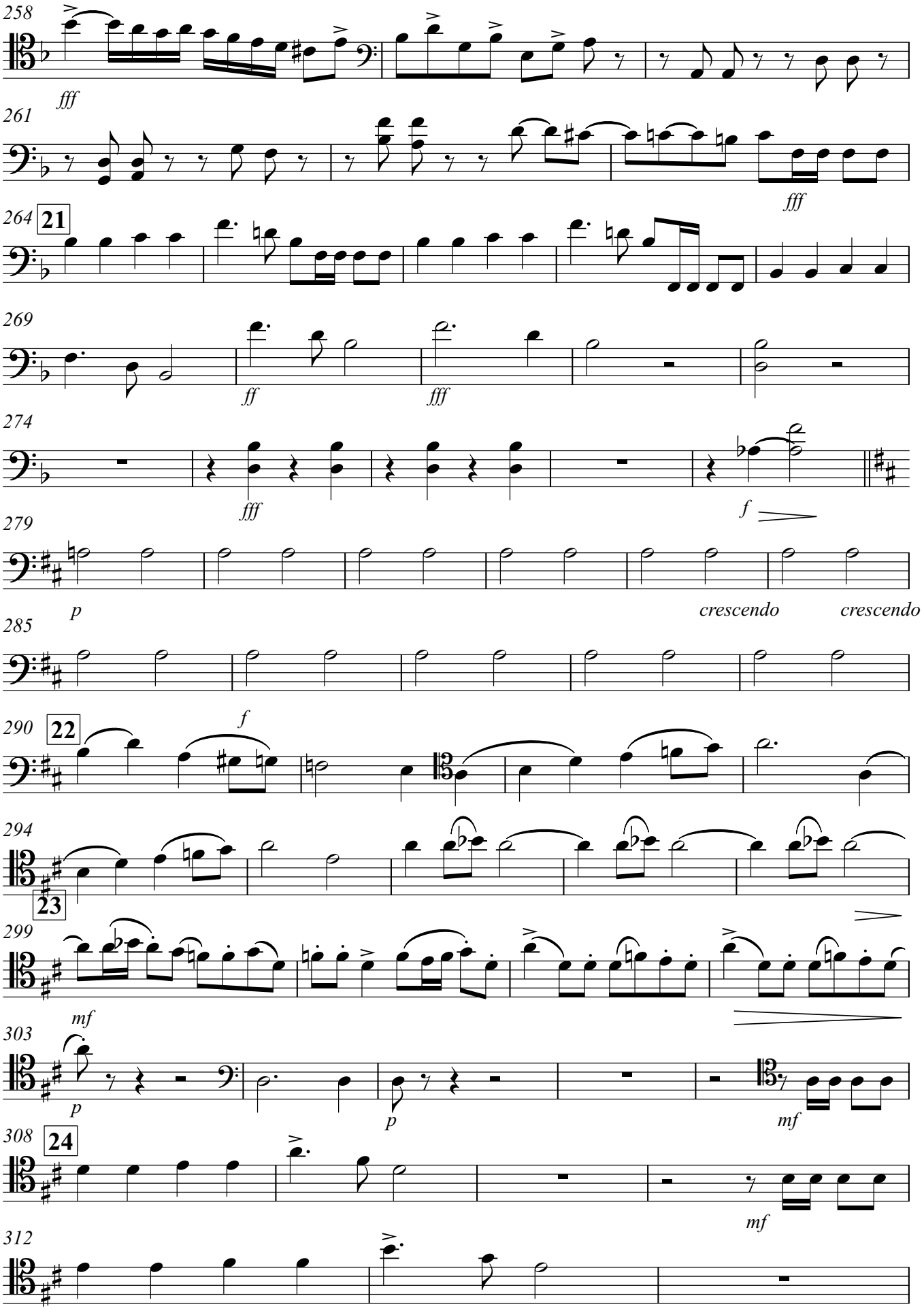
ff
248
19
sempre ff
251
254
20
256
fff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fff
264
21
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fff
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crescendo
crescendo
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299
mf
303
p
p
mf
308
24
mf
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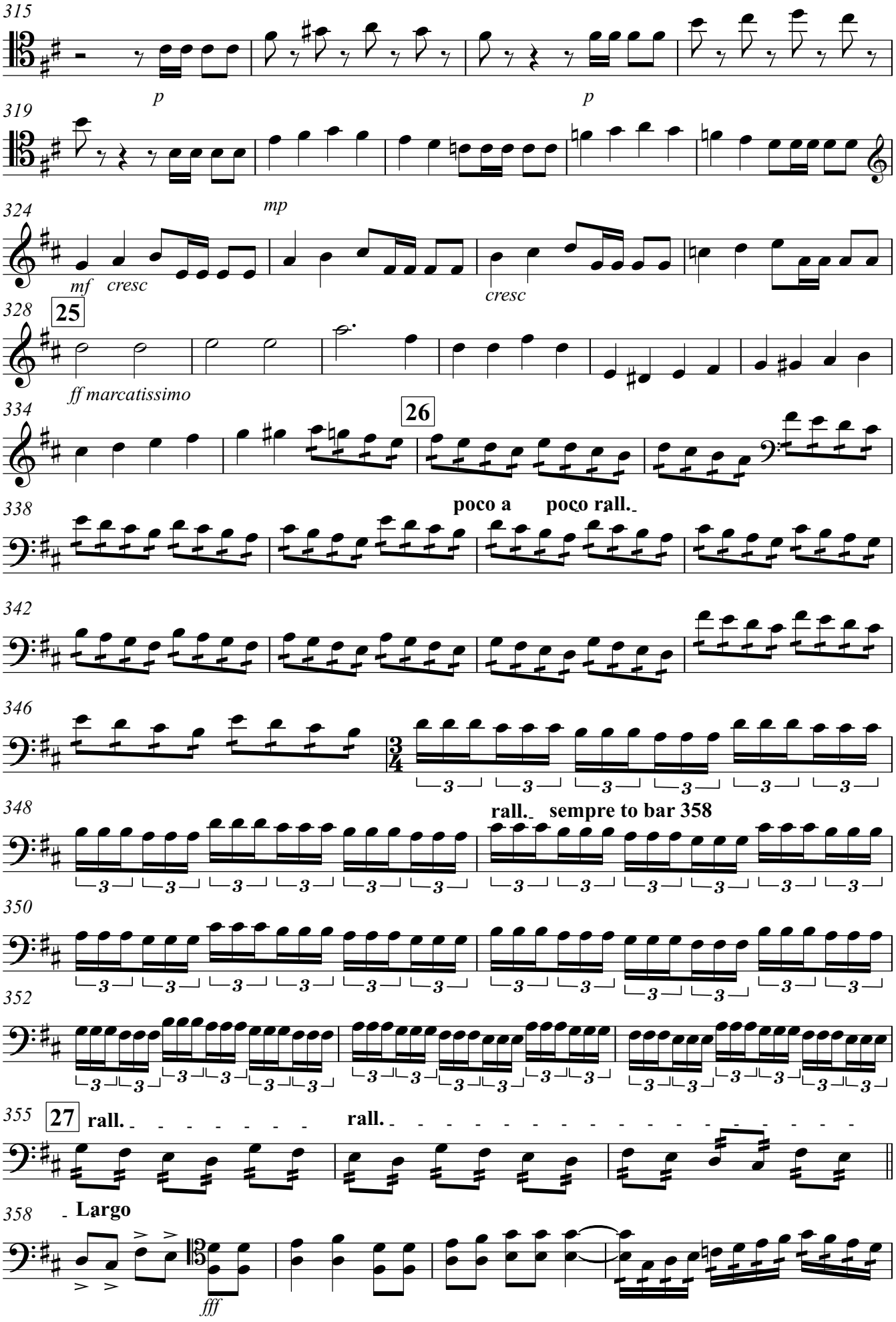
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p
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mp
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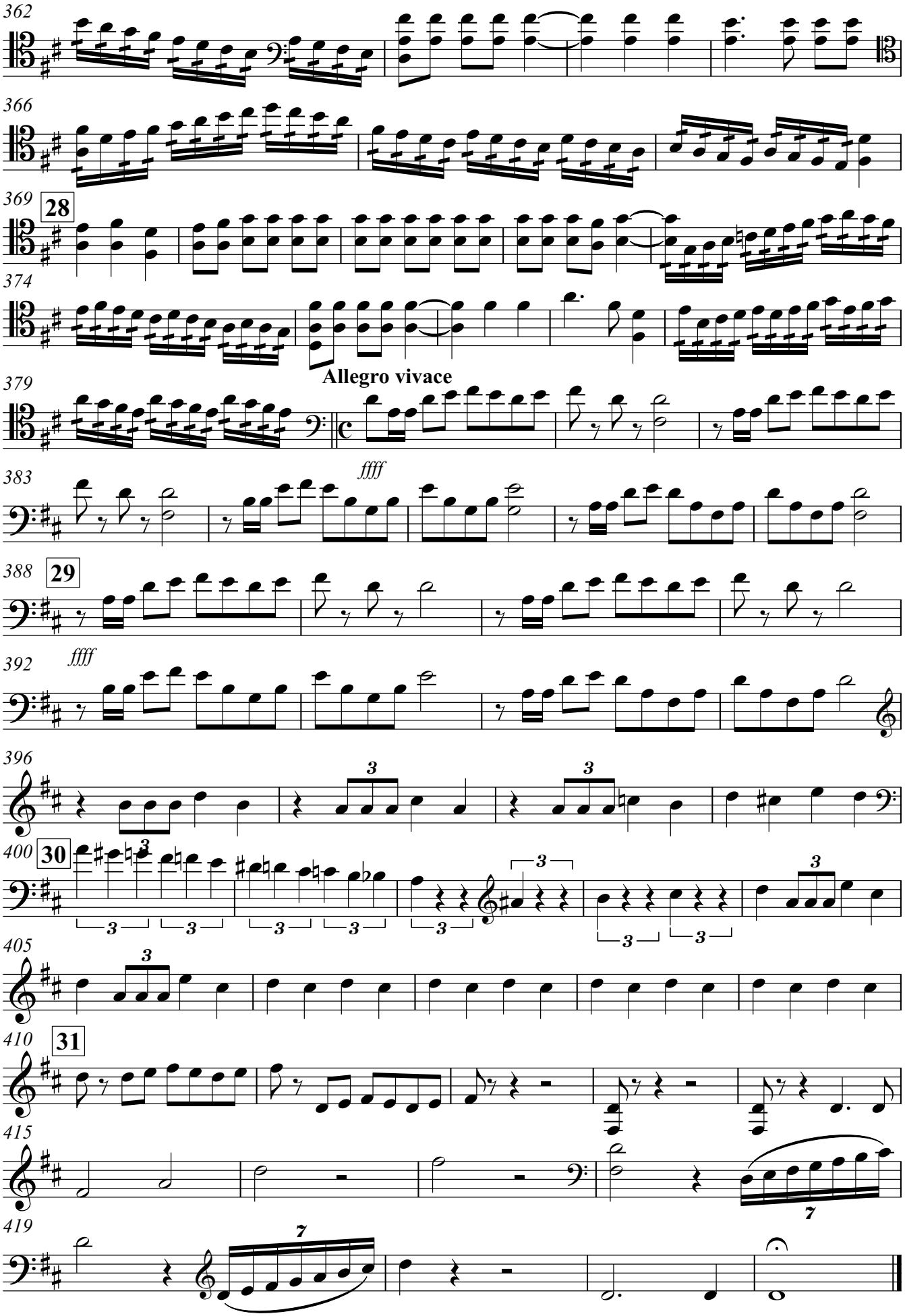
cresc
328
25
ff marcatissimo
334
26
338
poco a poco rall.
342
346
348
rall. sempre to bar 358
350
352
355
27
rall.
rall.
358
Largo
fff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366
369
28
374
379
Allegro vivace
383
ffff
388
29
392
ffff
396
400
30
405
410
31
415
419

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Vc 2

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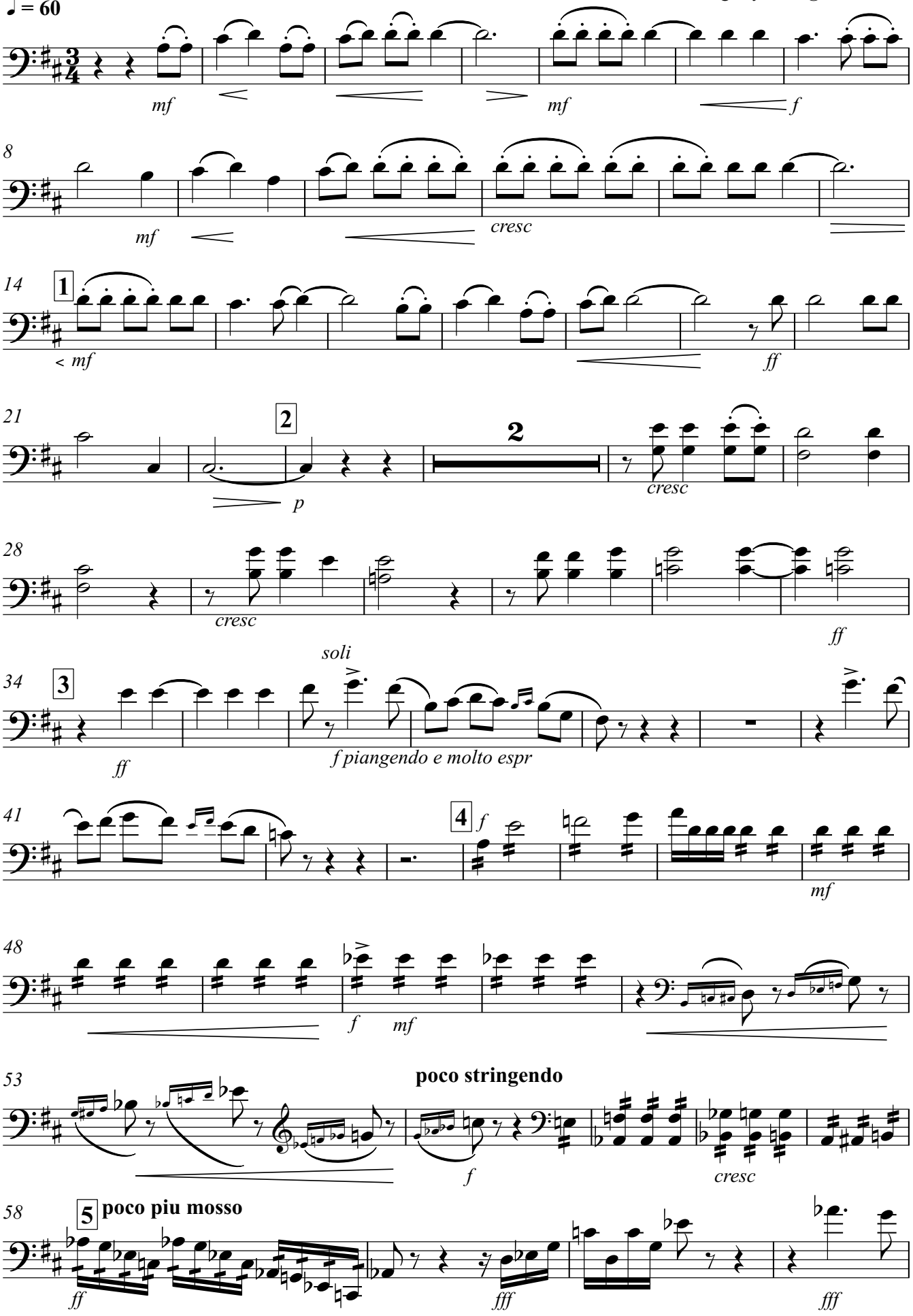
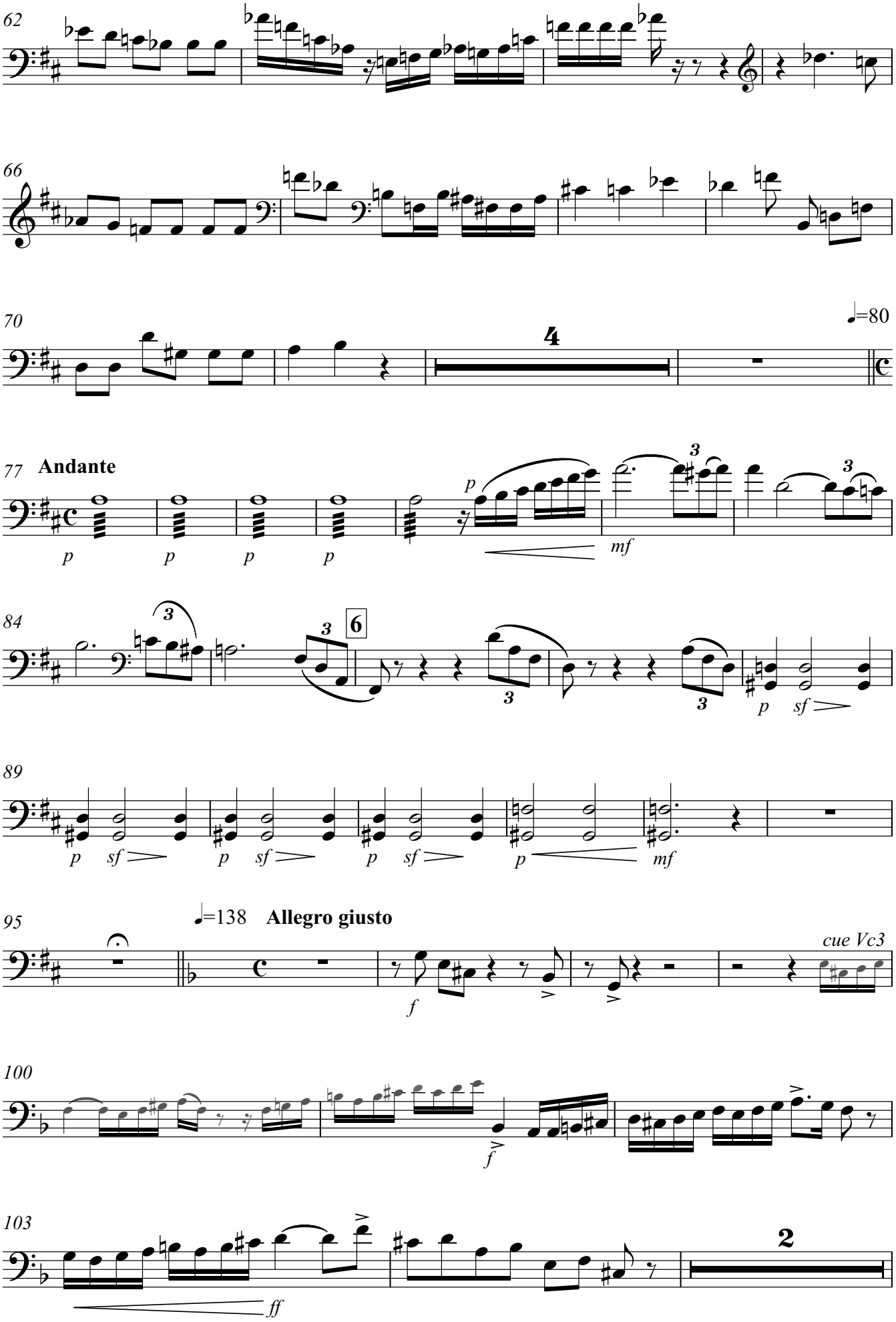
Largo

♩ = 60

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66
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4
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p
mf
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6
89
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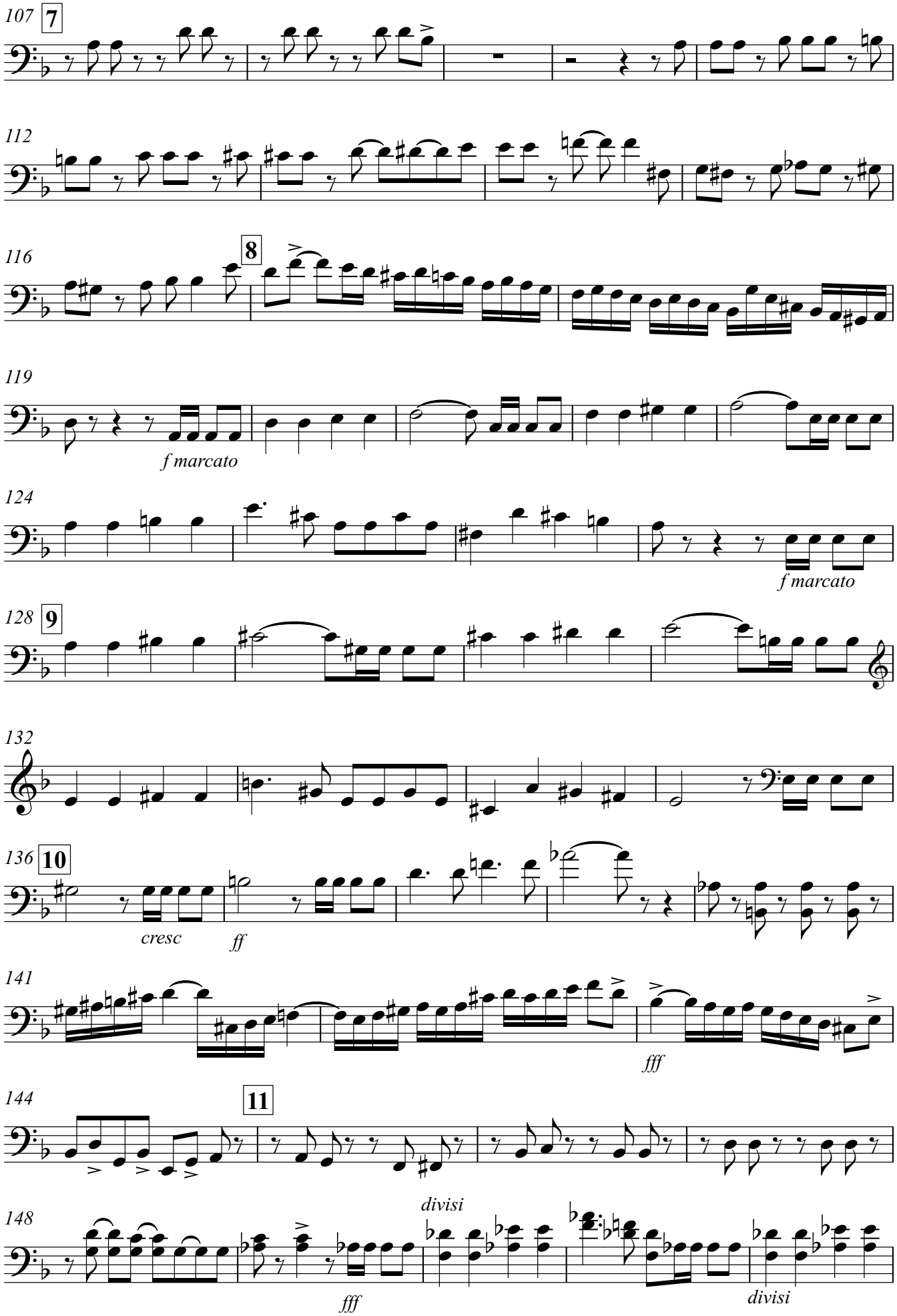
♩=138 Allegro giusto
cue Vc3
100
103
2
ff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f marcato
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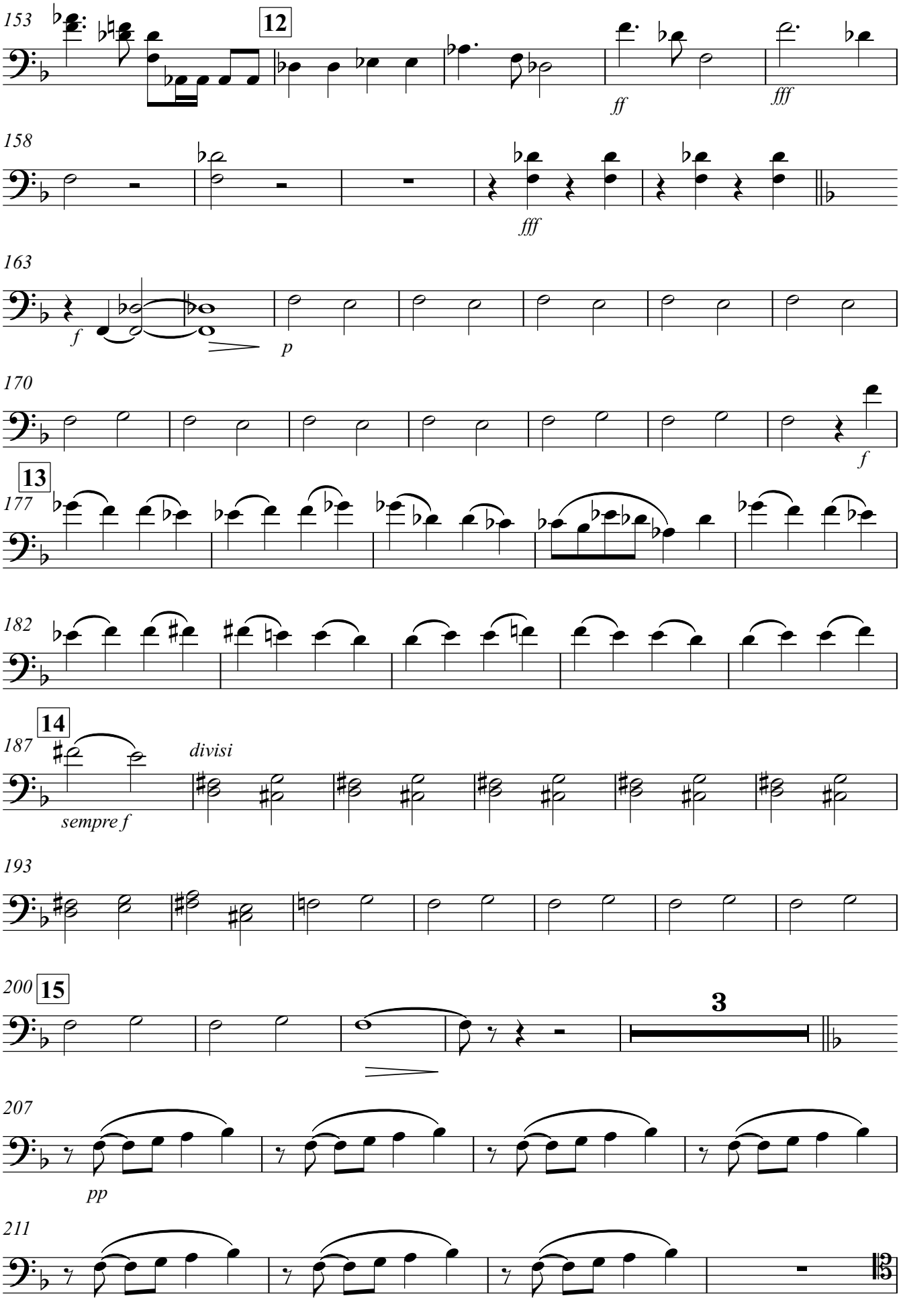
divisi
fff
divisi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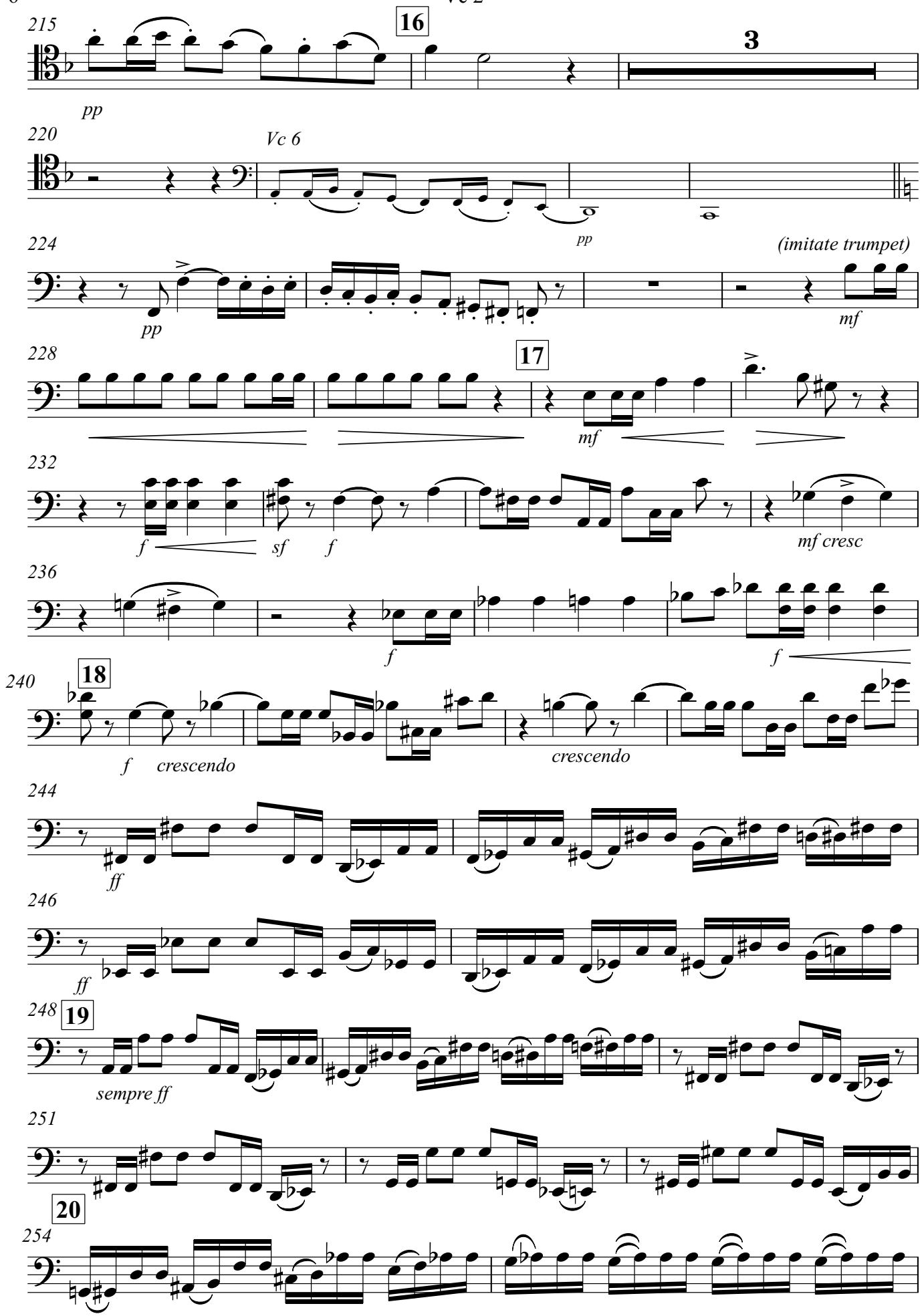
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3
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220
Vc 6
pp
224
(imitate trumpet)
pp
mf
228
17
mf
232
f
sf
f
mf cresc
236
f
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crescendo
crescendo
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ff
248
19
sempre ff
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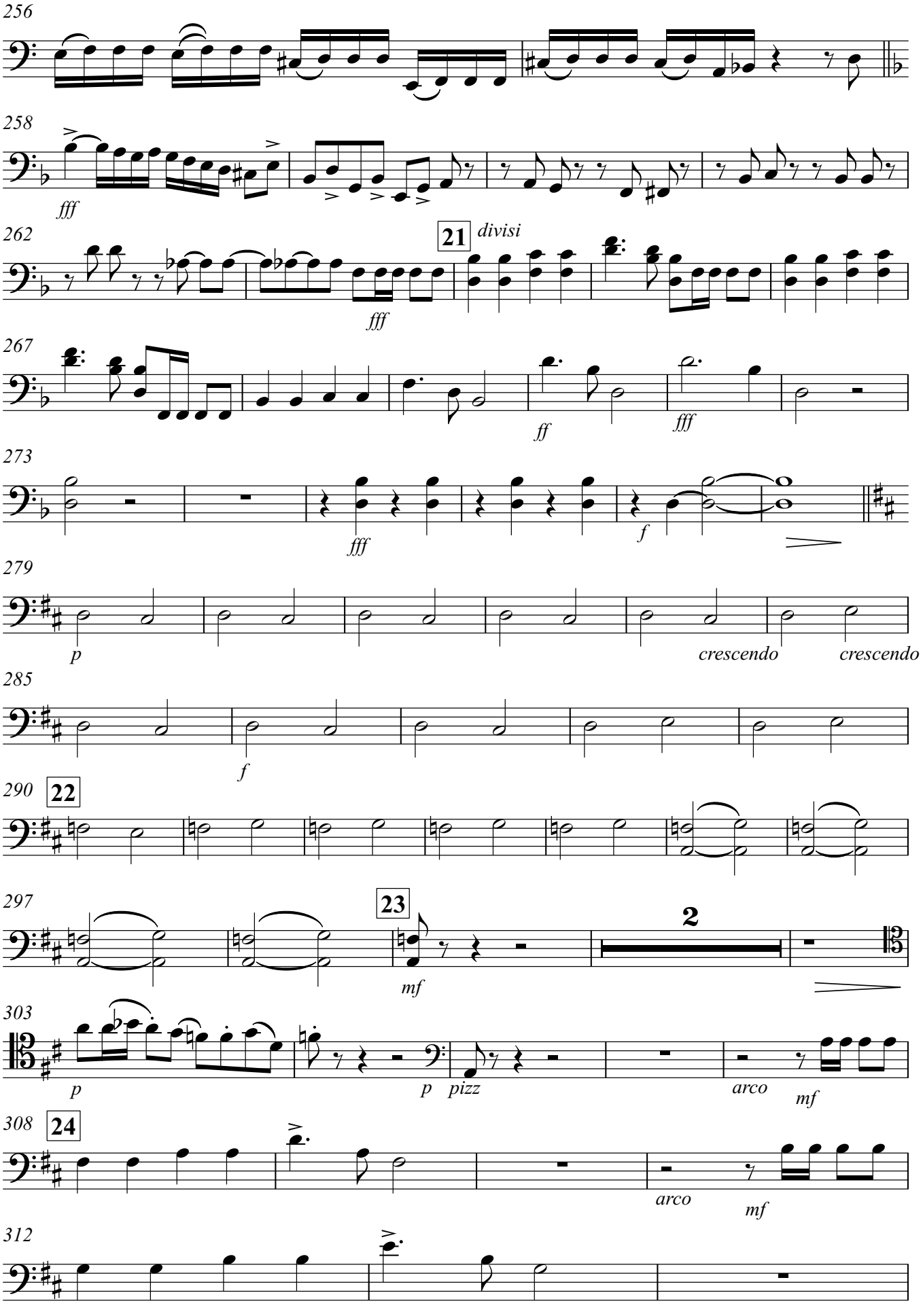
20
254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pizz
arco
mf
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arco
mf
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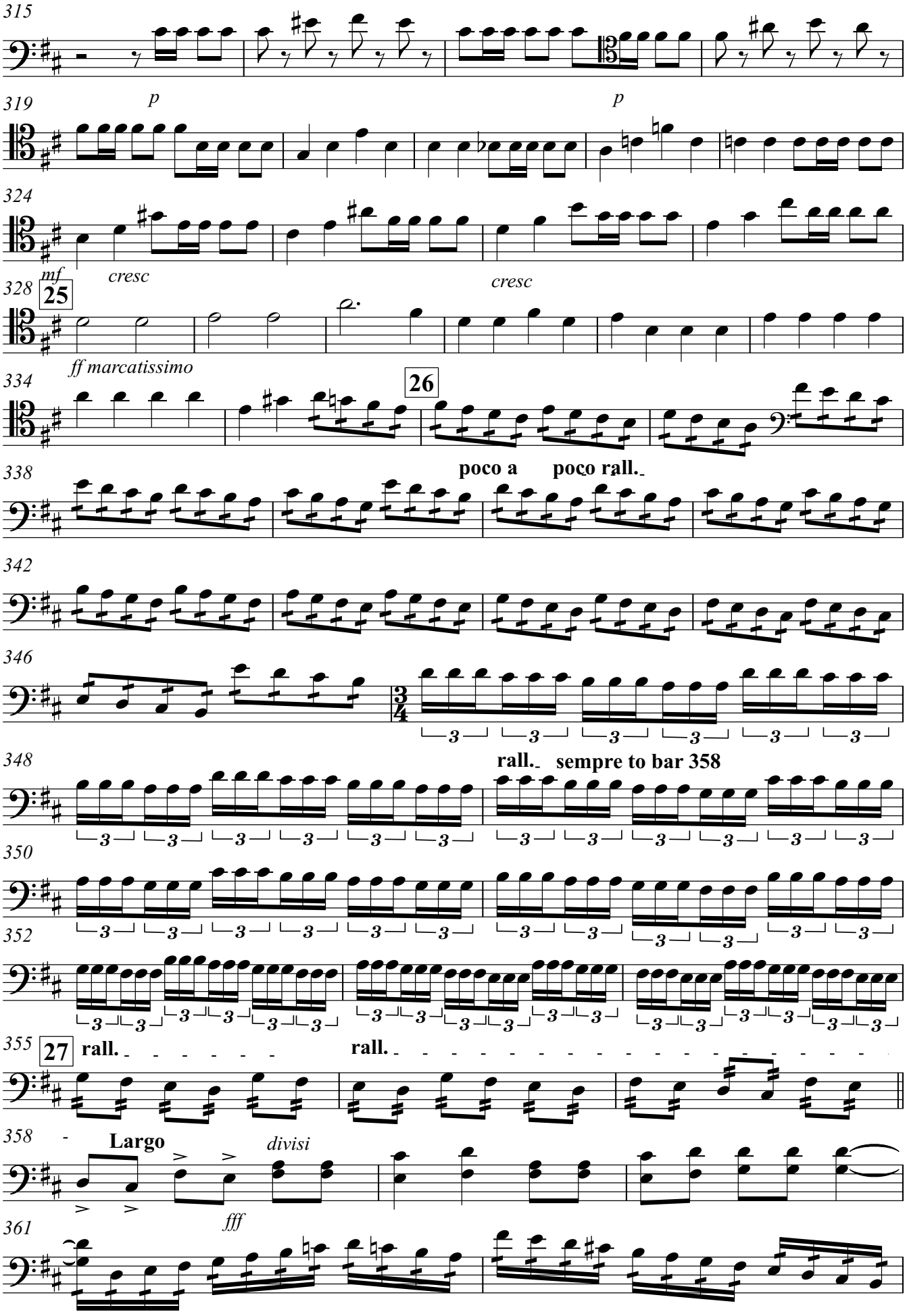
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cresc
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poco a poco rall.
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rall. sempre to bar 358
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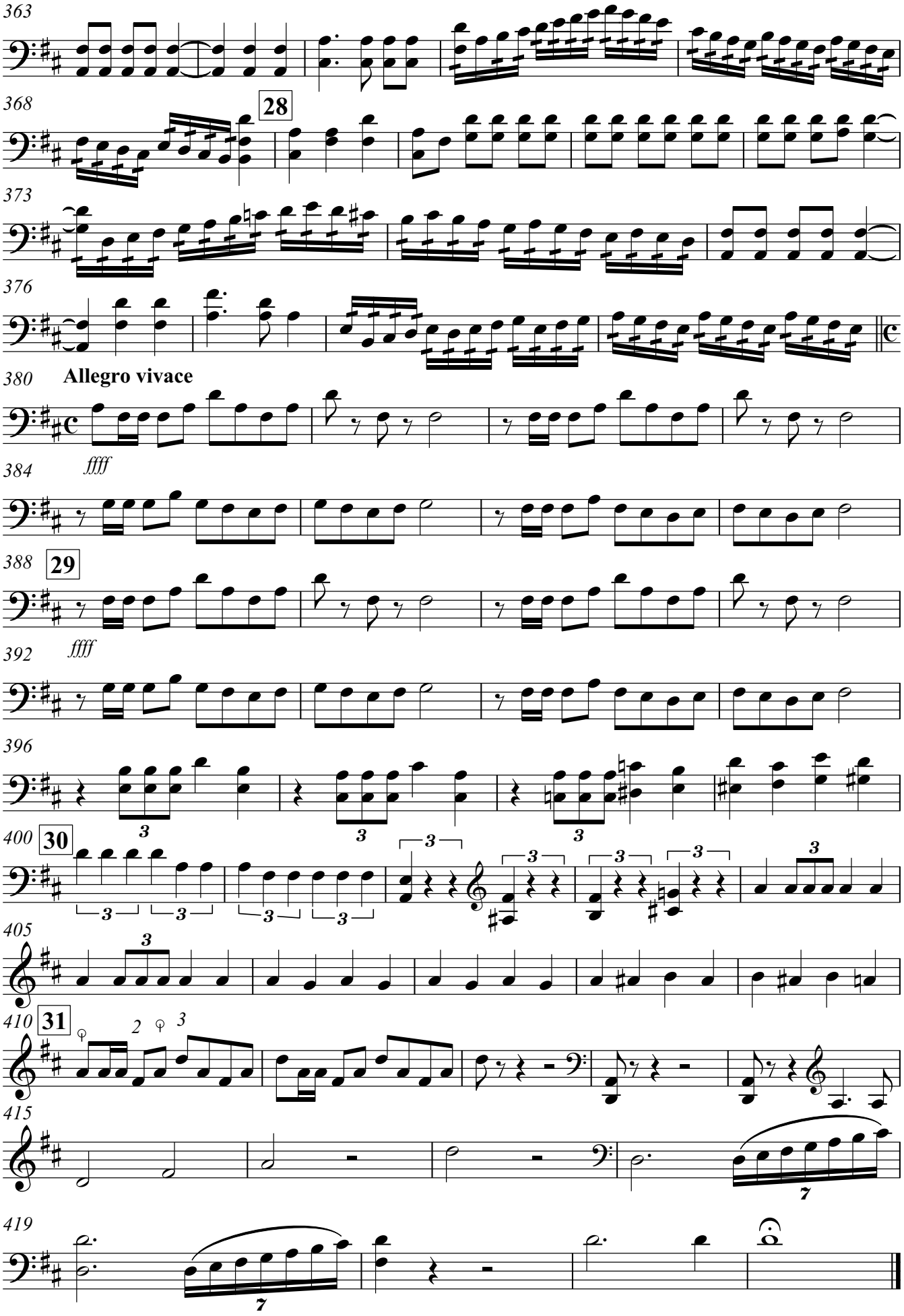
352
355
27
rall.
rall.
358
Largo
divisi
fff
361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Allegro vivace
ffff
384
388
29
ffff
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396
400
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405
410
31
415
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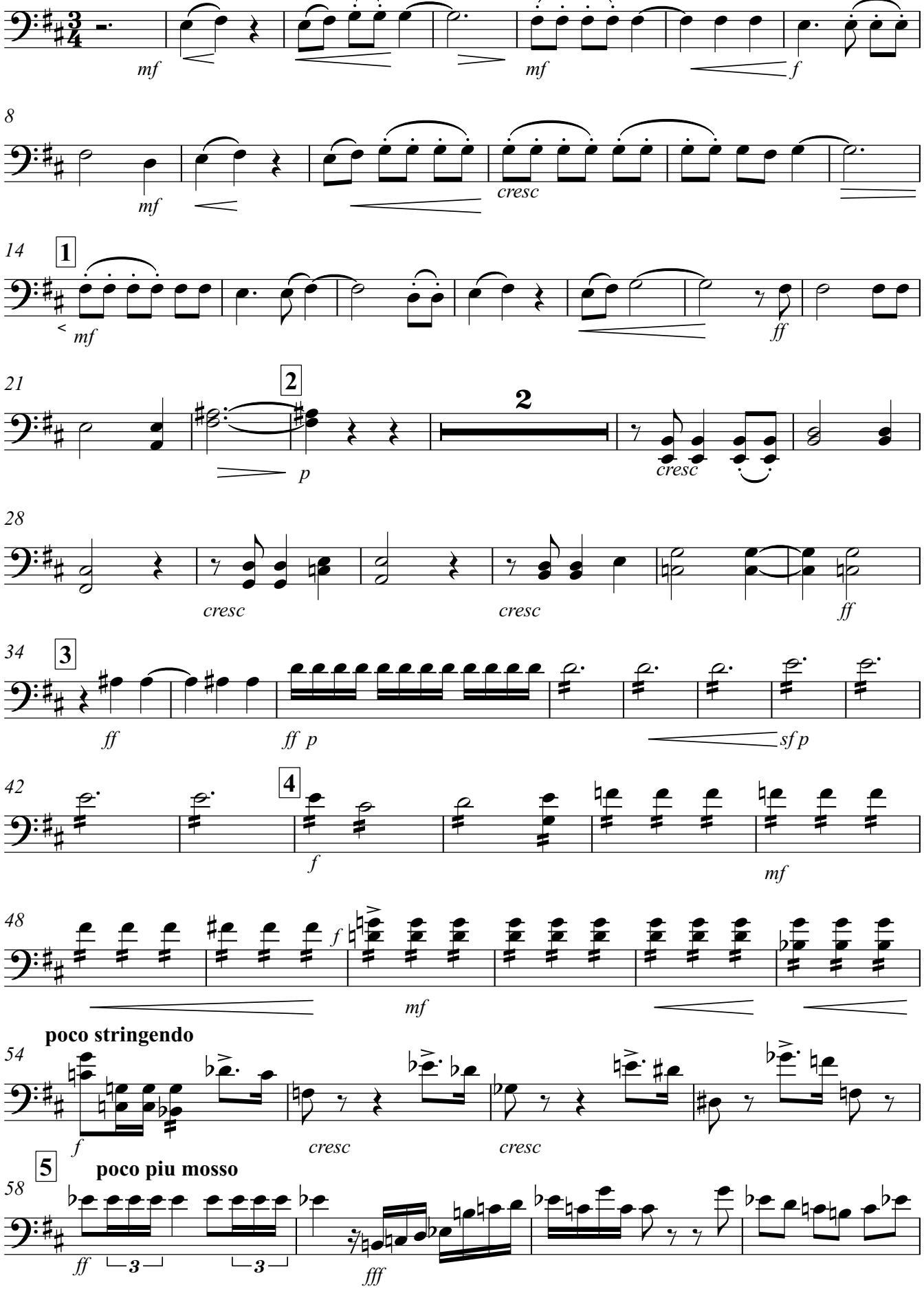

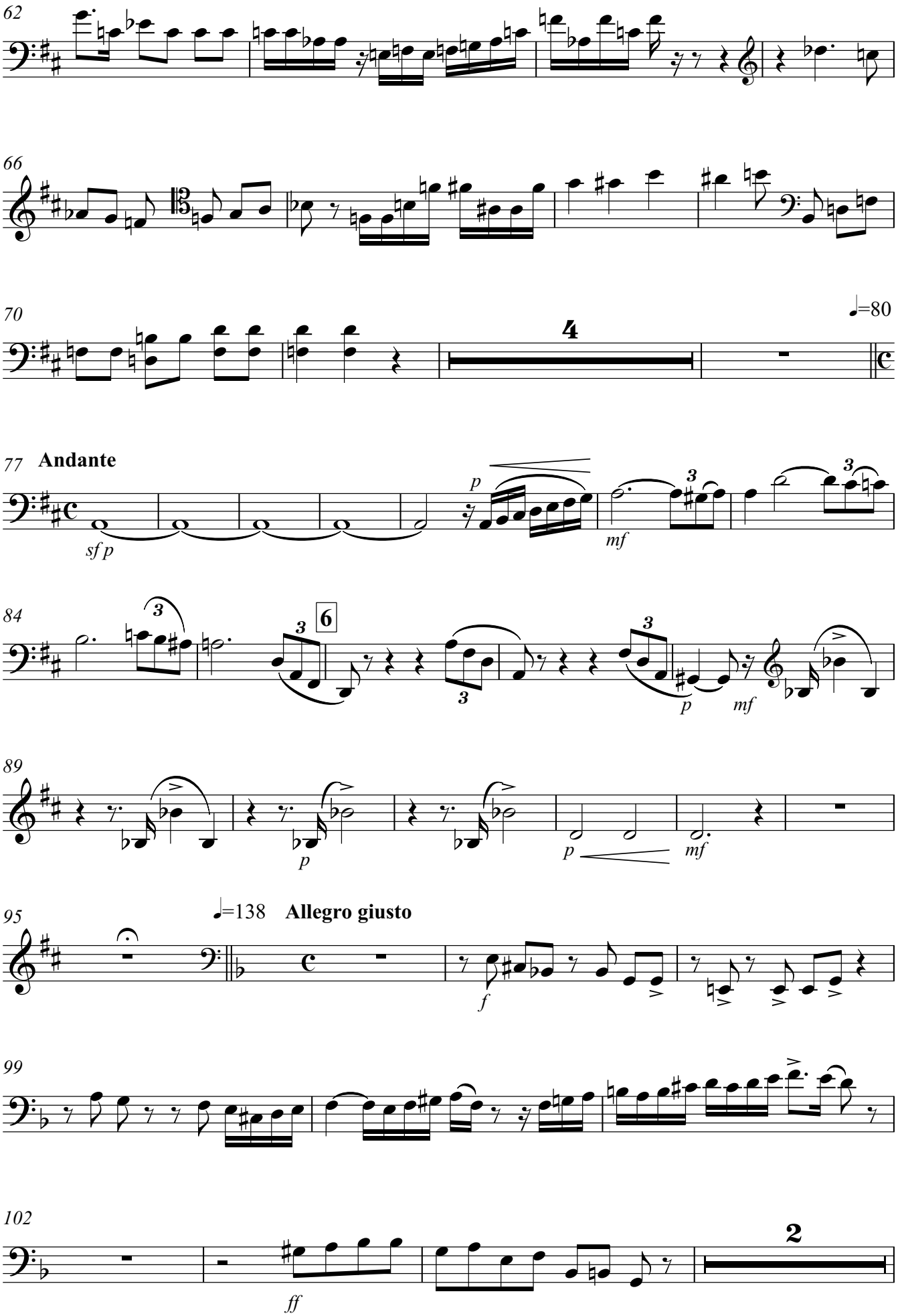
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4
♩=80
77 Andante
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♩=138 Allegro giusto
f
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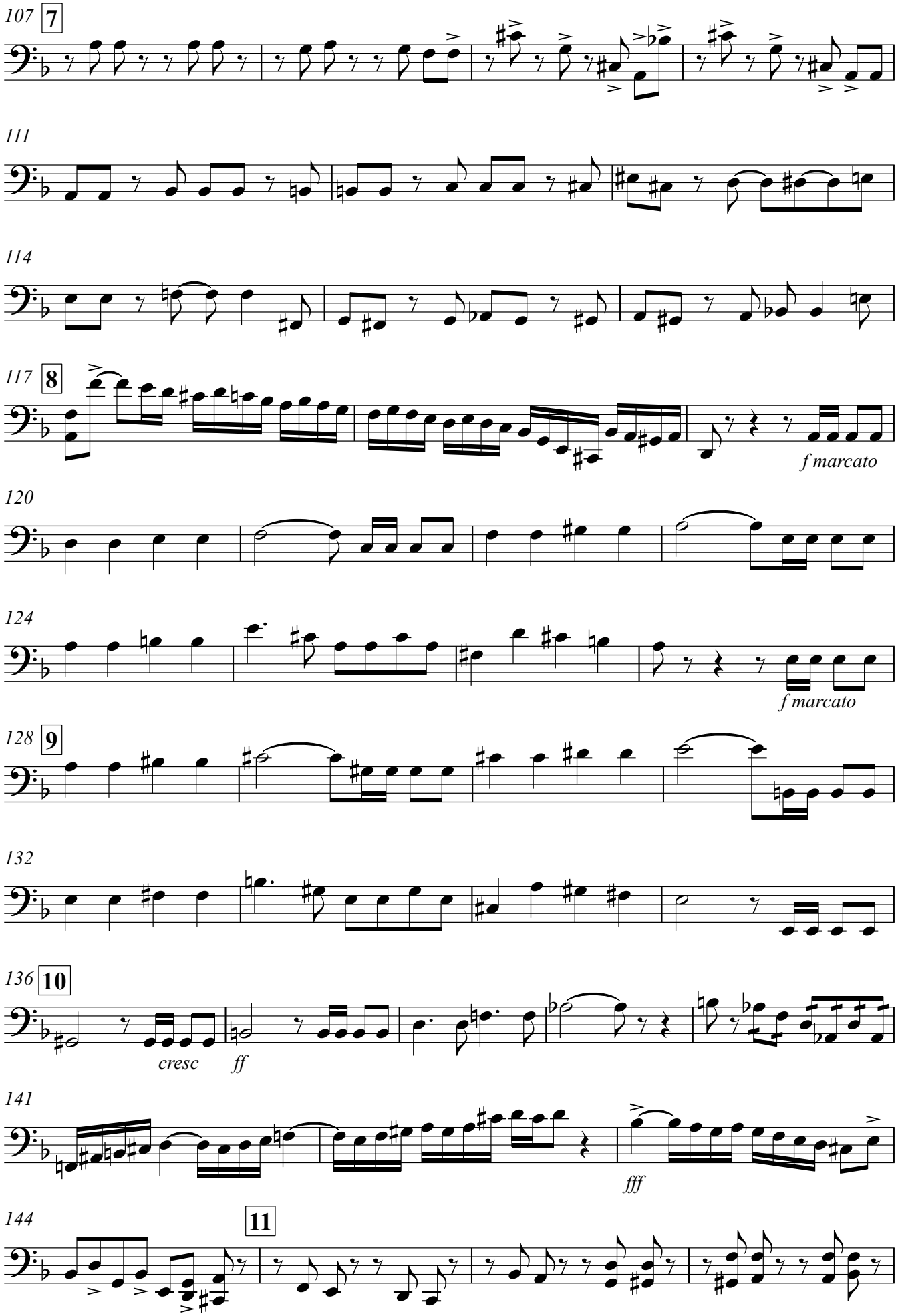
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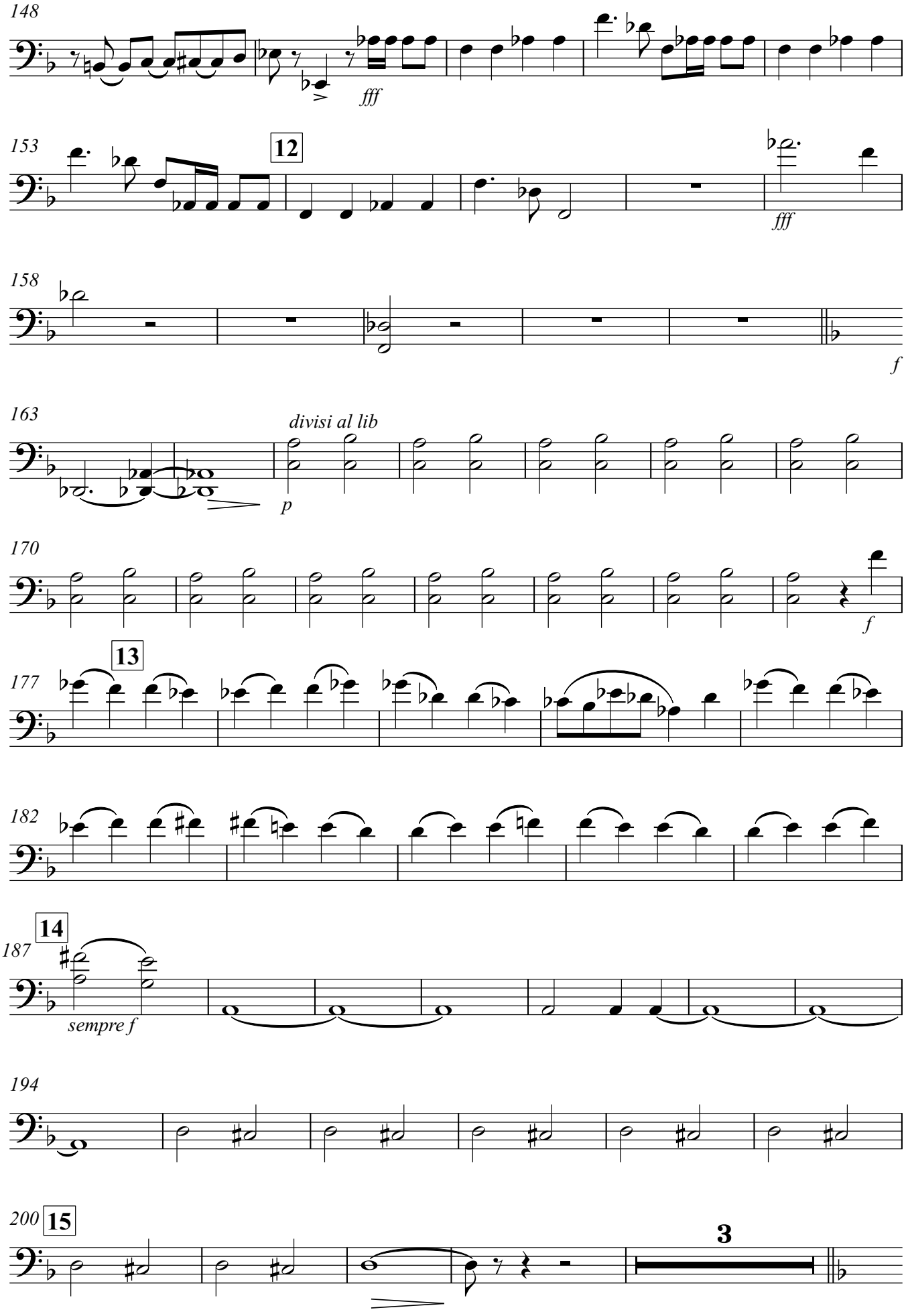
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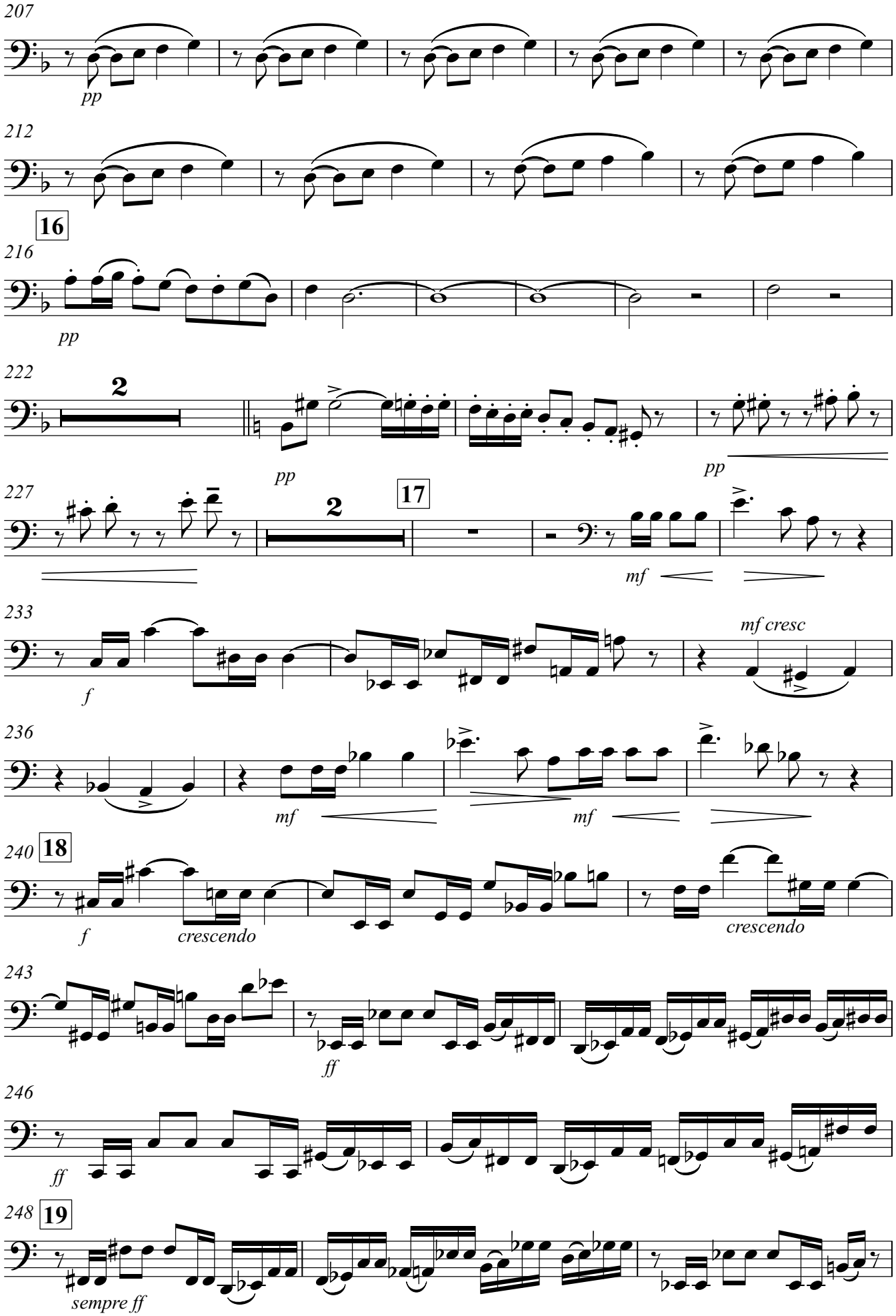
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crescendo
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ff
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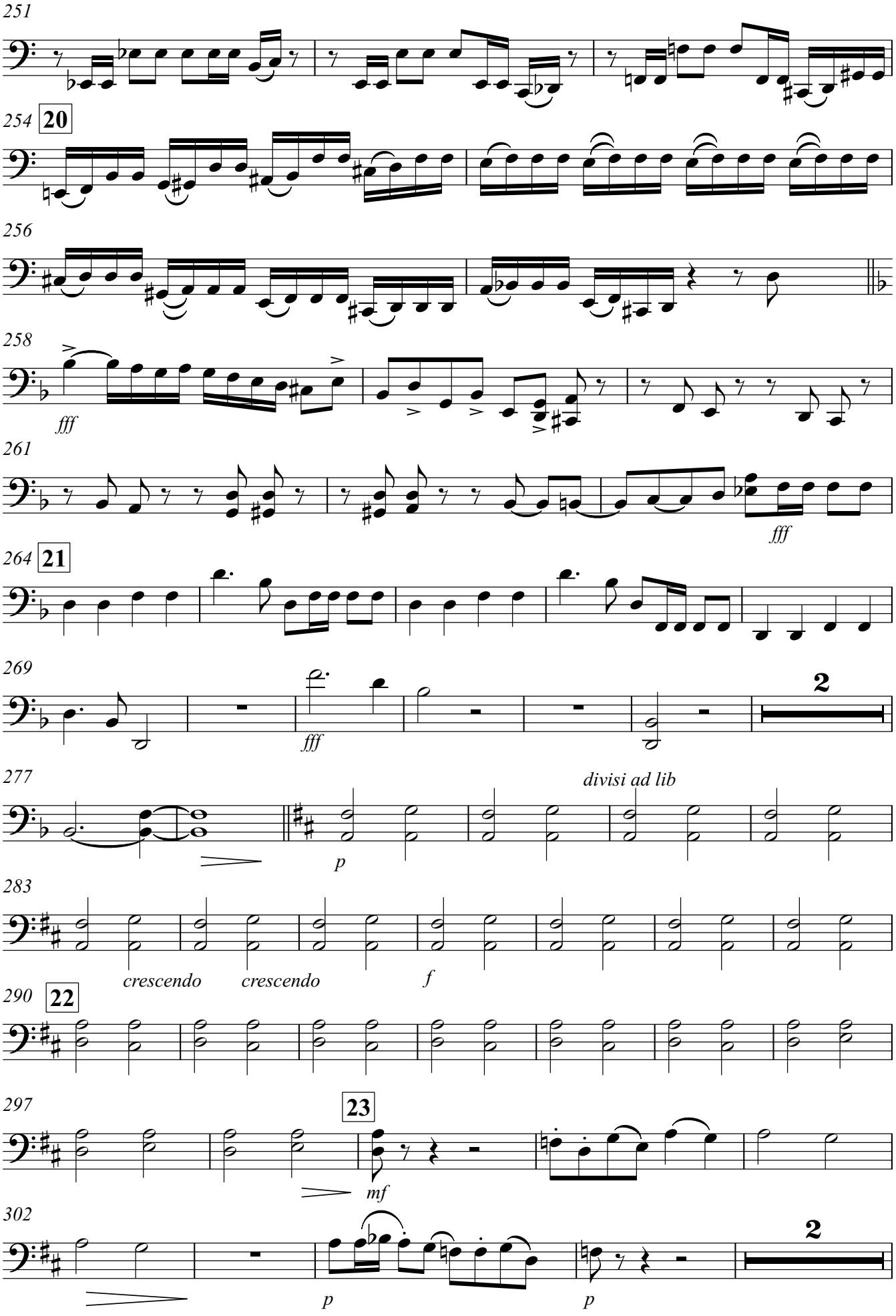
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mf
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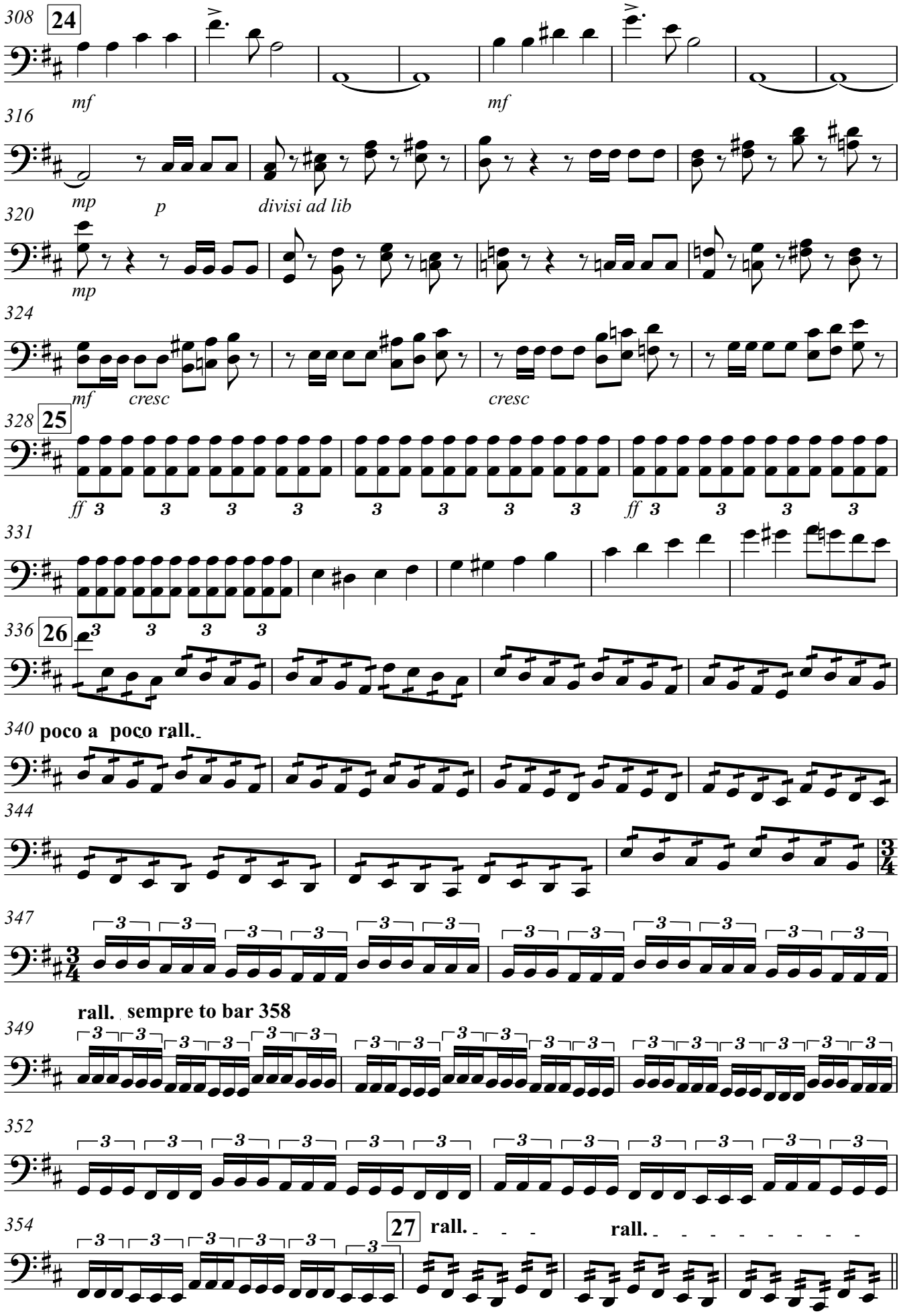
p
p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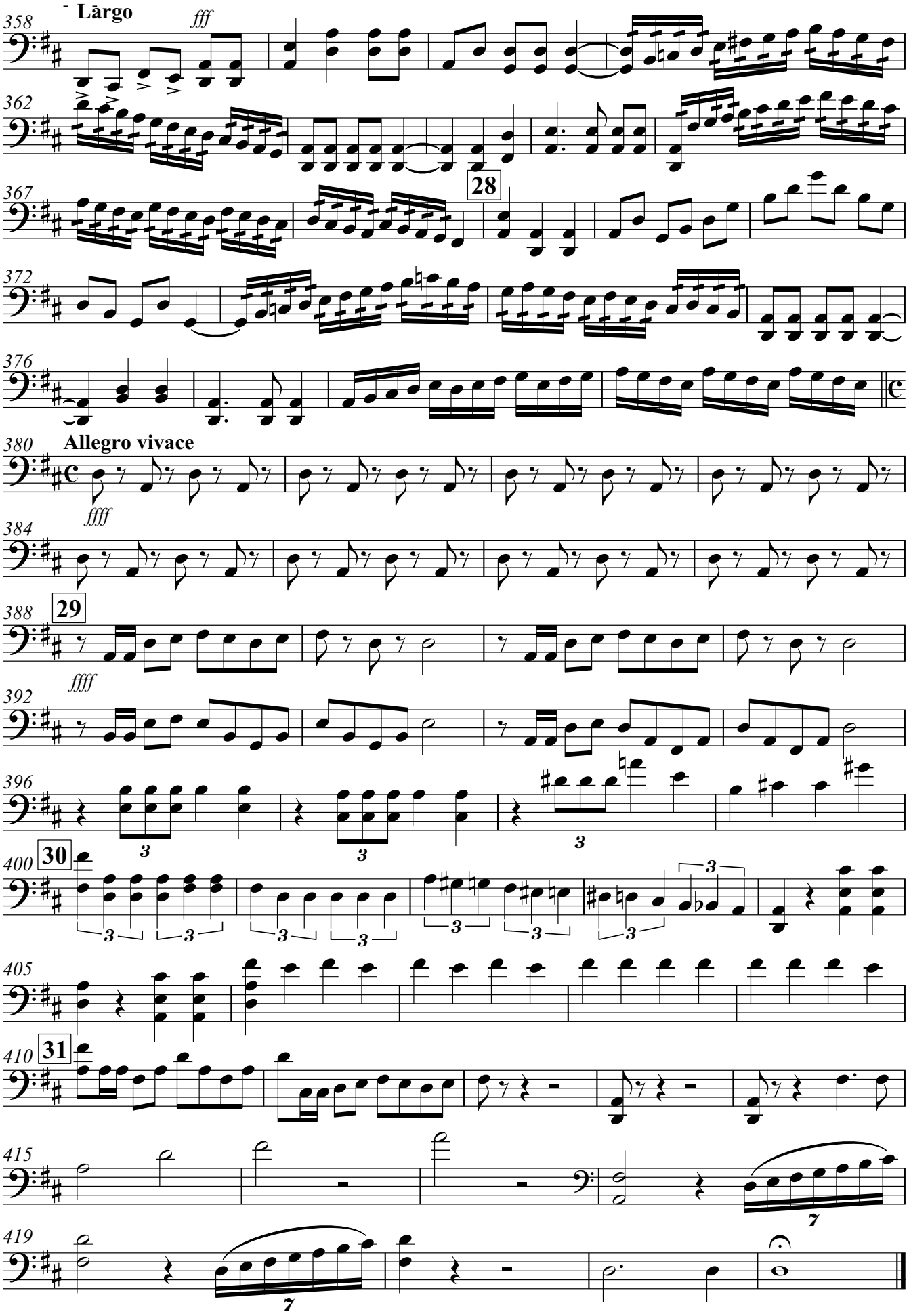
354
27
rall.
rall.


Lārgo
fff
28
Allegro vivace
ffff
29
ffff
30
31

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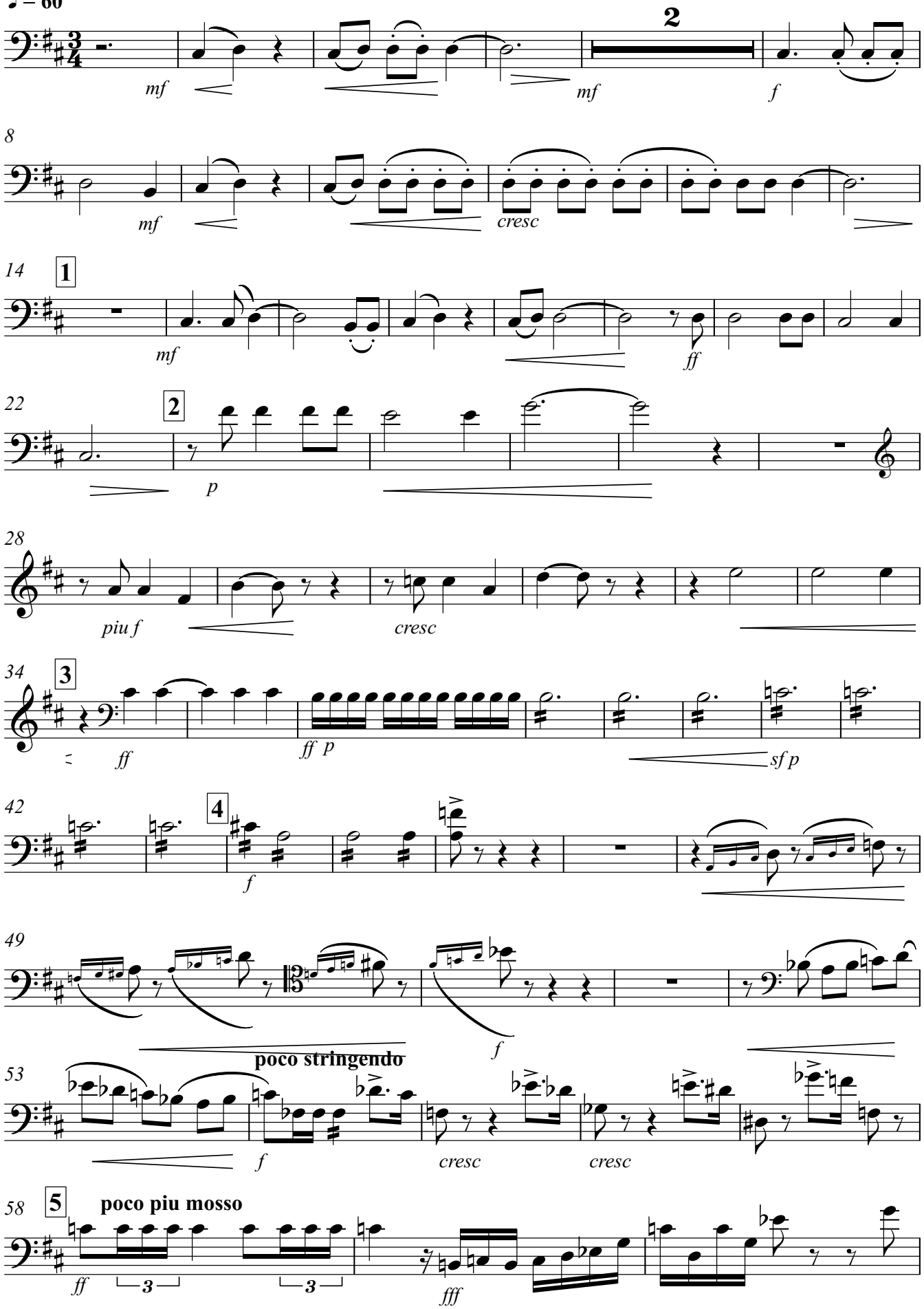

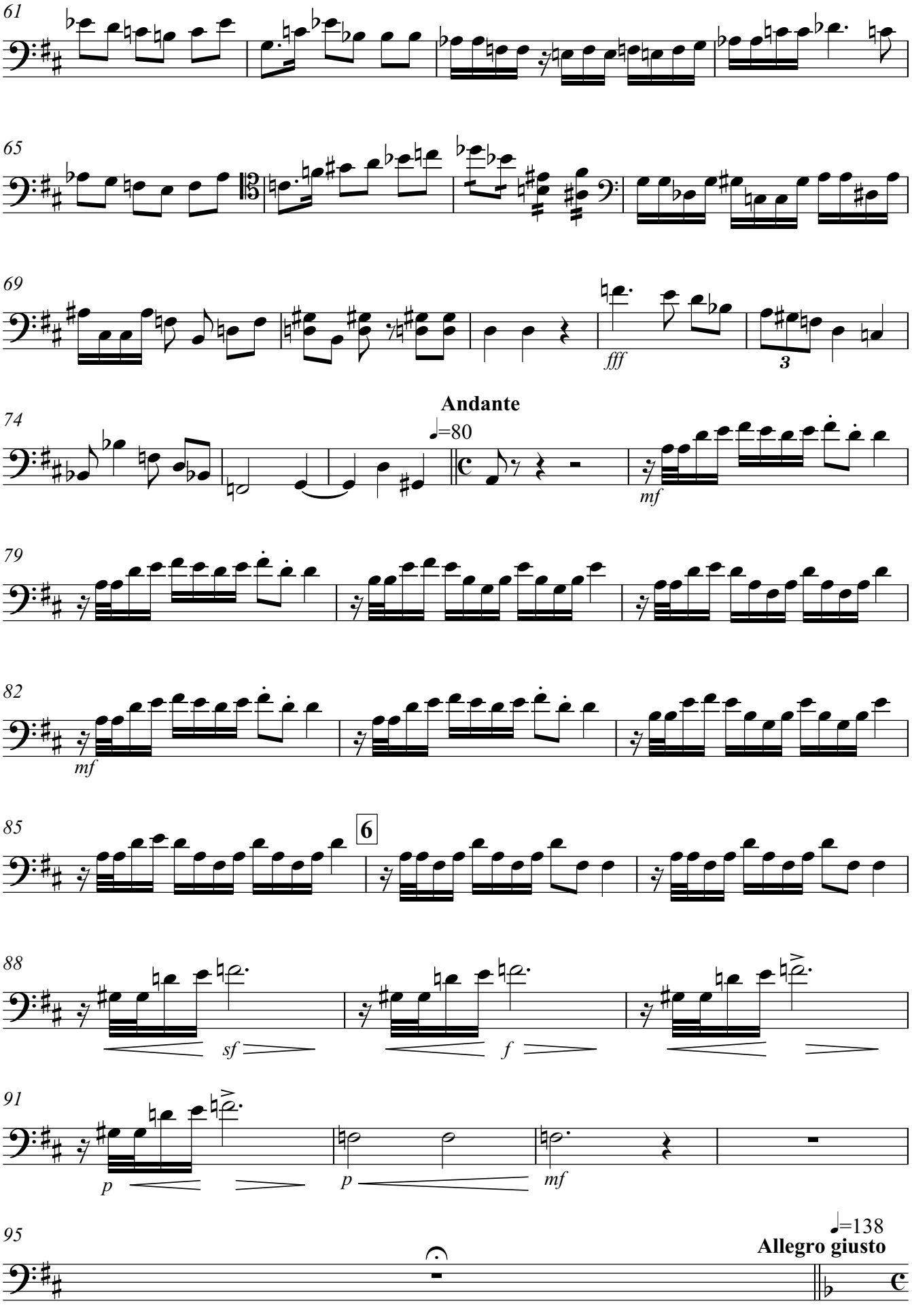
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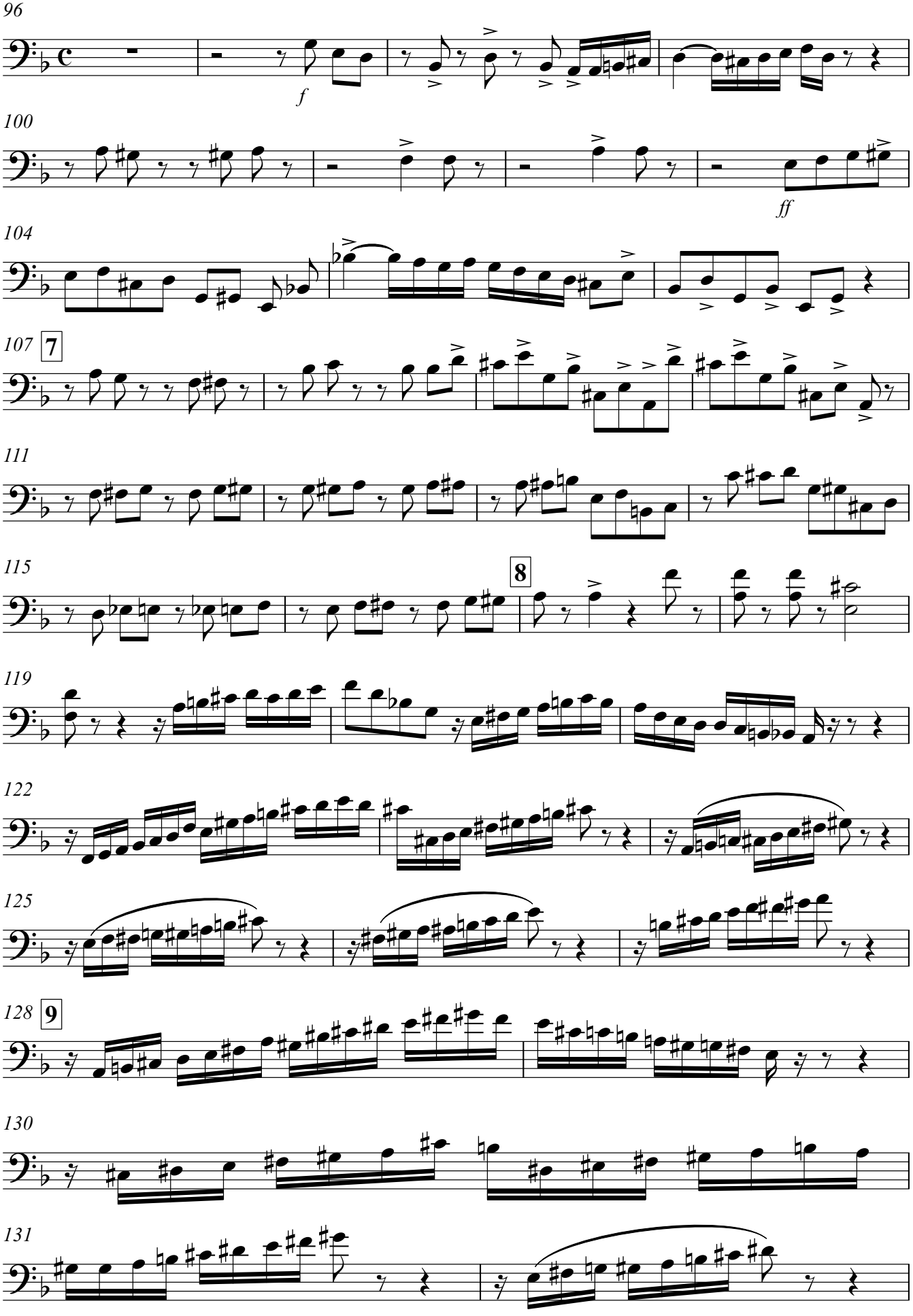
♩=138
Allegro giusto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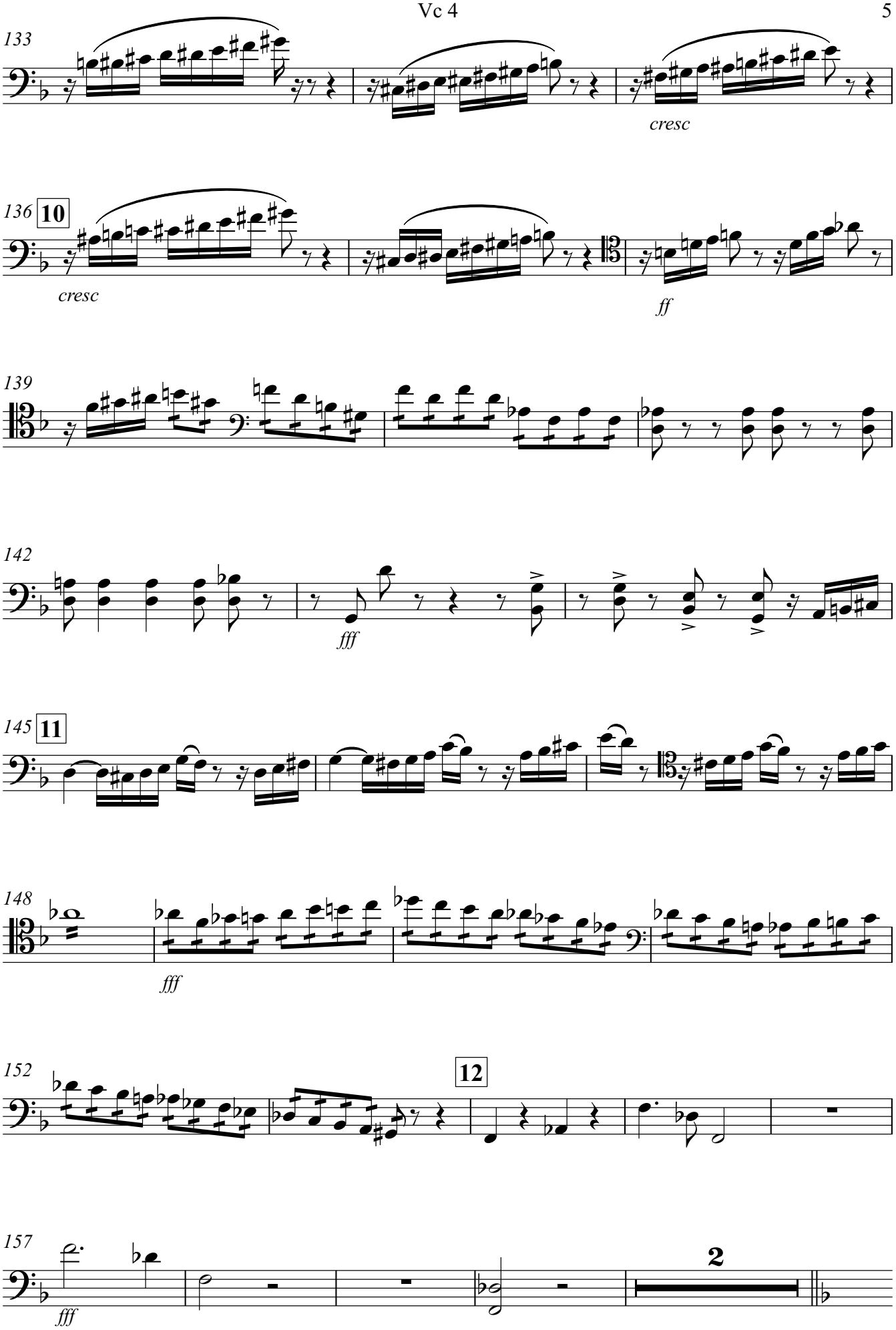
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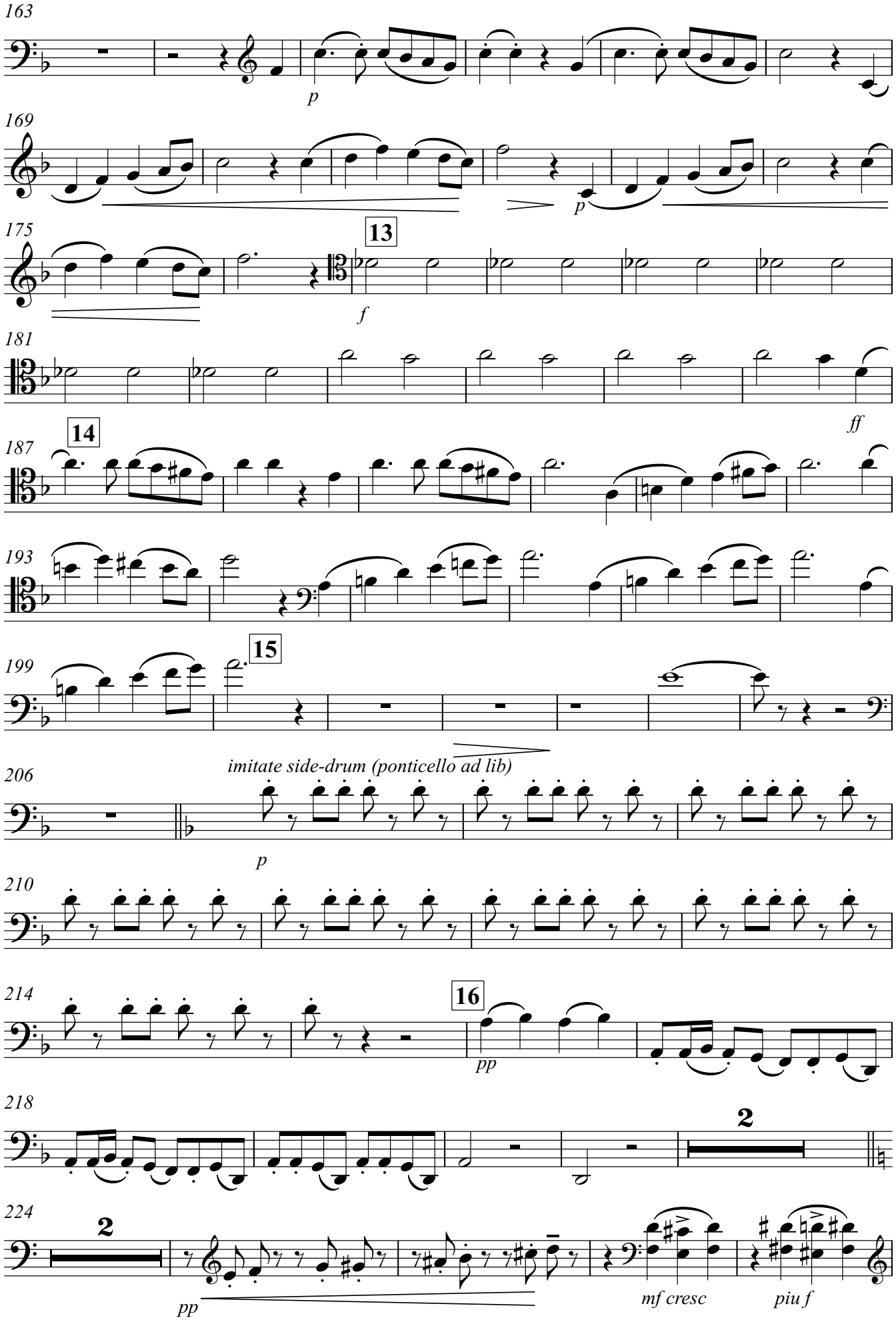
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p
169
p
175
13
f
181
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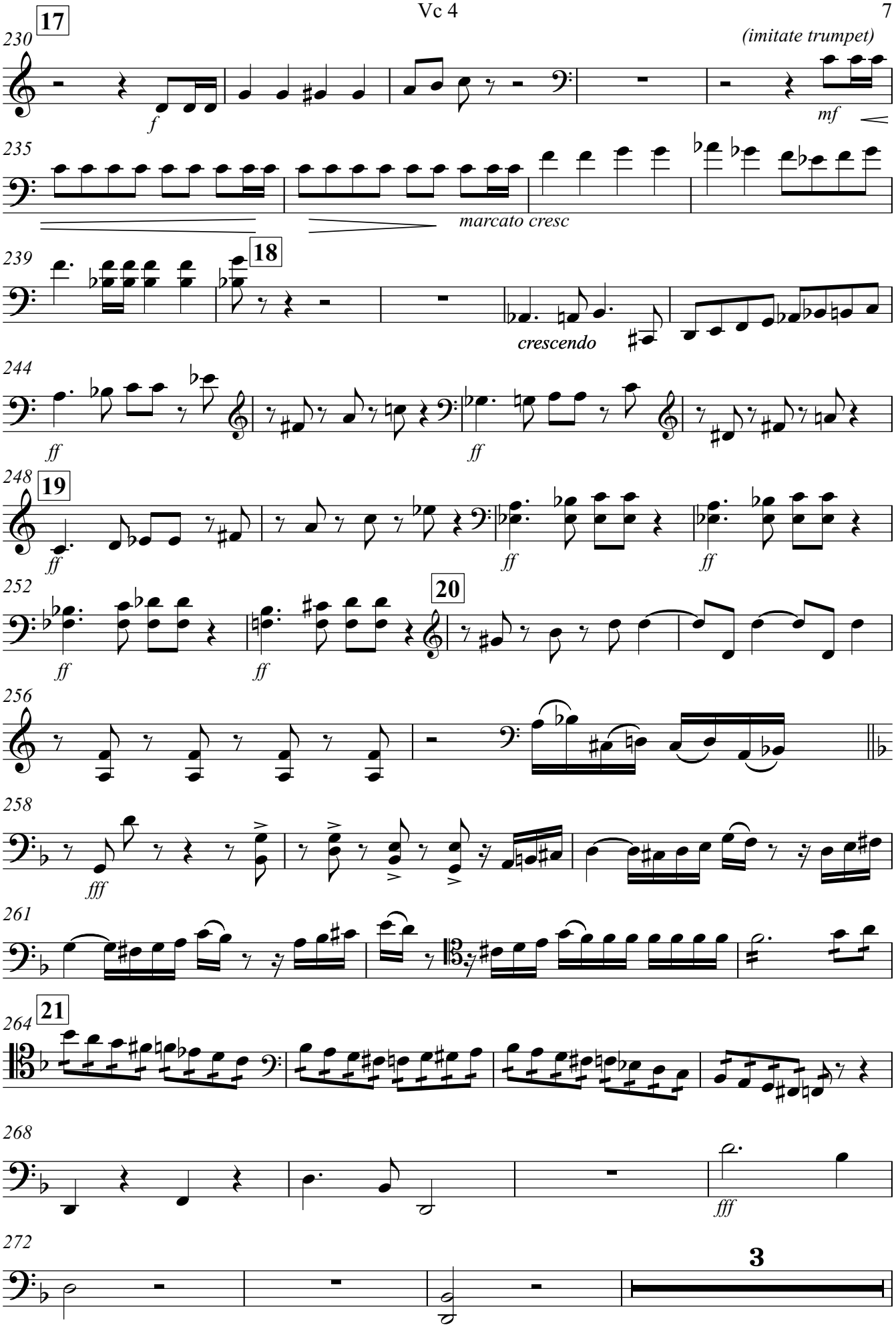
187
14
193
199
15
imitate side-drum (ponticello ad lib)
206
p
210
214
16
pp
218
2
224
2
pp
mf cresc
piu f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(imitate trumpet)
f
mf
235
marcato cresc
239
18
crescendo
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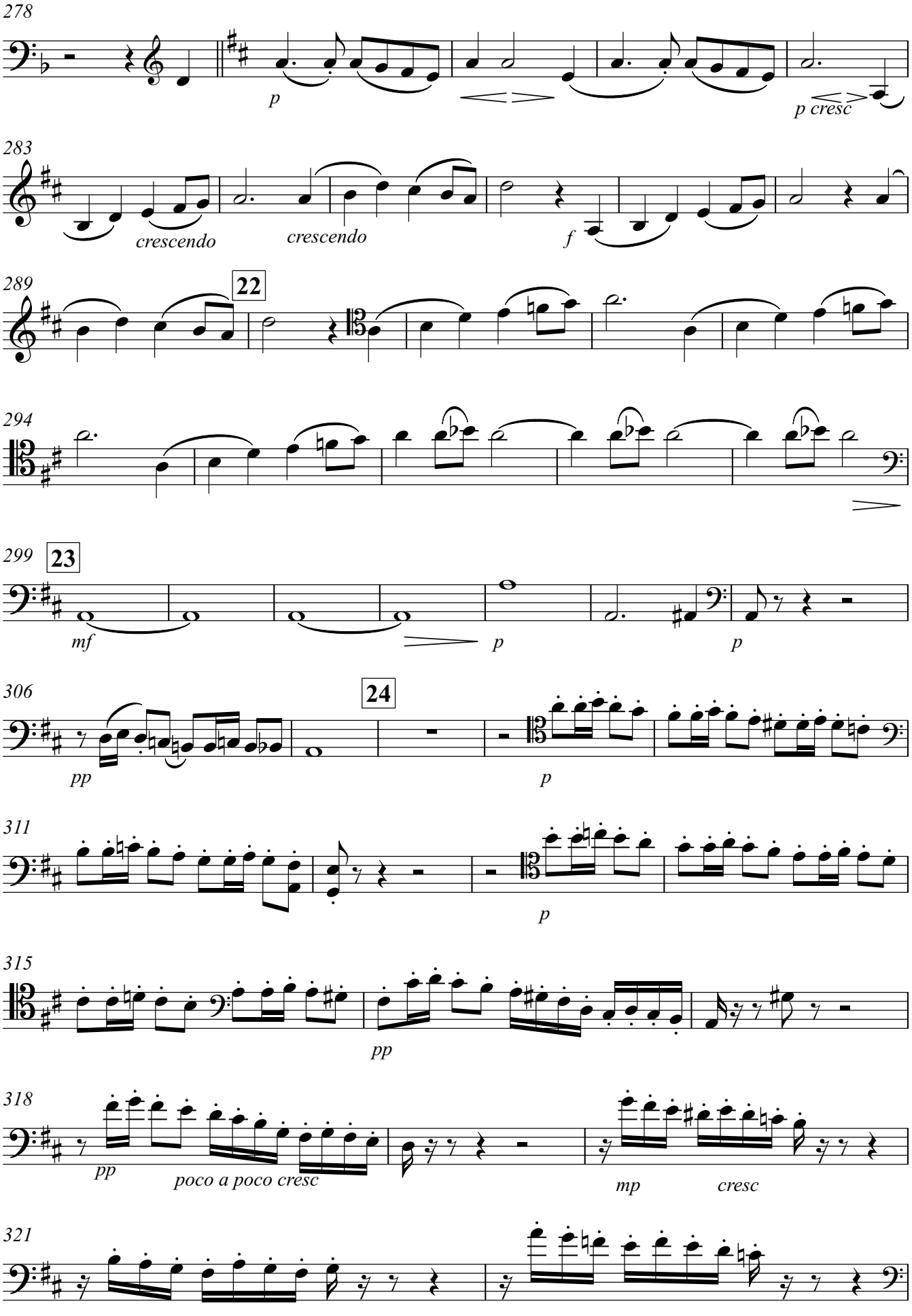
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p cresc
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crescendo
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289
22
294
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mf
p
p
306
24
pp
p
311
p
315
pp
318
pp
poco a poco cresc
mp
cresc
321

323

mf cresc *cresc*

327 **25**

ff

331

336 **26**

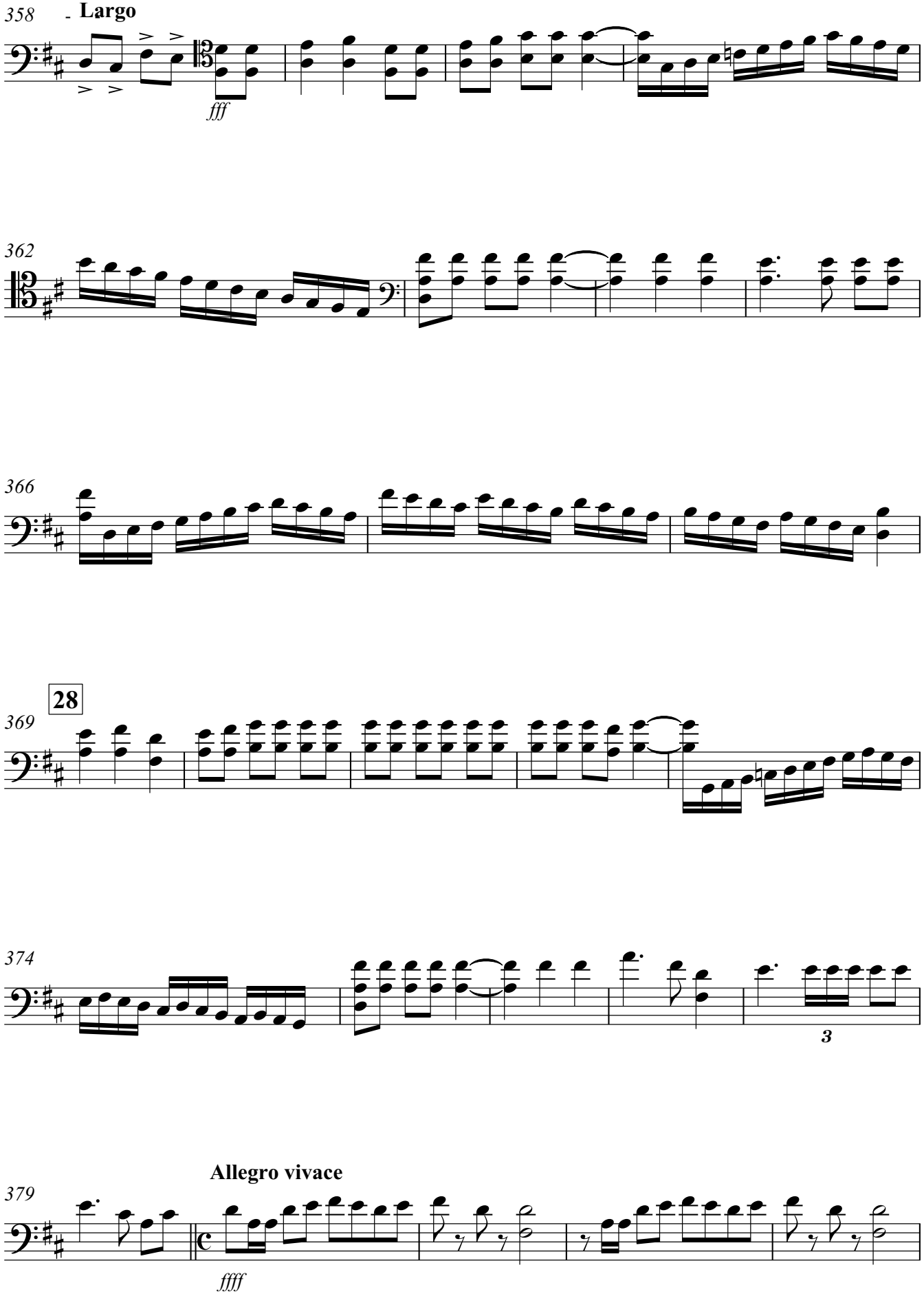
340 **poco a poco rall.**

344

348 **rall. sempre to bar 358**

turn page ad lib, Cello 5 is doubling part

353 **27** **rall.** **rall.**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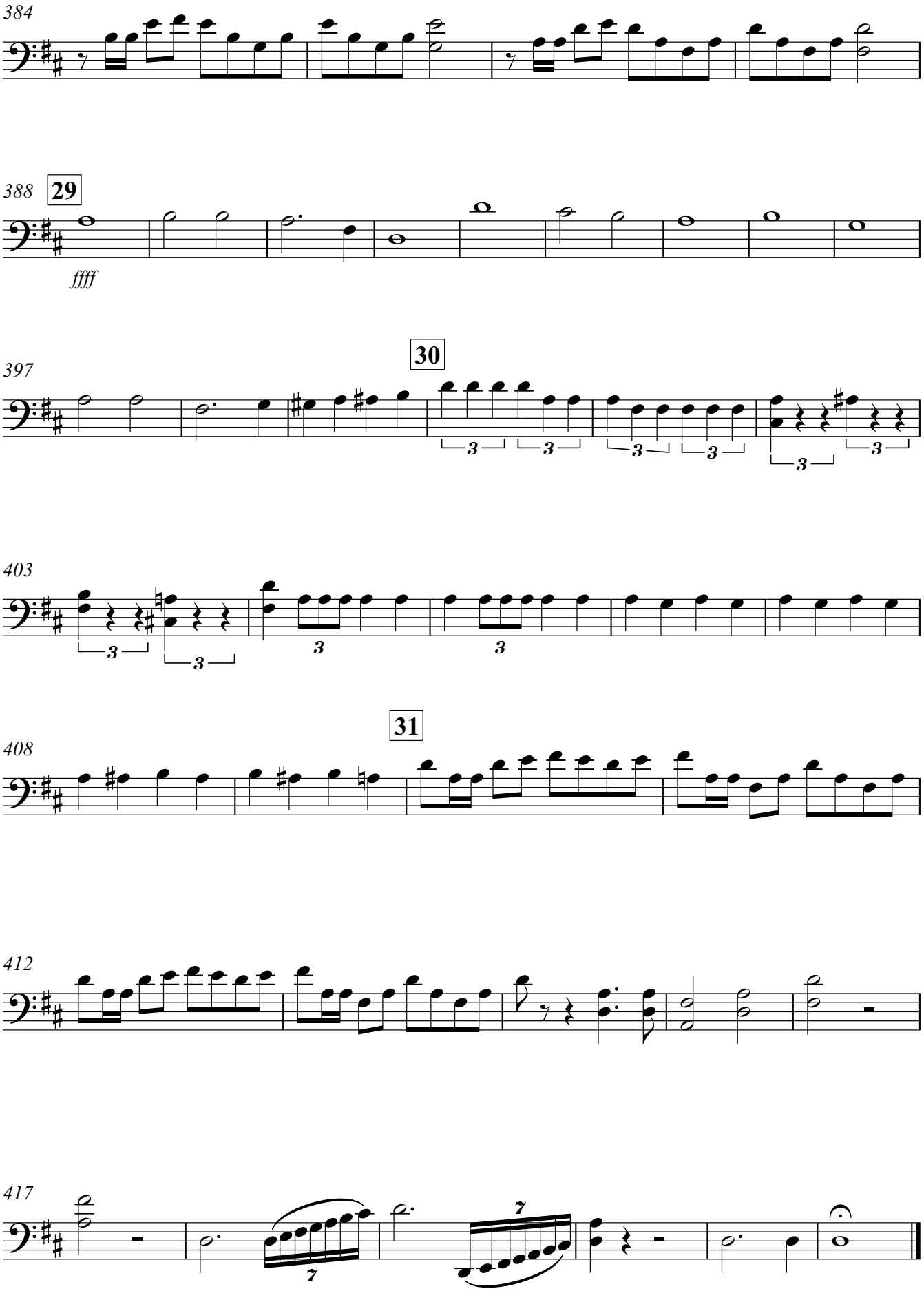
Largo
fff
362
366
369
28
374
3
379
Allegro vivace
ffff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388
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ffff
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397
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417

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Vc 5

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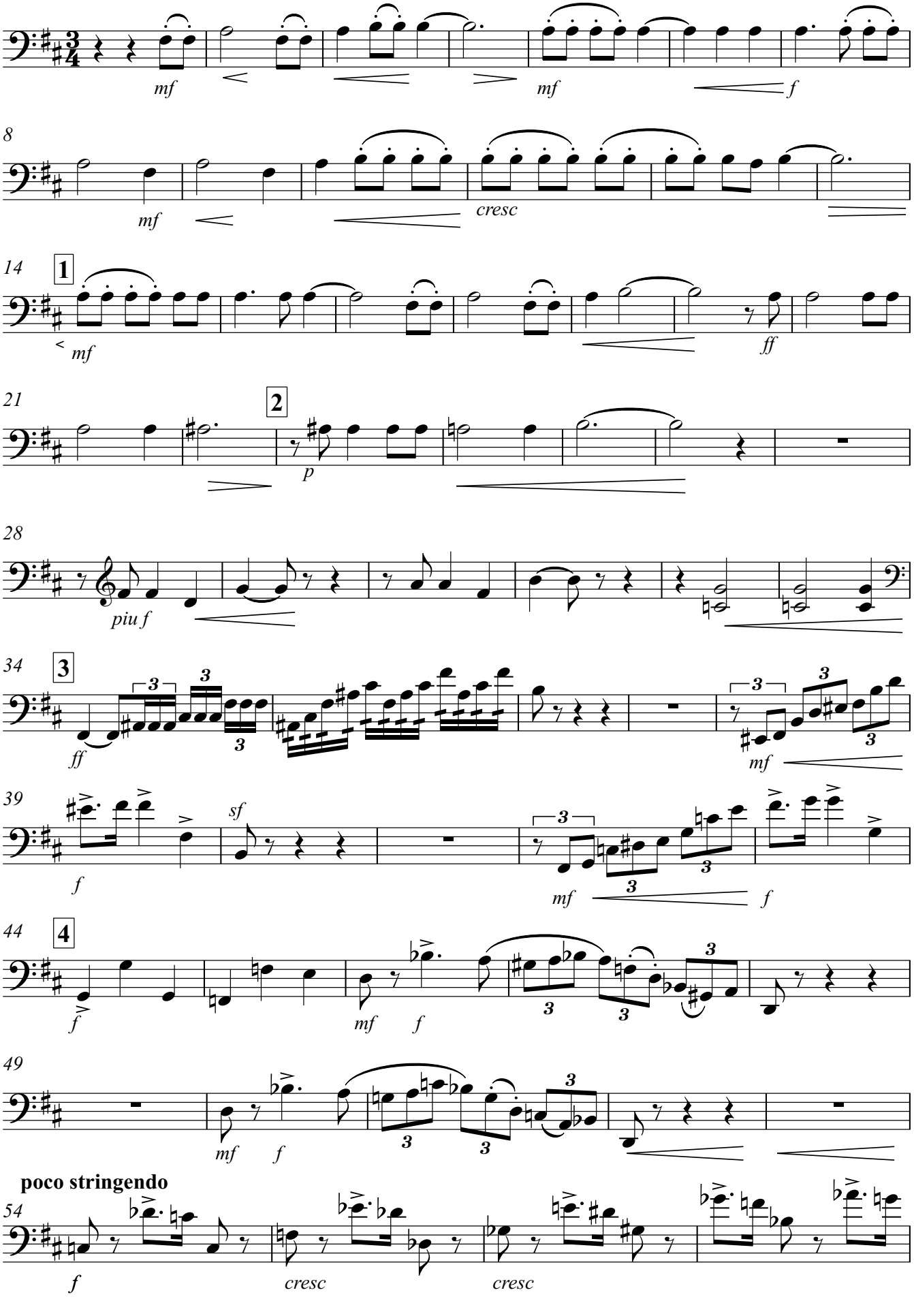
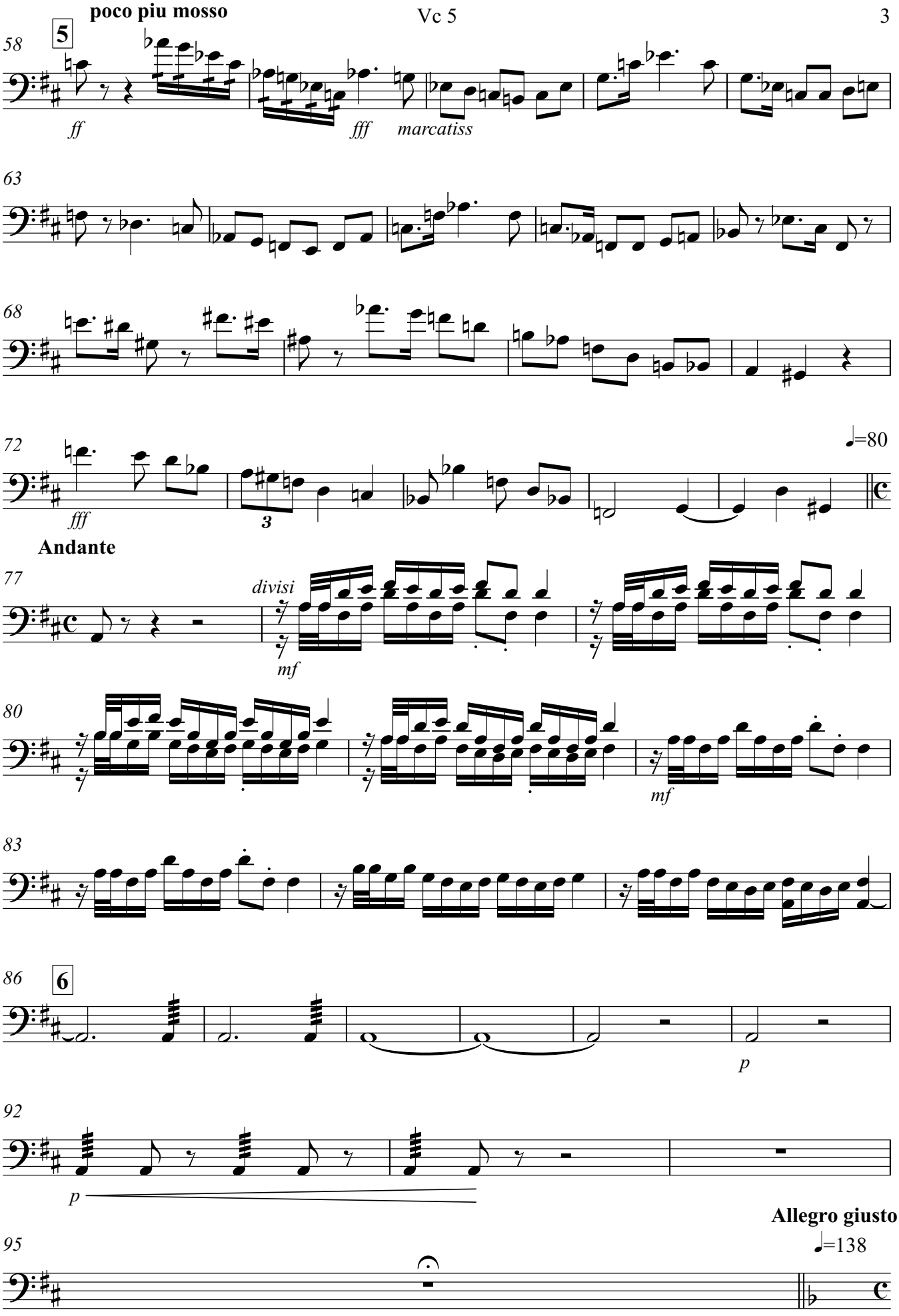
Largo

♩ = 60

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5
58
ff
fff
marcatiss
63
68
72
fff
3
♩=80
Andante
77
divisi
mf
80
mf
83
86
6
p
92
p
Allegro giusto
95
♩=138

(Allegro giusto)

96

f

101

ff

106

7

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114

117 8

121

124

127

9

sempre f

129

131

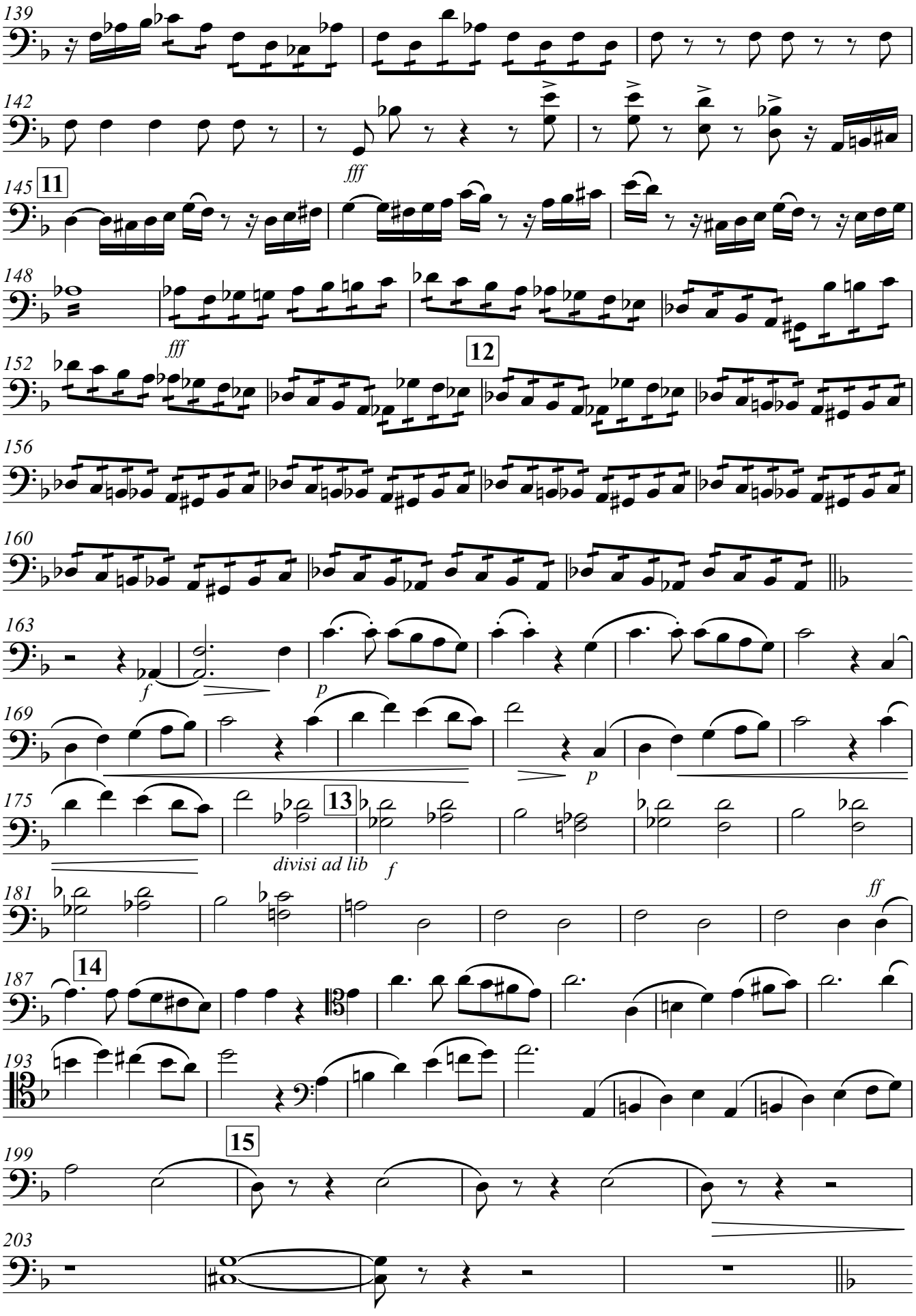
133

cresc

136 10

cresc

ff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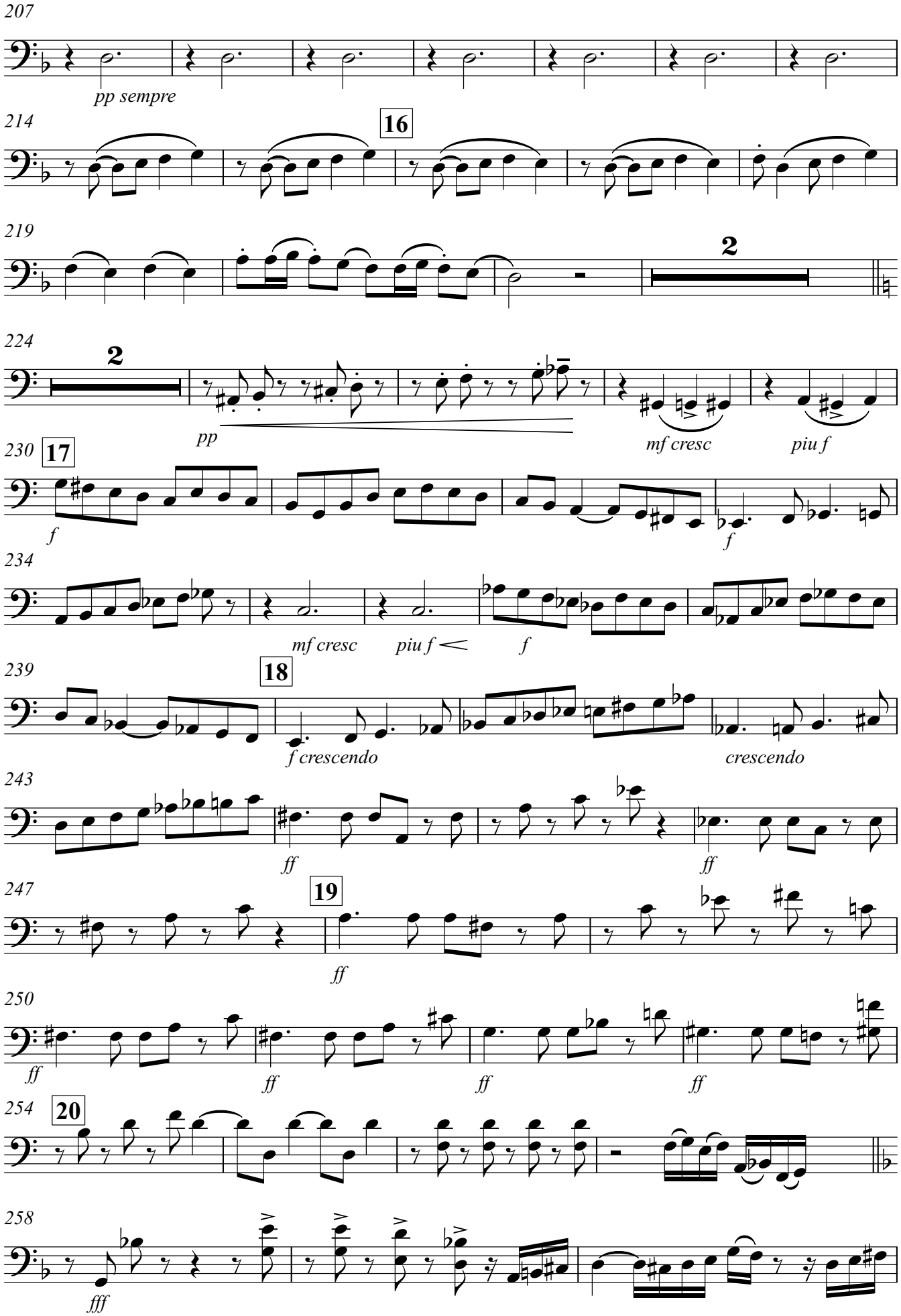
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16
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2
224
2
pp
mf cresc
piu f
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17
f
f
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piu f
f
239
18
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crescendo
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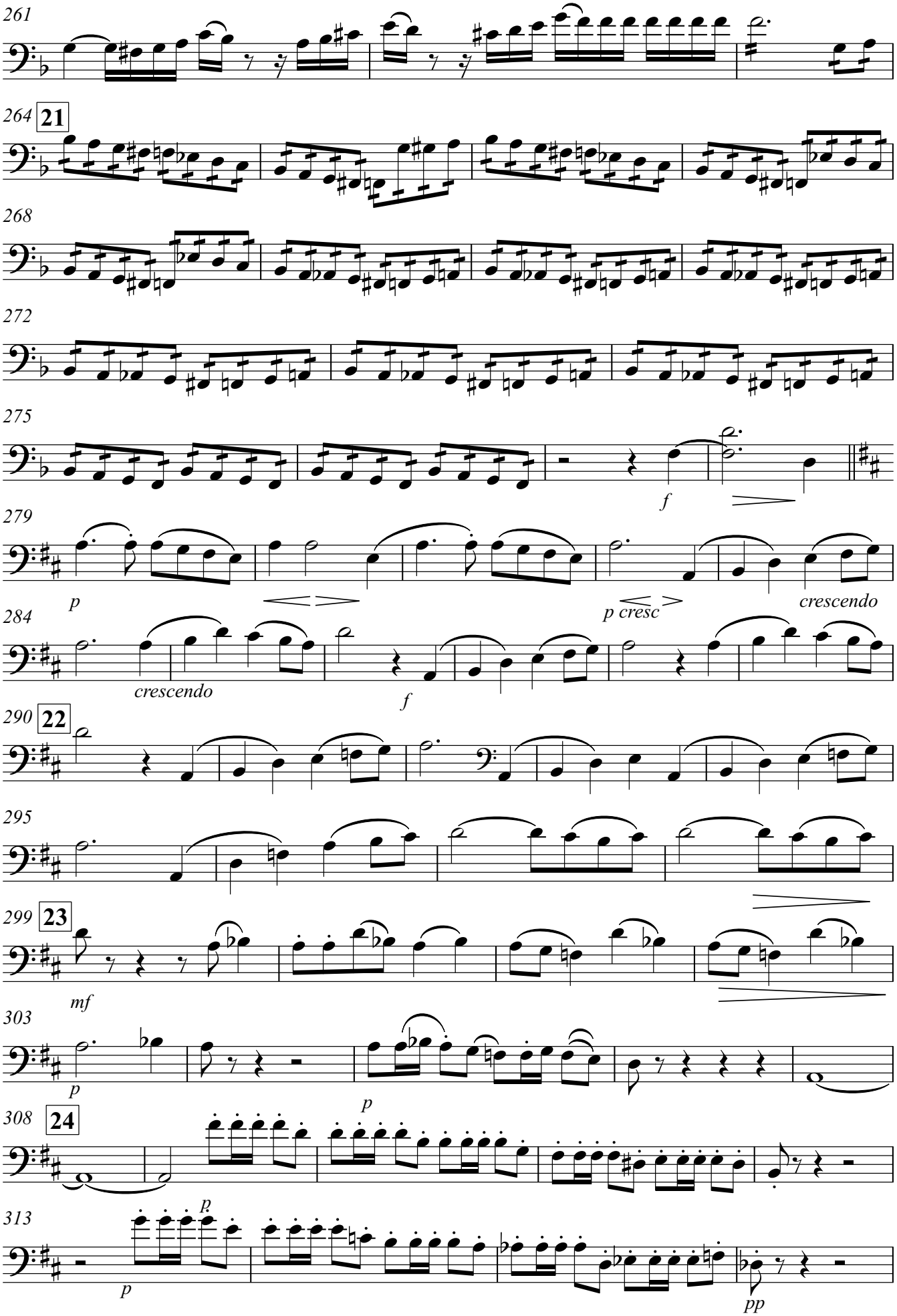
fff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f
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p
p cresc
crescendo
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p
p
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24
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313
p
pp

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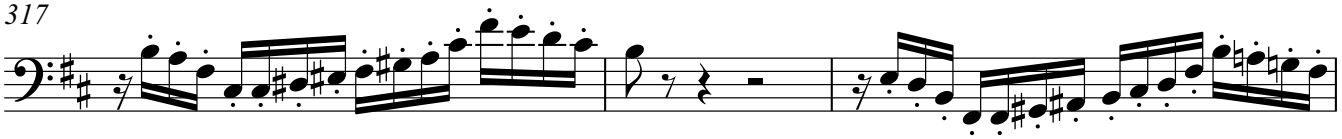

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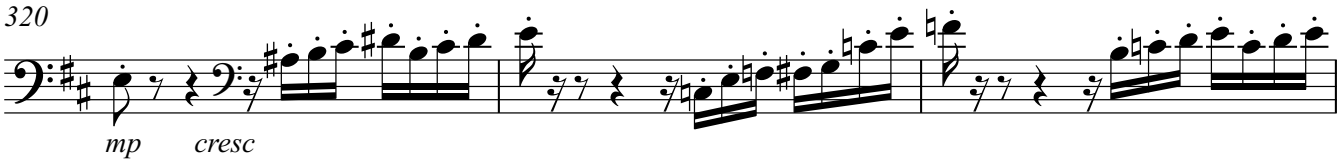

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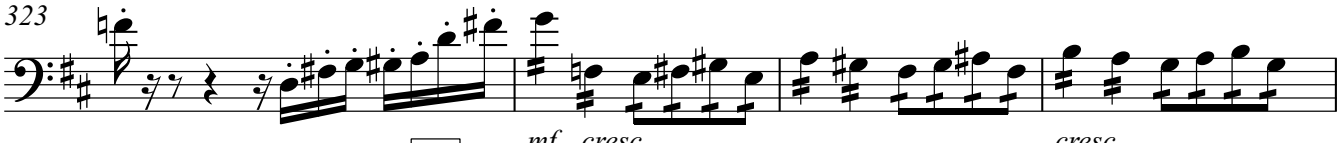

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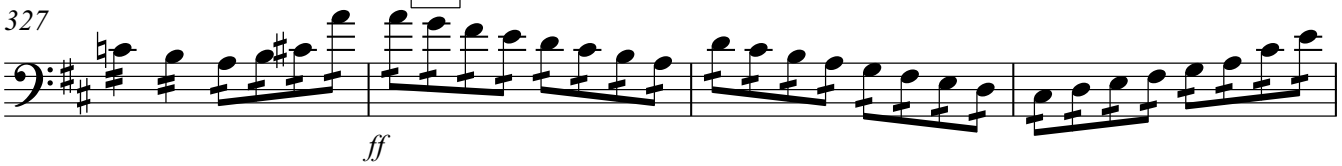

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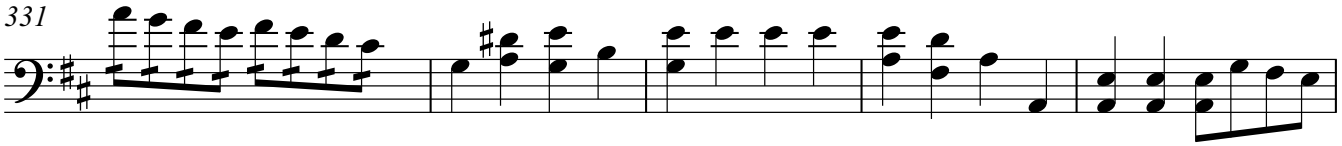
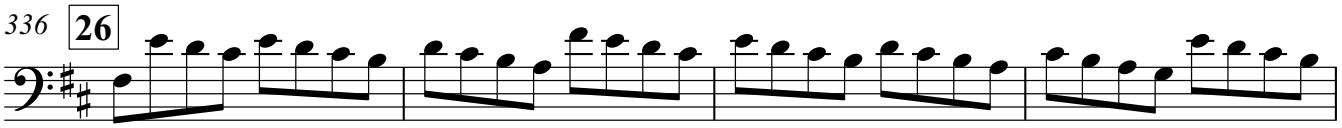
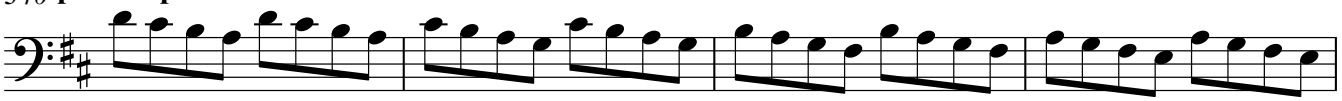


336 **26**



340 **poco a poco rall.**



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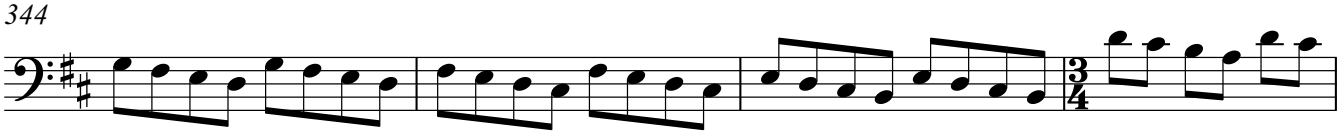
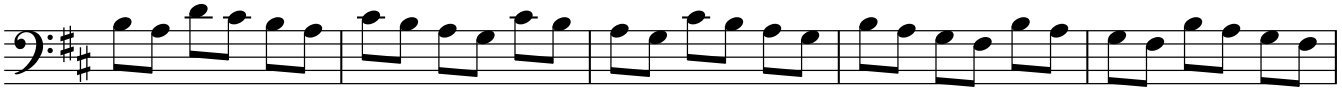
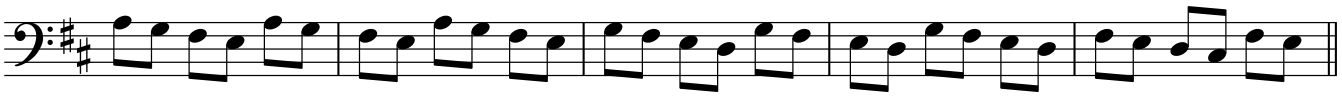


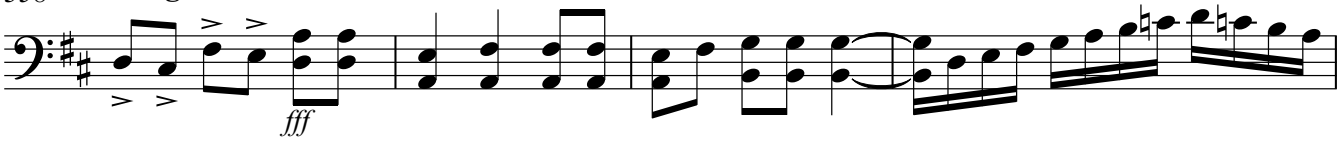
348 **rall. sempre to bar 358**

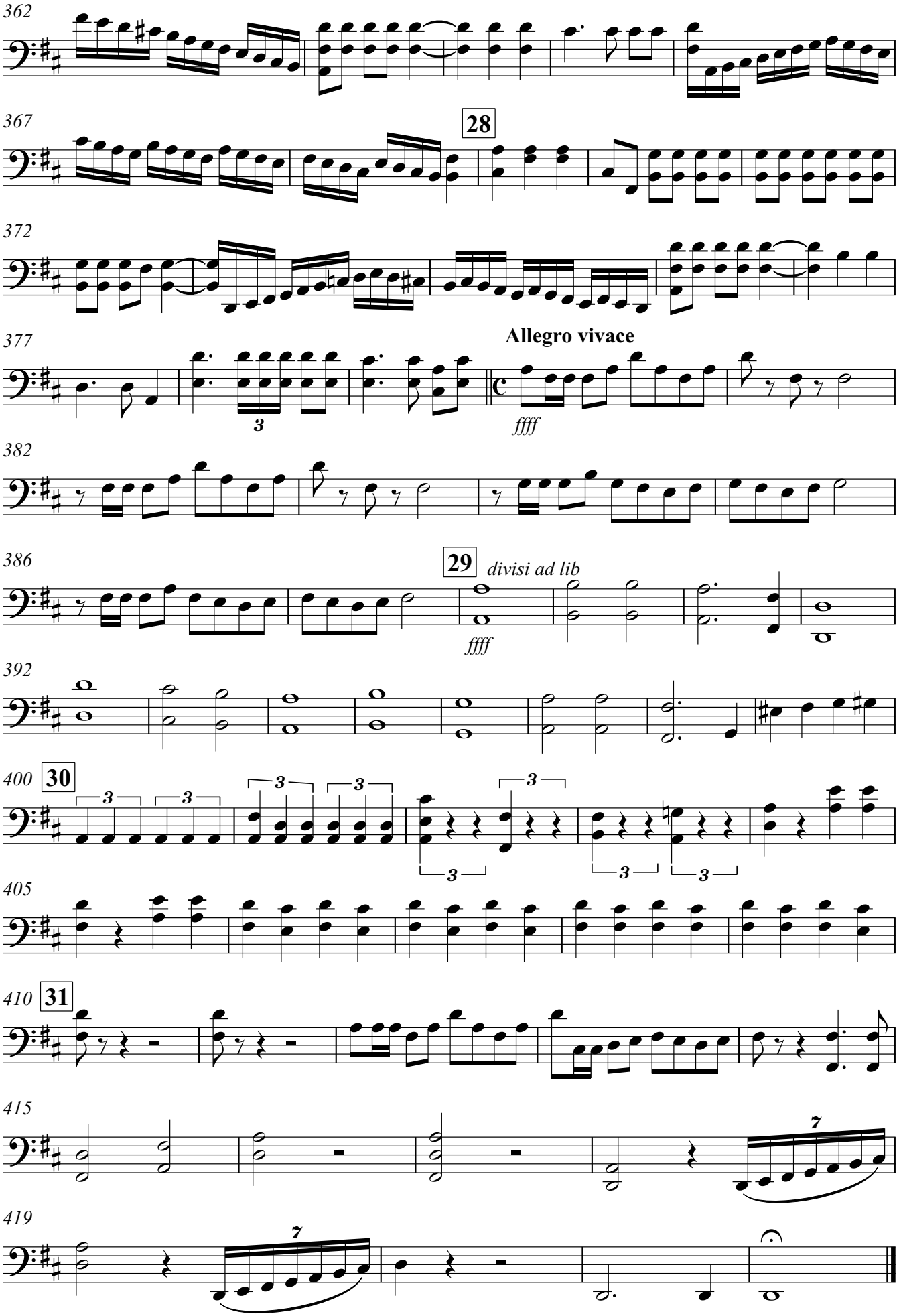


353 **27** **rall.** **rall.**



358 **Largo**

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Allegro vivace
ffff
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386
29
divisi ad lib
ffff
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400
30
405
410
31
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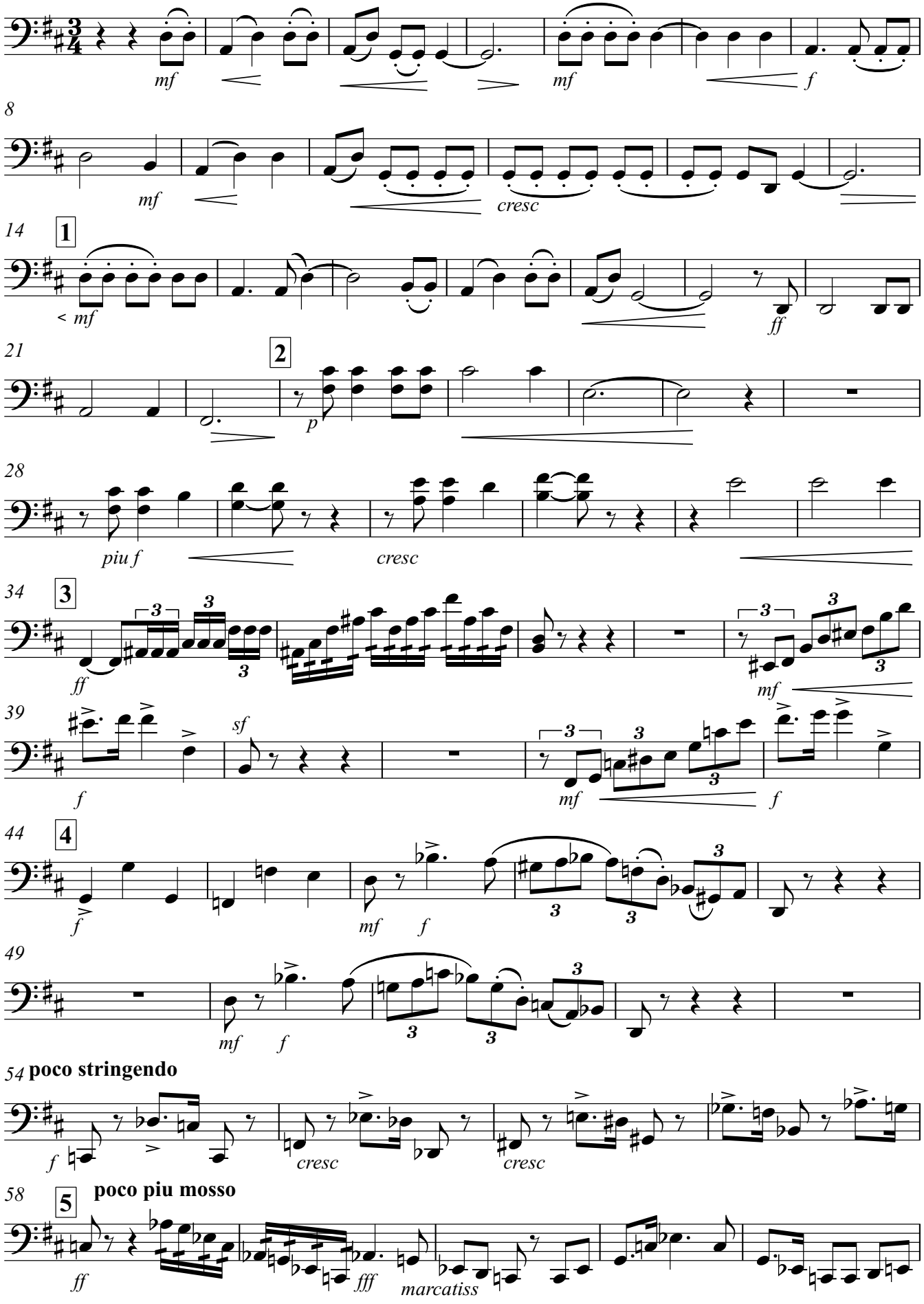
Largo

♩ = 60



63

68

fff

3

Andante

74

♩=80

mf

79

83

6

88

sf

f

91

p

p

mf

Allegro giusto

95

♩=138

(Allegro giusto)

96

f

100

ff

104

107 **7**

111

114

117 **8**

121

124

sempre f

127 **9**

129

131

133

cresc

136 **10**

cresc

ff

139

142

fff

145 **11**

149

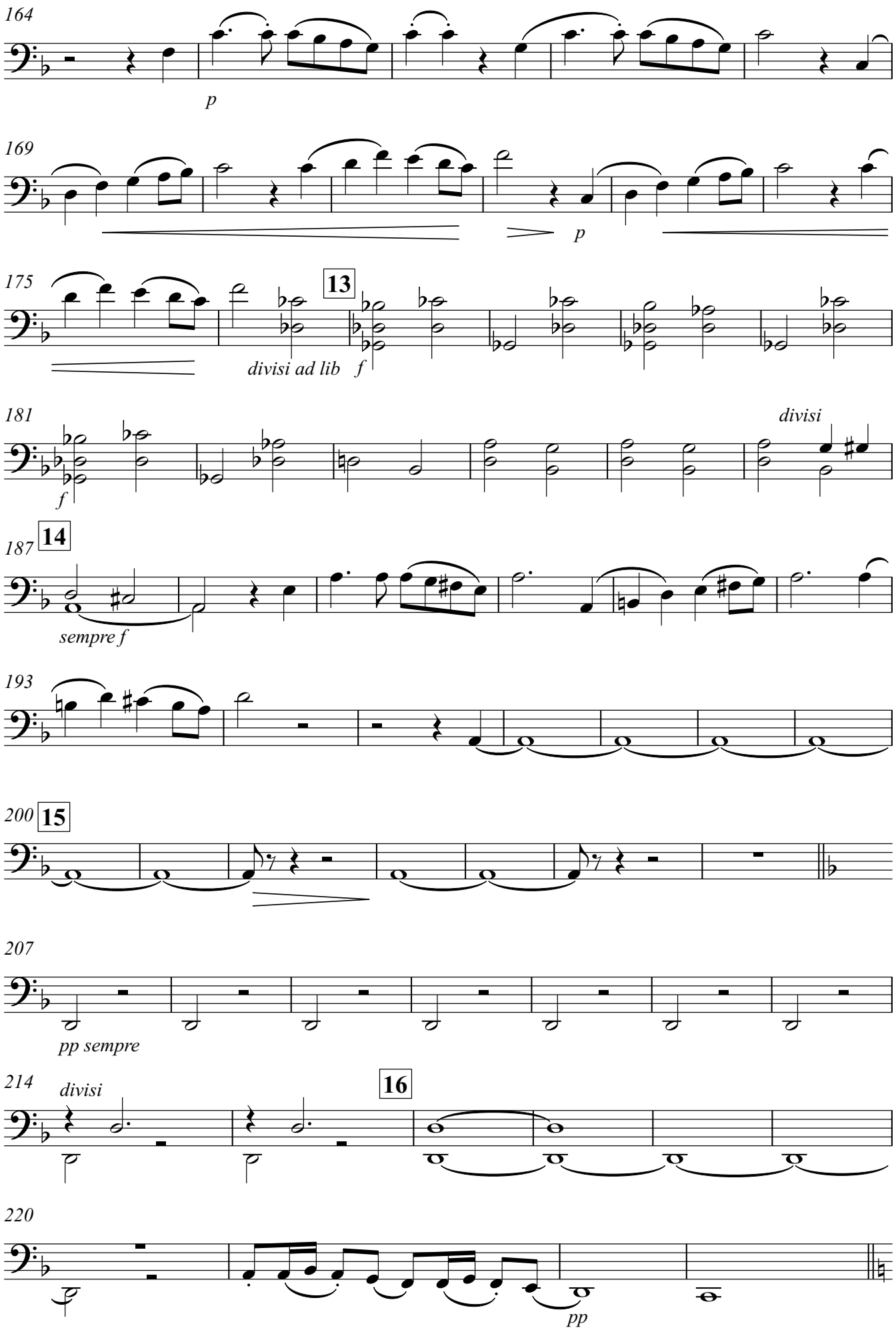
fff

153 **12**

157

160

163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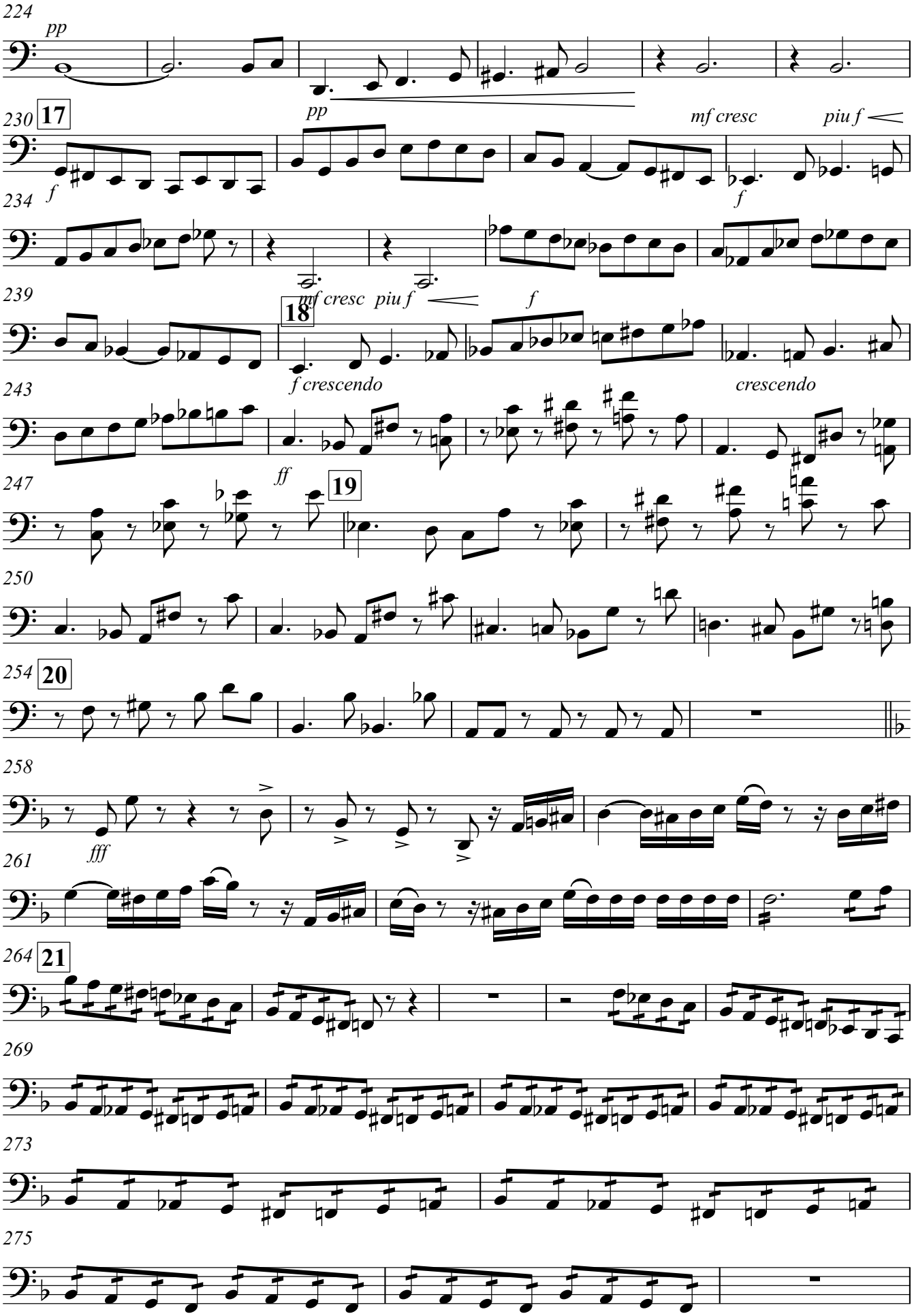
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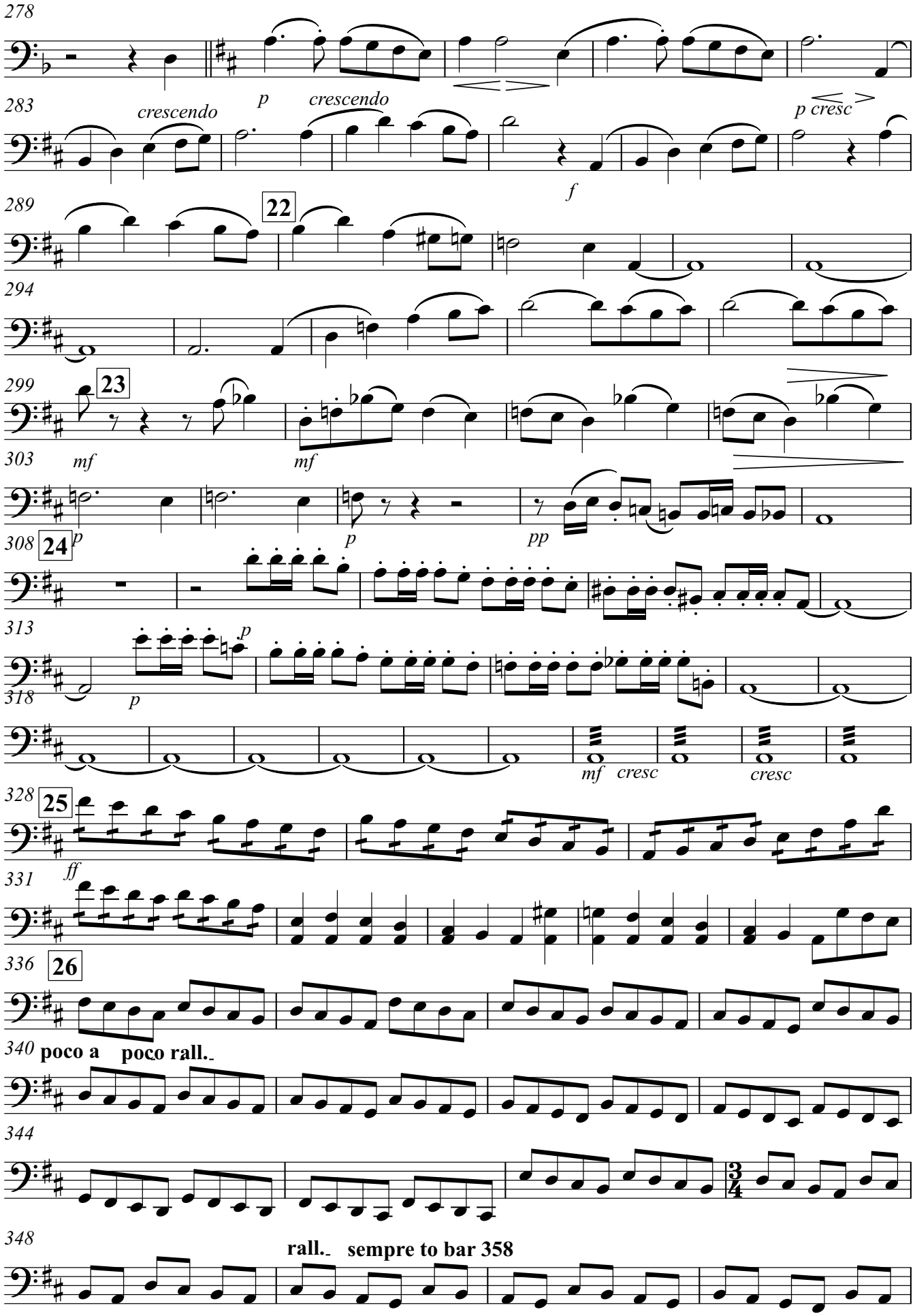
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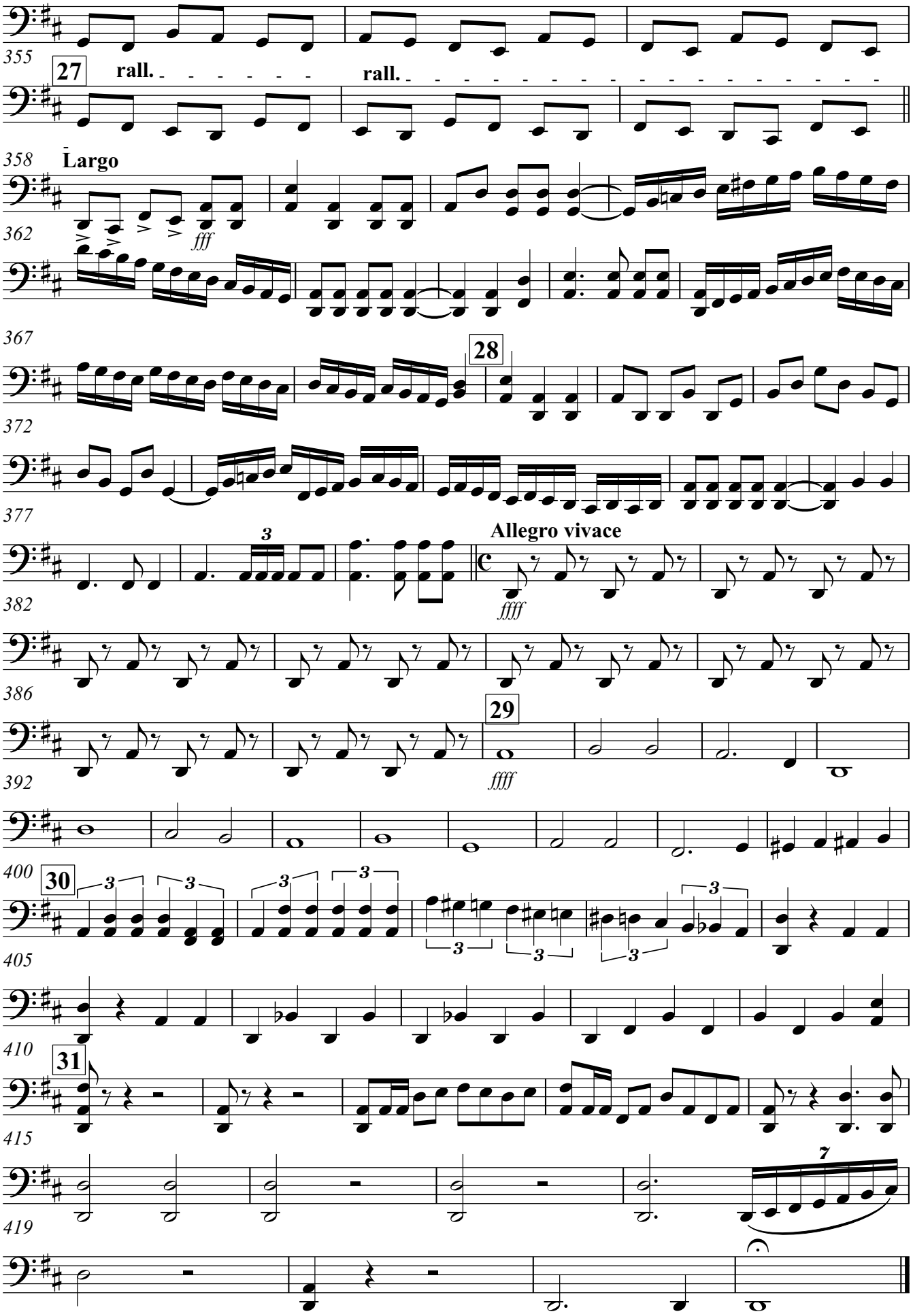
poco a poco rall.
344
348
rall. sempre to bar 358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