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**ALUMOT**  
*for large ensemble*

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**אלומות**  
לאנסמבל גדול

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## **Instrumentation:**

C Flute (doubling Bass Flute)  
Oboe  
Clarinet in Bb (doubling Bass Clarinet in Bb)  
Contrabassoon

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Horn in F  
Trombone

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Percussion player:  
Bass drum, Tam-tam, Vibraphone and Glockenspiel.

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Piano

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2 Violins  
Viola  
Violoncello  
Contrabass 5 strings (low string tuned to C)

- Transposed score -

**Duration:** c.a. 10'10"

**Commissioned by the Israel Contemporary Players  
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## Performance notes:

### Accidentals:

♭ = 1/8th tone flat

♮ = 1/8th tone sharp

♭ = 1/4th tone flat

♮ = 1/4th tone sharp

♭ = 3/4th tone flat

♮ = 3/4th tone sharp

♮ = 3/8th tone flat

♮ = 3/8th tone sharp

♭ = 5/8th tone flat

♮ = 5/8th tone sharp

### Multiphonics:

All multiphonics should be played as close as possible to the written pitches but not necessarily with the exact intonation. variation in intonation is acceptable and desirable.

### Strings:

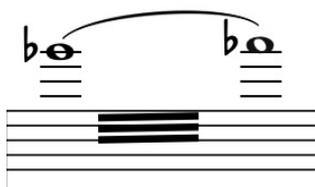
"Harsh tone" indication suggests to use a high bow pressure and to produce a dirty, less determined pitch.

### Contrabass:

The bottom string is tuned to C and is written at sounding pitch.

### Tremolo:

#### Between notes:



= three lines = ordinary unmeasured tremolo.



= four lines = fastest unmeasured tremolo.

#### One note tremolo:



= always flutter tongue on all wind and brass instruments and unmeasured tremolo on the rest of the instruments.

**N.B.:** Additional performance notes are indicated in the score itself.

# Alumot אלומות

-Transposed score-

for large ensemble

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2019

**♩=60 Larghetto misterioso**

2/4 3/4 2/4 4/4 2/4 3/4

Flute

Oboe

Clarinet in Bb

Contrabassoon

Horn in F

Trombone

Bass Drum

*p sempre*

Piano

**♩=60 Larghetto misterioso**

2/4 3/4 2/4 4/4 2/4 3/4

Violin I

Violin II

Viola

Violoncello

Contrabass

*pizz.*

*p sempre*

7

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Cbsn.

Hn.

Tbn.

B. D.

Pno.

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

*sfz*

*f*

*sfz*

*ppp* *f* *ppp*

*ppp* *f* *ppp*

*ppp* *f* *ppp*

arco, non pitch  
left hand mute

*ppp*

2/4 3/4 2/4 4/4

2/4 3/4 2/4 4/4

11

Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Cbsn.

Hn.

Tbn.

B. D.

Pno.

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

*sfz*

*ppp* *f* *ppp*

sul pont.

*ppp* *f* *ppp*

*ppp* *f* *ppp*

pizz.

arco, non pitch  
left hand mute

*fp*



20 **4/4** **2/4** **5/16**

Fl. *ppp* *mp*

Ob. *ppp* *mp*

Cl. *ppp* *mp*

Cbsn.

Hn. *p* *fp*  
 harmon mute  
 + o + o ad lib.

Tbn. *p* *fp*

Vib. l.v.

Pno. *ff*

Vln. I *p*

Vln. II *p*

Vla. *p*

Vc. *p*

Cb. *p*

22 **5/16** **3/4** To B. Fl. **4/4**

Fl. *ff*

Ob. *ff*

Cl. *ff*

Cbsn.

Hn. *ff*

Tbn. *ff*

Vib.

Pno.

Vln. I **5/16** **3/4** poco sul pont. , non vib. **4/4** *ff* *sub.* *ppp* *f* *ppp non dim.*

Vln. II *ff* *sub.* *ppp* *f* *ppp non dim.*

Vla. *ff* *sub.* *ppp* *f* *ppp non dim.*

Vc.

Cb.

\*

accel. . . . . ♩=72 Animato

Bass Flute

3/4

26 **A**

Fl. *ppp* *f* *3*

Ob.

Cl. *ppp*

Cbsn.

Hn.

Tbn.

Vib. *f* l.v.

Pno. *fff*

accel. . . . . ♩=72 Animato

3/4

Vln. I *n* *pp* ord.

Vln. II *n* *pp* ord.

Vla. *n* *pp* ord.

Vc. *pp* *ff* *pp* harsh tone

Cb. *p* *f* *ffff*

arco

31 **3/4** **4/4** **3/4**

B. Fl. *fp* *fff*

Ob. *pp* *f*

Cl. *ppp* *fp* *ad lib.*

Cbsn.

Hn. *ppp* *f*

Tbn. *ppp* *f* *o + o + ad lib.*

Vib.

Pno. *f* *8* *8*

Vln. I *ff* *pp* *ppp*

Vln. II *ff* *pp* *ppp*

Vla. *ff* *pp* *ppp*

Vc. *ppp*

Cb. *arco* *p*

34

B. Fl.

Ob.

Cl.

Cbsn.

Hn.

Tbn.

Vib.

Pno.

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

3/4

4/4

3/8

4/4

9

*fp*<sup>3</sup>

*fff*

*p*

*fff*

*fff*

*fff*

*fff*

*mf*

*fff*

*mf*

*fff*

*mf*

*fff*

*mf*

*fff*

wide molto vib.

harsh tone

*mf*

*fff*

*mf*

*fff*

*mf*

*fff*

*mf*

*fff*

**♩=60 Brillante**

37

B. Fl. *pp*

Ob. *pp*

Cl. *fp* *pp* *3* *3* *3* *3*

Cbsn. *fp*

Hn. *pp*

Tbn. *pp* senza sord.

Vib. *3*

Pno. *ff*

**♩=60 Brillante**

Vln. I non vib. *ppp* *f* *ppp* *ppp* *f* *ppp*

Vln. II non vib. *ppp* *f* *ppp* *ppp* *f* *ppp*

Vla. non vib. *mf* *< ff* *mf* *< ff* *mf* *< ff* *ff* *mf* *< ff*

Vc. non vib. *mf* *< ff* *mf* *< ff* *vib.* *mf* *< ff* *ff* *mf* *< ff* *mf* *< ff*

Cb. *mp*

40 **accel.** **♩=72 Poco agitato** **3/4** **4/4**

B. Fl. *ff ppp* *f*

Ob. *f p*

Cl. *ff*

Cbsn. *ppp* *ppp*

Hn. *senza sord.* *f p*

Tbn. *ff*

Vib. *To Glock.* *mf*

Pno. *f* *mp*

Vln. I **accel.** **♩=72 Poco agitato** **3/4** **4/4**  
*pp* *ff*

Vln. II *pp* *ff*

Vla. *mf < ff* *mf < ff* *pp* *ff*

Vc. *mf < ff* *mf < ff*

Cb. *mf* *fff* *mp*

*harsh tone*

This page of a musical score covers measures 43 and 44. The score is arranged in a standard orchestral layout with the following parts from top to bottom: B. Fl., Ob., Cl., Cbsn., Hn., Tbn., Vib., Pno., Vln. I, Vln. II, Vla., Vc., and Cb. The time signature changes from 4/4 in measure 43 to 3/4 in measure 44. The woodwind section (B. Fl., Ob., Cl., Cbsn.) has significant activity, with various dynamics such as *p*, *f*, *fp*, *ppp*, *fff*, and *f*. The brass section (Hn., Tbn.) plays *ppp* and *mf* notes. The piano part (Pno.) features a triplet of eighth notes in measure 44. The string section (Vln. I, Vln. II, Vla., Vc., Cb.) is mostly silent, with *ppp* dynamics indicated for the violins and double bass. The *arco* instruction is present for the double bass. The score includes various musical notations such as slurs, accents, and dynamic markings.

B. Fl. *mf* *fff*

Ob. *fp* *fff*

Cl. *fp* *fff* To B. Cl.

Cbsn.

Hn. *fp* *fff*

Tbn. *fp* *fff*

Vib.

Pno. *fff*

Vln. I wide molto vib. *mf* *fff* harsh tone

Vln. II wide molto vib. *mf* *fff* harsh tone

Vla. wide molto vib. *mf* *fff* harsh tone

Vc. wide molto vib. *mf* *fff* harsh tone

Cb. *mf* *fff*

**B** ♩=66 Adagietto affettuoso

48 Glockenspiel To Vib.

Glock. *p*

Vln. I *pp* sul tasto, non vib. ord., poco vib.

Vln. II *pp* sul tasto, non vib. ord., poco vib.

Vla. non vib. *pp* poco vib.

Vc. non vib. *pp* poco vib.

51

Vln. I sul pont., con vib. ord. (sempre vib.)

Vln. II sul pont., con vib. ord. (sempre vib.)

Vla. *cresc. poco a poco*

Vc. *cresc. poco a poco*

54

Vln. I *mf cresc. poco a poco* *col tutto l'arco*

Vln. II *mf cresc. poco a poco* *col tutto l'arco*

Vla. *mf cresc. poco a poco* *col tutto l'arco*

Vc. *mf cresc. poco a poco* *col tutto l'arco*

57

Vln. I *ff* *molto vib.* *ffff* *sub. ppp* *non vib.*

Vln. II *ff* *molto vib.* *ffff* *sub. ppp* *non vib.*

Vla. *ff* *molto vib.* *ffff* *sub. ppp* *non vib.*

Vc. *ff* *molto vib.* *ffff* *sub. ppp* *non vib.*

60

Vln. I *n*

Vln. II *n*

Vla. *n*

Vc. *n*

5/4 2/4

**C** ♩ = 69 Più pesante

non vib.

62

B. Fl. *ppp* non vib.

Ob. *ppp*

B. Cl. Bass Clarinet in B $\flat$  *ppp*

Cbsn.

Hn. *ppp*

Tbn. *sfz*

Vib. motor on - 100 bpm *ppp*

Pno. *ff*

8.....

♩ = 69 Più pesante

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb. pizz. *f*

66

B. Fl. *n* *ppp* multiphonics

Ob. *n*

B. Cl. multiphonics *pp*

Cbsn.

Hn. *n*

Tbn. *sfz*

Vib. *f*

Pno. *ff* *sfz*

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc. pizz. *f*

Cb.

2/4 3/4





**♩=72 Brillante e vigoroso**

**D**

80

**4/4** **3/4** **4/4** **4/4** **4/4**

B. Fl. *f* non vib. *ff* molto vib.

Ob. *f* non vib. *ff* molto vib.

B. Cl. *sfz* *sfz*

Cbsn. *sfz* *sfz* *sfz*

Hn. *sfz* *sfz* *sfz*

Tbn. *sfz* *sfz* *sfz*

Bass Drum *f secco* solo

Pno. *ff* *sfz* *sfz*

*brassy*

*8... Red.* *\* 8... Red.* *\* 8... Red.*

**♩=72 Brillante e vigoroso**

**4/4** **3/4** **4/4** **4/4** **4/4**

Vln. I *f* non vib. *ff* wide molto vib.

Vln. II *f* non vib. *ff* wide molto vib.

Vla. *f* non vib. *ff* wide molto vib.

Vc. *f* non vib. *ff* wide molto vib.

Cb. *sfz* *ord. pizz.* *ff*

*8... Red.* *\* 8... Red.* *\* 8... Red.*

85

C. Fl.  $\frac{5}{8}$   $\frac{4}{4}$   $\frac{3}{4}$   $\frac{4}{4}$   $\frac{2}{4}$

Ob.  $f$

B. Cl.  $\text{sfz}$

Cbsn.  $\text{sfz}$

Hn.  $\text{sfz}$

Tbn.  $\text{sfz}$

B. D. *l.v.*  $f$  *ppp*  $f$   $p$

Pno.  $p$   $ff$   $\text{sfz}$   $f$

Vln. I *8* *soli* *non vib.*  $f$   $fp$   $ff$   $f$

Vln. II  $f$   $fp$   $ff$   $f$

Vla.  $f$

Vc. *pizz.*  $\text{sfz}$   $\text{sfz}$   $f$  *arco*

Cb.  $\text{sfz}$   $\text{sfz}$   $\text{sfz}$

L.H. ruth beater shell strike

90

C. Fl. *ff* *fff* *sfz* multiphonic

Ob. *ff* *fff* *ff*

B. Cl. *sfz* *mf* *fff* *sfz* *sfz*

Cbsn. *sfz* *ff*

Hn.

Tbn. *sfz*

B. D. *f* *p*

Pno. *ff sempre*

Vln. I *ff* *ff pizz.*

Vln. II *ff* *ff pizz.*

Vla. *ff*

Vc. *ff*

Cb. *sfz* *sfz*

95

C. Fl. *ff* *mf*

Ob. *mf*

B. Cl. *f* *p* *f*

Cbsn. *f*

Hn. *mp tenuto e calmo*

Tbn. *mp tenuto e calmo* *f* *fp*

B. D. *p* *f* *p* To T.t.

Pno.

Vln. I arco, con vib. sul IV, non vib. *mf* *mp*

Vln. II arco, con vib. sul IV, non vib. *mf* *mp*

Vla. con vib. sul III, non vib. *mf* *mp*

Vc. snap pizz. *sffz*

Cb. snap pizz. *sffz*



$\text{♩} = 72$  Con anima

105

**3/4**

C. Fl.

Ob.

B. Cl.

Cbsn.

Hn.

Tbn.

Bass Drum

B. D.

*ff*

Pno.

*ff*

8..1

8..1

**3/4**

**4/4**

$\text{♩} = 72$  Con anima  
sul pont., non vib.

*p* 3 3 3 3

sul pont., non vib.

*p* 6 6 6 6

sul pont., non vib.

*p* arco, sul pont., non vib.

*p* 5 5 5 5

pizz.

*ff*

v.d.

109

C. Fl.

Ob.

B. Cl.

Cbsn.

Hn.

Tbn.

B. D. *p secco* To Glock.

Pno. *p* *ff sempre*

Vln. I *f* *p* sul pont. *f* *pppp* non vib.

Vln. II *f* *p* sul pont. *f* *pppp* non vib.

Vla. *f* *p* sul pont. *f* *pppp* non vib.

Vc. *f* *pppp*

Cb. *p* *ff*

2/4 4/4 5/4 4/4



118 **4/4**

C. Fl. *f* *p*

Ob. *p*

B. Cl. *f* *sub. sfz*

Cbsn.

Hn.

Tbn.

Glock. To B. D.

Pno.

Vln. I *fp* *ppp* *ord.* *mp*

Vln. II *fp* *ppp* *ord.* *mp*

Vla. *fp* *ppp*

Vc. *ord., non vib.* *mp*

Cb.

**3** **4/4**

123 **4/4**

C. Fl. *echo*

Ob. *solo* *p espress.* *f* *p* *3* *ppp*

B. Cl. *sfz* *sfz*

Cbsn. *sfz* *sfz*

Hn.

Tbn.

Glock.

Pno. *sfz* *8...*

Vln. I *3 mp* *solo* *p espress.* *f* *3*

Vln. II *p* *f* *fp* *f* *ppp* *sul II, echo*

Vla. *ord.* *mp* *f* *pp* *echo*

Vc. *p* *f* *3* *fp*

Cb. *ff*

127

C. Fl. *ppp* *mp*

Ob. *mp* *f espr.* soli (with Vln. I) *p*

B. Cl.

Cbsn.

Hn. *sfz* brassy

Tbn.

Glock. Bass Drum *f*

Pno. *sfz* *Red.* *8* *3*

Vln. I *fp* *mp* *p* *pp* *ppp* *f espress.* ord. sul pont. soli (with oboe)

Vln. II *mp* *p* *pp* *ppp* ord. sul pont.

Vla. *mp* *p* *pp* *ppp* ord. sul pont.

Vc. *f* *mp* *p* *pp* *ppp* *ppp espr.* ord. sul pont.

Cb. seagull effect ad lib. *mp* *ppp* *ff*

3/4 4/4

131

C. Fl. *mf*

Ob. *p*

B. Cl. *ff* *fff* 5:3

Cbsn. *ff*

Hn.

Tbn. *p* 3 *senza sord.*

B. D.

Pno. *sfz* *ff* 5:3

Vln. I *mf* *pp* *p*

Vln. II *ppp*

Vla. *pp*

Vc. *f* *mf* *fff* 5:3

Cb. *ff* *pizz.*

134

C. Fl.

Ob.

B. Cl.

Cbsn.

Hn.

Tbn.

B. D.

Pno.

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

*sfz sfz*

*sfz sfz*

*sfz sfz*

*sfz sfz*

*sfz sfz*

*sfz sfz*

*f sempre secco*

*brassy*

*tenuto*

*ff tenuto*

*ff tenuto*

*ff tenuto*

*ff tenuto*

*ppp f ppp*

*ppp f ppp*

*ff ppp f ppp*

*ff sempre arco*

*ff sempre*

*tenuto*

*tenuto*

2/4 3/4 5/8 4/4 2/4 3/4



**F** =66 Perdendosi

144 **4/4**

C. Fl. *f*  $\rightarrow$  *p* *fp* soli (with Vln. I)

Ob. *f*  $\rightarrow$  *ppp* *fp* *espress.*

B. Cl. ord.

Cbsn.

Hn. *fp*  $\rightarrow$  *pppp*

Tbn. *fp*  $\rightarrow$  *pppp*

B. D.

Pno. l.v.

Vln. I *f*  $\rightarrow$  *p* *fp* *espress.* soli (with oboe)

Vln. II *f*  $\rightarrow$  *ppp* *p*

Vla. *fp*  $\rightarrow$  *pppp* *p*

Vc. *fp*  $\rightarrow$  *pppp* *p*

Cb. *fp*  $\rightarrow$  *pppp*













169

4/4

C. Fl. *fff*

Ob. *fff*

B. Cl.

Cbsn.

Hn. *mf* *fff*

Tbn. *mf* *fff*

Glock. *l.v.*

Pno.

Vln. I *ff* *fff*

Vln. II *ff* *fff*

Vla. *mf* *fff*

Vc. *fffz* *fffz* *fffz* *pizz.*

Cb. *fffz* *fffz* *fffz*



177

C. Fl. *p* *ff* *p* *ff*

Ob. *p* *f*

Cl. *ff* *p*

Cbsn. *ff*

Hn. *ff*

Tbn. *ff*

Vib.

Pno. *ff*

Vln. I *vib.* *molto vib.* *non vib.* *pizz.* *f* *fp* *ff* *p* *ff*

Vln. II *f* *arco* *p* *ff*

Vla. *f*

Vc. *fp* *ff* *fp*

Cb. *ff*

5/4 4/4

3 3 3 3

arco

pizz.

8..

181

C. Fl. *p* 3 7 6 7

Ob. *p* 3 5

Cl. *fp* 5 3

Cbsn.

Hn.

Tbn.

Vib.

Pno.

Vln. I *p* sul II

Vln. II *p* 6 6 6 6 6 6 6 6

Vla. *p* arco 5 5 5 5

Vc. *pp*

Cb.

Detailed description: This page of a musical score covers measures 181 and 182. The woodwind section includes Clarinet in F (C. Fl.), Oboe (Ob.), Clarinet in Bb (Cl.), and Contrabassoon (Cbsn.). The brass section includes Horn (Hn.) and Trombone (Tbn.). The percussion section includes Vibraphone (Vib.) and Piano (Pno.). The string section includes Violin I (Vln. I), Violin II (Vln. II), Viola (Vla.), Violoncello (Vc.), and Contrabass (Cb.). The score features various musical notations such as dynamics (p, fp, pp), articulation (accents, slurs), and fingerings (3, 5, 6, 7). The woodwinds and strings play active parts, while the brass and percussion are mostly silent.

183

C. Fl. *3* *7* *7* *7* *7* *3*

Ob. *3*

Cl. *3* *3* *3* *3*

Cbsn. *ff*

Hn. *ff*

Tbn. *ff*

Vib. *motor off* *l.v.* *arco* *p*

Pno. *ff* *8...*

Vln. I *ppp*

Vln. II *6* *6* *6* *6* *ppp*

Vla. *5* *5* *5* *5* *ppp*

Vc. *ppp*

Cb. *ff*

185

4/4

186  $\frac{4}{4}$

C. Fl.  $p$   $ff$   $p$  dim. poco a poco  $7$

Ob.  $p^3 < f$   $3$   $p$  dim. poco a poco  $5$

Cl.  $p$   $fff$  dim. poco a poco  $5$

Cbsn.

Hn.

Tbn.

Vib.  $f$

Pno.

Vln. I  $p$   $ff$   $p$  dim. poco a poco

Vln. II  $p$   $ff$   $p$  dim. poco a poco  $6$   $6$   $6$   $6$

Vla.  $pizz.$   $arco$   $p$  dim. poco a poco  $5$   $5$   $5$   $5$

Vc.  $fp$   $p$  dim. poco a poco

Cb.

188

C. Fl.    Ob.    Cl.    Cbsn.    Hn.    Tbn.    Vib.    Pno.    Vln. I    Vln. II    Vla.    Vc.    Cb.

Detailed description of the musical score: The score is for measures 188-191. The woodwind section includes Clarinet in F (C. Fl.), Oboe (Ob.), Clarinet in Bb (Cl.), and Contrabassoon (Cbsn.). The string section includes Violin I (Vln. I), Violin II (Vln. II), Viola (Vla.), Violoncello (Vc.), and Contrabass (Cb.). The percussion section includes Horn (Hn.), Trombone (Tbn.), Vibraphone (Vib.), and Piano (Pno.). The woodwinds play melodic lines with triplets and slurs. The strings play rhythmic patterns, with the Viola and Violoncello featuring sixteenth-note runs. The percussion is mostly silent.

190

C. Fl. *ppp*

Ob. *ppp*

Cl. *ppp*

Cbsn.

Hn.

Tbn.

Vib.

Pno.

Vln. I *ppp*

Vln. II *ppp*

Vla. *ppp*

Vc. *ppp*

Cb.

192

C. Fl. *ppp*

Ob.

Cl. *n*

Cbsn.

Hn.

Tbn.

Vib. *l.v.* *arco* *pp* *f*

Pno.

Vln. I *n*

Vln. II *6* *n*

Vla. *5* *n*

Vc. *n*

Cb.