

best breakfast for mind and body

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for Bb Clarinet Quartet



INSTRUMENTATION

Bb Clarinet 1

Bb Clarinet 2

Bb Clarinet 3

Bb Clarinet 4

PERFORMANCE NOTE

B.3 Overtone slide - lock into and oscillate between overtones of given pitch ad. lib.

B.13 Growls - growls may be added ad. lib.

B.22 Characteristic large glissando - while performing technique, "peek" out of the texture with high tones

B.28 a. Sway between two tones of multiphonic, choosing the multiphonic at your own discretion with given tones

b. Bb 2+4 can engage in scalar runs ad. lib.

B.33 Transition from air to microtonal trill, in fashion described in ossia

B.43 Bb 4 will add growls and noise alterations into tone ad. lib.

B.63 Add staccato interruptions into held tones ad. lib.

B.87 Alternate between sotto voce and voiced tone, similar to squeaky door

B.142 Spoken word

B. 160 Oscillate between overtones (Overtone slide), incorporating slaptongue and pops ad. lib.

B.192 Air sounds, with a heavy performative element

B.195 Create unholy and disgusting sounds of sickness into the clarinet

As best breakfast for mind and body progresses, 24-EDO becomes prevalent. Do not fret, approximations are absolutely acceptable, if not encouraged. Similarly, mimicry of the spoken text is equally an approximation; explore rhythmic phrasing alongside the electronics with liberty.

PROGRAM NOTE

Given the fact that I am 25 years old, I am permanently "locked" out of ever experiencing a time before 1998. People say that the past held amazing qualities, that it's what life today ought to be, and others say it carried great, and very real, danger. I tend to believe them, and really have no choice in the matter considering I am "locked" to whereabouts now o'clock. To me, bits of media from the past are ghosts invading our full-color-spectrum world; viewing these remnants on our modern devices feels odd, with the highest possible fidelity available on a commercial budget tasked with resurrecting old images and sounds. It is also funny to note that today's composers share this same relationship to their craft, but in reverse.

The point of the matter, say no to cigarettes.

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transposed score: for Bb Clarinet Quartet

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♩ = 120) start track

Clarinet in Bb 1

Clarinet in Bb 2

Clarinet in Bb 3

Clarinet in Bb 4

00:00:00:00 00:00:01:29

3

overtone slide

nasal/squawky tone

Cl. in Bb 1

overtone slide

nasal/squawky tone

Cl. in Bb 2

overtone slide

nasal/squawky tone

Cl. in Bb 3

overtone slide

nasal/squawky tone

Cl. in Bb 4

00:00:03:29 00:00:05:29 00:00:07:29 00:00:09:29

7

Cl. in B♭ 1

air

Cl. in B♭ 2

air

Cl. in B♭ 3

air

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:00:11:29 00:00:13:29 00:00:15:29 00:00:17:29

11

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

A

ad lib. grows

00:00:19:29 00:00:21:29 00:00:23:29

ad lib. growls

14

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

00:00:25:29 00:00:27:29 00:00:29:29

17

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

00:00:31:29 00:00:33:28 00:00:35:28

20

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:00:37:28 00:00:39:28 00:00:41:28

23

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

ad lib suction squeaks

00:00:43:28 00:00:45:28 00:00:47:28

26

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

drift between two tones
multiphonic of any kind, using these tones

ad libitum

drift between two tones
multiphonic of any kind, using these tones

ad libitum

00:00:49:28 00:00:51:28 00:00:53:28

29 *drift between two tones*

B air to trill

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

00:00:55.28 00:00:57.28 00:00:59.28 00:01:02.00 00:01:04.00 00:01:06.00

35 air to trill

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

00:01:07.29 00:01:09.29 00:01:11.29 00:01:13.29 00:01:15.29

40

Cl. in B♭ 1

air to trill

multiphonic drift

Cl. in B♭ 2

air to trill

air to trill

Cl. in B♭ 3

multiphonic drift

Cl. in B♭ 4

air to trill

periodic growls and random noise alterations

00:01:17:29 00:01:19:29 00:01:21:29 00:01:23:29 00:01:25:29

45

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

multiphonic drift

periodic growls and random noise alterations

00:01:27:29 00:01:29:29 00:01:31:29 00:01:33:29

49

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

periodic growls and random noise alterations

00:01:35:29 00:01:37:29

51

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

multiphonic of players choice

00:01:39:29 00:01:41:28 00:01:43:28 00:01:45:28 00:01:47:28

C freely, as if spoken

56

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

00:01:49:28 00:01:51:28 00:01:53:28

59

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

00:01:55:28 00:01:57:28

61

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

sub.

sub.

ad lib. interruptions

sub.

ad lib. interruptions

00:01:59:28 00:02:02:00 00:02:04:00 00:02:06:00

65

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

ad lib. interruptions

ad lib. interruptions

mf

mp

ff

f

sfz

sfz

sfz

sfz

00:02:08:00 00:02:10:00 00:02:12:00 00:02:13:29 00:02:15:29

70

D

Cl. in Bb 1

Cl. in Bb 2

Cl. in Bb 3

Cl. in Bb 4

00:02:17:29 00:02:19:29 00:02:21:29 00:02:23:29

Cl. in Bb 1

Cl. in Bb 2

Cl. in Bb 3

Cl. in Bb 4

00:02:25.29 00:02:27.29 00:02:29.29 00:02:31.29

78

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:02:33:29 00:02:35:29 00:02:37:29 00:02:39:29

82

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:02:41:29 00:02:43:29 00:02:45:29 00:02:47:28 00:02:49:28

87 **E**

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

strobe btwn. n->pp

strobe

00:02:51:28 00:02:53:28 00:02:55:28 00:02:57:28 00:02:59:28 00:03:02:00 00:03:04:00 00:03:06:00

95

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

00:03:08:00 00:03:10:00 00:03:12:00 00:03:14:00 00:03:16:00

100

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:03:18:00 00:03:20:00 00:03:21:29 00:03:23:29 00:03:25:29 00:03:27:29 00:03:29:29

107

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:03:31:29 00:03:33:29 00:03:35:29 00:03:37:29 00:03:39:29 00:03:41:29 00:03:43:29

ad lib. interruptions -> b.143

F

114

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

ad lib. interruptions -> b.143

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

ad lib. interruptions -> b.143

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

ad lib. interruptions -> b.143

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

00:03:45:29 00:03:47:29 00:03:49:29 00:03:51:29

118

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

00:03:53:28 00:03:55:28 00:03:57:28 00:03:59:28

122

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

air

mf

00:04:02:00 00:04:04:00 00:04:06:00 00:04:08:00

126

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:04:10:00 00:04:12:00 00:04:14:00 00:04:16:00 00:04:18:00

131

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:04:20:00 00:04:22:00 00:04:24:00 00:04:26:00 00:04:27:29

This block contains the musical notation for measures 131 through 135, which correspond to measures 1 through 5 of a 4-measure phrase. It features four staves for Clarinets in B-flat (Cl. in B♭ 1, 2, 3, and 4). The notation includes various musical symbols such as notes, rests, slurs, and dynamic markings like *sfz* (sforzando) and *f* (forte). The time signature is 4/4. A timeline at the bottom indicates the progression of time from 00:04:20:00 to 00:04:27:29.

136

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:04:29:29 00:04:31:29 00:04:33:29 00:04:35:29 00:04:38:14

This block contains the musical notation for measures 136 through 140, which correspond to measures 6 through 10 of a 4-measure phrase. It features four staves for Clarinets in B-flat (Cl. in B♭ 1, 2, 3, and 4). The notation includes various musical symbols such as notes, rests, slurs, and dynamic markings like *sfz* (sforzando) and *f* (forte). The time signature is 4/4. A timeline at the bottom indicates the progression of time from 00:04:29:29 to 00:04:38:14.

141

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:04:39:29

00:04:41:29

it's toast - ed

it's toast - ed

toast - ed it's

it's toast - ed

143

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:04:43:29

00:04:45:29

00:04:47:29

it's toast - ed it's toast - ed it's toast - ed it's toast - ed

it's toast - ed it's toast - ed it's toast - ed it's toast - ed toast

toast - ed it's toast - ed it's toast - ed it's toast - ed it's toast

it's toast - ed it's toast - ed it's toast - ed it's toast - ed

G

146

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:04:49:29 00:04:51:29 00:04:53:29

This block contains the musical notation for measures 146 through 151. It features four staves for Clarinets in B-flat (Cl. in B♭ 1, 2, 3, and 4). Measures 146-148 show the beginning of a section with various dynamics (f, sfz, p) and articulations (accents, slurs). Measures 149-151 continue the piece with more complex rhythmic patterns and dynamics. The bottom of the page shows time stamps: 00:04:49:29, 00:04:51:29, and 00:04:53:29.

149

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:04:55:29 00:04:57:29 00:04:59:29

This block contains the musical notation for measures 149 through 154. It features four staves for Clarinets in B-flat (Cl. in B♭ 1, 2, 3, and 4). Measures 149-151 show the continuation of the previous section. Measures 152-154 introduce a new section with a key signature change to one sharp (F#) and a time signature change to 3/4. The notation includes various dynamics (f, p, sfz, p sub.), articulations (accents, slurs), and fingerings (5). The bottom of the page shows time stamps: 00:04:55:29, 00:04:57:29, and 00:04:59:29.

152 H

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:05:02:00 00:05:04:00 00:05:06:00

155

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

overtone slide

overtone slide

overtone slide

overtone slide

00:05:08:00 00:05:10:00 00:05:12:00

158

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

freely overblow harmonics

I

ad lib. harmonic gliss w/ slaptongue

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

freely overblow harmonics

ad lib. harmonic gliss w/ slaptongue

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

freely overblow harmonics

ad lib. harmonic gliss w/ slaptongue

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

freely overblow harmonics

ad lib. harmonic gliss w/ slaptongue

00:05:14:00 00:05:16:00 00:05:18:00

161

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

00:05:20:00 00:05:22:00 00:05:24:00 00:05:26:00 00:05:28:00 00:05:30:00 00:05:32:00

168

sim.

J

Cl. in B $\flat$ 1

Cl. in B $\flat$ 2

Cl. in B $\flat$ 3

Cl. in B $\flat$ 4

00:05:33:29 00:05:35:29 00:05:37:29 00:05:39:29 00:05:41:29 00:05:43:29 00:05:45:29

175

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:05:47:29 00:05:49:29 00:05:51:29 00:05:53:29

179

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:05:55:29 00:05:57:29 00:05:59:29 00:06:02:01

183

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:06:04:01 00:06:06:01 00:06:08:00

186

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:06:10:00 00:06:12:00 00:06:14:00

189

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

air

f

00:06:16:00 00:06:18:00 00:06:20:00

K

192

ghost tones

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

ghost tones

ghost tones

ghost tones

ghost tones

00:06:22:00 00:06:24:00 00:06:26:00

195 gargle into mouthpiece (as if the cigarettes have finally taken hold)

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:06:28:00 00:06:30:00 00:06:32:00 00:06:34:00 00:06:36:00 00:06:38:00

201 "cleaner... fresher..."

Cl. in B♭ 1

Cl. in B♭ 2

Cl. in B♭ 3

Cl. in B♭ 4

00:06:40:00 00:06:41:29 00:06:43:29 00:06:45:29