

Dark Ethers/Bright Lights

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Dreamy, no clear meter

♩ = 60

sub-tone, no vib, no accents

rapid fall, disappearing

00:06

00:14

slower fall, disappearing

Soprano Saxophone

1-TAB

2

3

System

8 (wait Sys to end)

sub-tone, no vib, no accents

00:27

00:46

01:02

breathily, barely audible very rapidly

♩ = 120

pp

♩ = 60

4

5 echoes ----- >

Sop. Sax.

Sys.

20

♩ = 100 sim., but slightly slower

♩ = 60

even slower rit. - - - - -

♩ = 80

system

slowly trill bflat spatula key

p

trill

p

01:38

♩ = 80 slightly faster, very lightly, vanishing

6 sax harmonization -----

Sop. Sax.

Sys.

echoes ----- >

echoes ----- >

01:42

rapid fall, disappearing

♩ = 100

7

harmonization -----

ppp

ff

pulsing ----- >

Sop. Sax.

Sys.

30

♩ = 60 accel. - - - - -

vib

rit. - - - - -

vib

♩ = 100

p

f

ff

8 harm off

harmonization -----

pulsing ----- >

pulsing fades ----- >

Sop. Sax.

Sys.

repeat 4 times
broadly at first, gradually accel to frantically fast

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66 Sop. Sax.

Sys.

very long, dense delays ----->

repeat 4 times
broadly at first, gradually accel to frantically fast

68 Sop. Sax.

Sys.

very long, dense delays ----->

delays decay and vanish ----->

♩ = 160
(open rest)

04:35

72 Sop. Sax.

Sys.

rhythm only ----->

♩ = 145 strict time to end...

f

16

80 Sop. Sax.

Sys.

harps fade in...fade out

light fall

04:45

17

87 Sop. Sax.

Sys.

no vib

harmonization (quiet)

04:57

18

93 Sop. Sax.

Sys.

vib

harm off

05:13


19

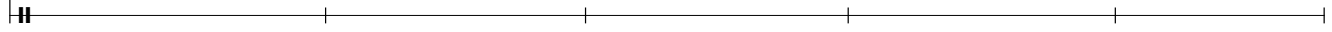
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Sop. Sax. 

Sys. 


106

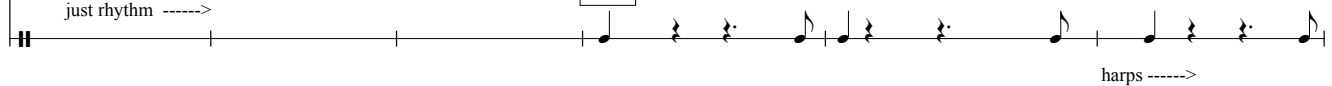
Sop. Sax. 

Sys. 

05:42

111

Sop. Sax. 

Sys. 

20

117

Sop. Sax. 

Sys. 


123

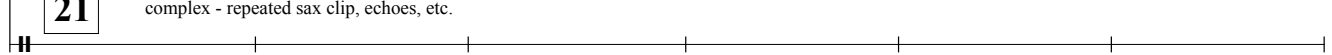
Sop. Sax. 

Sys. 

06:05


128

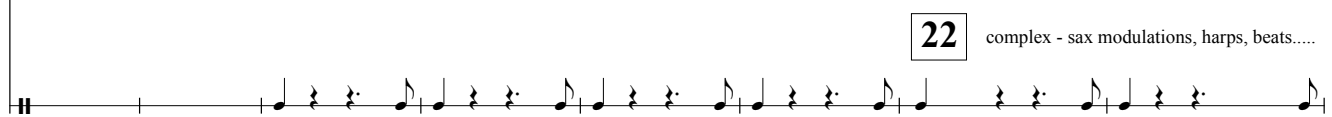
Sop. Sax. 

Sys. 

6:27

134

Sop. Sax. 

Sys. 

pp sub ff harps ----->

142
Sop. Sax. complex mix continues ---->
Sys.

147
Sop. Sax. complex mix continues ----> sax mod out...
Sys.

152
Sop. Sax. mf harps fade out ---->
Sys.

156
Sop. Sax. fff
Sys. just rhythm

162
Sop. Sax. just rhythm ff
Sys.

168
Sop. Sax. fp sax harm 24 harm off 25 26 denser sax harm ff
Sys.

174
Sop. Sax. harm fades out ----> 07:29 27 harm off
Sys. rhythm only pp

180

Sop. Sax. *p* *p* *fff*

Sys. *ff* strong harps

28

186

Sop. Sax. *ff* *ff* pressing forcefully

Sys. strong harps

193

Sop. Sax. *f* *gliss.*

Sys. strong harps + dense rhythms

29 complex, dense, low tones

199

Sop. Sax.

Sys. complex, dense, low tones

202

Sop. Sax. *ff*

Sys. complex, dense, low tones

30 delay, dense clusters fade out ---->

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