Forord

I december 2009 ville den danske komponist Vagn Holmboe være fyldt 100 år. I den anledning fik jeg en opfordring fra trompetisten Henrik Rønnow om at komponere et værk for trompet og orgel, der på den ene eller anden måde kunne referere til Holmboe.

Resultatet blev denne messe - en messe uden ord - skrevet med inspiration fra tekstledene i den katolske kirkes messe. De enkle satser har fået en dansk overskrift, der beskriver noget centralt i den tekst, der knytter sig til satsen.

Som musikalsk afsæt til værket har jeg arbejdet med en række figurer og musikalske former, jeg finder typiske for Holmboe. Heriblandt en hoppende basfigur, tonegentagelser, gruppetriller og metamorfoseprincipper. Det musikalske oplæg fra Holmboe benyttes ganske frit, men til tider får han dog lov til at stikke sit venlige hoved helt frem i musikkens overflade.

Lasse Toft Eriksen, februar 2011

Preface

In December 2009 the Danish composer Vagn Holmboe would have been able to celebrate his 100th birthday. In this connection I was asked by the trumpeter Henrik Rønnow to compose a work for trumpet and organ which somehow bore some relation to Holmboe.

The result was this mass - a mass without words - inspired by the words of the texts in the Roman Catholic mass. The various movements have been given a Danish heading which describes something central in the text associated with the movement.

As a musical point of departure to the work I have used a number of figures and musical forms which I find are typical of Holmboe, including a leaping bass figure, note repetitions, groups of trills and principles of metamorphosis. Holmboe's musical material is used quite freely, but at times his friendly face is however allowed to bob up to the surface of the music.

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Lasse Toft Eriksen:
Messe for trompet og orgel/
Mass for trumpet and organ
Hommage à Vagn Holmboe

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MESSE FOR TROMPET OG ORGEL

MASS FOR TRUMPET AND ORGAN

HOMMAGE À VAGN HOLMBOE

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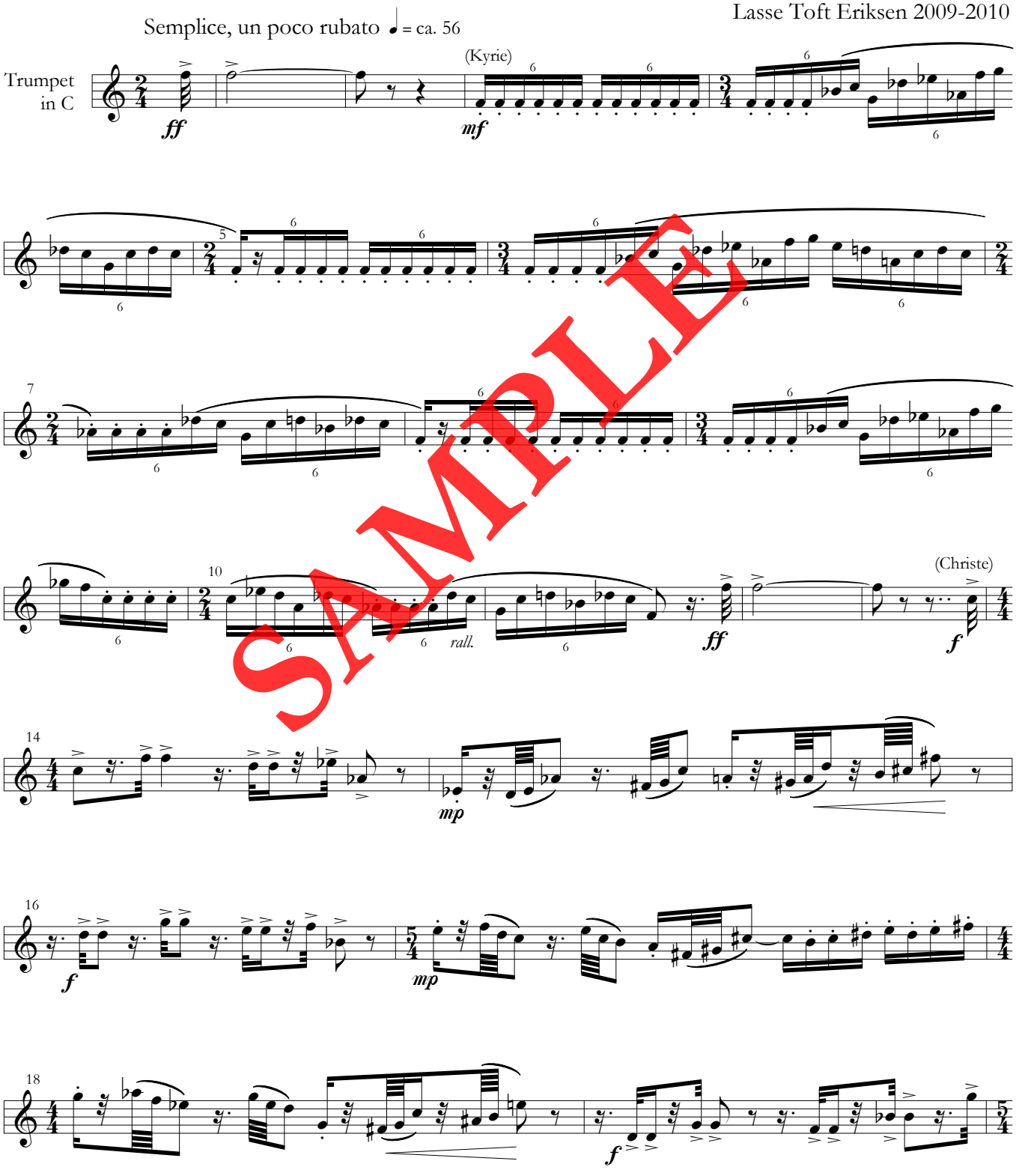

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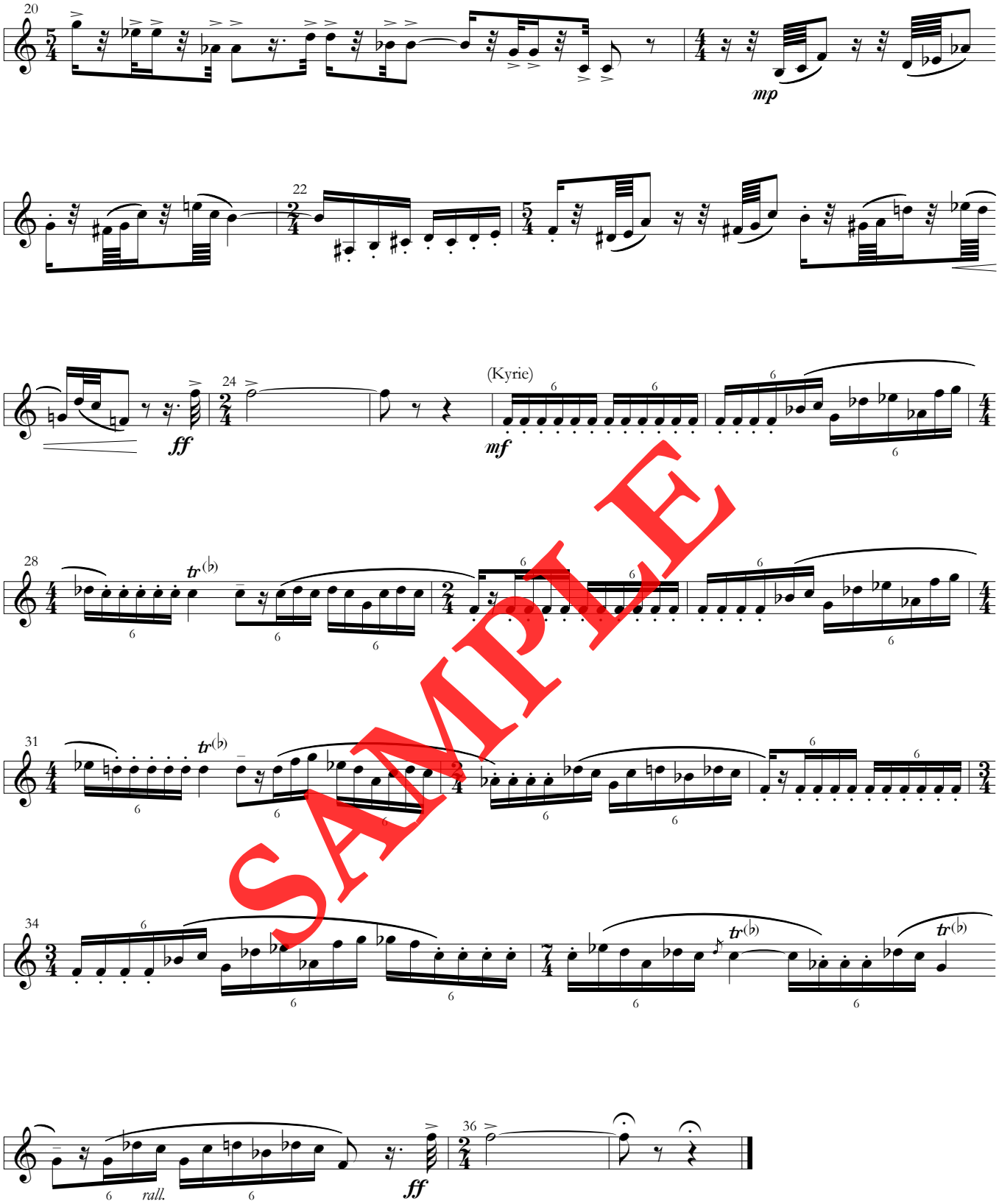

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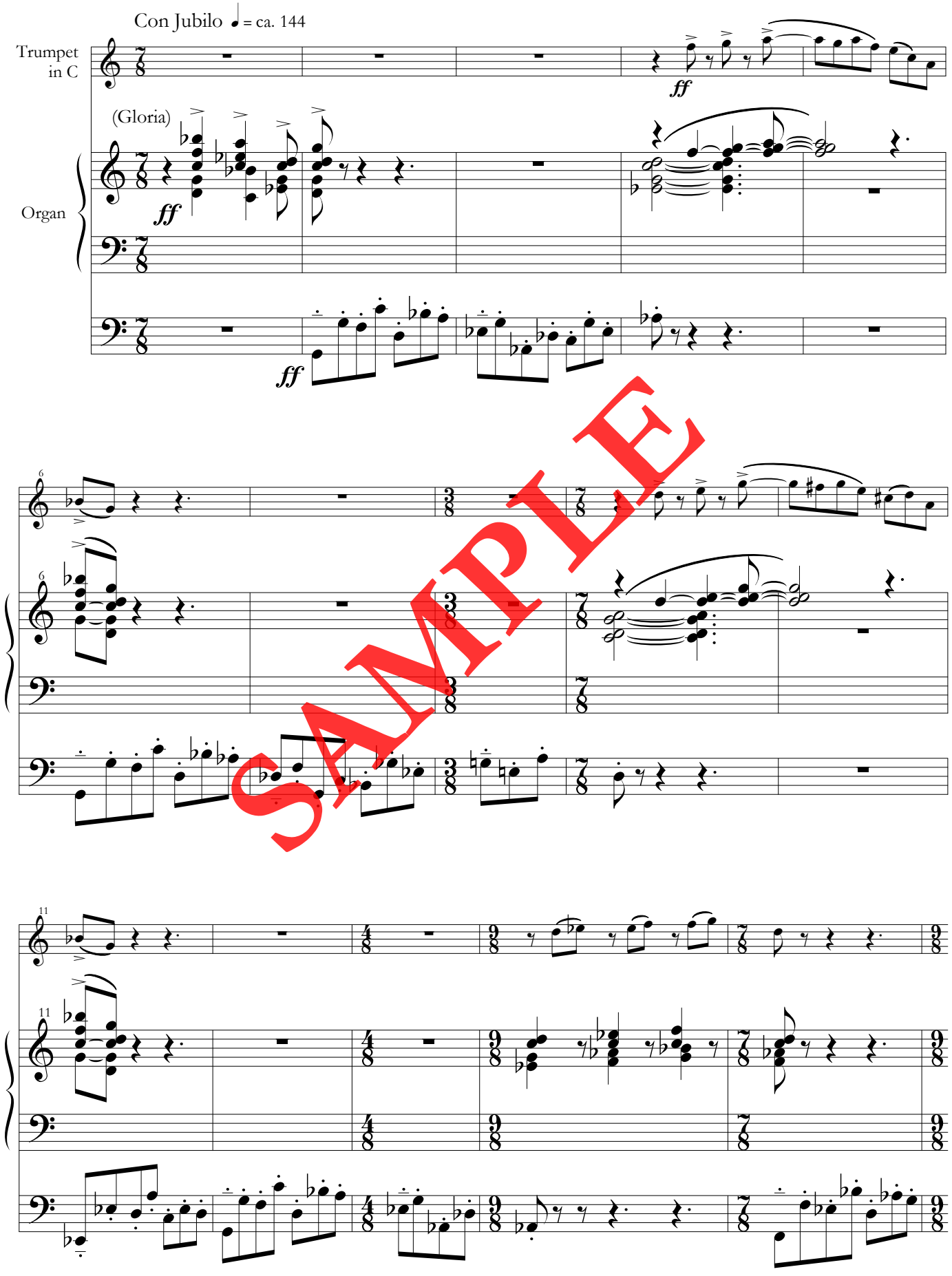

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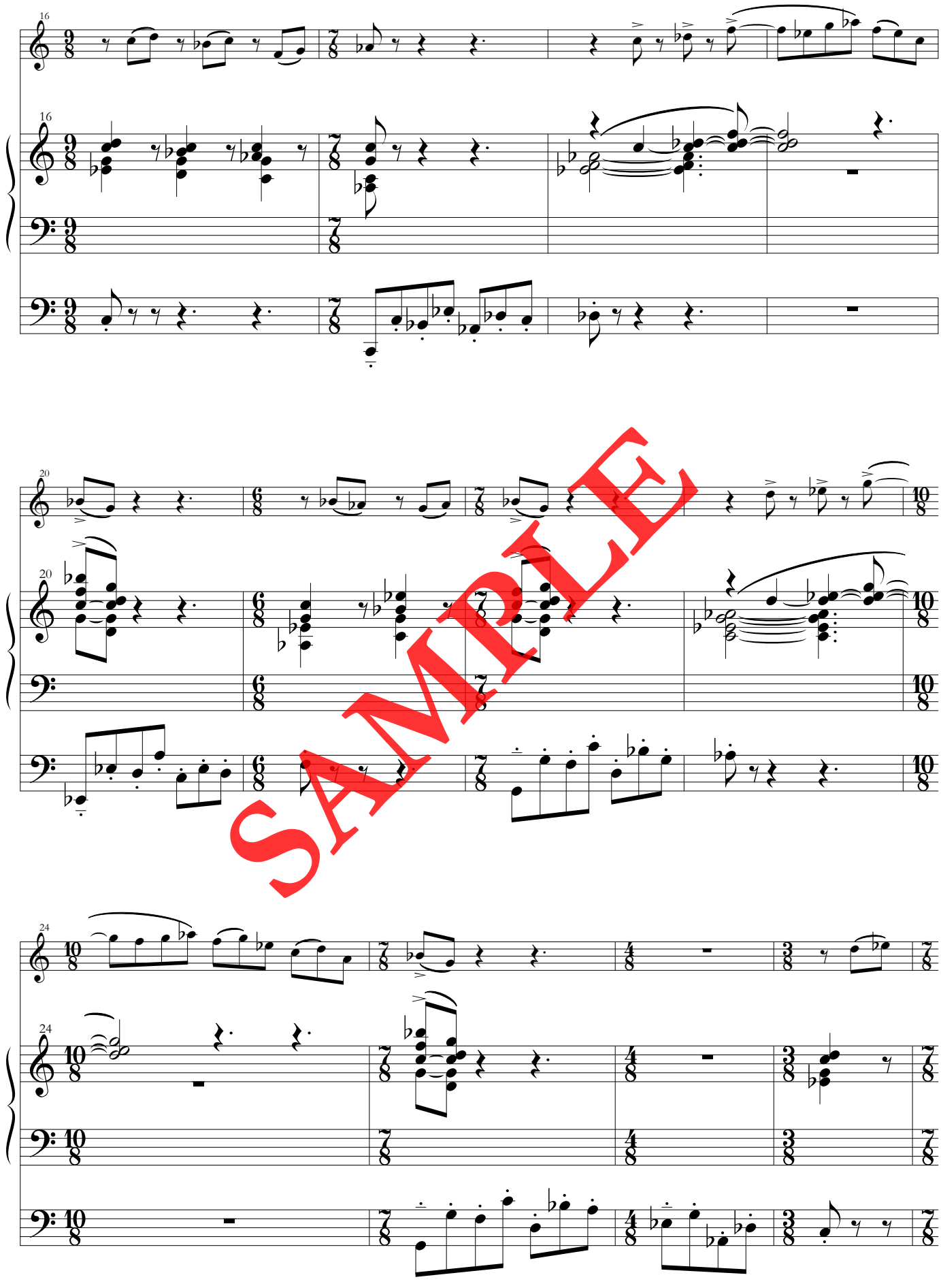

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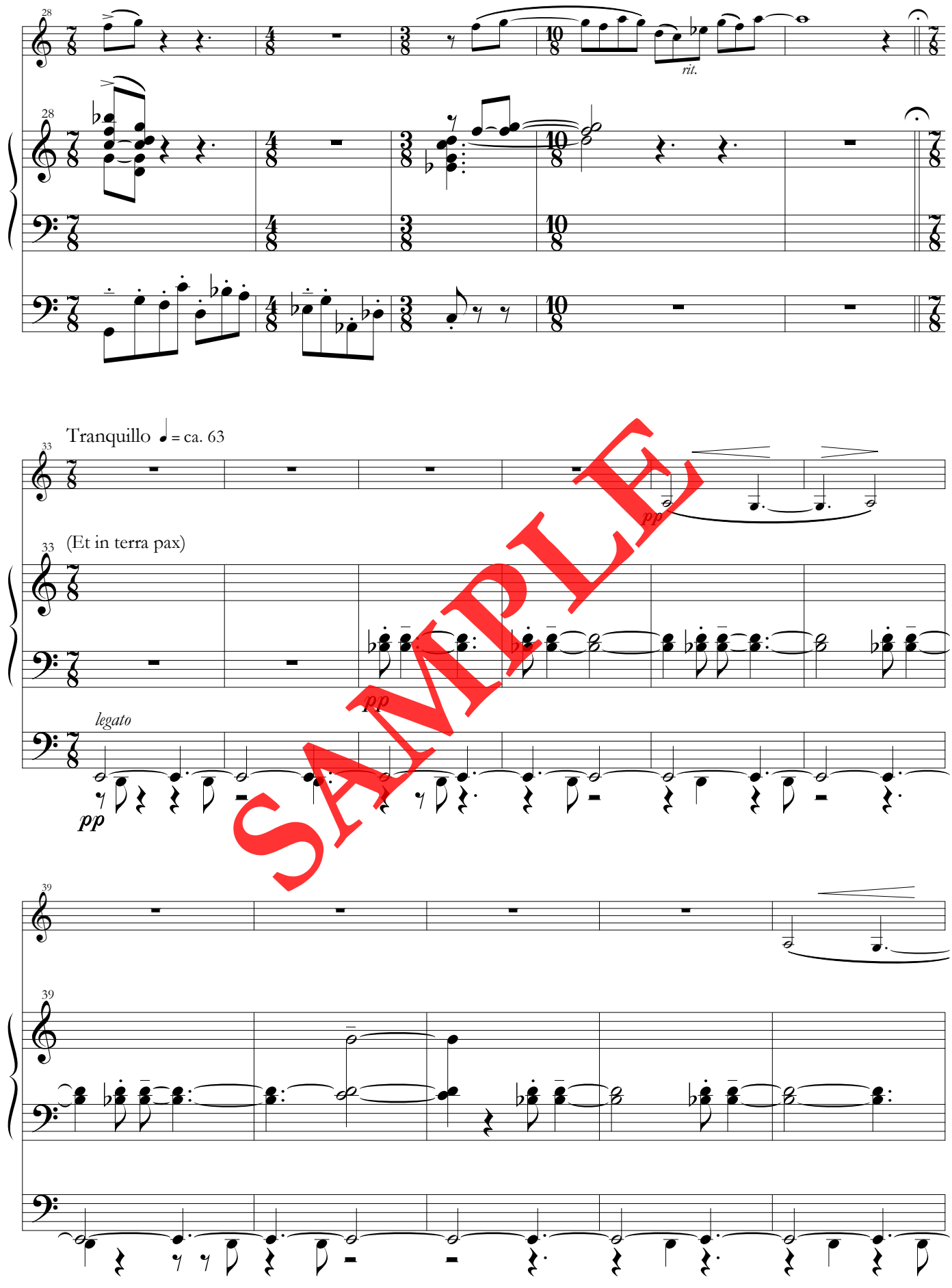

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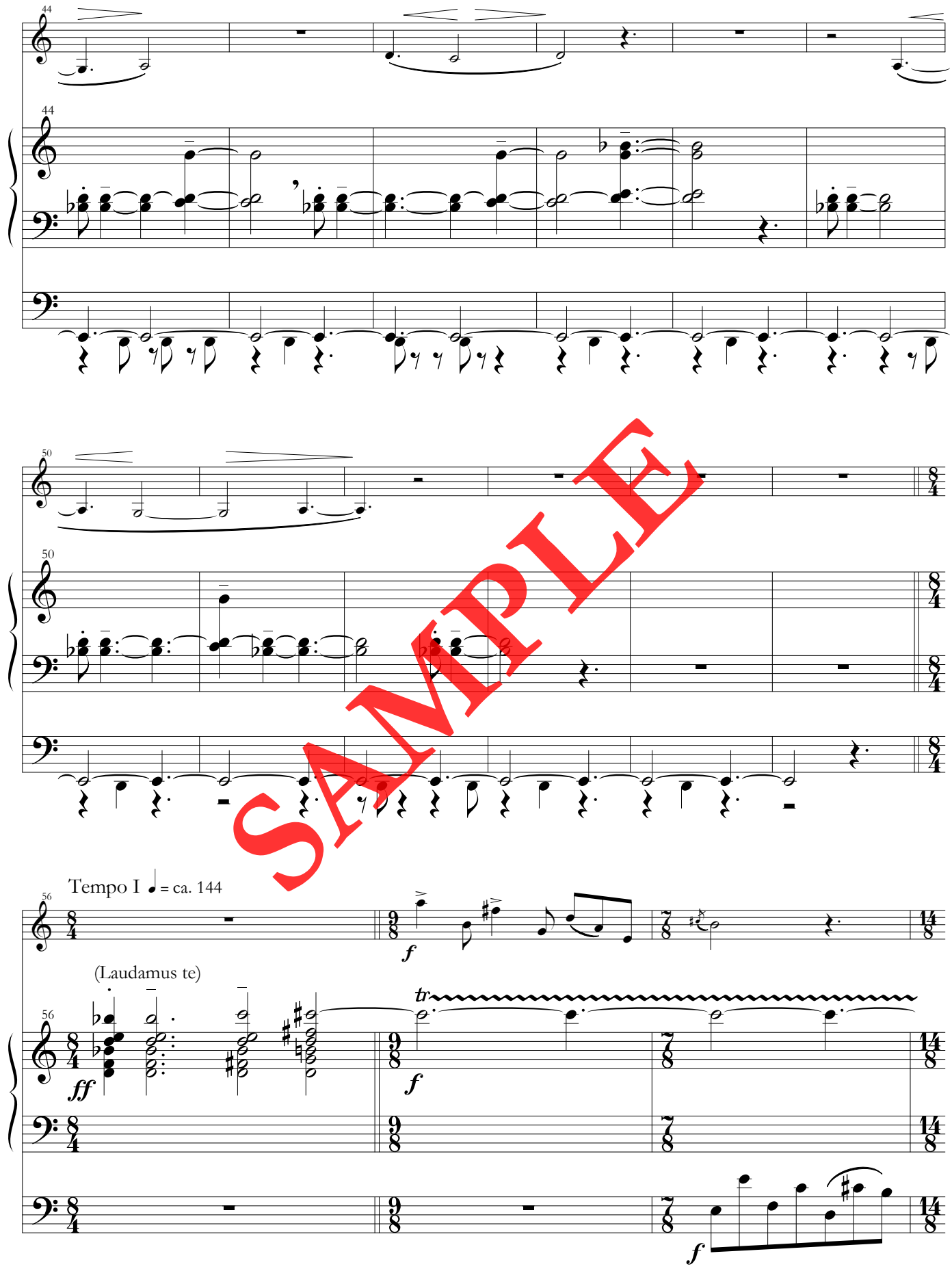

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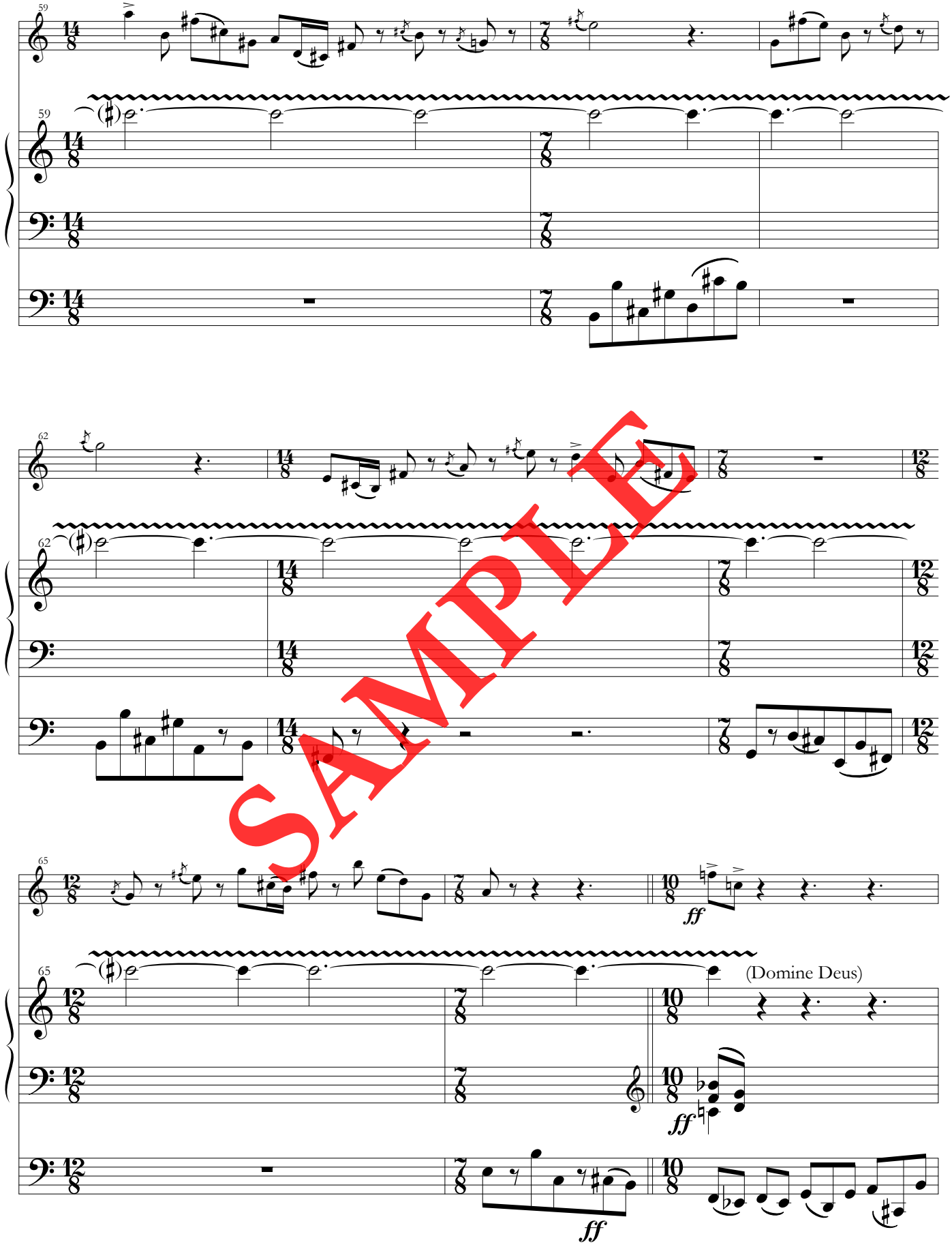

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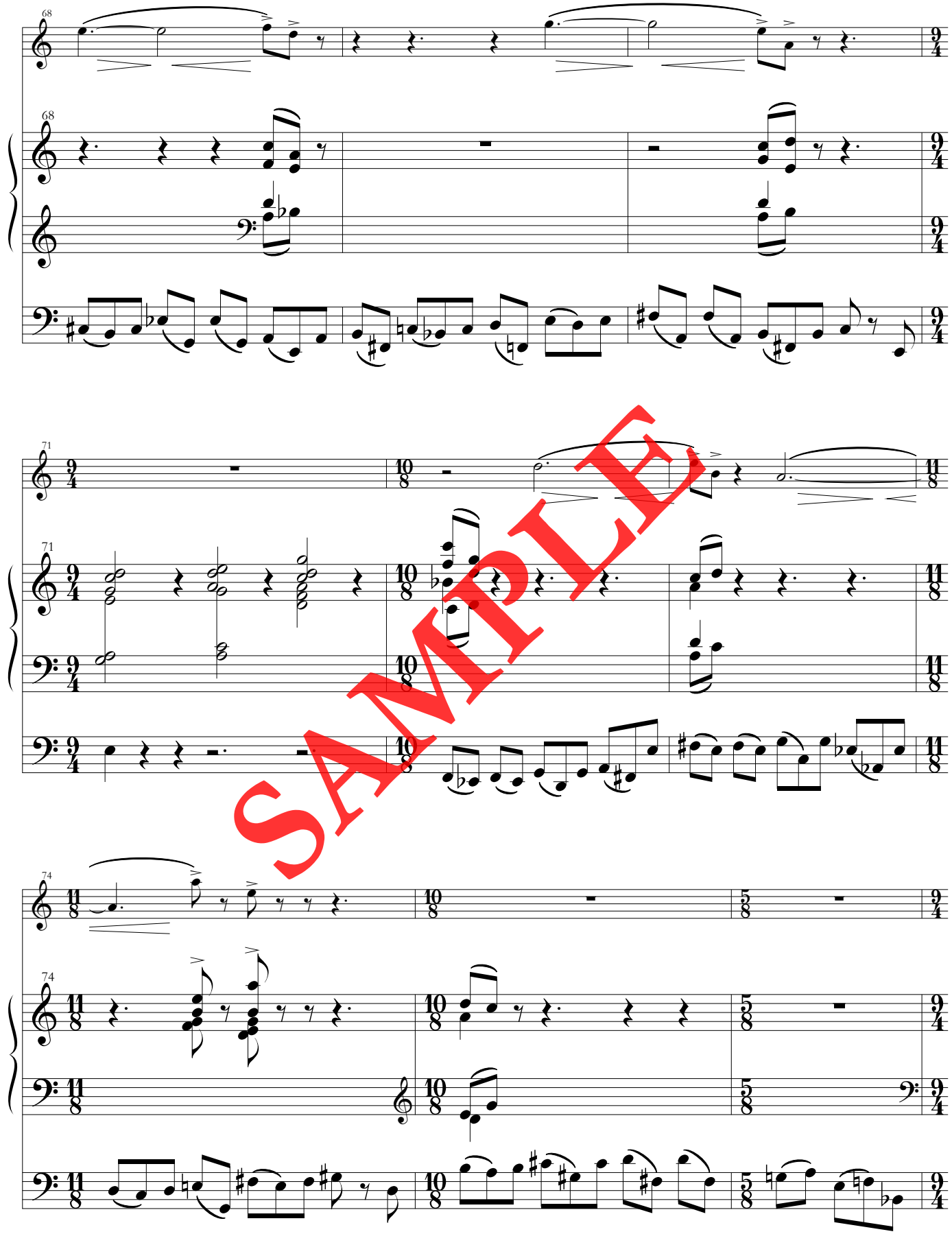

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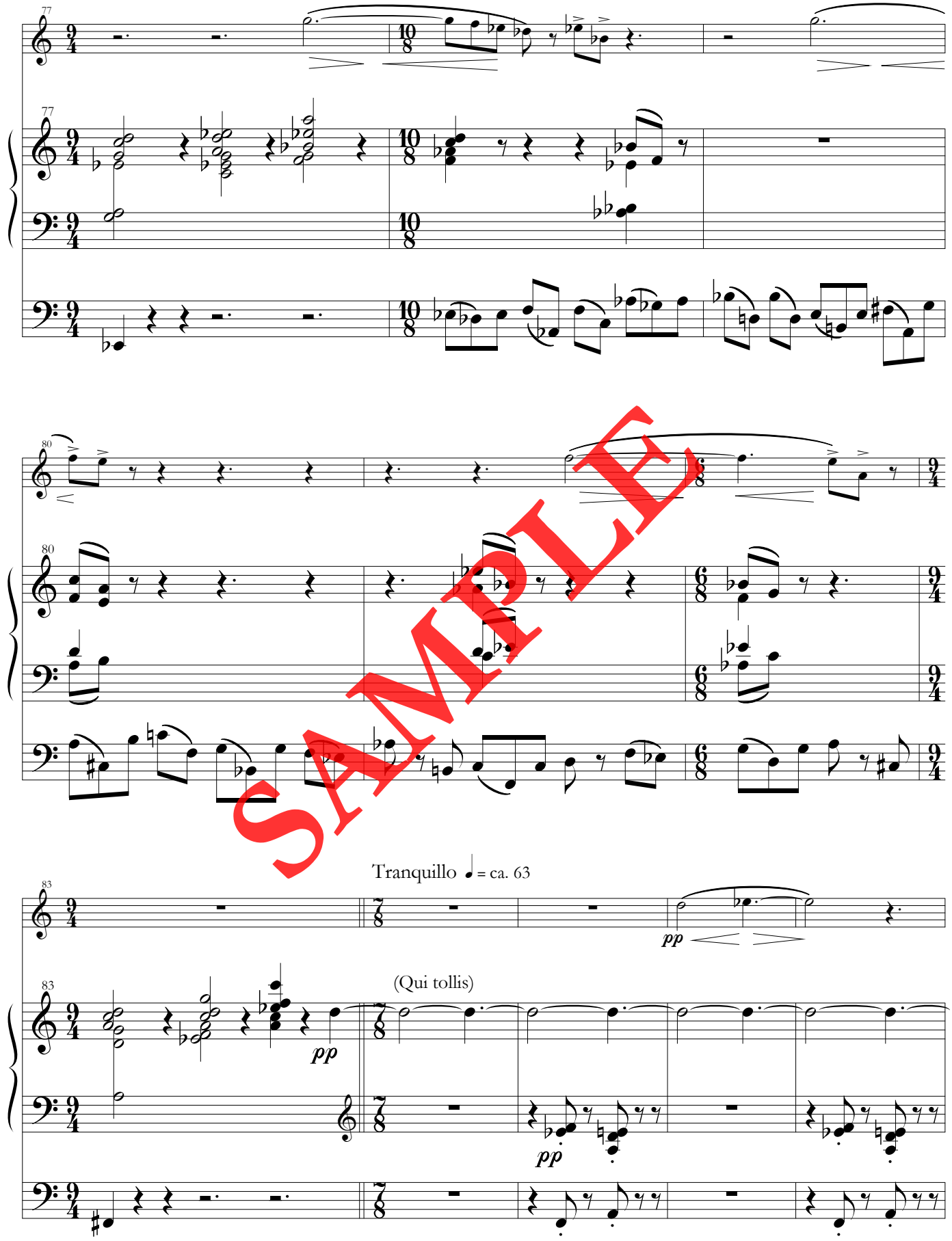

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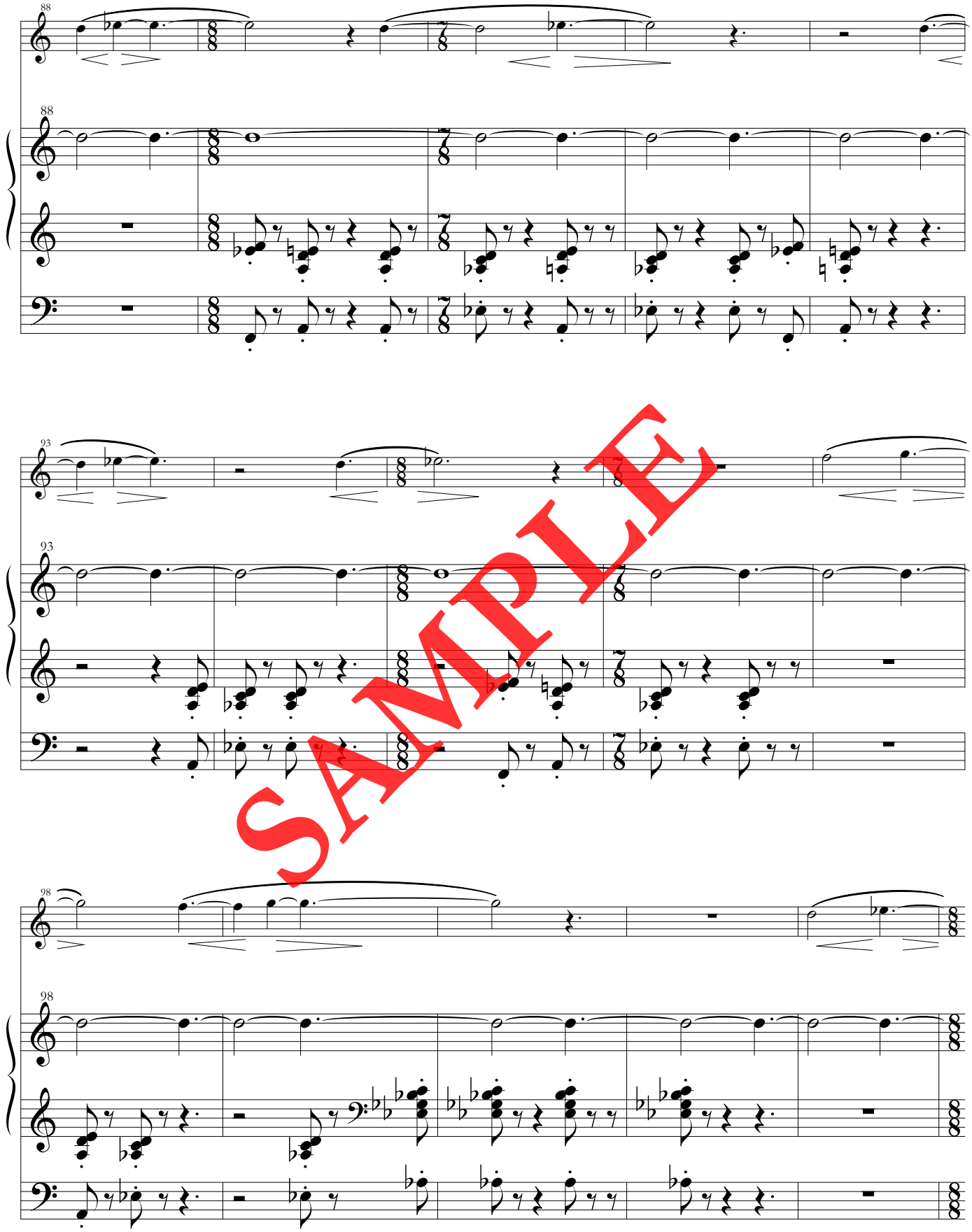

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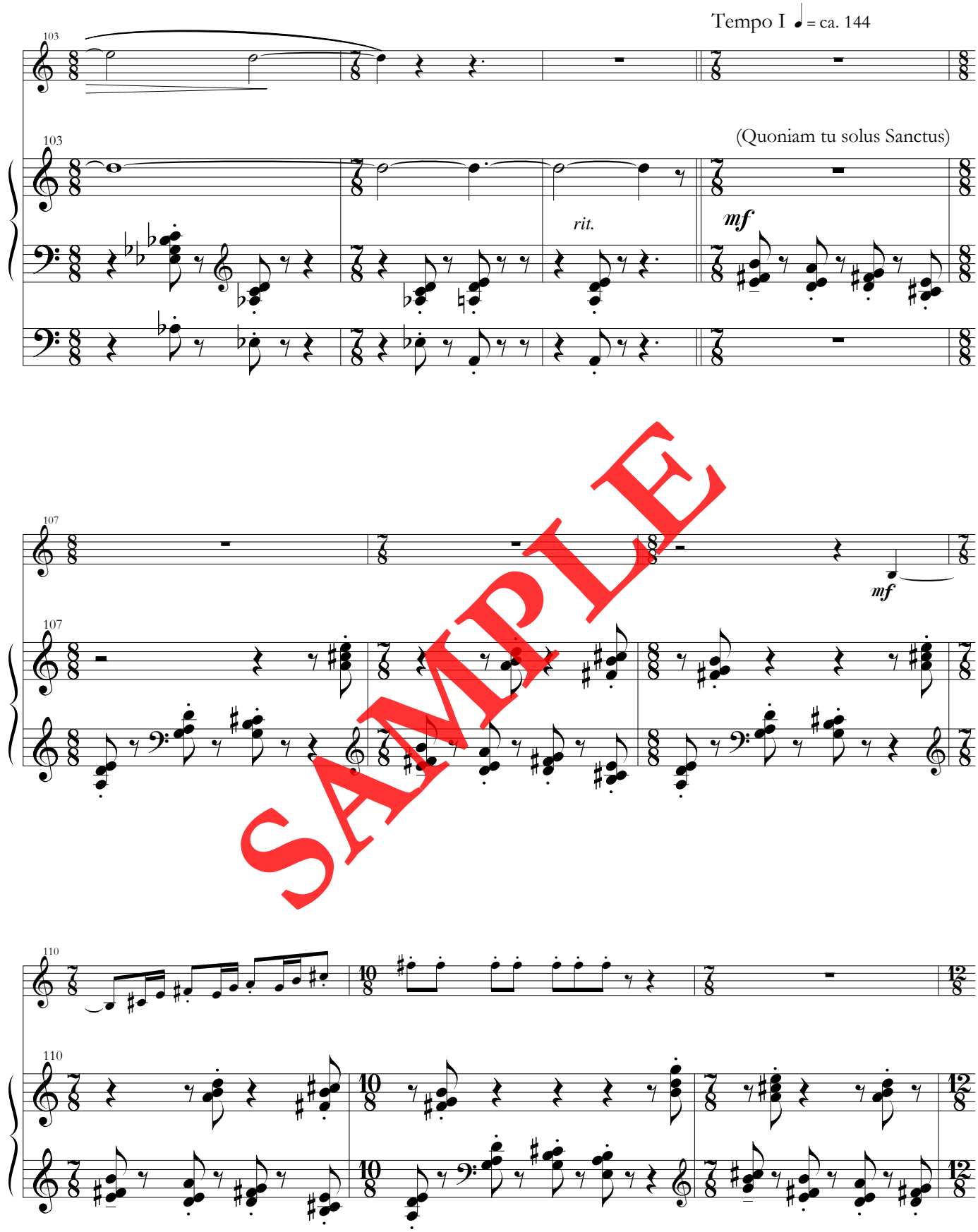

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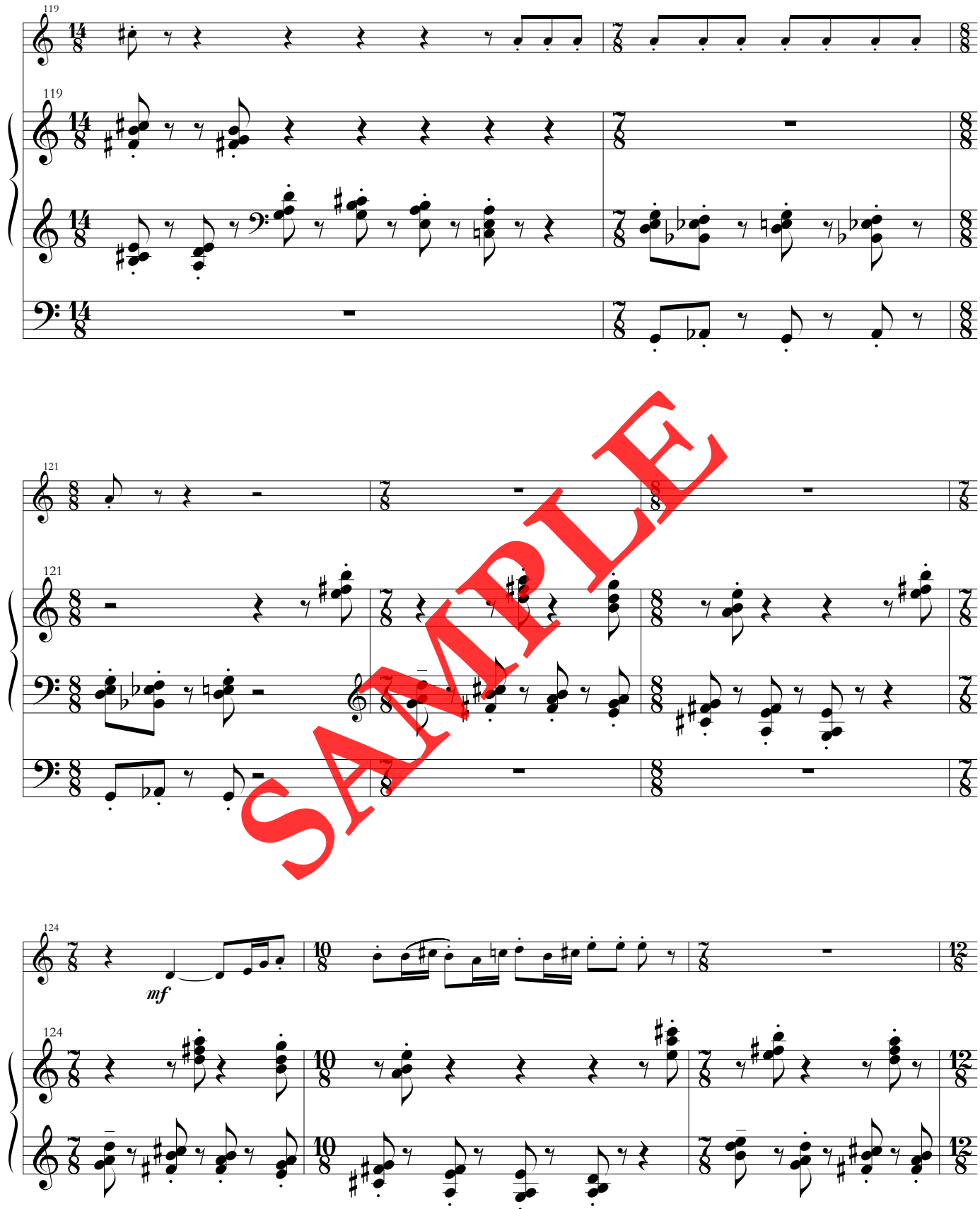

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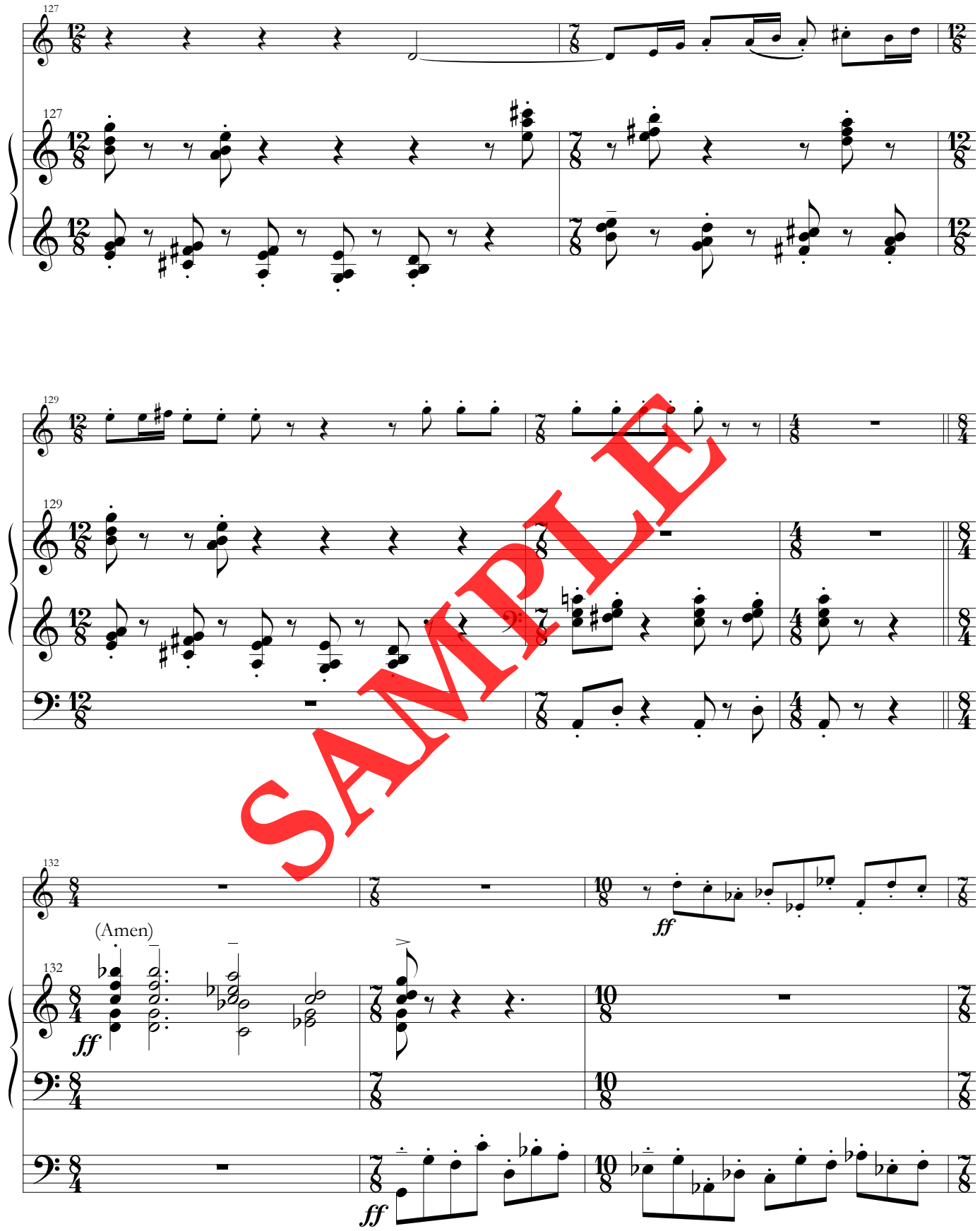

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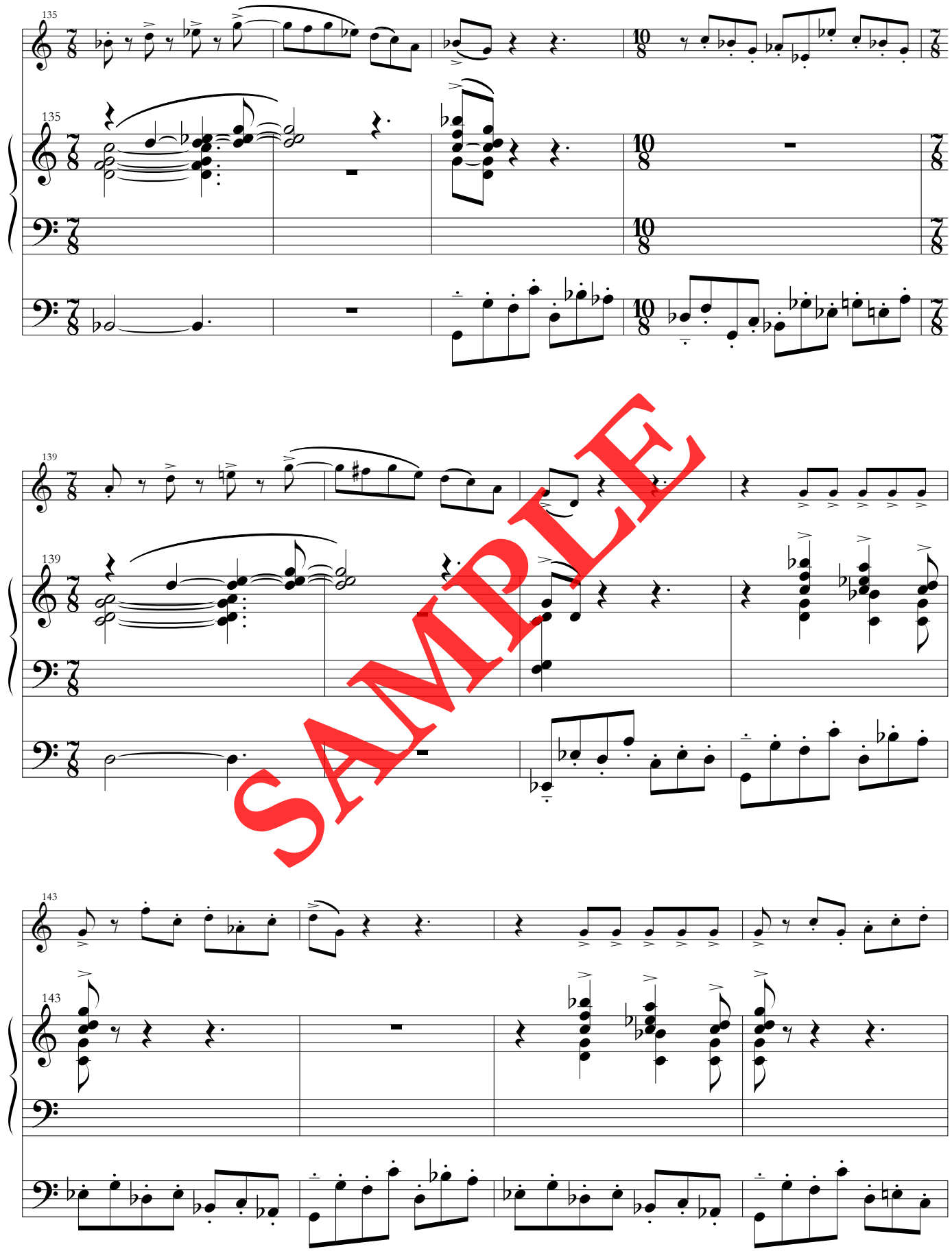

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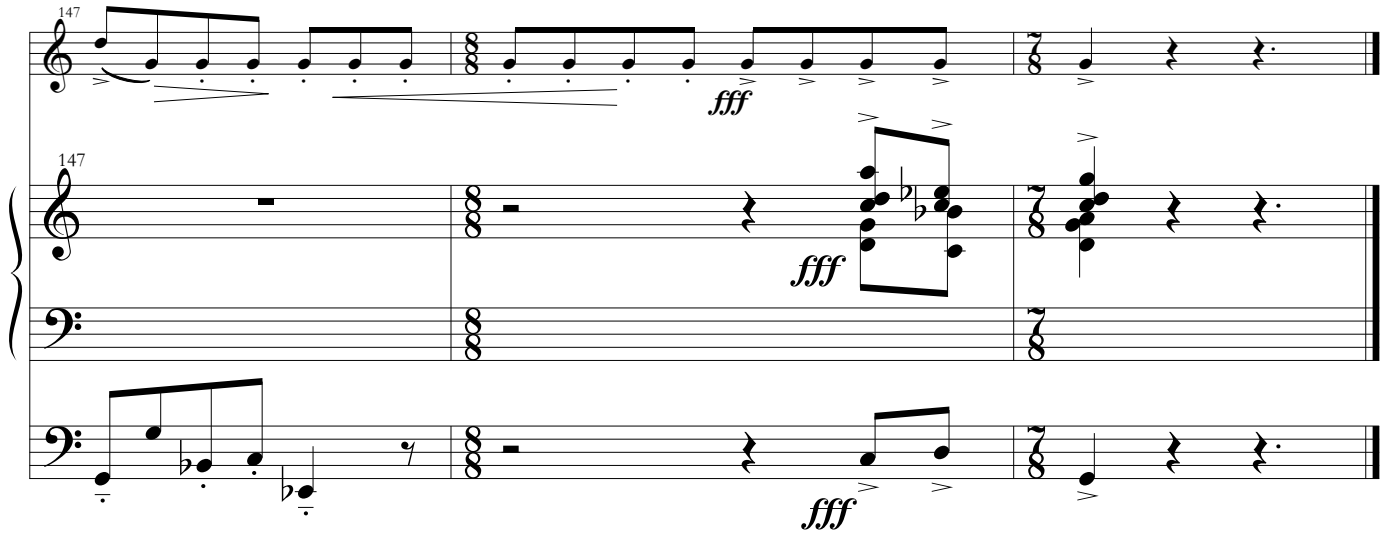

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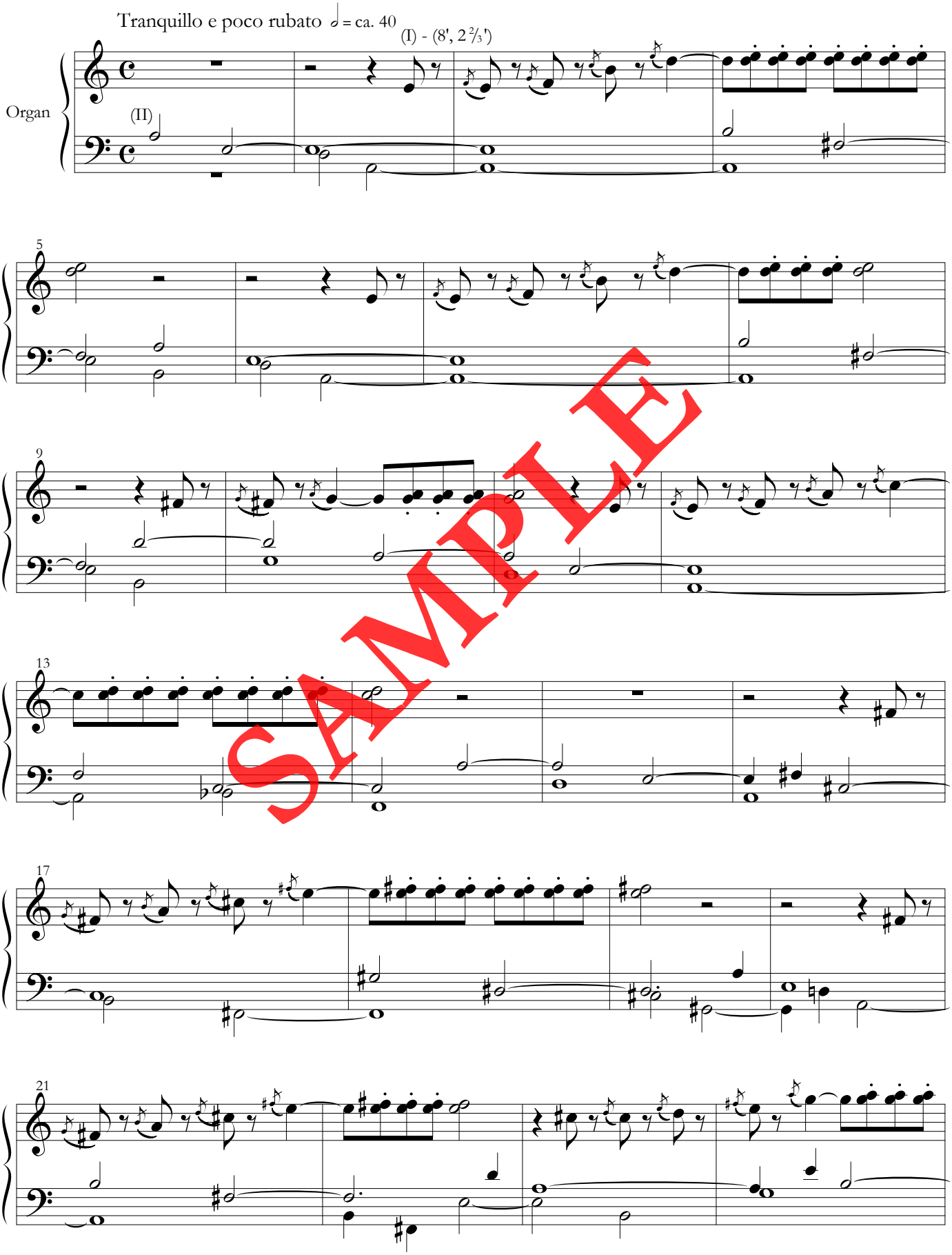

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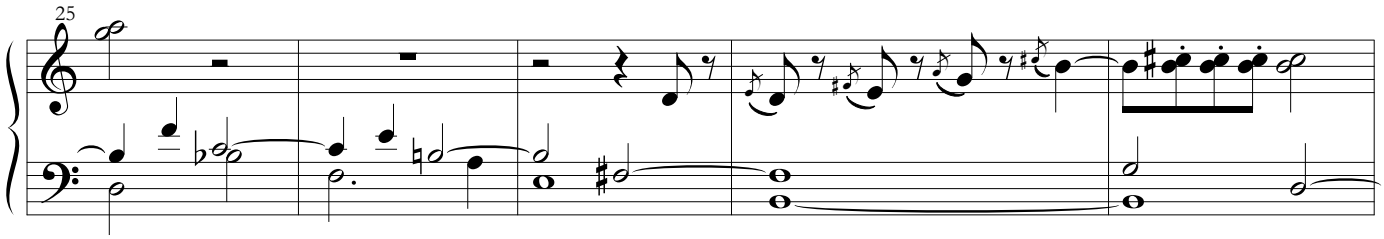

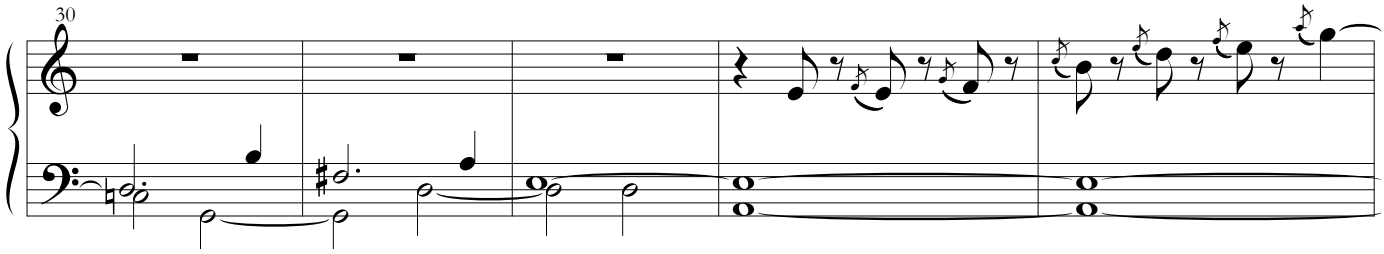

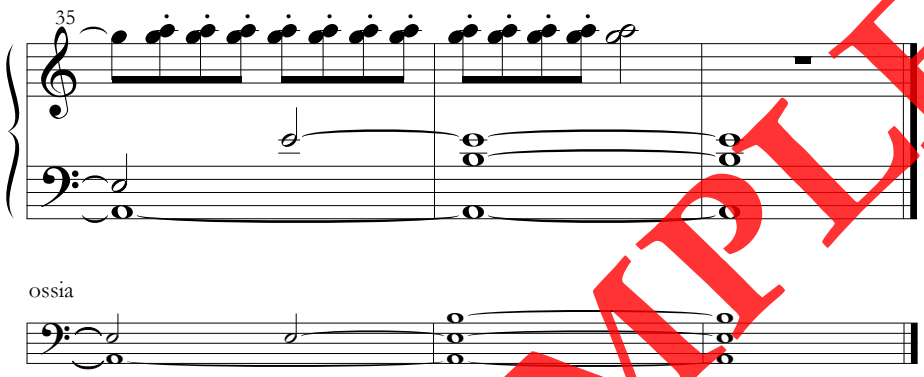

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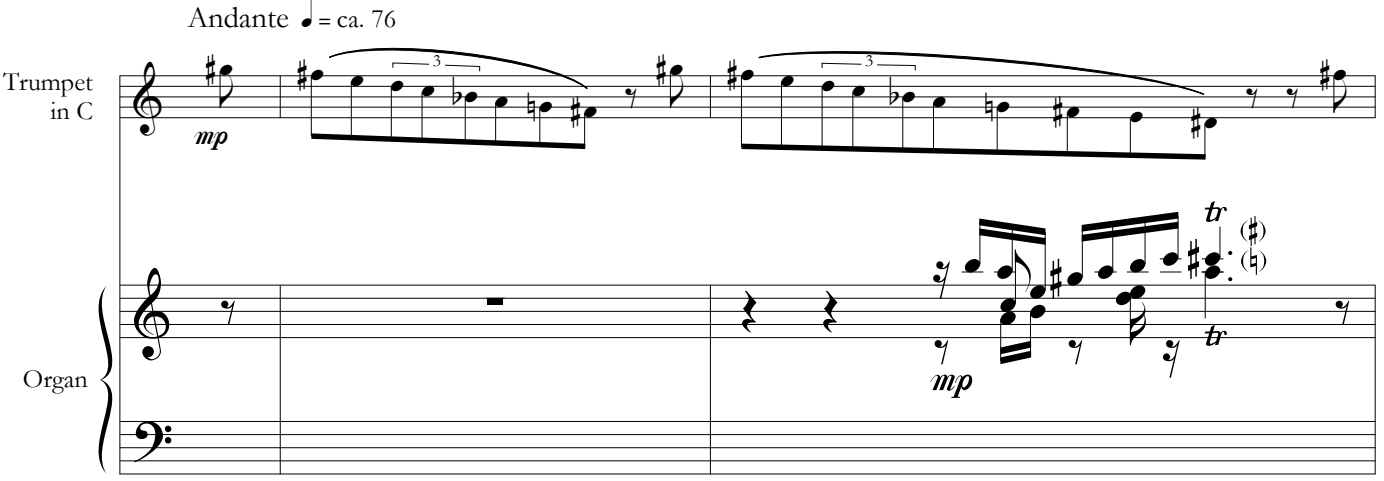

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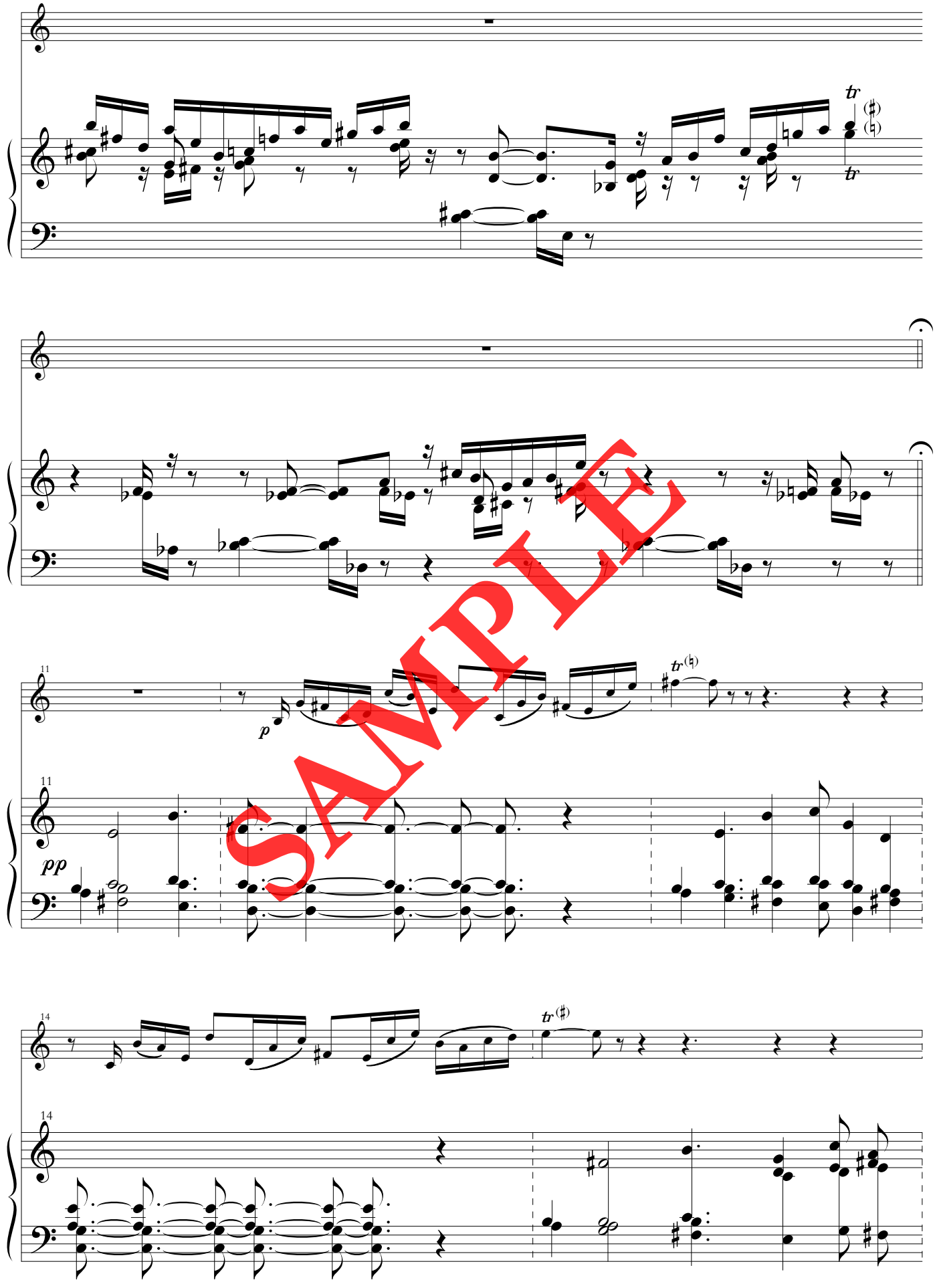

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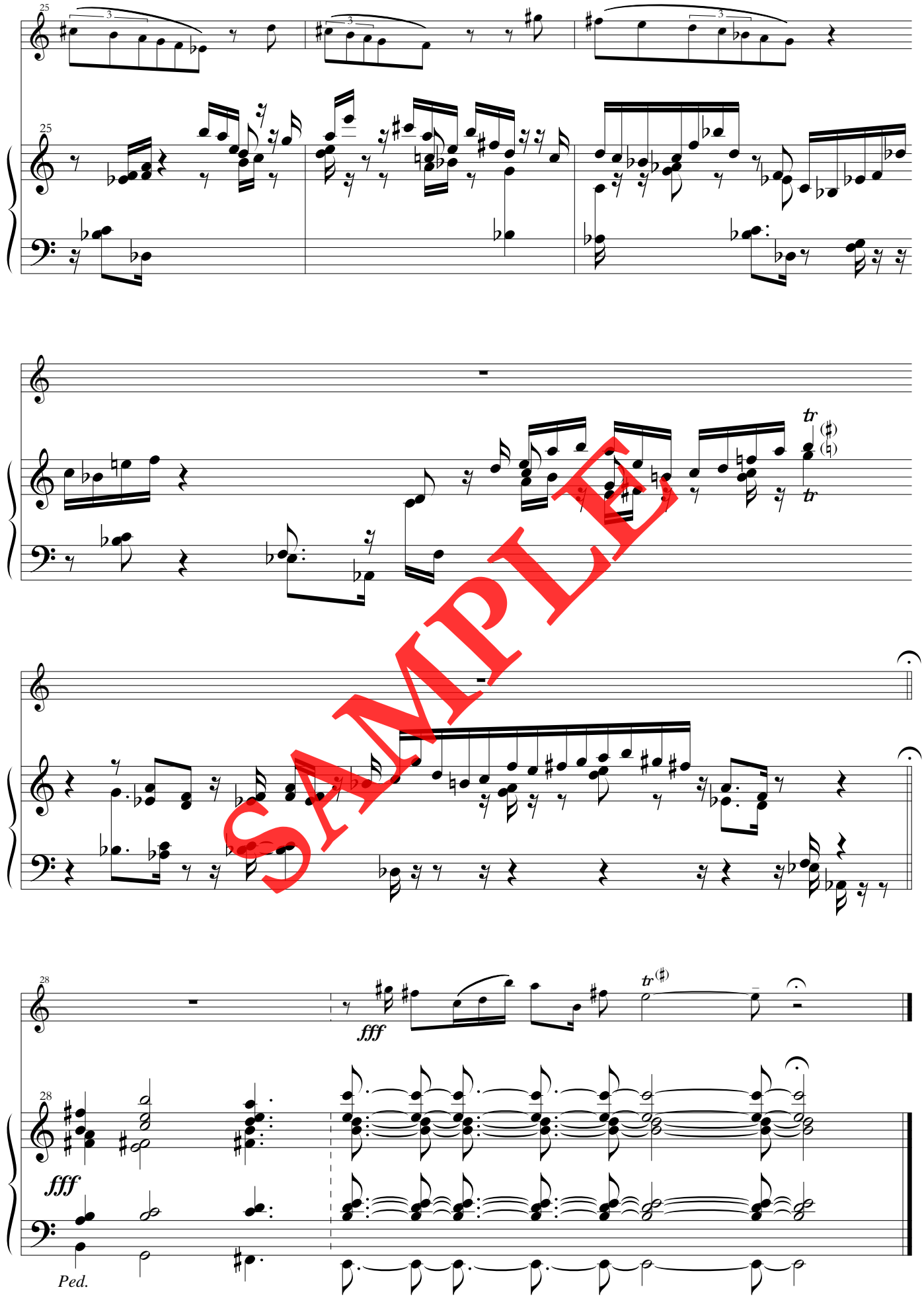

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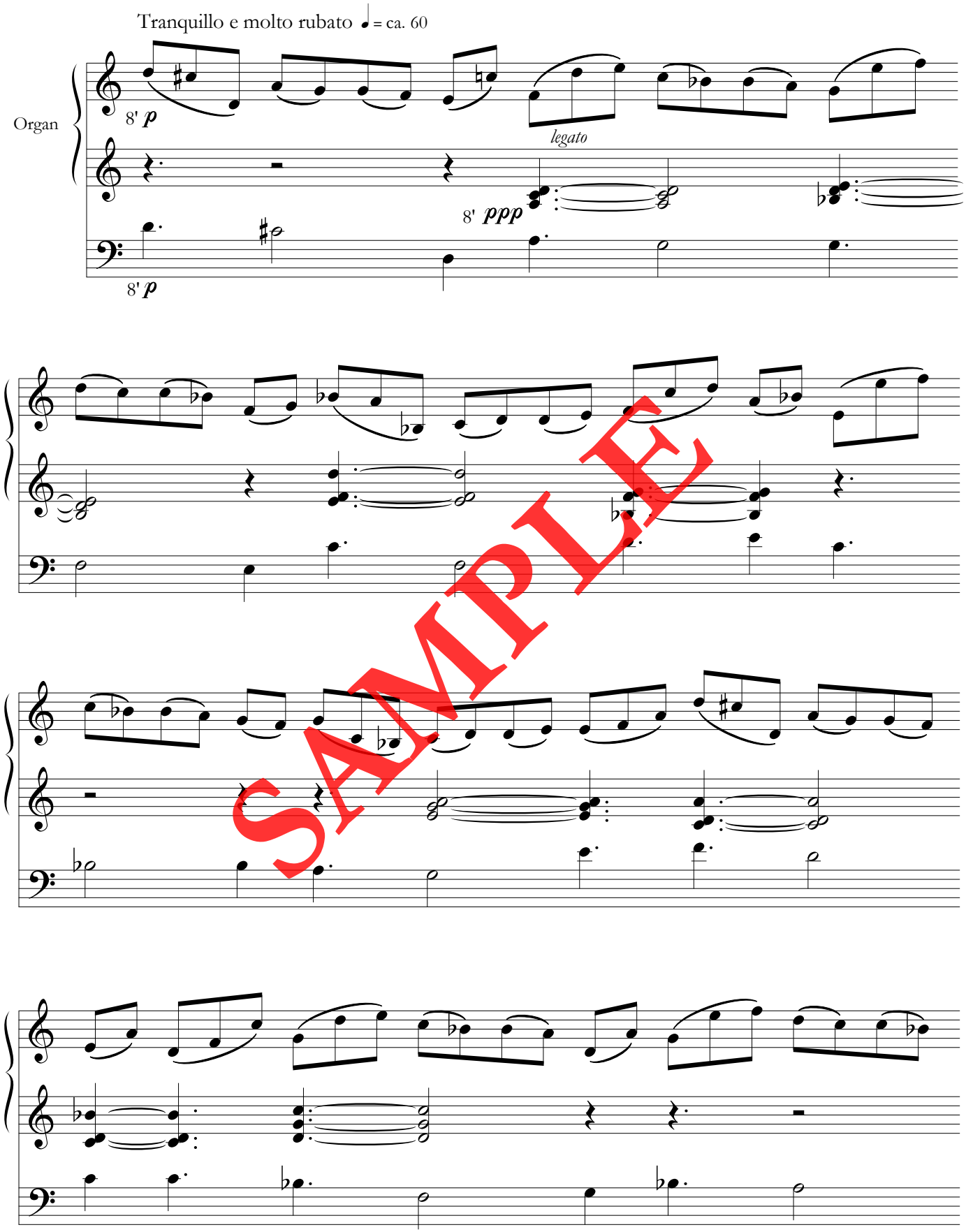

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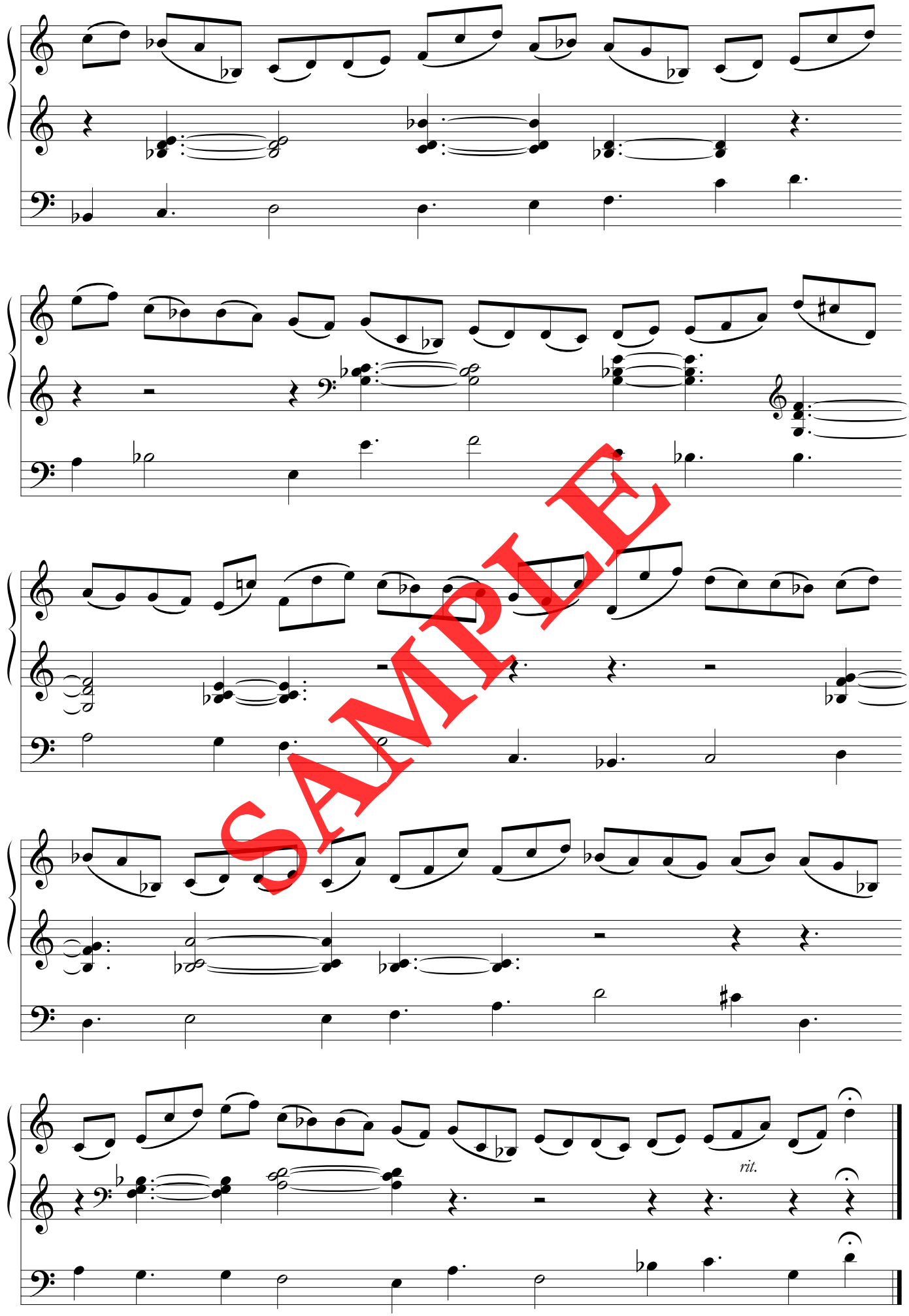

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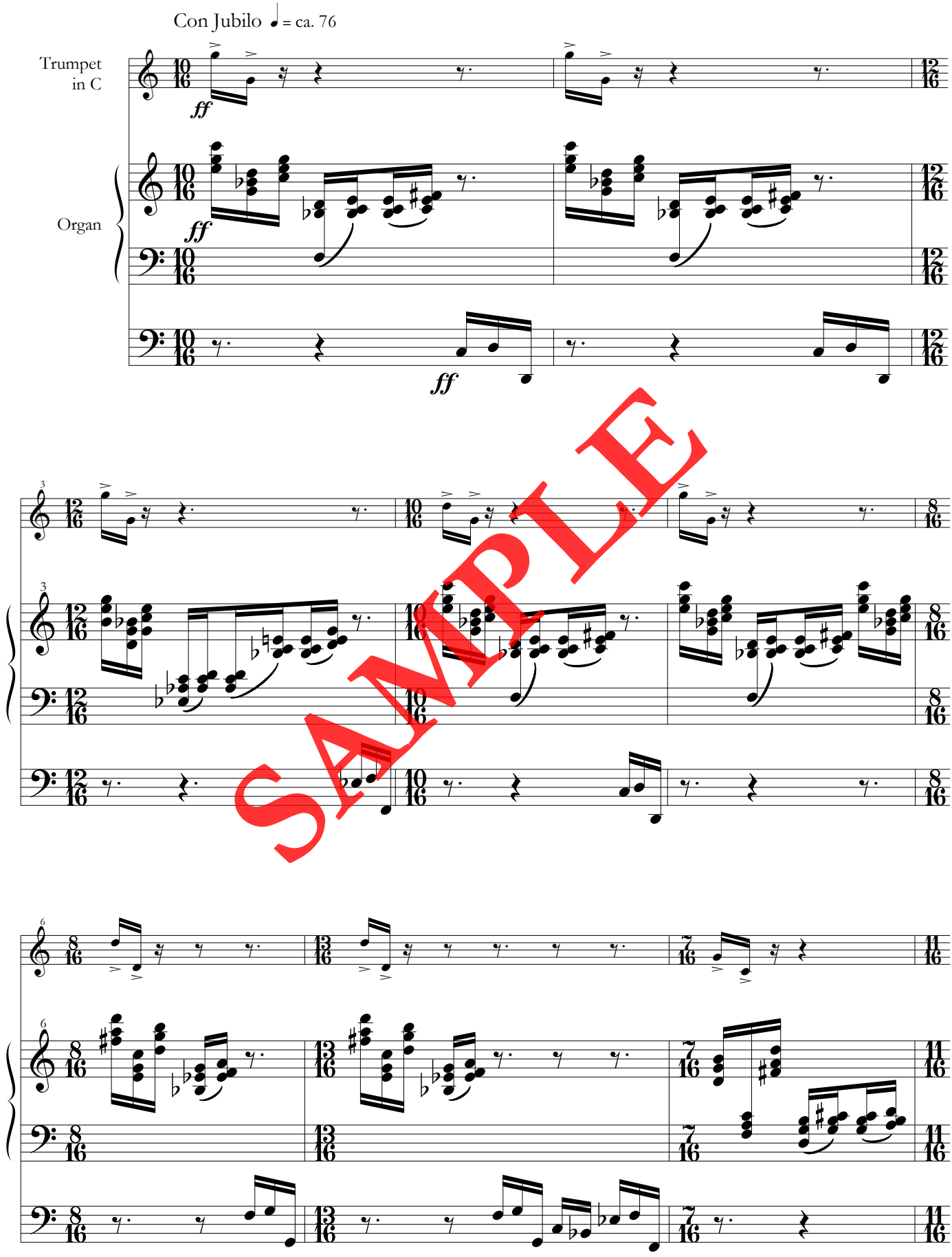

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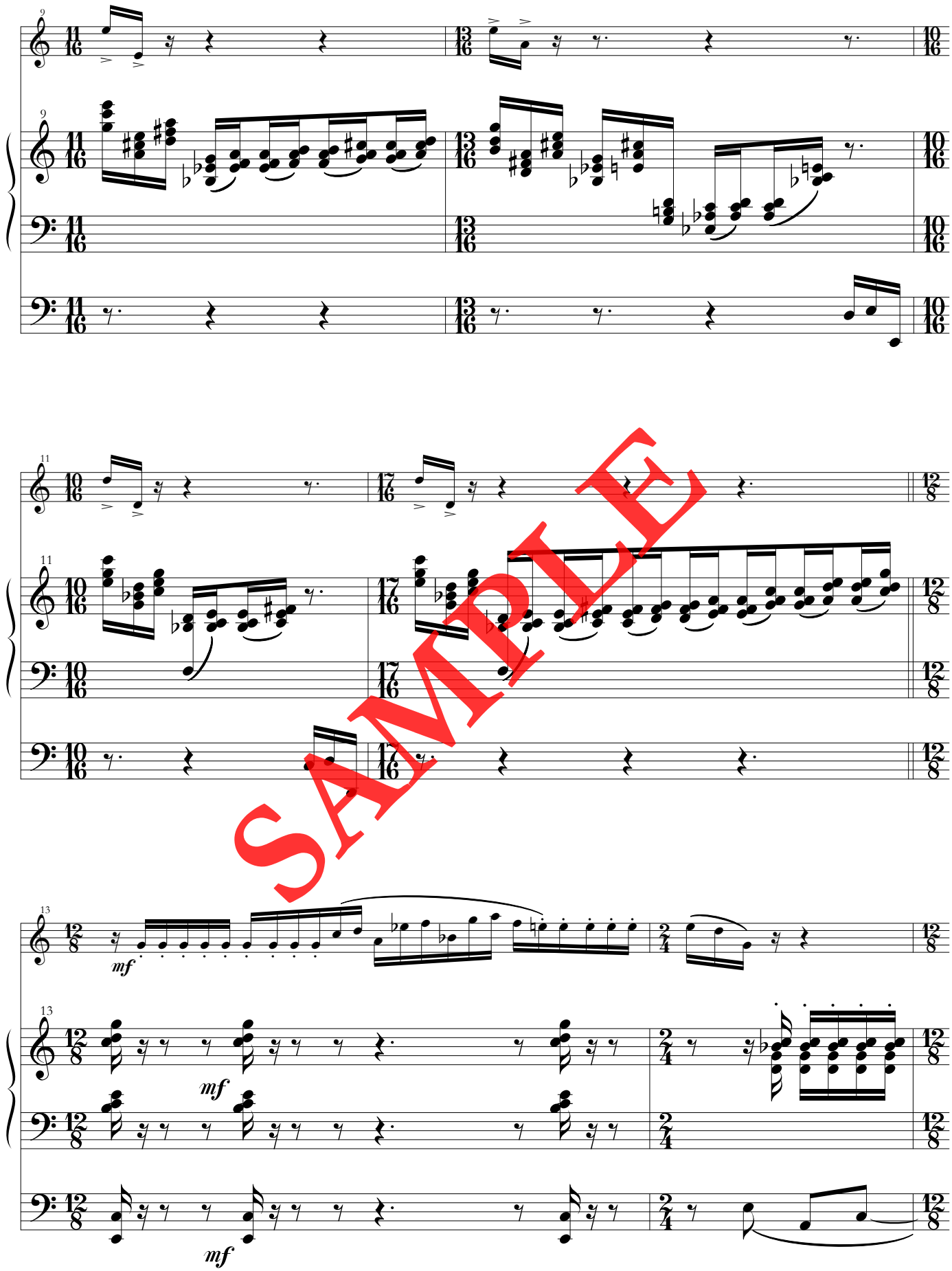

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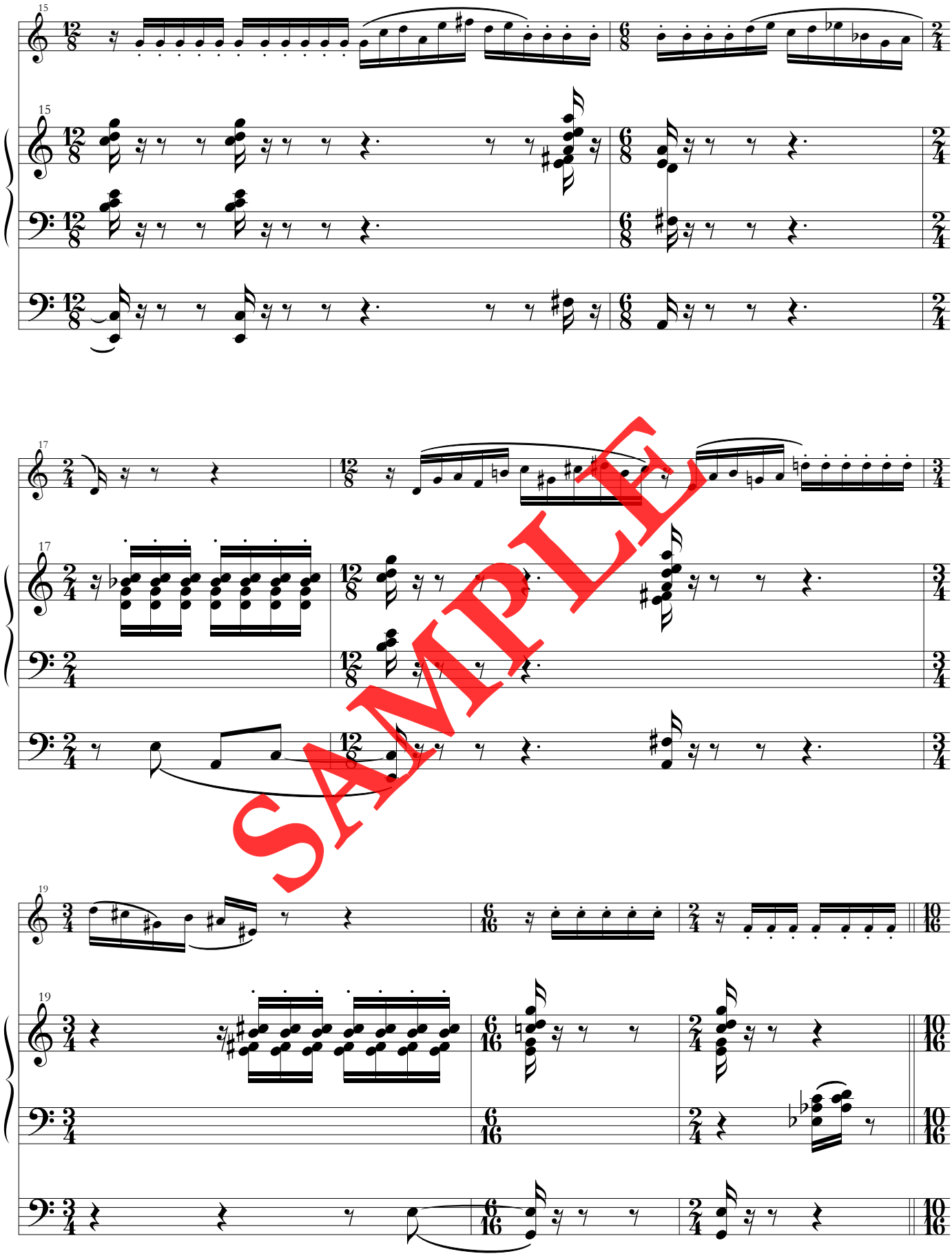

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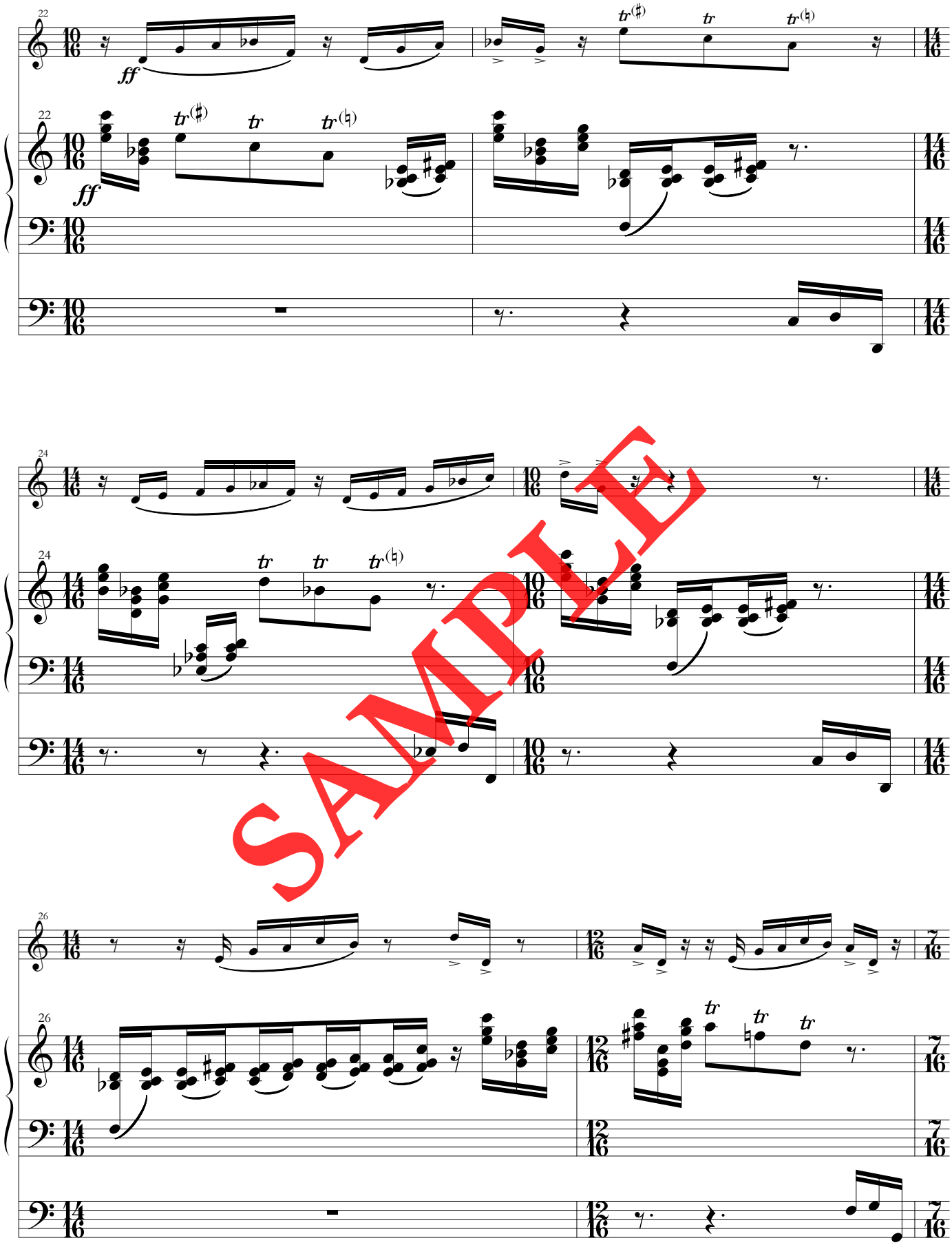

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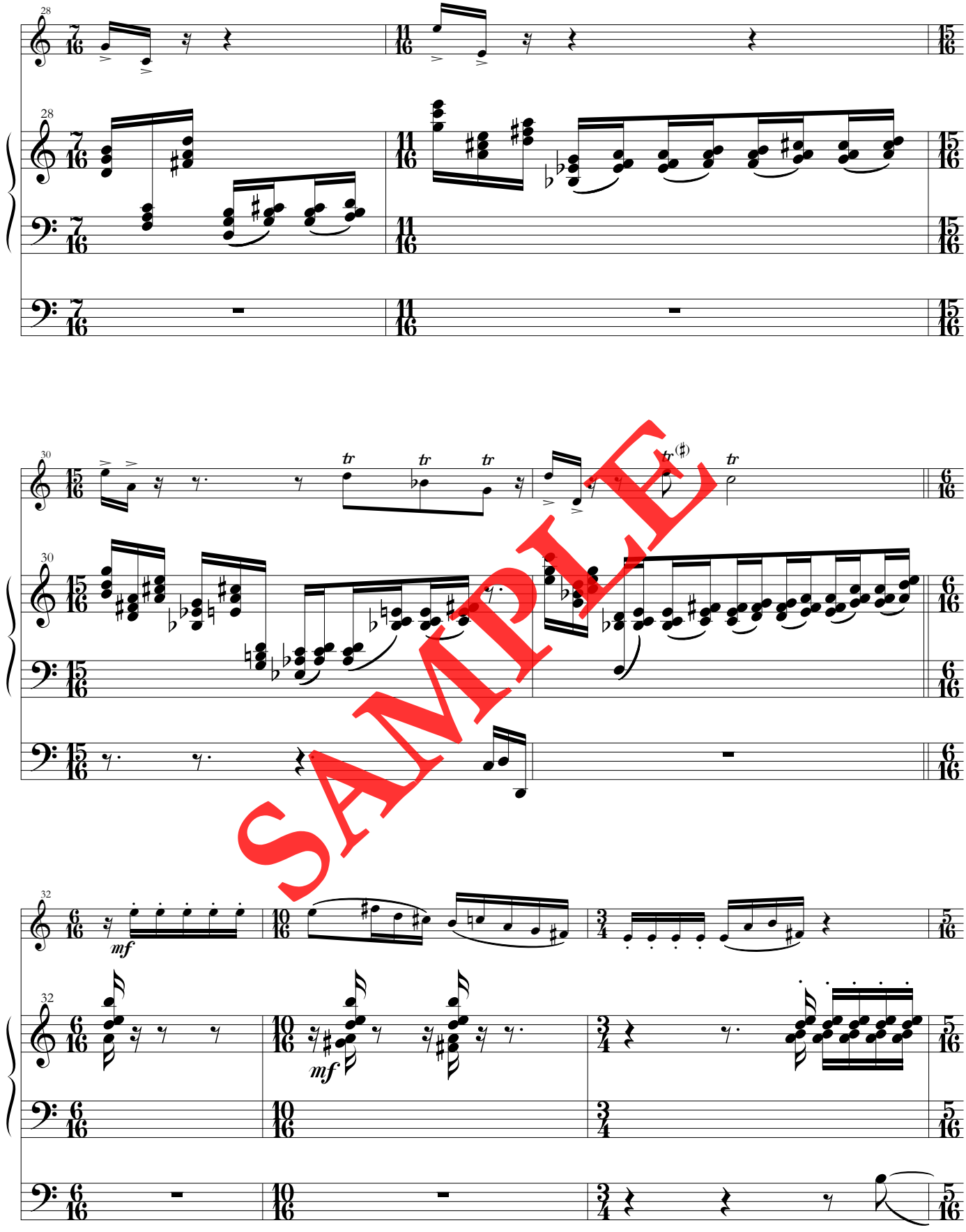

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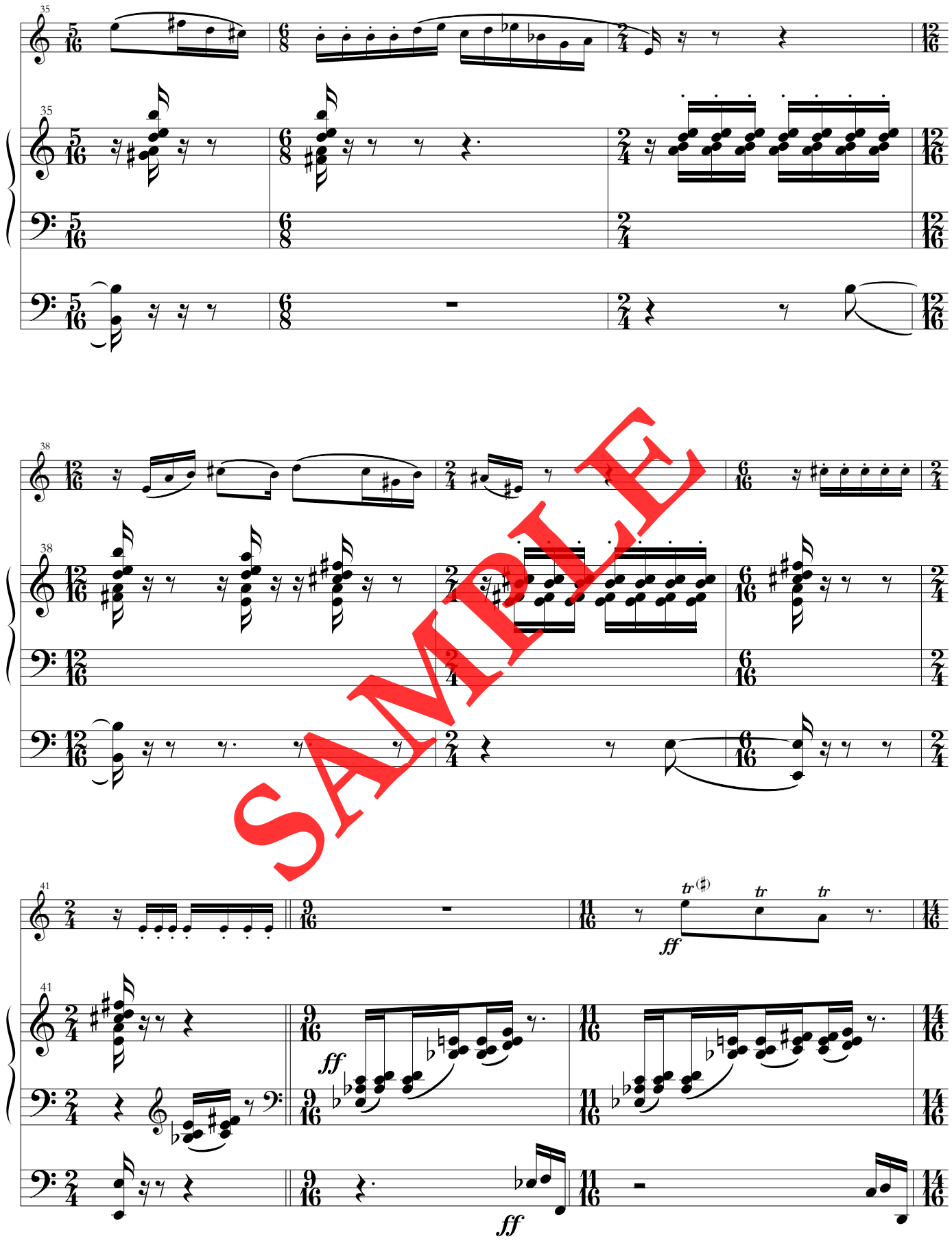

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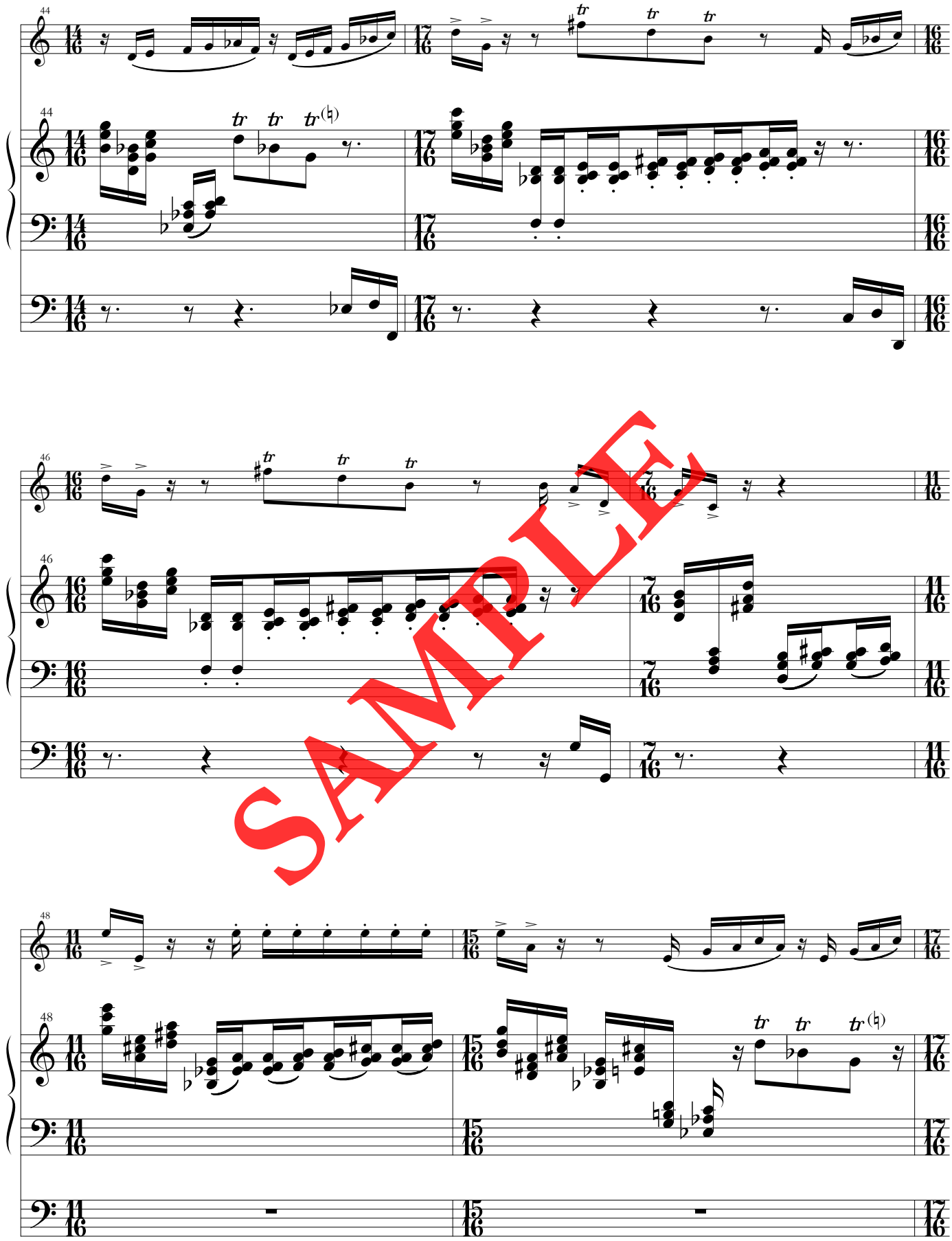

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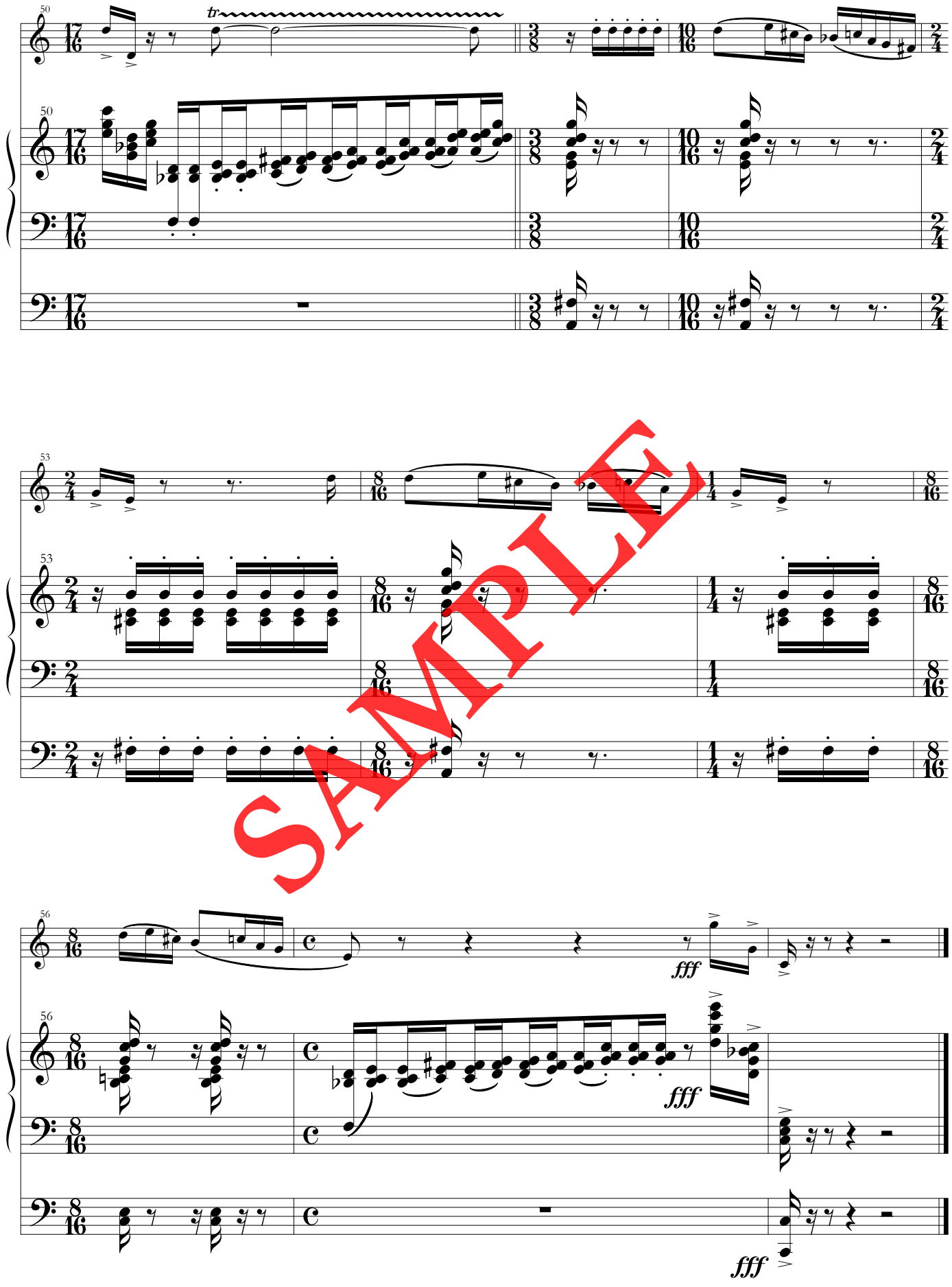

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