

Yun

for orchestra

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管絃樂曲

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Instrumentation

Piccolo

2 Flutes

2 Oboes

English Horn

2 Clarinets in Bb

Bass Clarinet in Bb

2 Bassoons

Contrabassoon

4 Horns

3 Trumpets in C

2 Trombones

Bass Trombone

Tuba

Timpani

Percussion I

(Tubular Chimes, Bongos x 2, Castanets)

Percussion II

(Suspended Cymbal, Glockenspiel, Small Triangle, Castanets, Brake Drum, Large Tam-tam)

Percussion III

(Snare Drum, Claves, Slapstick, Bongos x 2, Castanets, Suspended Cymbal)

Strings

The title *Yun*, in Chinese, is used to describe several ideas: sounds in music, rhymes in poetry, and the meaning of elegance. My idea was to transfer these meanings into different musical gestures and textures, and to develop them in various ways. The main musical ideas are the wild and improvisational-like melodic lines (presenting by solo instruments) and the recurring accented two-note figures (usually very rhythmic), which contrasts with the graceful and lyrical middle section. Structurally this composition is through-composed rather than following a certain form; however, new materials are developed from the old ones. Although I incorporated theoretical thoughts in developing motivic ideas, I tried to let the music itself lead throughout.

中文裡的「韻」(Yun) 有多層的意思：琴韻、聲韻、韻味。此曲的作曲構思是將這些意義，轉化成不同的音樂結構，並將其用以不同的方式發展。主要的動機為即興般的旋律線(通常以獨奏方式呈現)與一再出現的兩音小主題(通常十分富有節奏性)，並與優雅和極富旋律線的中段相互對比。樂曲架構並非為某一既定曲式，而是順著樂曲的走向而自然發展，使用的素材也是以已出現過的素材為基礎。雖然此曲使用了許多理論上的手法來發展，樂曲的本質才是主導本曲發展的核心。

- The score is transposed.
- Duration: approx. 10 minutes

- 此為移調樂譜。
- 曲長：約十分鐘。

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韻

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Con fuoco $\text{♩} = 92$

5

4

3

4

Piccolo

Flute I

Flute II

Oboe I / II

English Horn

Clarinet in B \flat

Bass Clarinet in B \flat

Bassoon I / II

Contrabassoon

Horn in F I / III

Horn in F II / IV

Trumpet in C I

Trumpet in C II / III

Trombone I / II

Bass Trombone

Tuba

Timpani

Chimes

Percussion I

Percussion II

Percussion III

Con fuoco $\text{♩} = 92$

5

4

3

4

Violin I

Violin II

Viola

Violoncello

Contrabass

2

3 (♩ = 92) 5

3 **4** **5** **4**

Picc.

Fl. I

Fl. II

Ob. I / II

Eng. Hn.

Cl. I / II

B. Cl.

Bsn. I / II

Cbsn.

Hn. I / III

Hn. II / IV

C Tpt. I

C Tpt. II / III

Tbn. I / II

B. Tbn.

Tba.

Timp.

(Chimes)

Perc. I

Perc. II

Perc. III

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

ffp ff f

f solo ff

f 5 ff express.

ff sfz

(2.) ff sfz

ffp sfz

ffp sfz

ffp sfz

ff

ffppp non vib.

ffppp (div.) non vib.

ffpp > non vib.

ff

mp ffpp

3

7 **3**
4 **4**

Picc.

Fl. I
f — ff

Fl. II
f — ff f — ff

Ob. I / II

Eng. Hn.

Ci. I / II

B. Cl.

Bsn. I / II

Cbsn.

Hn. I / III

Hn. II / IV

C Tpt. I

C Tpt. II / III

Tbn. I / II

B. Tbn.

Tba.

Timp.

Perc. I
φ φ
f 3 3

Perc. II
Castanets

Perc. III
Glockenspiel
mf

9

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

unis.
ff

unis.
ff

unis.
ff

unis.
ff

ff

3
4

14

Fl. I: ff, ffp, ff
Fl. II: ff, ffp, ff
Cl. I / II: f, ff
C Tpt. I: f
C Tpt. II / III: (2.) 3, fp, f, f
B. Tbn.: p, 3
Tba.: fp, fp, fp, fp
Timp.:
Perc. I:
Perc. II: mf, f
Perc. III:
Vln. I: unis., sfz, f, ff
Vln. II: sfz, f, ff, ff
Vla.: non div., sfz, f, ff
Vc.: unis., sfz, f, ff
Cb.: f

15

Vln. I: sfz, f, ff
Vln. II: sfz, f, ff, ff
Vla.: non div., sfz, f, ff
Vc.: unis., sfz, f, ff
Cb.: f

17

18

3

4

12

8

Picc.

Fl. I

Fl. II

Ob. I / II

Eng. Hn.

Ct. I / II

B. Cl.

Bsn. I / II

Cbsn.

Hn. I / III

Hn. II / IV

C Tpt. I

C Tpt. II / III

Tbn. I / II

B. Tbn.

Tba.

Tim.

(Chimes)

Perc. I

(Glock.)

Perc. II

Perc. III

This section of the score covers measures 17 through 18. It features a dynamic range from *ff* to *fff*. The instrumentation includes Picc., Fl. I, Fl. II, Ob. I / II, Eng. Hn., Ct. I / II, B. Cl., Bsn. I / II, Cbsn., Hn. I / III, Hn. II / IV, C Tpt. I, C Tpt. II / III, Tbn. I / II, B. Tbn., Tba., Tim., Perc. I, Perc. II, and Perc. III. Measure 17 starts with a forte dynamic from the woodwinds and brass. Measure 18 begins with a dynamic marking of *ff* followed by *fff*, indicating a significant increase in volume.

1. solo
5:6^b

con sord.

con sord.

straight mute

senza sord.

mf straight mute

senza sord.

mf

senza sord.

(Chimes)

Perc. I

(Glock.)

Perc. II

Perc. III

This section shows the Percussion section (Perc. I, Perc. II, Perc. III) playing various rhythmic patterns. Perc. II uses claves. The dynamic markings include *f*, *ff*, and *fff*.

18

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

This section shows the String section (Vln. I, Vln. II, Vla., Vc., Cb.) playing eighth-note patterns. The dynamics are marked with *fff* and *unis. pizz.* (unison pizzicato).

unis.
pizz.unis.
pizz.

fff

pizz.

fff

fff

21

85

Picc.

Fl. I f

Fl. II f

(1.) Ob. I / II

Eng. Hn.

(1.) Cl. I / II mf f

B. Cl.

Bsn. I / II a2 f

Cbsn.

Hn. I / III mf p mf

Hn. II / IV mf p mf

C Tpt. I p — mf p — mf p — mf

C Tpt. II / III 2. p — mf p — mf p — mf

Tbn. I / II 2. p — mf p —

B. Tbn.

Tba.

Tim. Bongos

Perc. I Castanets p

Perc. II p mp (Claves) cresc.

Perc. III mp cresc.

Vln. I ff

Vln. II ff

Vla. ff pizz.

Vc. ff

Cb.

885

f

27

98

Vln. I arco

Vln. II arco

Vla. arco

Vc. arco

Cb. ff

ff

mf

cresc.

cresc.

f

30

31

$\frac{4}{4}$

Picc.

Fl. I

Fl. II

Ob. I / II

Eng. Hn.

Cl. I / II

B. Cl.

Bsn. I / II

Cbsn.

Hn. I / III

Hn. II / IV

C Tpt. I

(2.)

C Tpt. II / III

Tbn. I / II

B. Tbn.

Tba.

Timp.

Perc. I

p f

Perc. II

[Snare Drum]
snares on

Perc. III

p mf

31

31

$\frac{4}{4}$

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.

p *ffpp*

33

poco allarg.

35

A tempo

5

4

4

Picc.

Fl. I

Fl. II

Ob. I / II

Eng. Hn.

Cl. I / II

B. Cl.

Bsn. I / II

Cbsn.

Hn. I / III

Hn. II / IV

C Tpt. I

(2.) C Tpt. II / III

Tbn. I / II

B. Tbn.

Tba.

Timp.

Perc. I

Sus. Cymbal

Perc. II

pp

Perc. III

Vln. I

Vln. II

Vla.

Vc.

Cb.