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Ember

for percussion duo

(2018)

Instrument list

Percussion 1:

drum set snare (upside down)
 almglocken - C4
 2 crotales - C# G#
 bar from glockenspiel - B
 6 quarters (or similar size coin)
 metal mixing bowl (shared) - tuned to C#,
 water can be used to alter pitch

Percussion 2:

drum set snare (upside down)
 almglocken - C#4
 2 crotales - E F
 bar from glockenspiel - G
 6 quarters (or similar size coin)
 metal mixing bowl (shared) - tuned to C#,
 water can be used to alter pitch
 singing bowl - C



The coins should be loosely taped to ensure the most rattle
 Place the crotales close to the edge so that when tapped
 it hits against the rim of the drum to activate the sound

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

Performance notes:

- Hold instrument as far away from the snares as possible, achieving a pure tone without snare interference
 - ◊ Hold instrument closer to the snares, some noise will occur
 - Instrument is as close to the snare as possible
 - Cut off the sound by placing the crotales directly on snares
- Gradually move from one position to the next indicated on each side of the arrow

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♩ = 72 expansive, meditative

Percussion 1

Percussion 2

7

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

13

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

17

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

23 **A** ♩ = 80 *pick up crotale

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

*pick up crotale

E ♩ = 108

*place G# crotales flat-side down in center of drum, directly over the snares

86

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

92

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

95

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

98

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

101

Perc. 1

Perc. 2