

Wind Ensemble

Audition Piece - Fall 2011

Xylophone

Moderately Fast

The xylophone part consists of three staves. The first two staves are in treble clef with a key signature of two flats and a common time signature. The first staff begins with a dynamic marking of *f* and contains a melodic line of eighth and quarter notes. The second staff continues this line and ends with a quarter rest. The third staff is a grand staff (treble and bass clefs) featuring a complex, wavy melodic line with many slurs and ties. It starts with a dynamic marking of *p* and ends with a dynamic marking of *f* and a fermata.

Snare Drum

Moderately Fast

The snare drum part consists of two staves. Both staves are in common time and feature a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes with accents (>) above them. The first staff begins with a dynamic marking of *p* and ends with a dynamic marking of *f*. The second staff continues the pattern and also ends with a dynamic marking of *f*.