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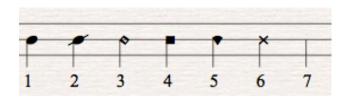
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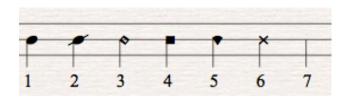
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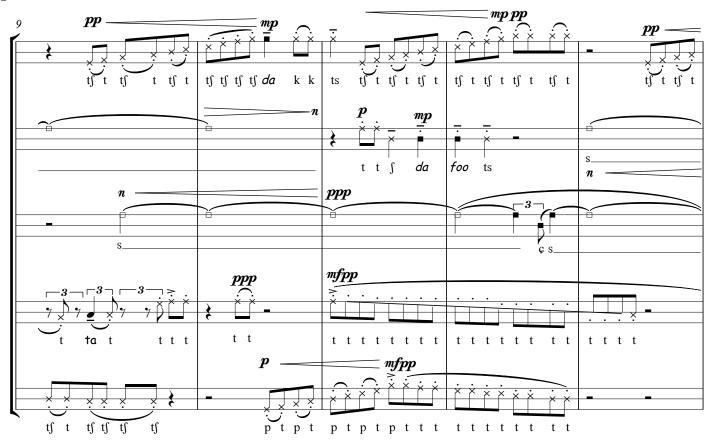
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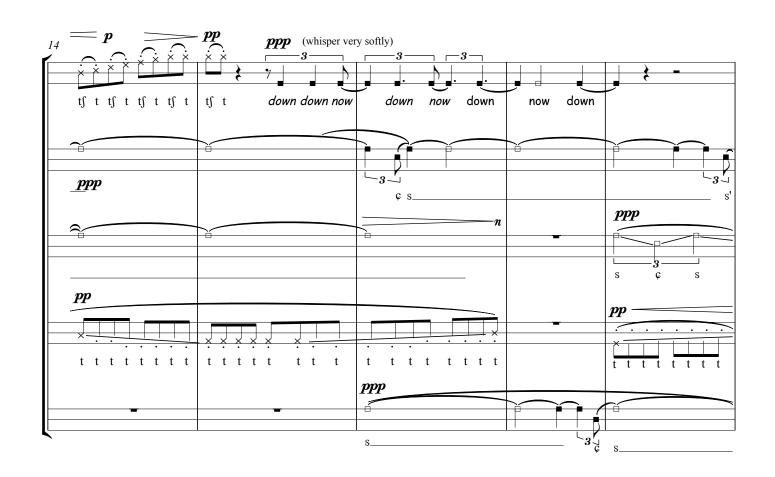
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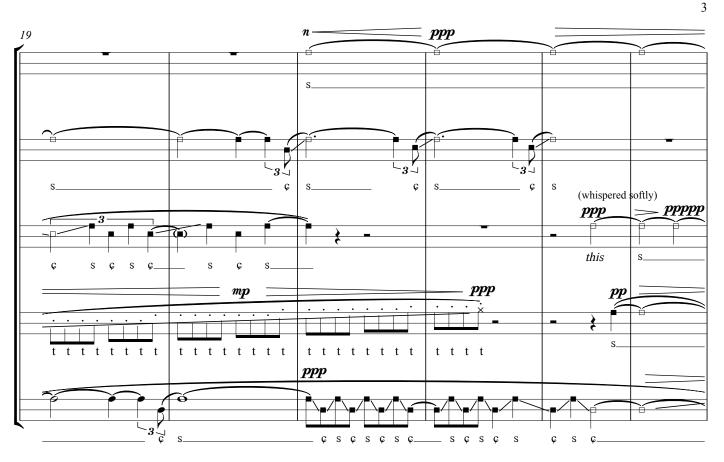
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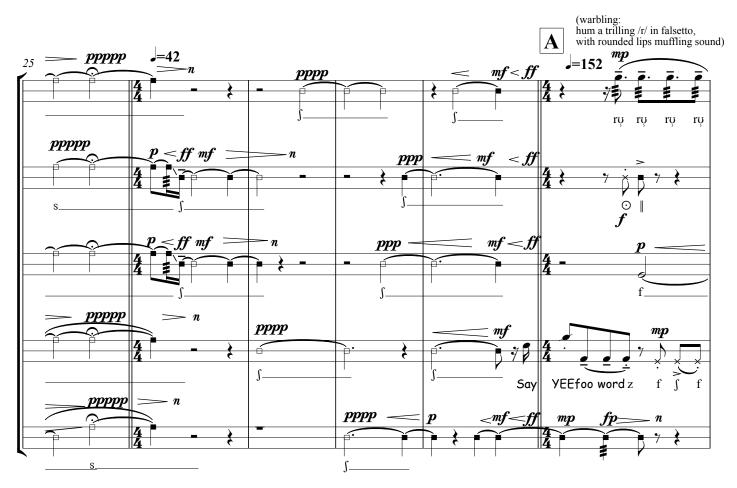
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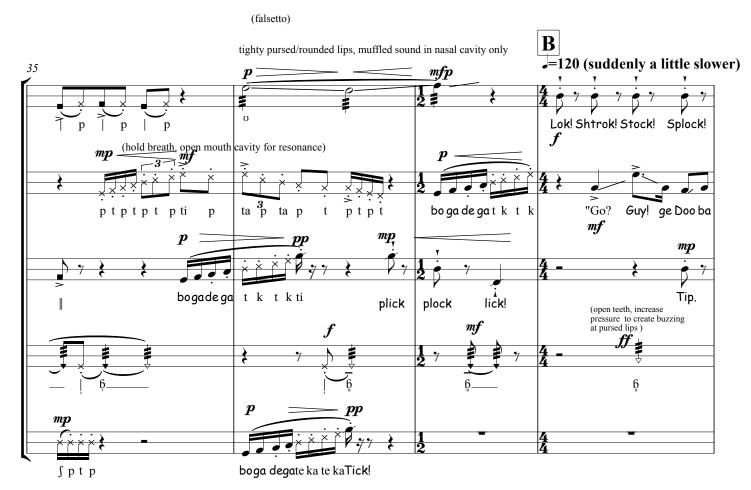








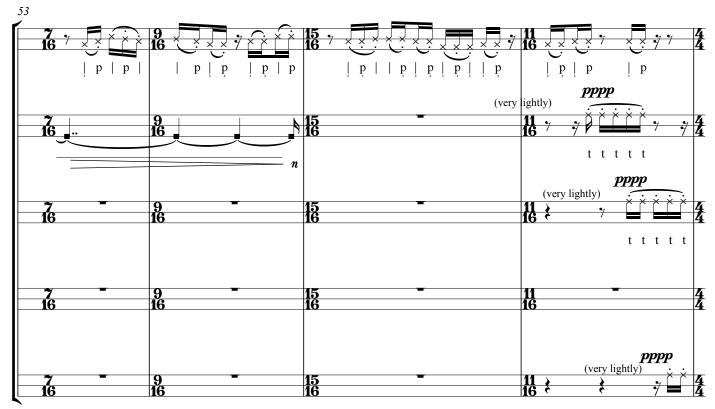


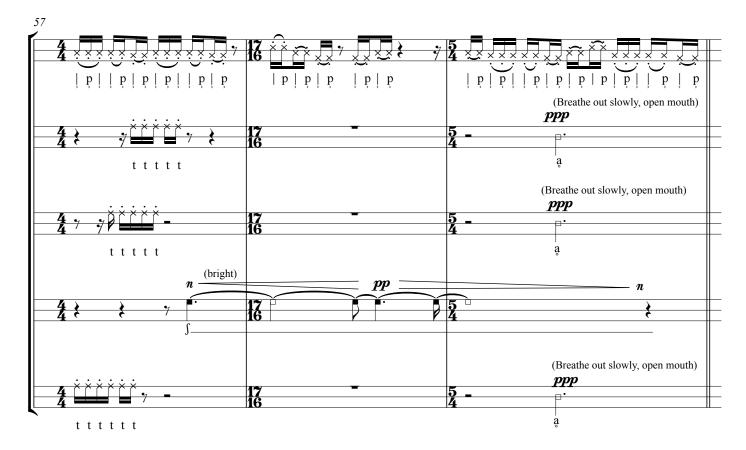


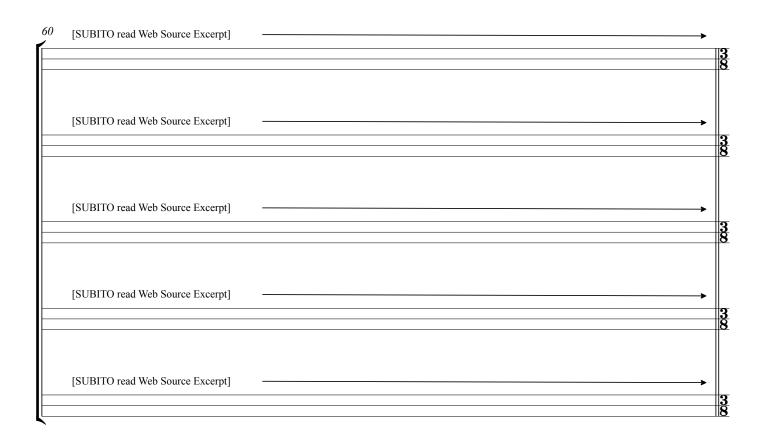












VOICE 1: UbuWeb

Read the following text very softly, "under the breath" and barely comprehensibly, without change in dynamic. Continue until Voice 2 cues the next section. Do not abruptly cut off finish the word or phrase. Repeat material if you conclude your passage before Voice 2.

UbuWeb was founded in November of 1996, initially as a repository for visual, concrete and, later, sound poetry. Over the years, UbuWeb has embraced all forms of the avant-garde and beyond. Its parameters continue to expand in all directions.

We post many things without permission; we also post many with things with permission. We therefore give you permission to take what you like even though in many cases, we have not received permission to post it. We went ahead and did it anyway. You should too.

Nothing is for sale on UbuWeb. It's all free. We know it's a hard idea to get used to, but there's no lush gift shop waiting for you at the end of this museum.

UbuWeb functions as a distribution center for hard-to-find, out-of-print and obscure materials, transferred digitally to the web. Our scanning, say, an historical concrete poem in no way detracts from the physical value of that object in the real world; in fact, it probably enhances it. Either way, we don't care: Ebay is full of wonderful physical artifacts, most of them worth a lot of money.

Should something return to print, we will remove it from our site immediately. Also, should an artist find their material posted on UbuWeb without permission and wants it removed, please let us know. However, most of the time, we find artists are thrilled to find their work cared for and displayed in a sympathetic context. As always, we welcome more work from existing artists on site.

Let's face it,if we had to get permission from everyone on UbuWeb, there would be no UbuWeb. You don't. UbuWeb is completely commercial-free and it will always stay that way.

UbuWeb is an archive, not a blog. It has accumulated slowly and steadily and shall continue to far into the future.

Voice 2: WikiLeaks

Read the following text very softly, "under the breath" and barely comprehensibly, without change in dynamic. Lead the return, attaca, into the next section, cueing in particular Voice 3.

WikiLeaks is a not-for-profit media organisation. Our goal is to bring important news and information to the public. We provide an innovative, secure and anonymous way for sources to leak information to our journalists (our electronic drop box). One of our most important activities is to publish original source material alongside our news stories so readers and historians alike can see evidence of the truth. We are a young organisation that has grown very quickly, relying on a network of dedicated volunteers around the globe. Since 2007, when the organisation was officially launched, WikiLeaks has worked to report on and publish important information. We also develop and adapt technologies to support these activities.

The broader principles on which our work is based are the defence of freedom of speech and media publishing, the improvement of our common historical record and the support of the rights of all people to create new history. We derive these principles from the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. In particular, Article 19 inspires the work of our journalists and other volunteers. It states that everyone has the right to freedom of opinion and expression; this right includes freedom to hold opinions without interference and to seek, receive and impart information and ideas through any media and regardless of frontiers. We agree, and we seek to uphold this and the other Articles of the Declaration.

Voice 3: Wikipedia

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Wikipedia is a free, web-based, collaborative, multilingual encyclopedia project supported by the non-profit Wikimedia Foundation. Its 20 million articles (over 3.81 million in English) have been written collaboratively by volunteers around the world. Almost all of its articles can be edited by anyone with access to the site, and it has about 100,000 regularly active contributors. As of July 2011, there are editions of Wikipedia in 282 languages. It has become the largest and most popular general reference work on the Internet, ranking sixth globally among all websites on Alexa and having an estimated 365 million readers worldwide. It is estimated that Wikipedia receives 2.7 billion monthly pageviews from the United States alone.

The fundamental principles by which Wikipedia operates are summarized in the form of five "pillars":

Wikipedia is an online encyclopedia.

Wikipedia is written from a neutral point of view.

Wikipedia is free content that anyone can edit, use, modify, and distribute. Editors should interact with each other in a respectful and civil manner. Wikipedia does not have firm rules.

Rules in Wikipedia are not carved in stone, and their wording and interpretation are likely to change over time. The principles and spirit of Wikipedia's rules matter more than their literal wording, and sometimes improving Wikipedia requires making an exception to a rule. Be bold (but not reckless) in updating articles and do not worry about making mistakes. Your efforts do not need to be perfect; prior versions are saved, so no damage is irreparable.

Voice 4: IMSLP

Read the following text very softly, "under the breath" and barely comprehensibly, without change in dynamic. Continue until Voice 2 cues the next section. Do not abruptly cut off finish the word or phrase. Repeat material if you conclude your passage before Voice 2.

IMSLP stands for the International Music Score Library Project and was started in 2006. The logo on the main page is a capital letter A. It was taken from the beginning of the very first printed book of music, the Harmonice Musices Odhecaton. It was published in Venice in 1501 by Ottaviano Petrucci, the library's namesake.

The IMSLP/Petrucci Music Library is currently owned and run by Project Petrucci LLC, a company created with the sole purpose of managing this site.

We at the IMSLP believe that music should be something that is easily accessible for everyone. To this end, we have created the IMSLP in order to provide music scores free of charge to anyone who has internet access. IMSLP will *always* be freely accessible.

The ultimate goal of the IMSLP is to gather all public domain music scores, in addition to the music scores of all contemporary composers (or their estates) who wish to release them to the public free of charge. However, another main goal of IMSLP is to facilitate the exchange of musical ideas outside of compositions: for example, the analysis of a particular piece of music. Therefore, feel free to create/edit a page with your analysis of a particular piece (please use the "Discussion" link on the work page of that particular piece). For general discussions, and IMSLP-related questions, score requests, etc. you can use the forums. We hope to build a growing community of dedicated musicians and music lovers, who can use this site as a platform for enjoying music.

Voice 5: Marxists Internet Archive

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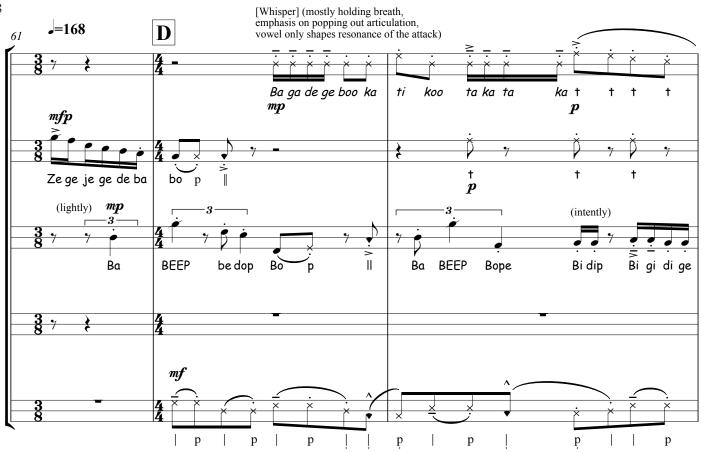
The Marxists Internet Archive is an all-volunteer, non-profit public library, started more than 20 years ago in 1990. In 2006, MIA averaged 1.1 million visitors per month, downloading 15.5 million files per month. This represents a 25% increase in visitors since 2005, and a 380% increase in visitors since 2000.

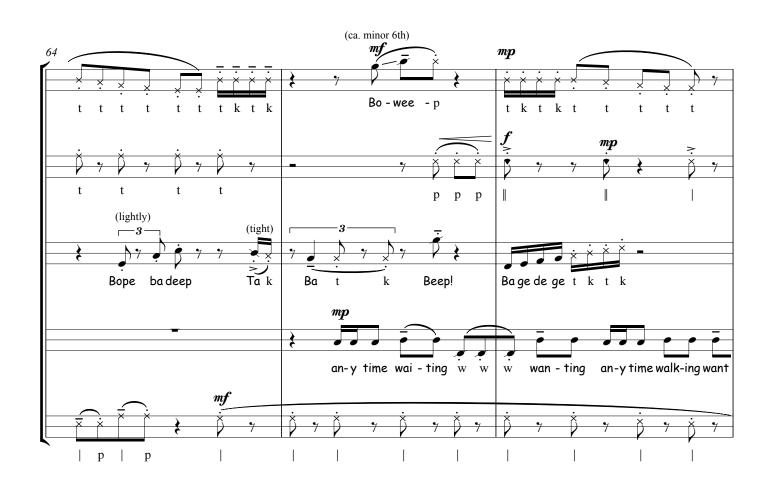
In 2007, MIA has 62 active volunteers from 33 different countries. MIA contains the writings of 592 authors representing a complete spectrum of political, philosophical, and scientific thought, generally spanning the past 200 years. MIA contains these writings in 45 different languages, comprising a total size of over 53,000 documents and 29 GB of data, all created through the work of volunteers around the world.

MIA abides by seven fundamental tenets found in our Charter: We will always be 100% Free; We will always be a non-profit organization; We will always be based on democratic decision making; We will always have full disclosure; We will always remain politically independent; Our priority is to provide archival information; We will present content in a way that is easy to access and understand.

The MIA aims to maintain an archive of any and all writings which are Marxist or relevant to the understanding of Marxism and can be lawfully published. In the past, some writers who have contributed to Marxism have expressed racist, sexist or other distasteful views. The MIA generally does not "filter out" such views; if we are archiving the work of a writer, any and all of that writer's work may be included, within the limits imposed by the availability of a willing volunteer to transcribe the works and the impact of intellectual property laws. The MIA does not endorse any of the views expressed by any of the writers included here, which are provided solely for the information of the reader.



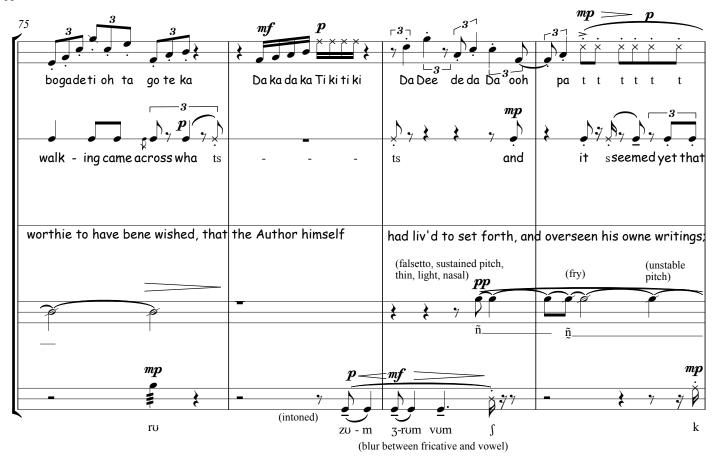


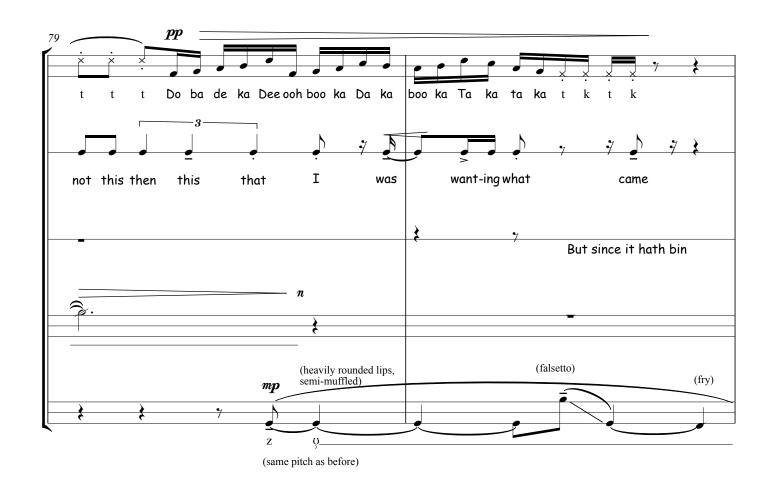


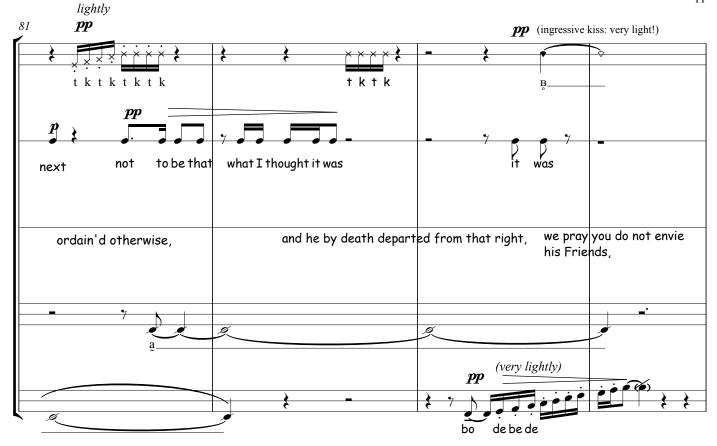


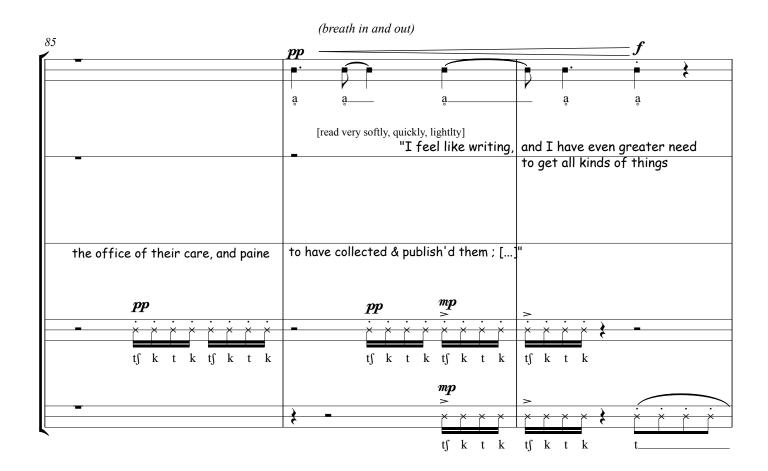


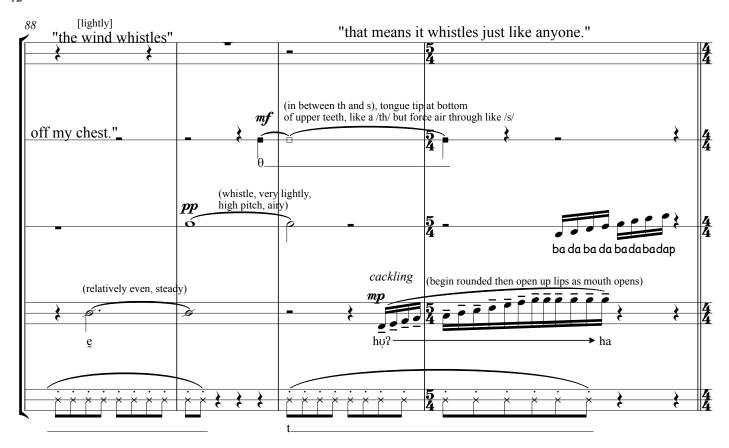




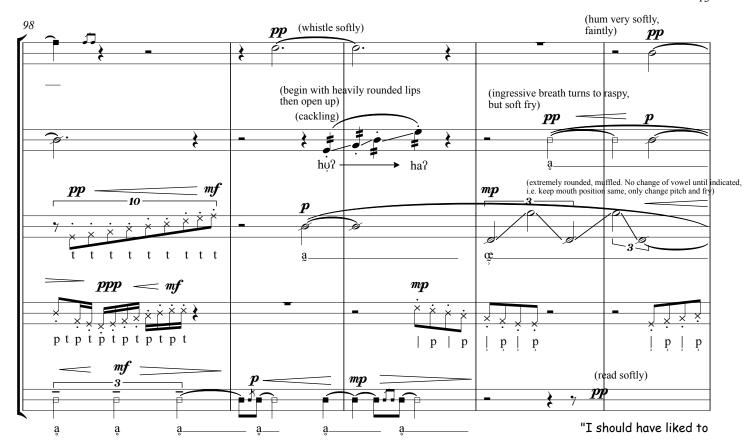


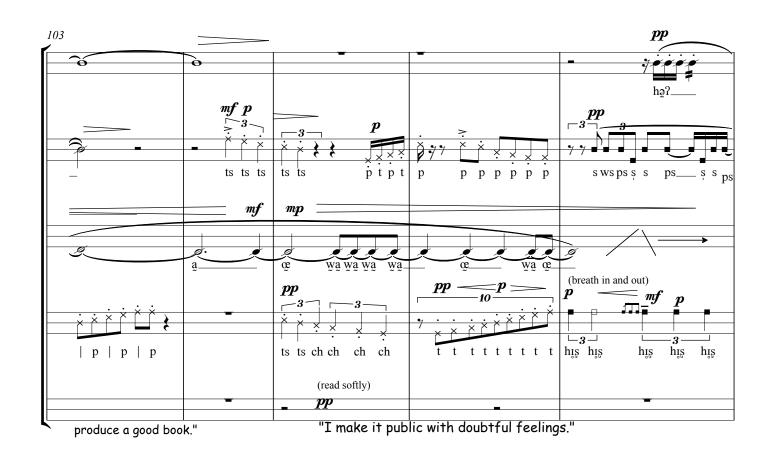


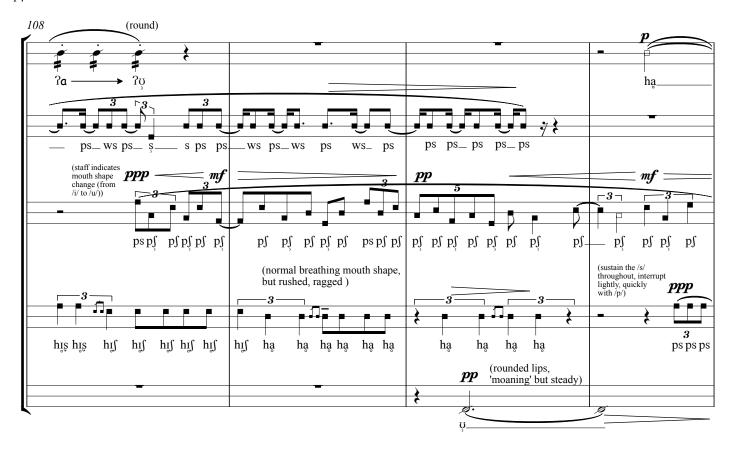


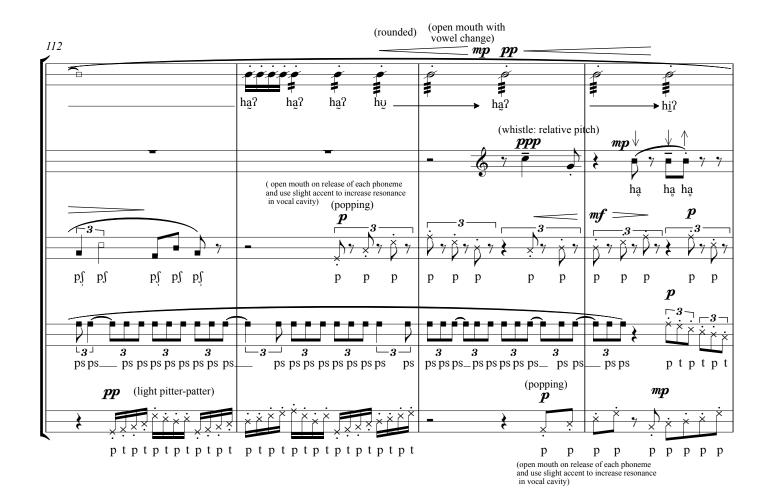






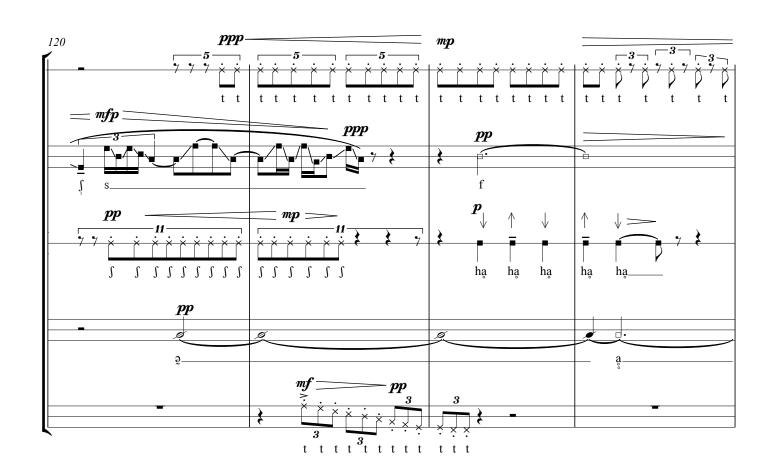


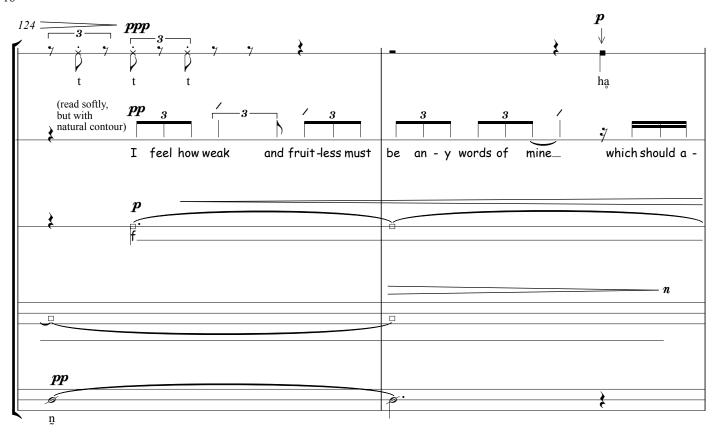


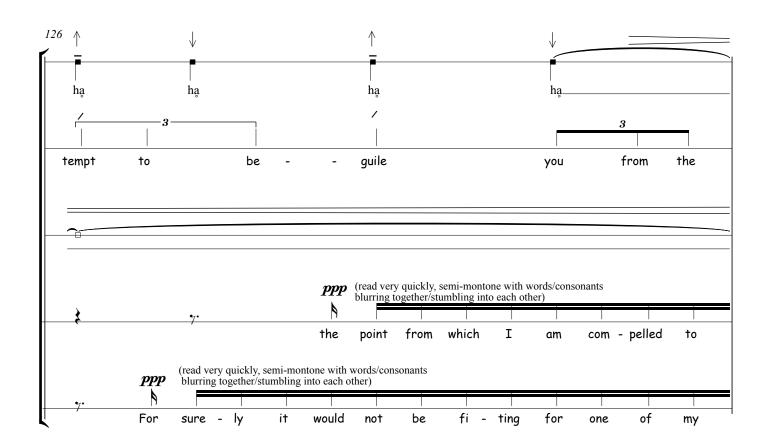


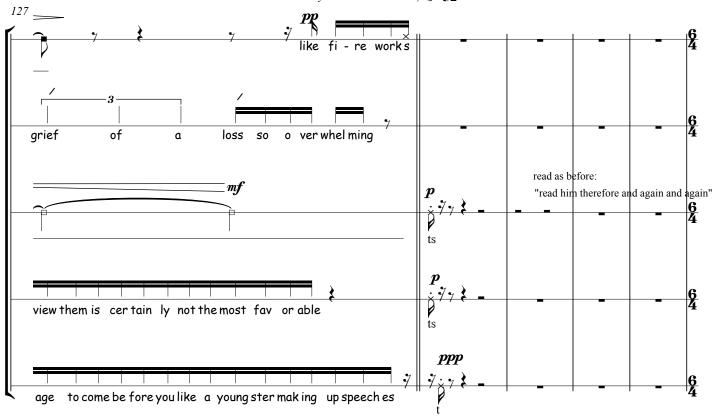


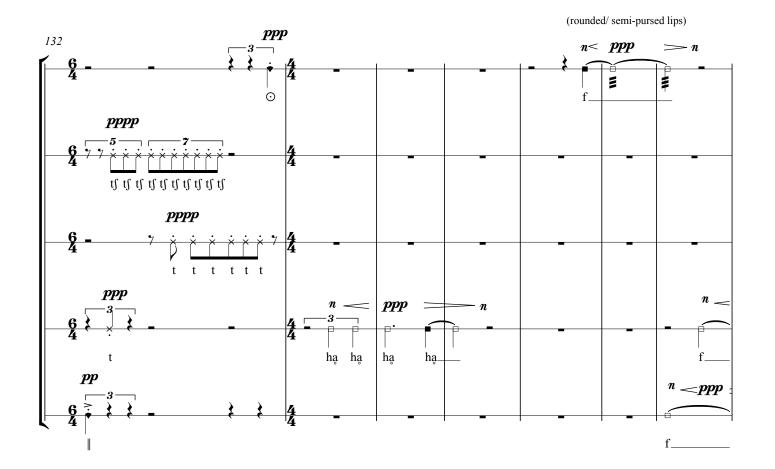


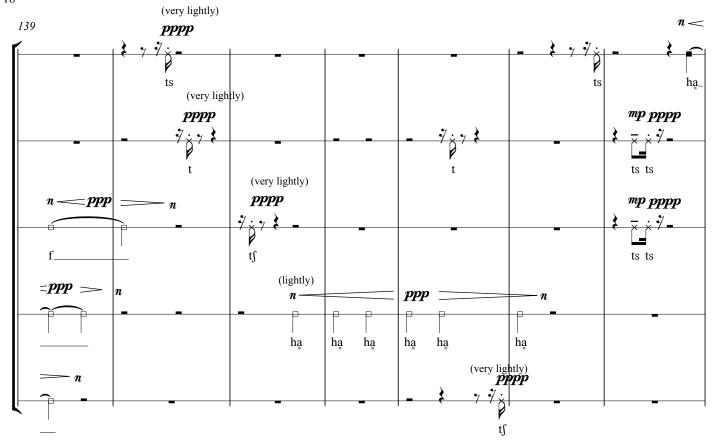


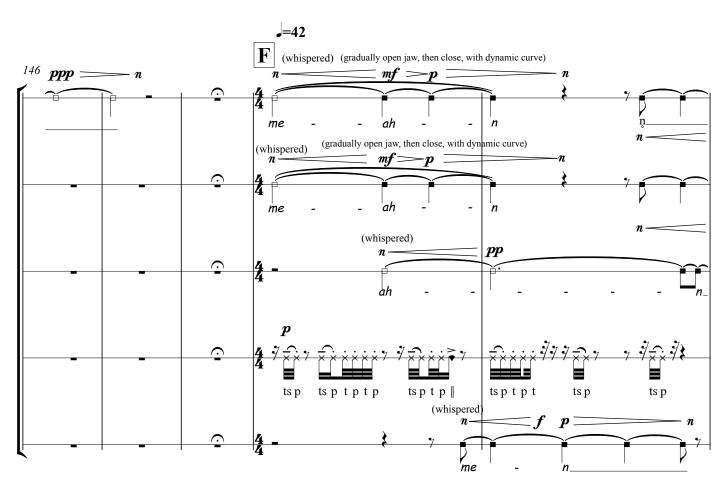


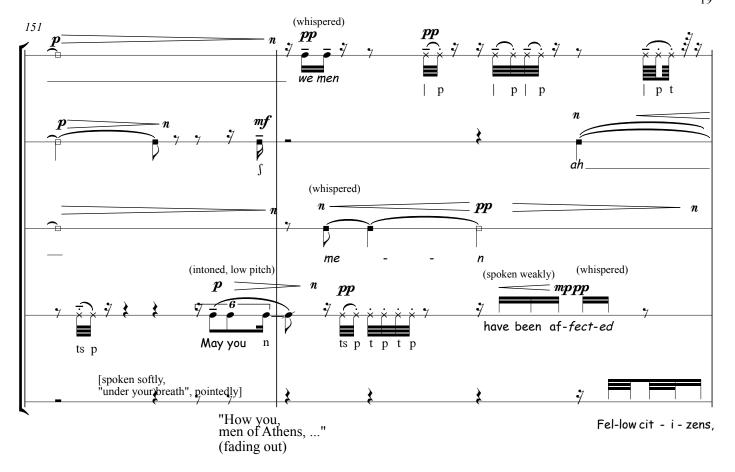


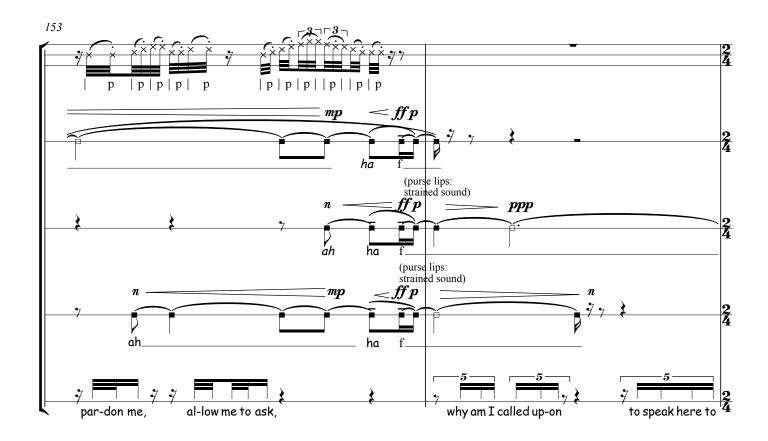






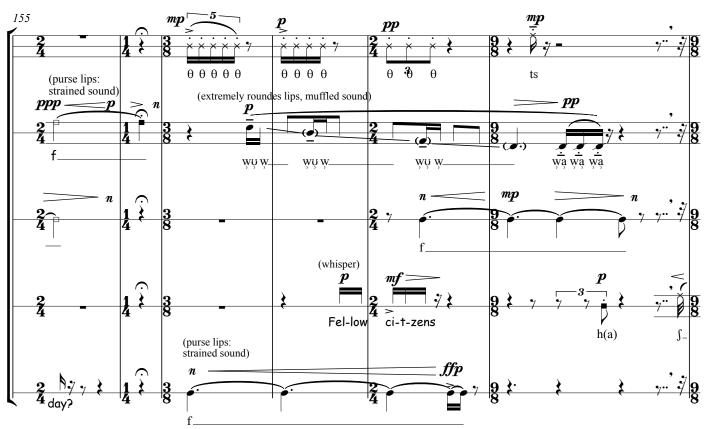


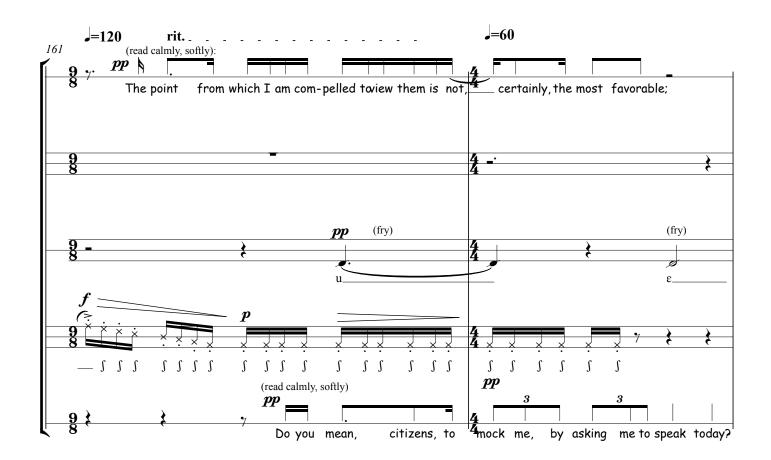


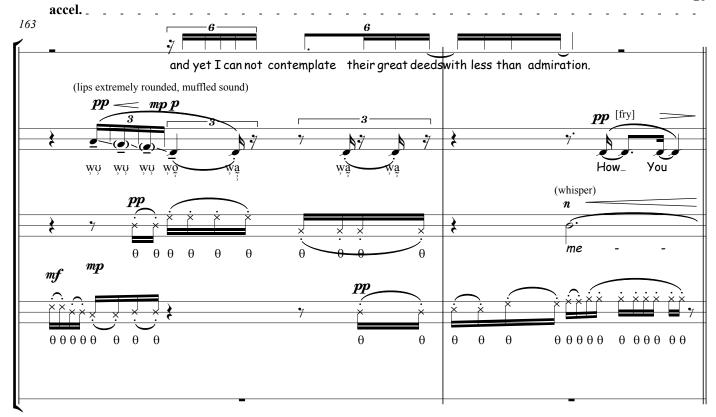


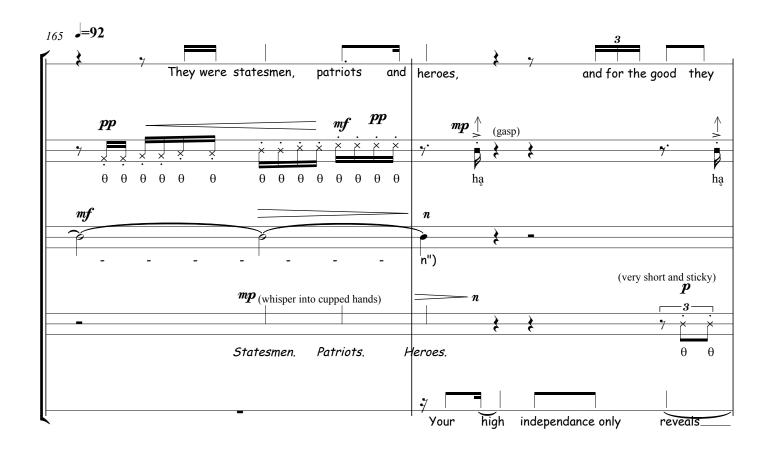


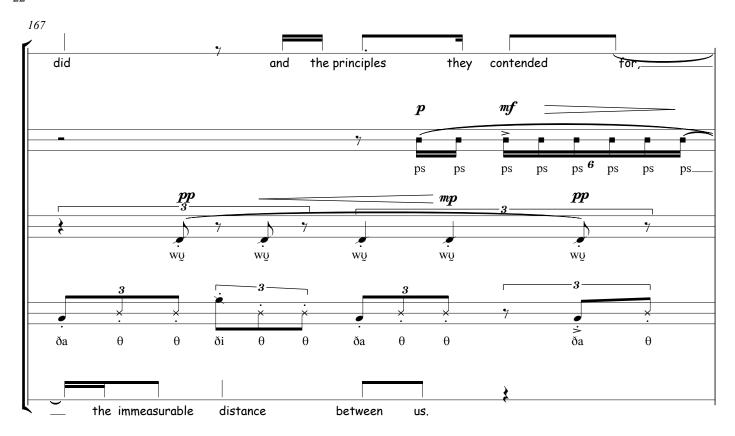


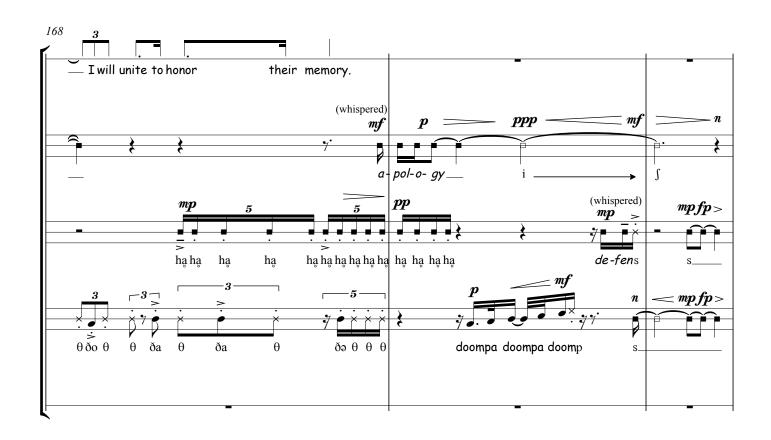


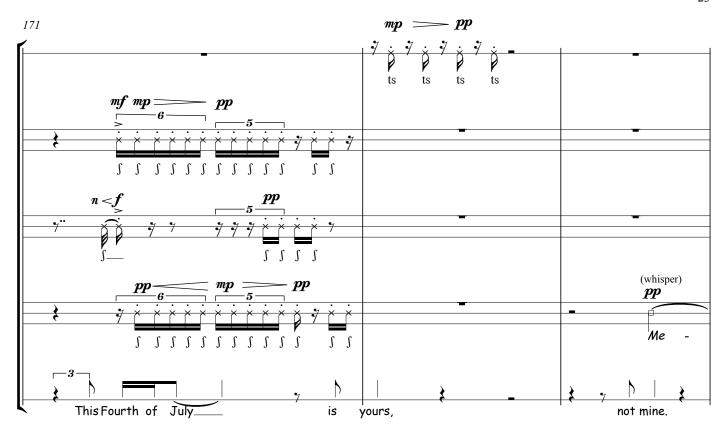


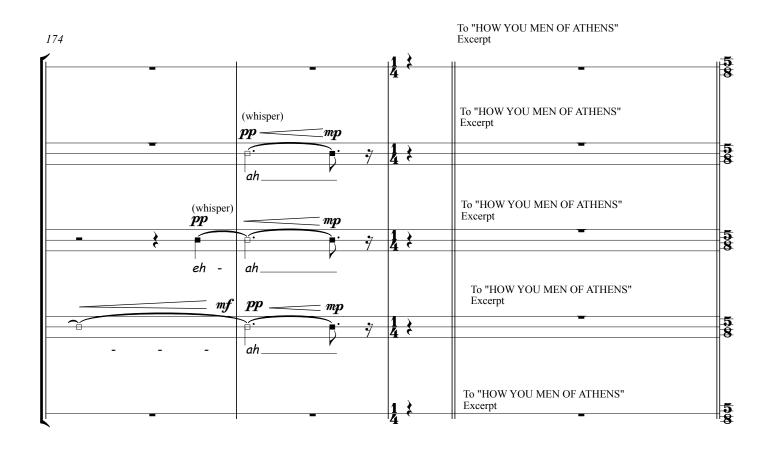












{Read softly, somewhat slowly, listening to one another} [V1]: "How you, men of Athen"/s/_____ ("my accusers, I do not") p (> n)pp {half-whispered} men of Athens, have" huhuhu-"I do not know; hu-{calmly} mp {quasi stuttuering, slowly, softly} mp {almost accusingly} "accusers, I do not know" [V3]: "men of Athens, have been" mp {smile} — →{frown} [V4]: "of Athens, have been affected" "my accusers, I do not" mp $p \ll mp$ "Athens, have been affected by my accusers, I do" [V5]: **∫**= 168 [V1]: /s/ /r/ mp p hu-" "hu-[V2]: huh-{breathy puffs, irregular lengths} [V3]: I, for my part, almost forgot my own identity, so persuasively did they talk; and yet mp {Read suddenly somewhat faster, more confidently, than before} [V4]:

