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# SONATA almost silent

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**Shapes**  $\text{♩} = 130$

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The musical score for "Shapes" is composed of six staves of piano music. The first staff begins with a dynamic of  $pp$ . A bracket below the staff indicates that the dynamic follows the shape of the melody, with lower notes being softer. The second staff starts with a dynamic of  $\text{R} \ddot{\text{o}}$ . The third staff begins with a dynamic of  $p$ . The fourth staff begins with a dynamic of  $mf$ . The fifth staff begins with a dynamic of  $8va-$ , followed by a dynamic of  $ppp$ .

**Staff 1:**  $pp$  (dynamic follows the shape of the melody - lower = softer)

**Staff 2:**  $\text{R} \ddot{\text{o}}$

**Staff 3:**  $p$

**Staff 4:**  $mf$

**Staff 5:**  $8va-$ ,  $ppp$

2

6

7

**Lines**  $\text{d} = 50$

8

$8^{va}$

15

23

*molto accel.*

3

5

6

6

(Shapes)

*p* (dynamic follows the shape of the melody - lower = softer) *mf*

*Reo.*

*f*

*mf*

*f*

*mf*

*mf*

*p* *pp* *p*

4

31

(Lines)

$\bullet = 50$

8va -

5 5 5 5 5

fff

p

\*

p

34

42

47

molto accel.

(Shapes)

$\bullet = 130$

(dynamic follows the shape of the melody - lower = softer)

mf

pp

$\text{L} \ddot{\text{o}}$

49

$\text{p}$

$mf$

50

$p$

$5$

51

52

53

54

55

56

**Harmonies**  $\text{♩} = 90$

6 58

*8va-*

62

*8va-*

66

*8va-*

70

*8va-*

play randomly like when many bells are ringing

75

81

86

*p*

*ppp*

*poco a poco molto cresc.*

*ped.*

*8va*

86

prepared piano sound (rubber piece between A and A# string)

*15<sup>ma</sup>*

92

*(8va)*

92

*(15<sup>ma</sup>)*

can be repeated many times  
until massive amount of sound reached

98

*(8va)*

*fffff*

*poco a poco senza ped.*

98

*(15<sup>ma</sup>)*

103

*mf*

*mf*

*p*

*ped.*

8

105

*molto accel.*      ♩ = 130

III

111

113

♩ = 60

*sim.*

117

123

♩ = 130

*molto accel.*      ♩ = 130

*pp*

*p*

125

*mf*

*f*

126

*molto rit.*

$\text{60}$

$5$        $5$

*sff*

*p*

*Ped.*

128

*accel.*

$8^{\text{va}}$

$5$

135

$90$

$(8^{\text{va}})$

*f*

*pp*

*sim.*

*poco a poco accel.*

*Ped.*

138

$130$

*f*

$5$        $5$

*Ped.*

139

$5$        $5$

*ff*

*p*

*Ped.*

10

141

*Rit.*

142

poco a poco senza ped.      \*      \*

### Silence $\text{♩} = 80$

144

144

*Rit.*

15<sup>ma</sup>      pp

150

150

(15<sup>ma</sup>)

155

155

(15<sup>ma</sup>)      \*      \*