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Orchestral Excerpt List

Harp

- **This booklet contains excerpts of varying standards. Please pick the excerpt(s) you are most comfortable with and prepare to the best of your ability.**

- **If you are preparing for entry into Junior Orchestra then please play ONE excerpt.**

- **If you are preparing for entry into Senior or Symphony Orchestra then please play TWO excerpts.**

- **We would encourage you to play these excerpts to your tutor prior to your audition.**

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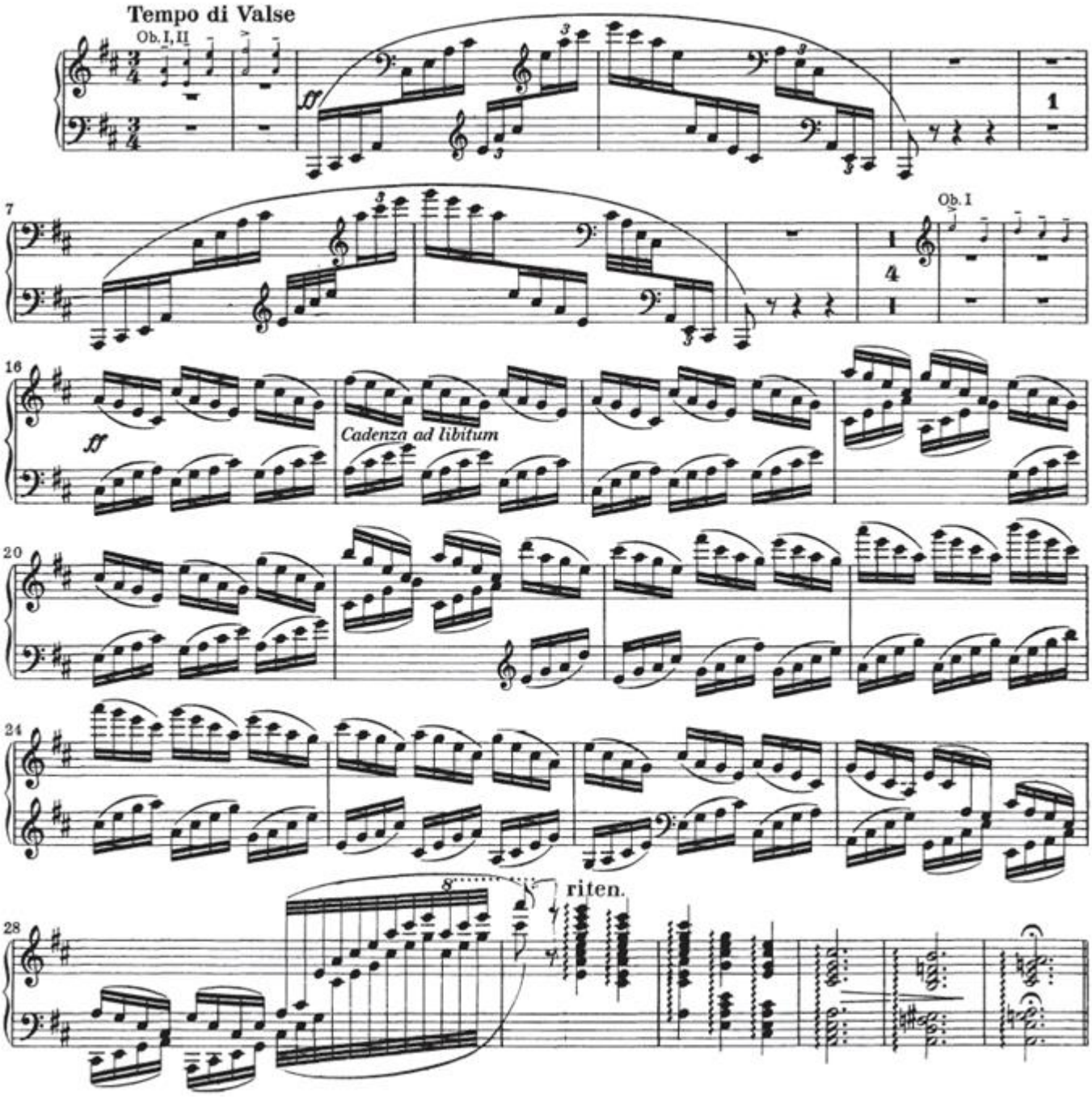
Tchaikovsky: The Nutcracker - Waltz of the Flowers, cadenza



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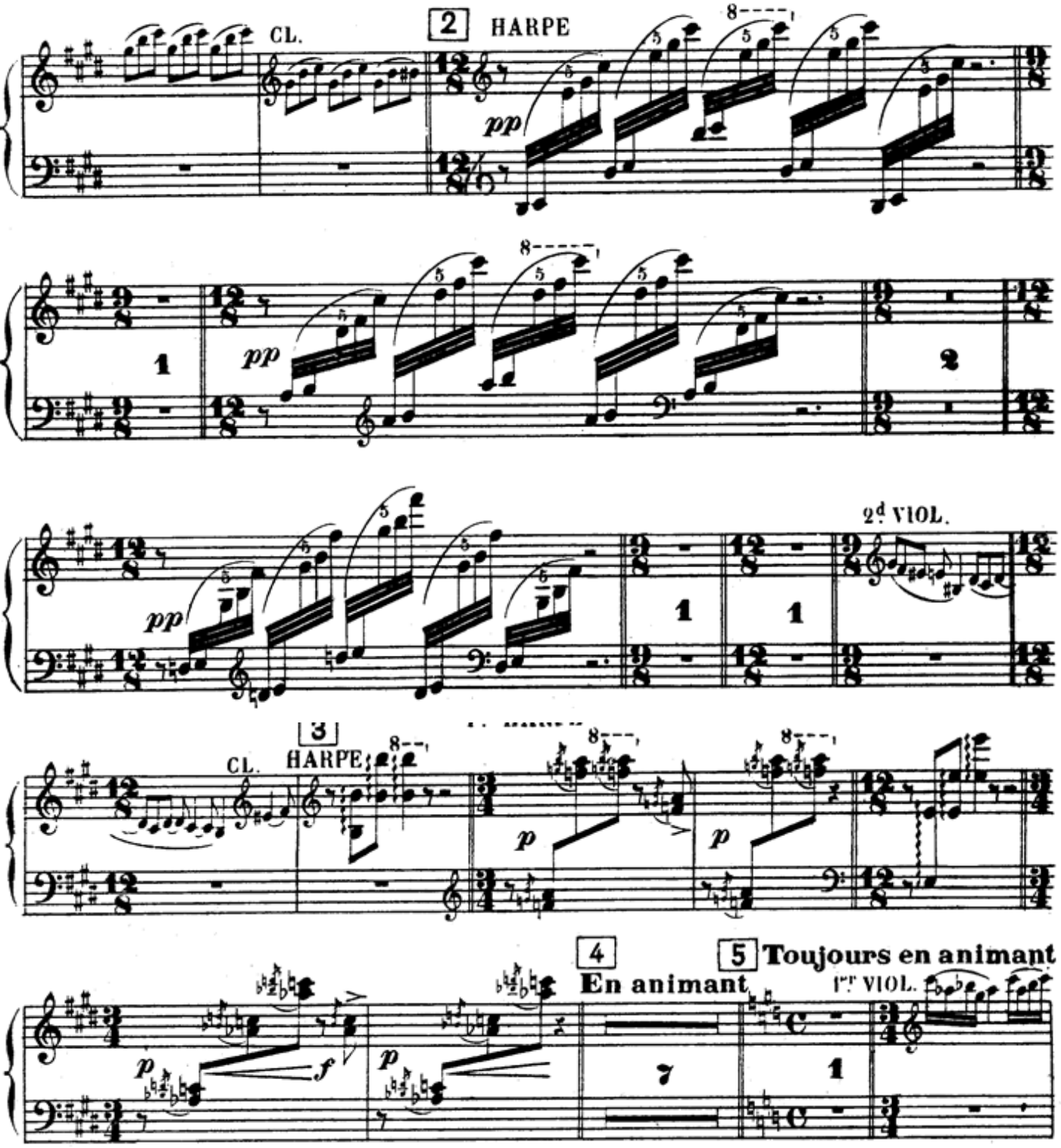
Debussy: Prelude to an Afternoon of a Faun - Figure 2-4



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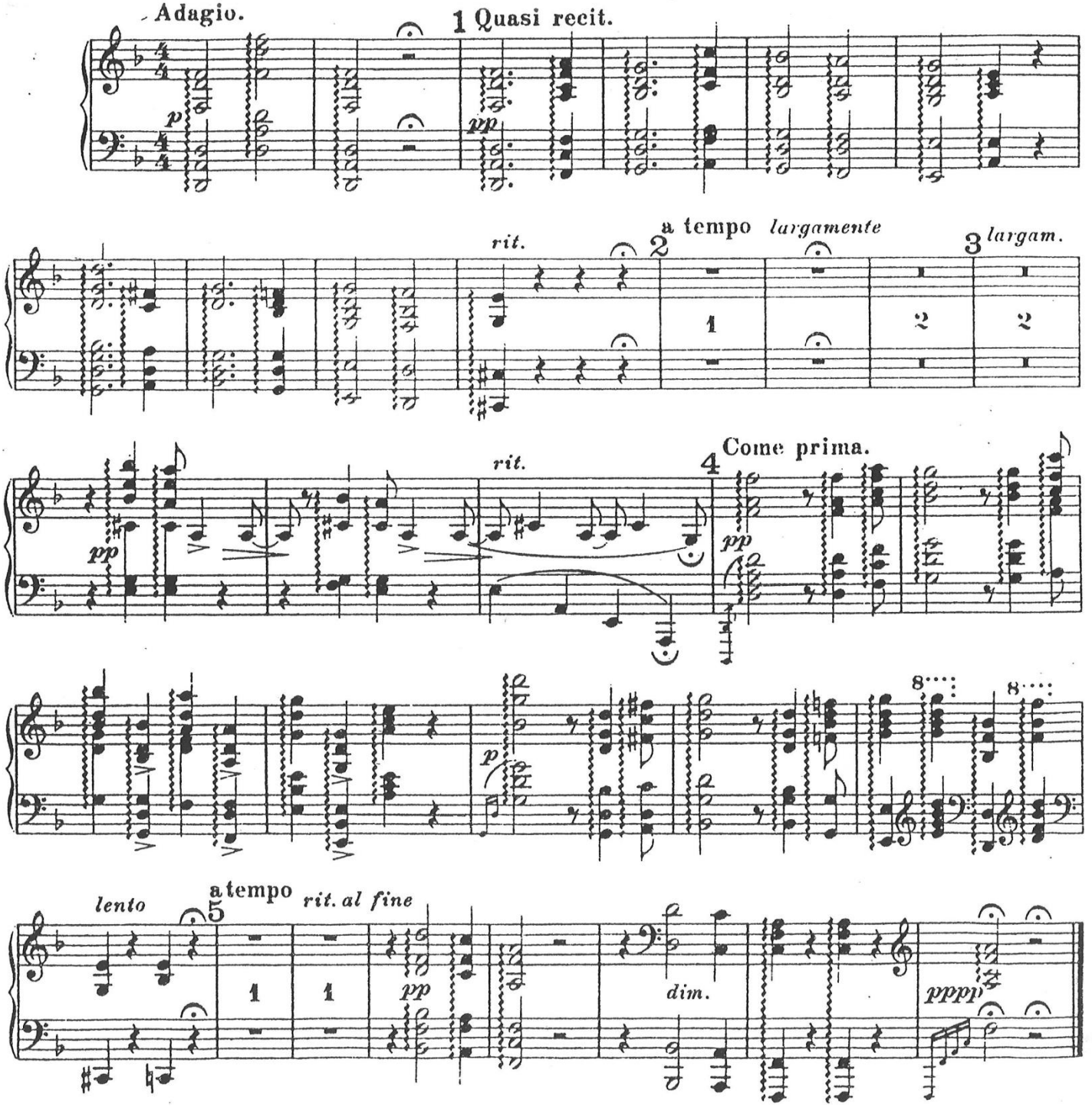
Elgar: Sospiri - Excerpt



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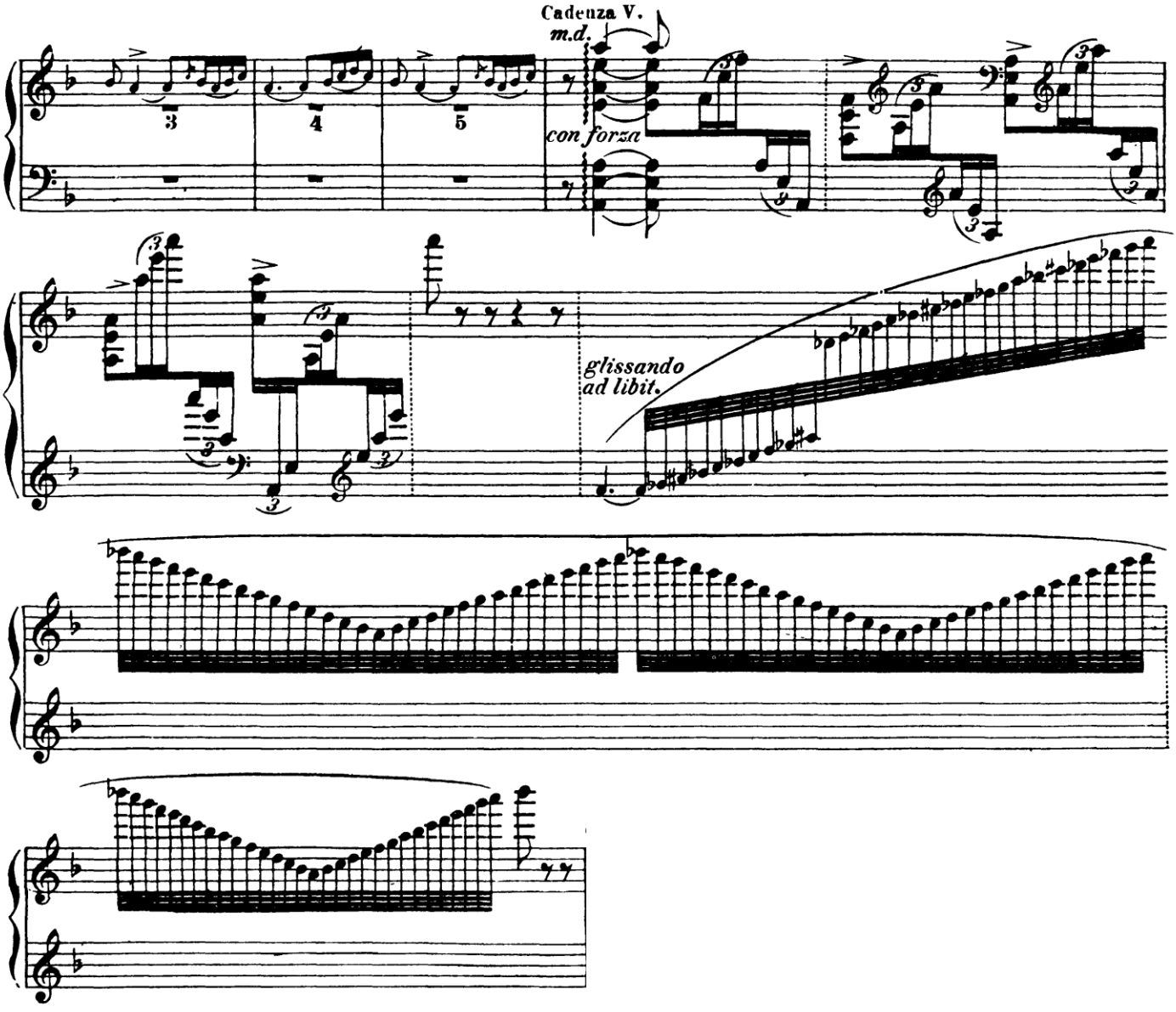
Rimsky-Korsakov: Cappriccio Espagnol - cadenza



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Faure: Requiem - 7, In Paradisum, Figure C-end

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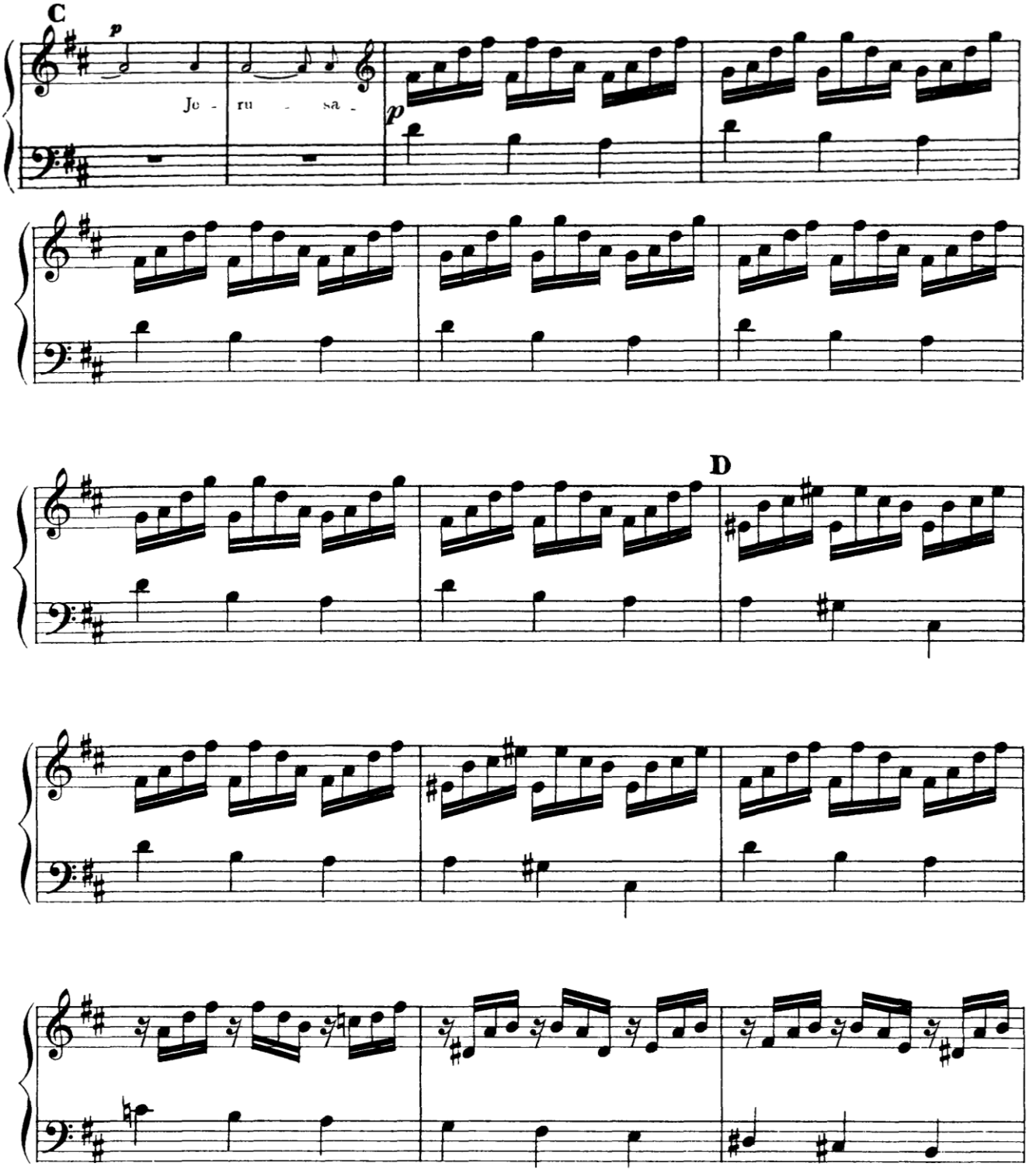

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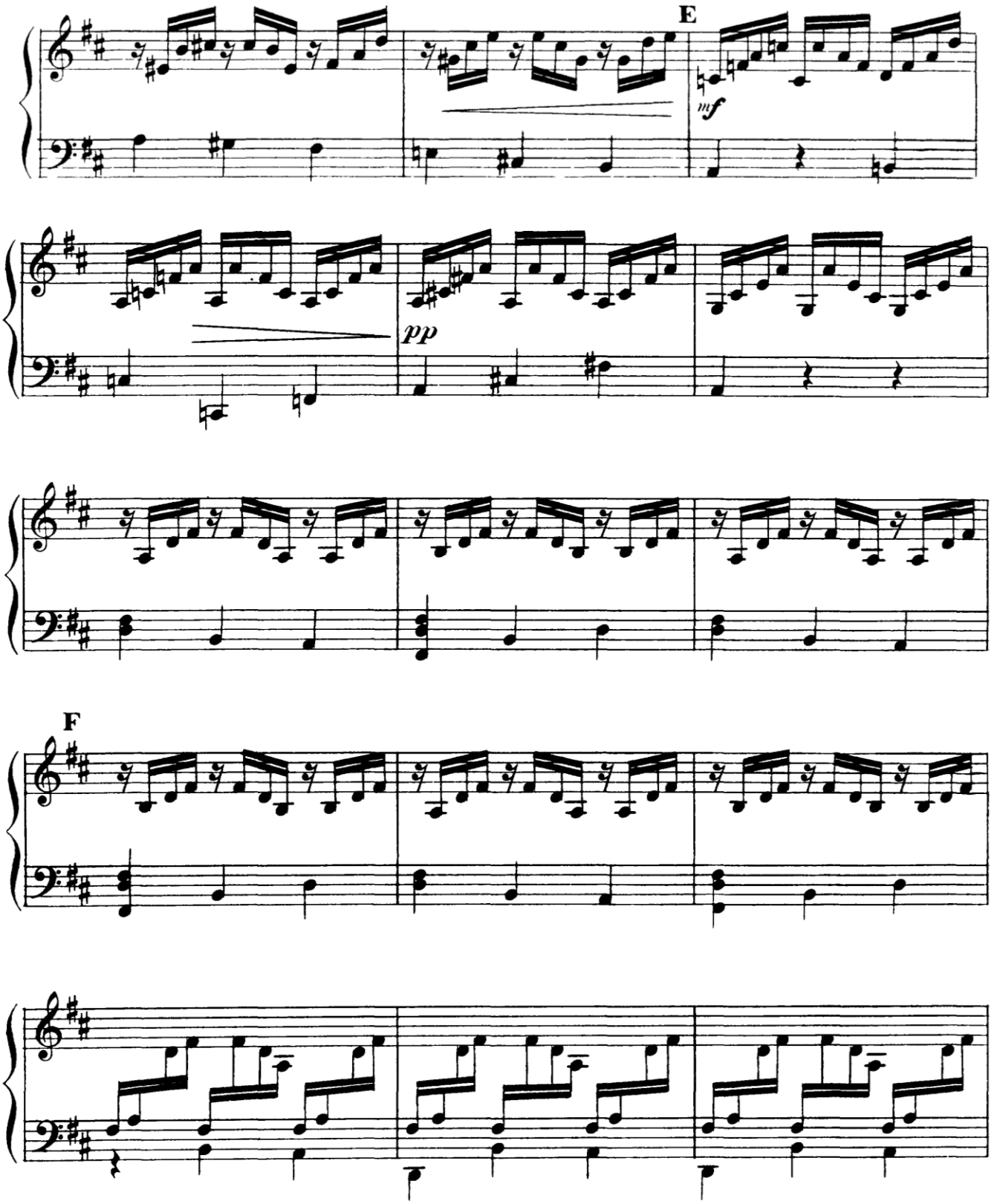

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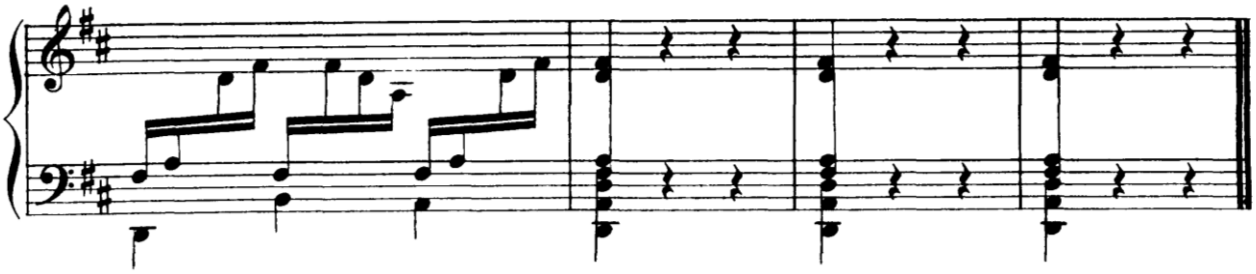
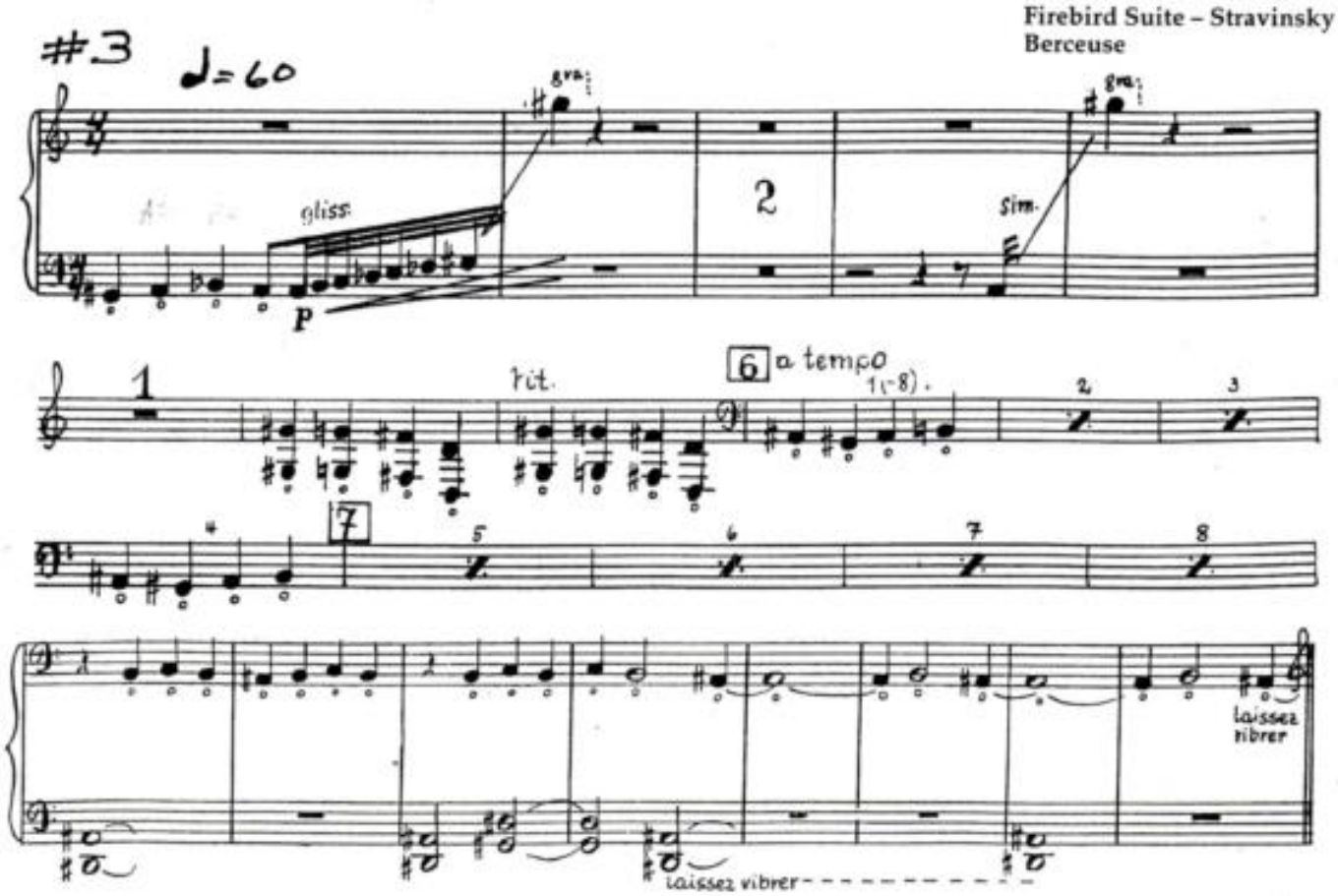


Stravinsky: Firebird Suite - Berceuse, 9 before Figure 6-12 after Figure 7



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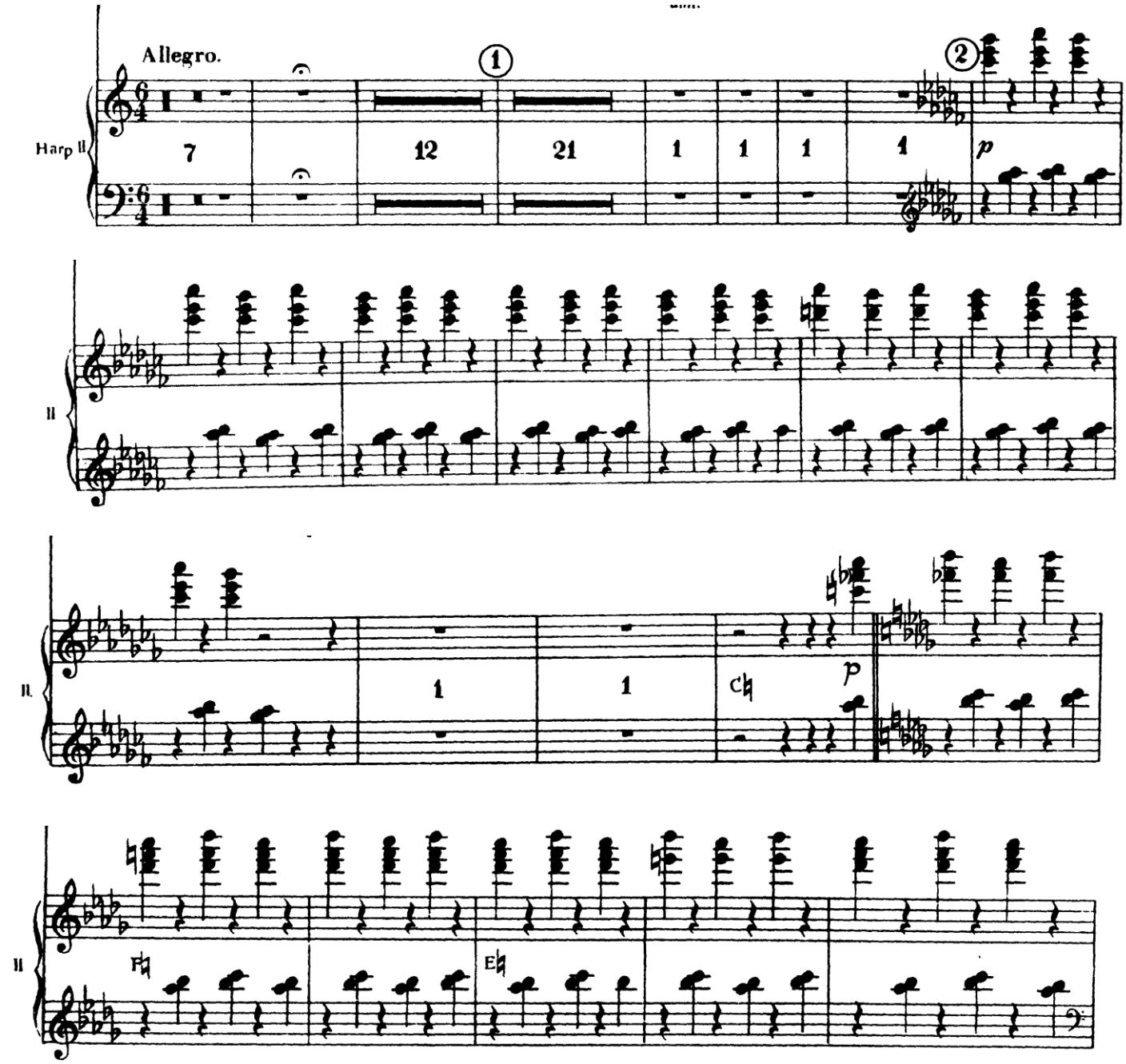
Holst: The Planets - Uranus, Figure 2



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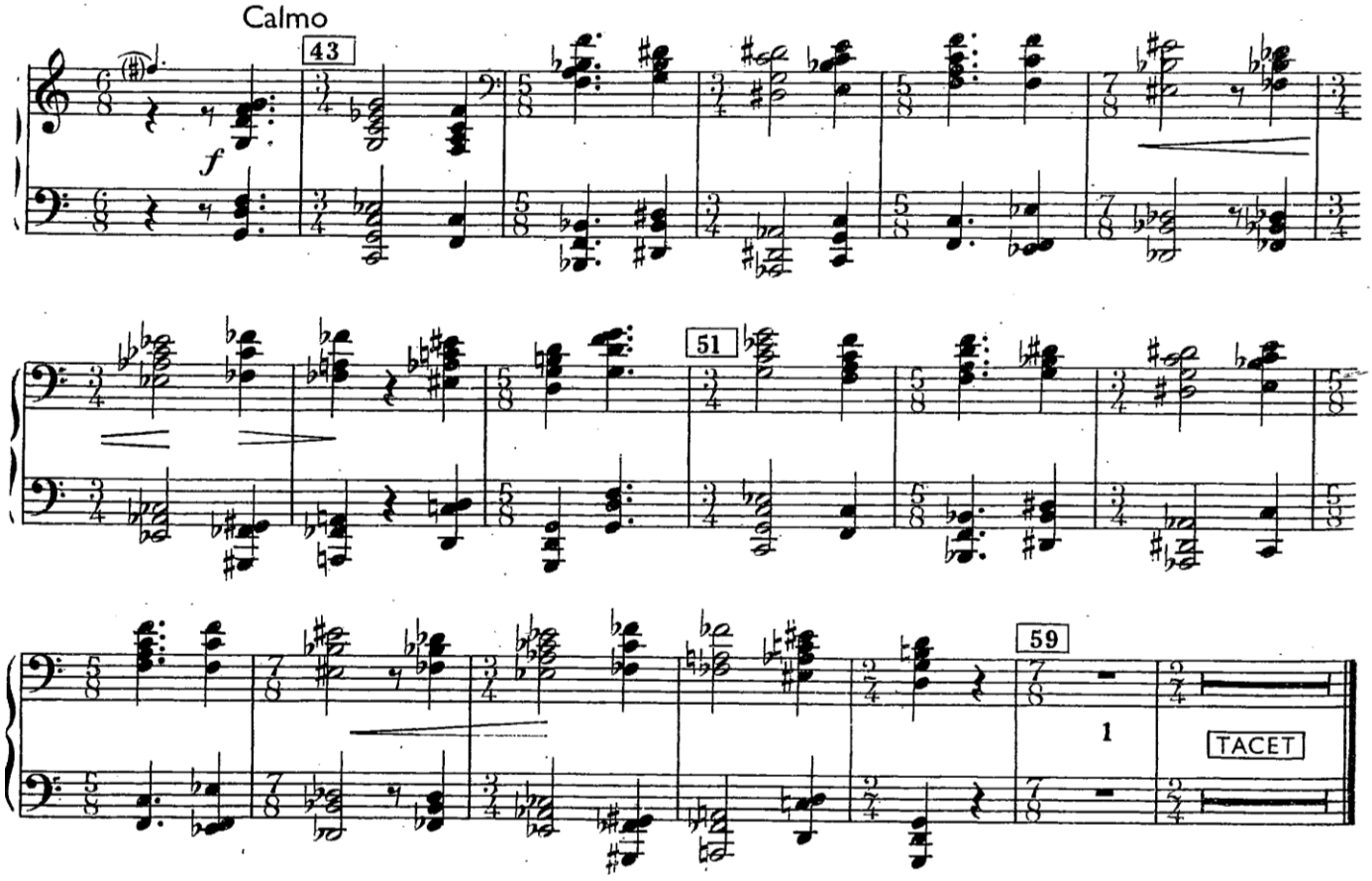
Bartok: Concerto for Orchestra - 4th movement, Bars 43-59



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Elgar: Symphony No. 1 - 4th Mvt., Figure 130-134

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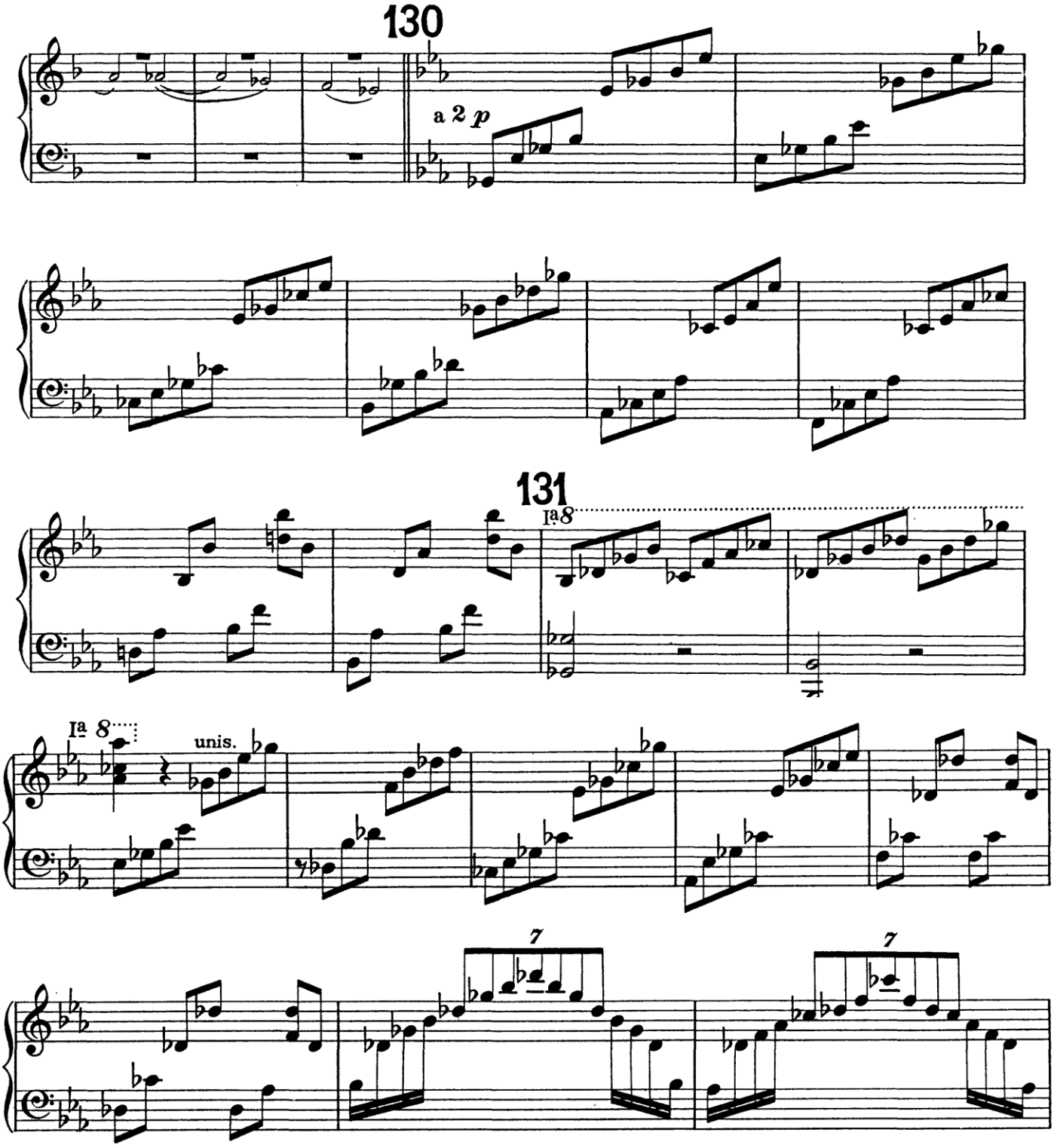

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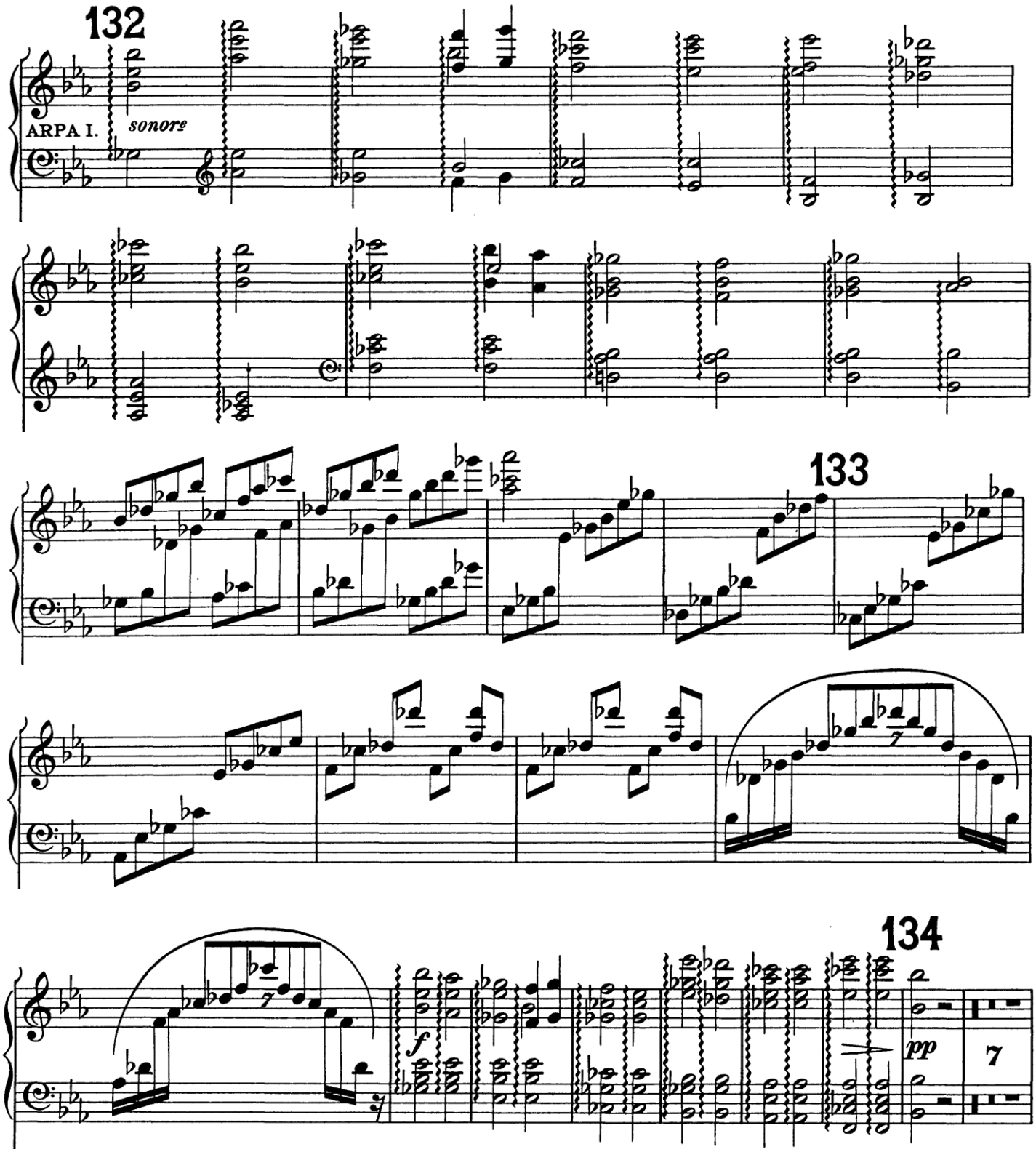

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Verdi: La Forza del Destino – Overture, Figures G-H and N-end

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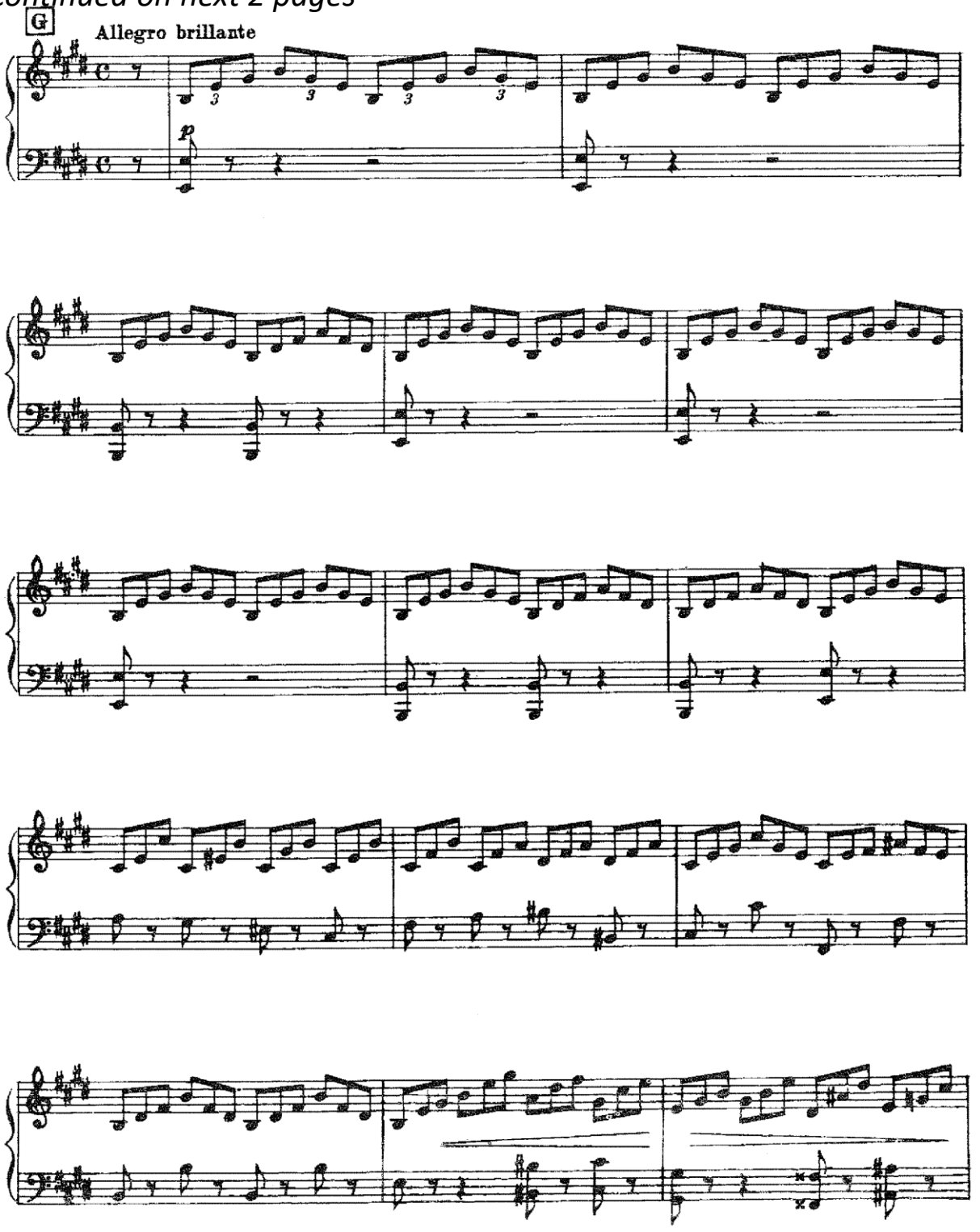

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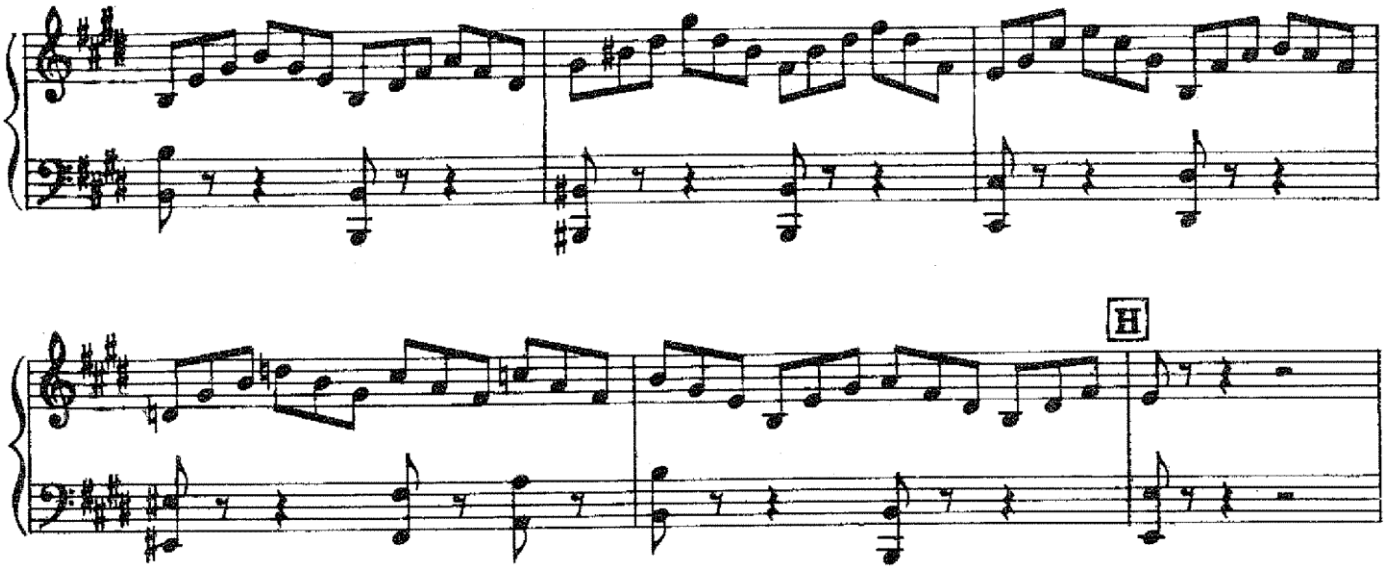

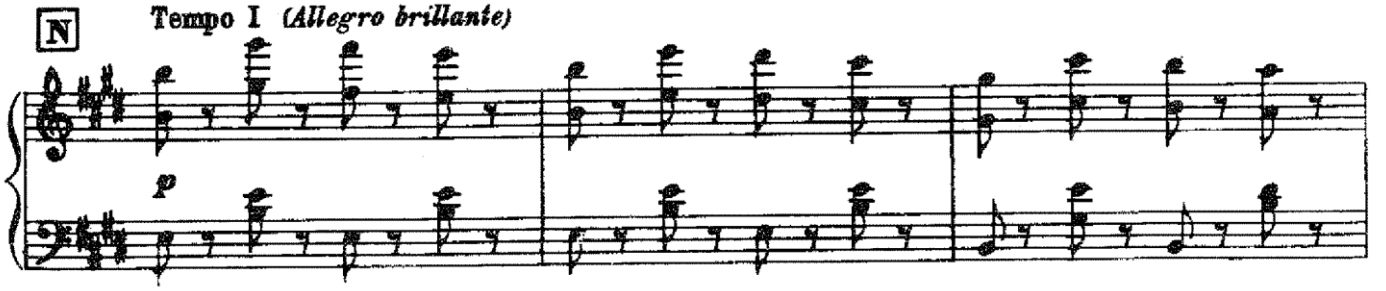

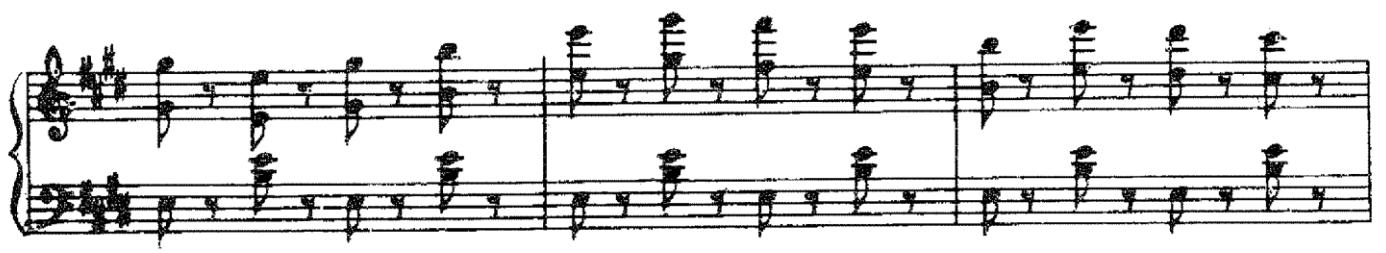

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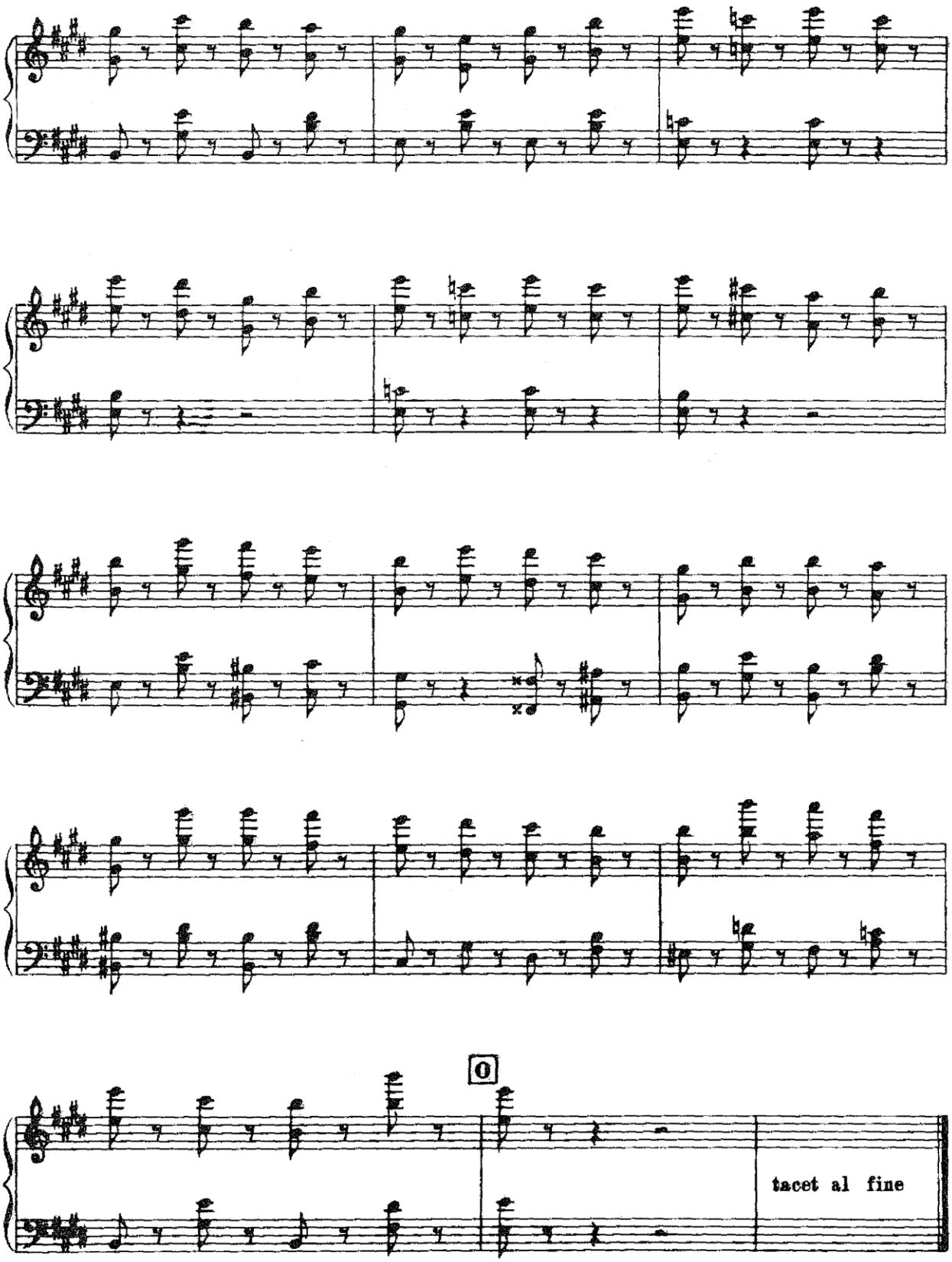

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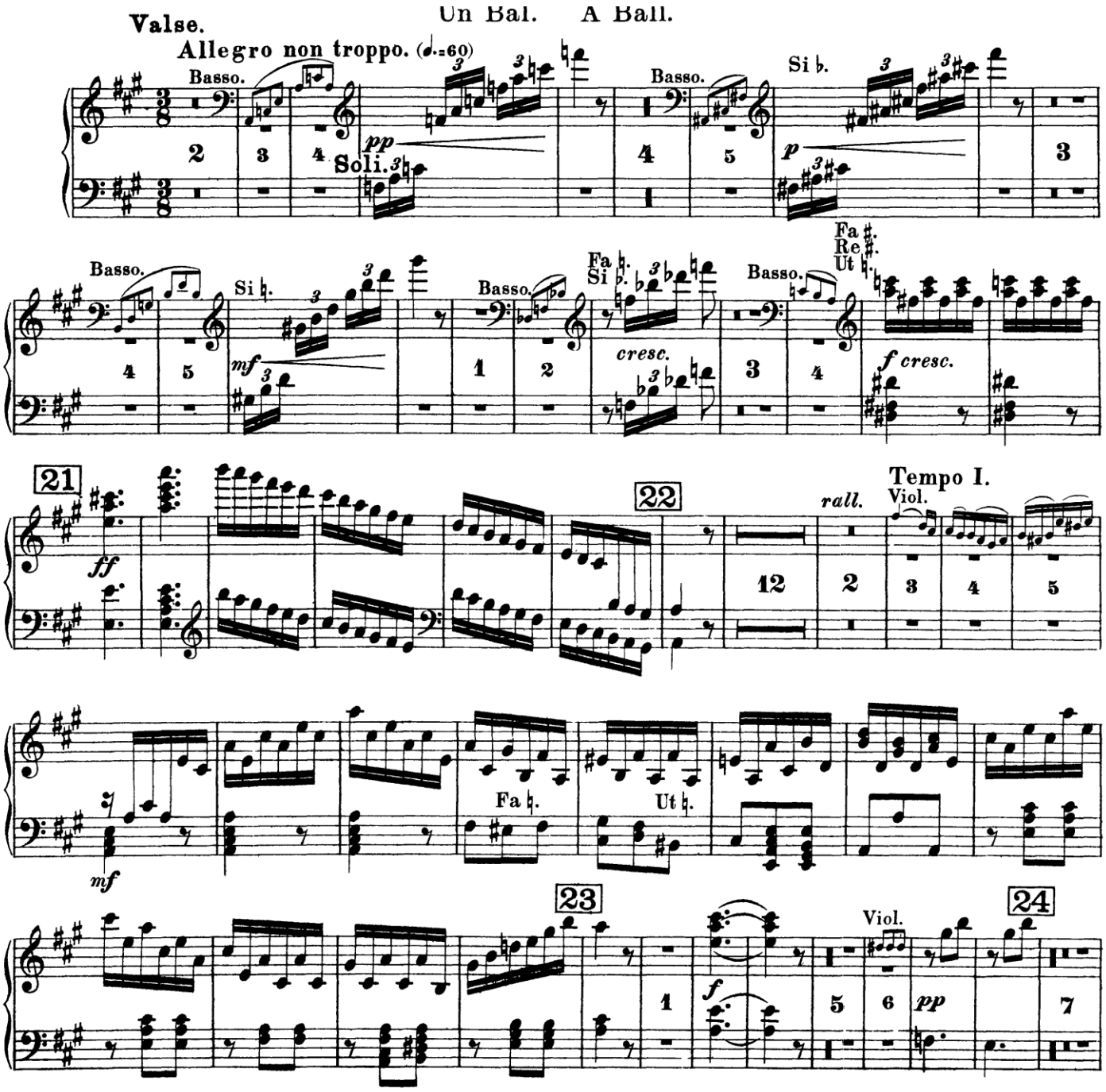
Berlioz: Symphonie Fantastique - 2nd movement, opening-Figure 24



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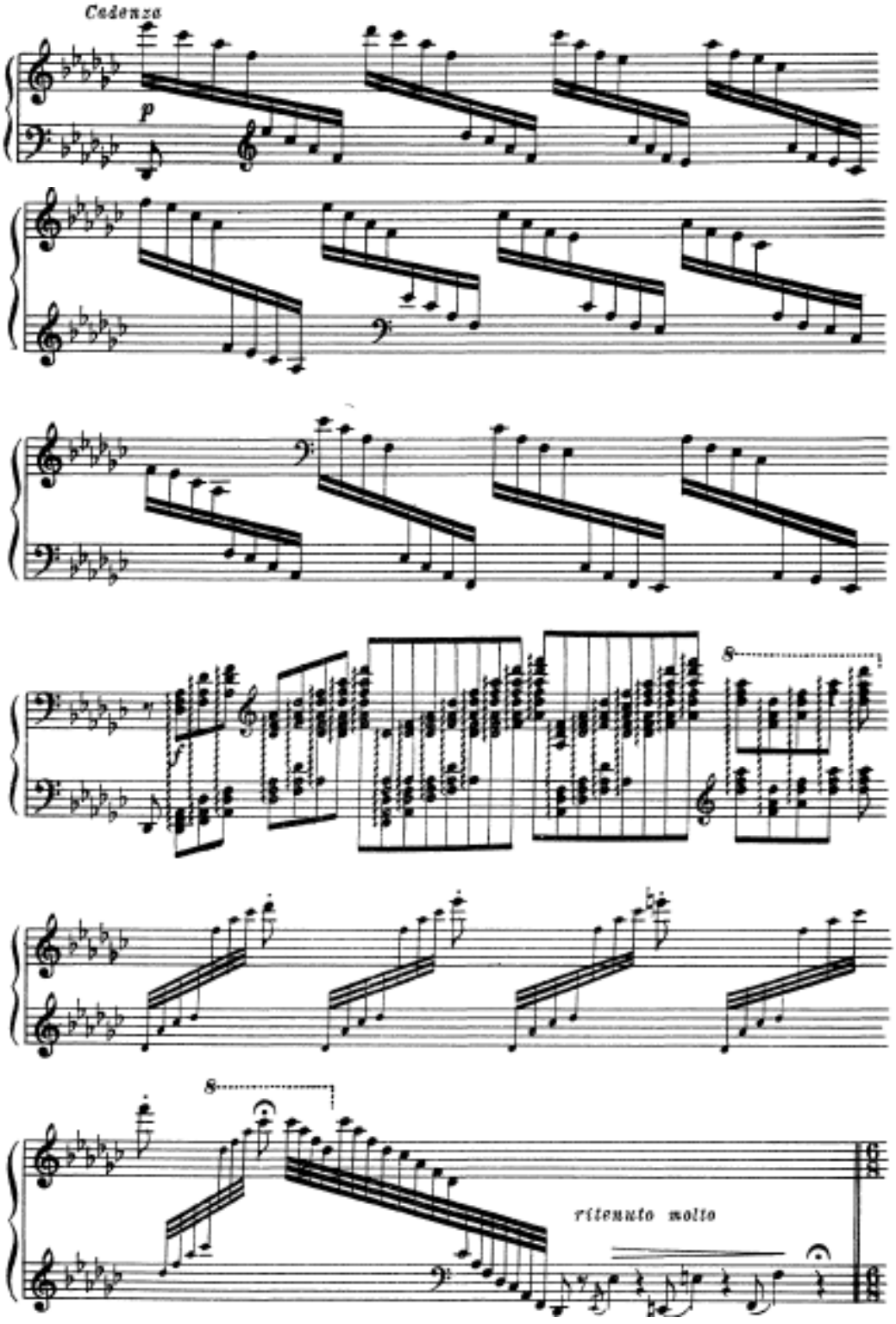
Tchaikovsky: Swan Lake - Cadenza



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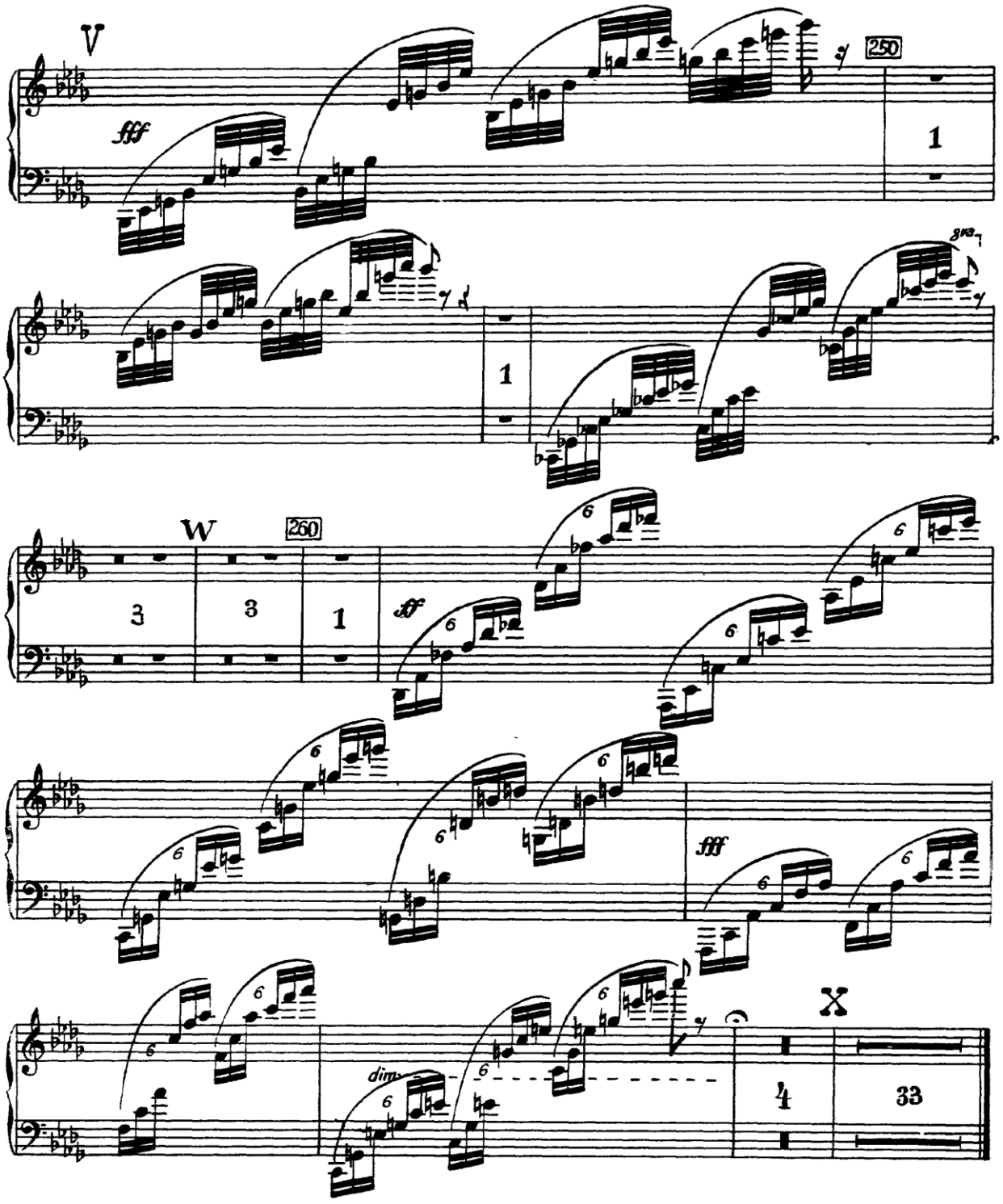
Bruckner: Symphony No. 8 - 3rd movement, Figure V



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Holst: The Planets - Mercury, Bars 1-39

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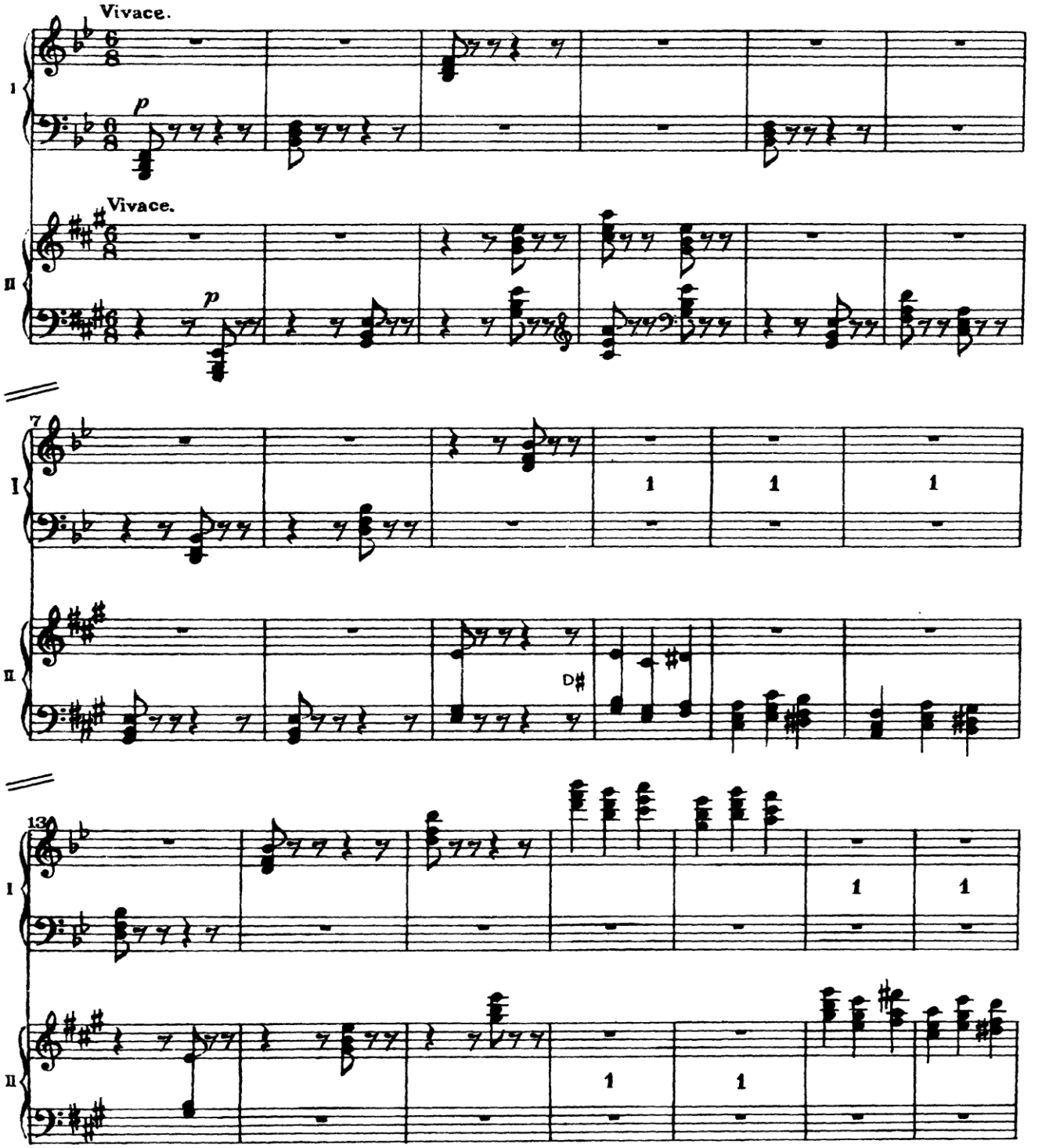

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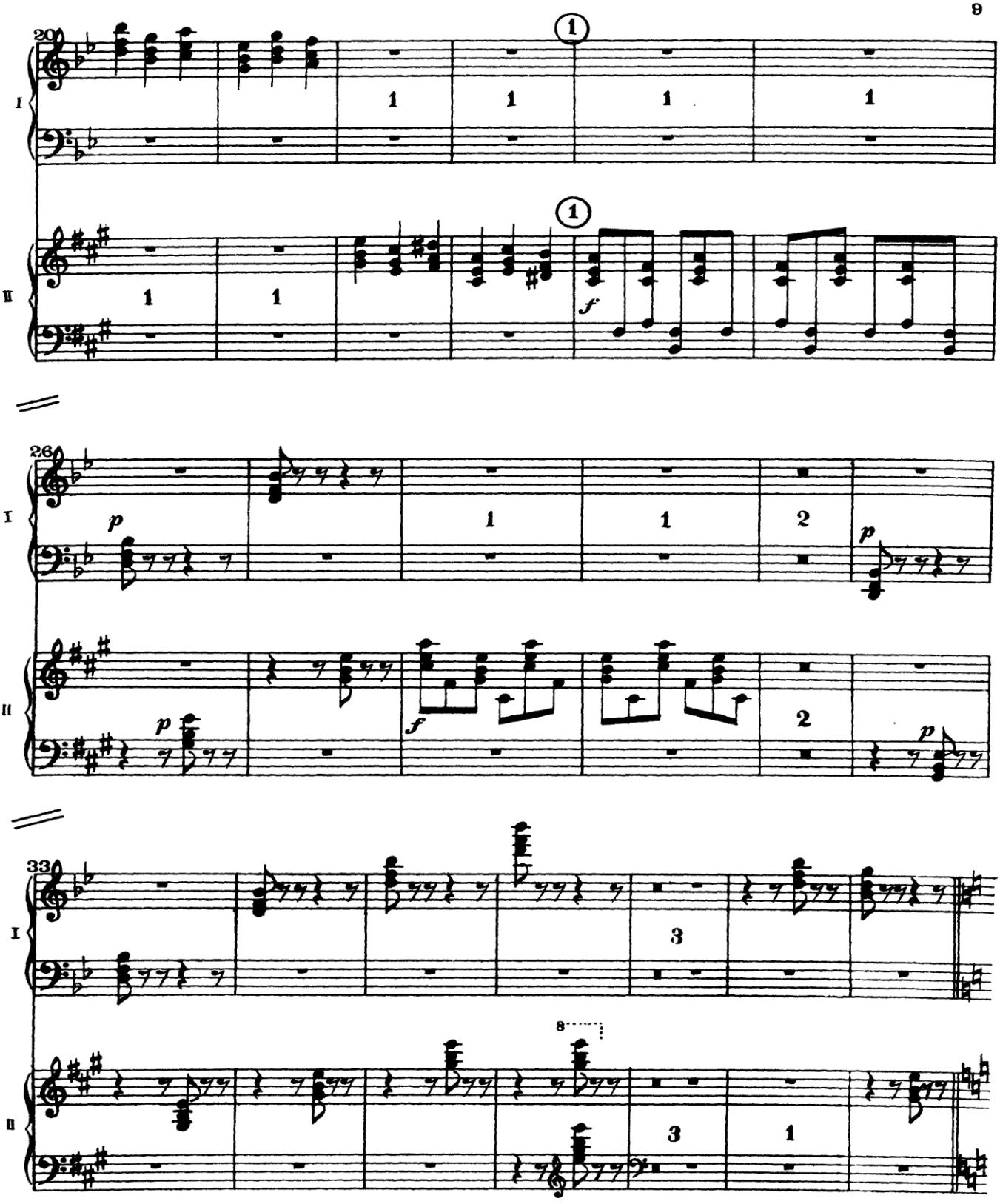
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