remembering Margaret Baxtresser

vibrant life

for string orchestra

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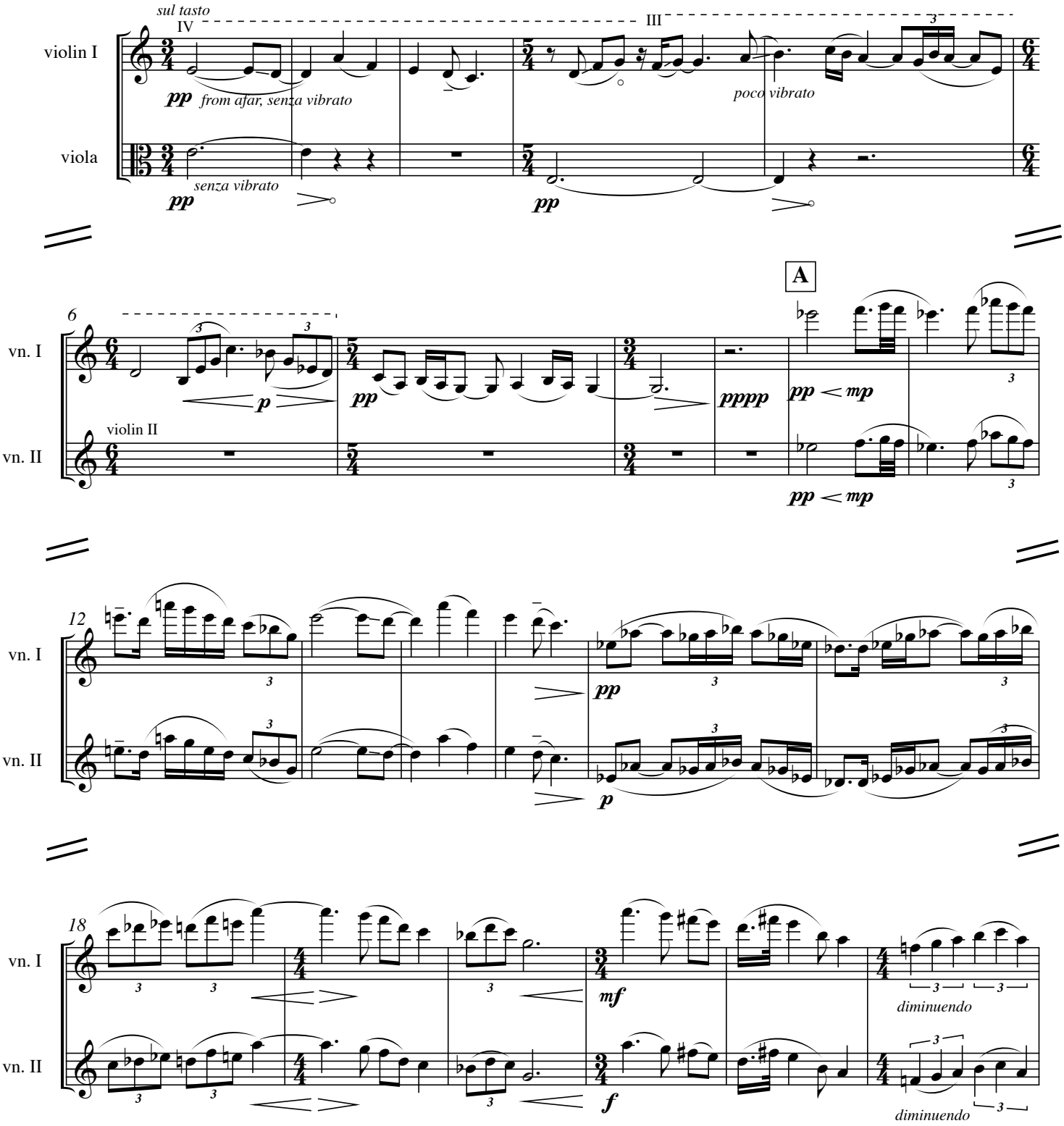
distant, weightless ♩= ca. 72 - 80



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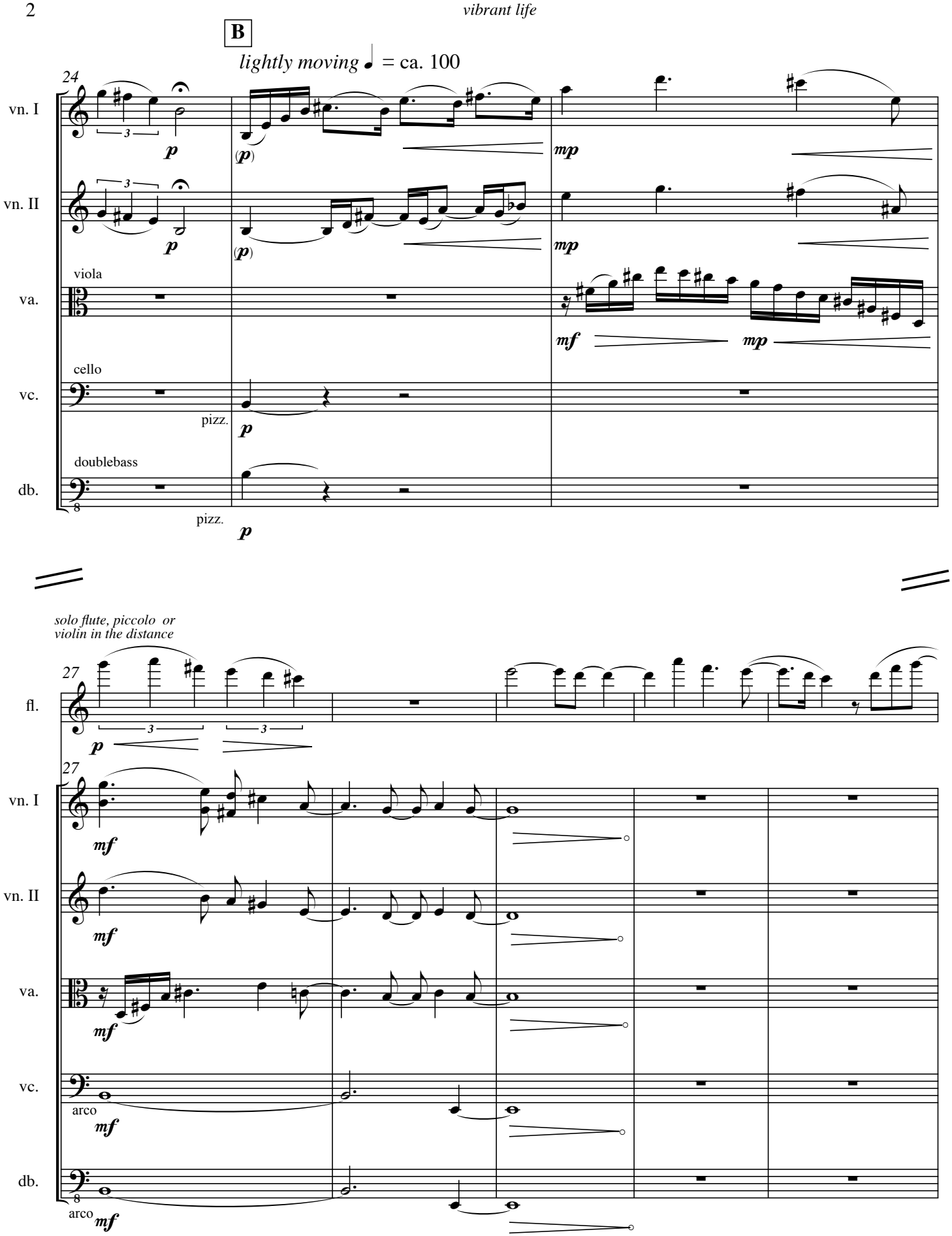
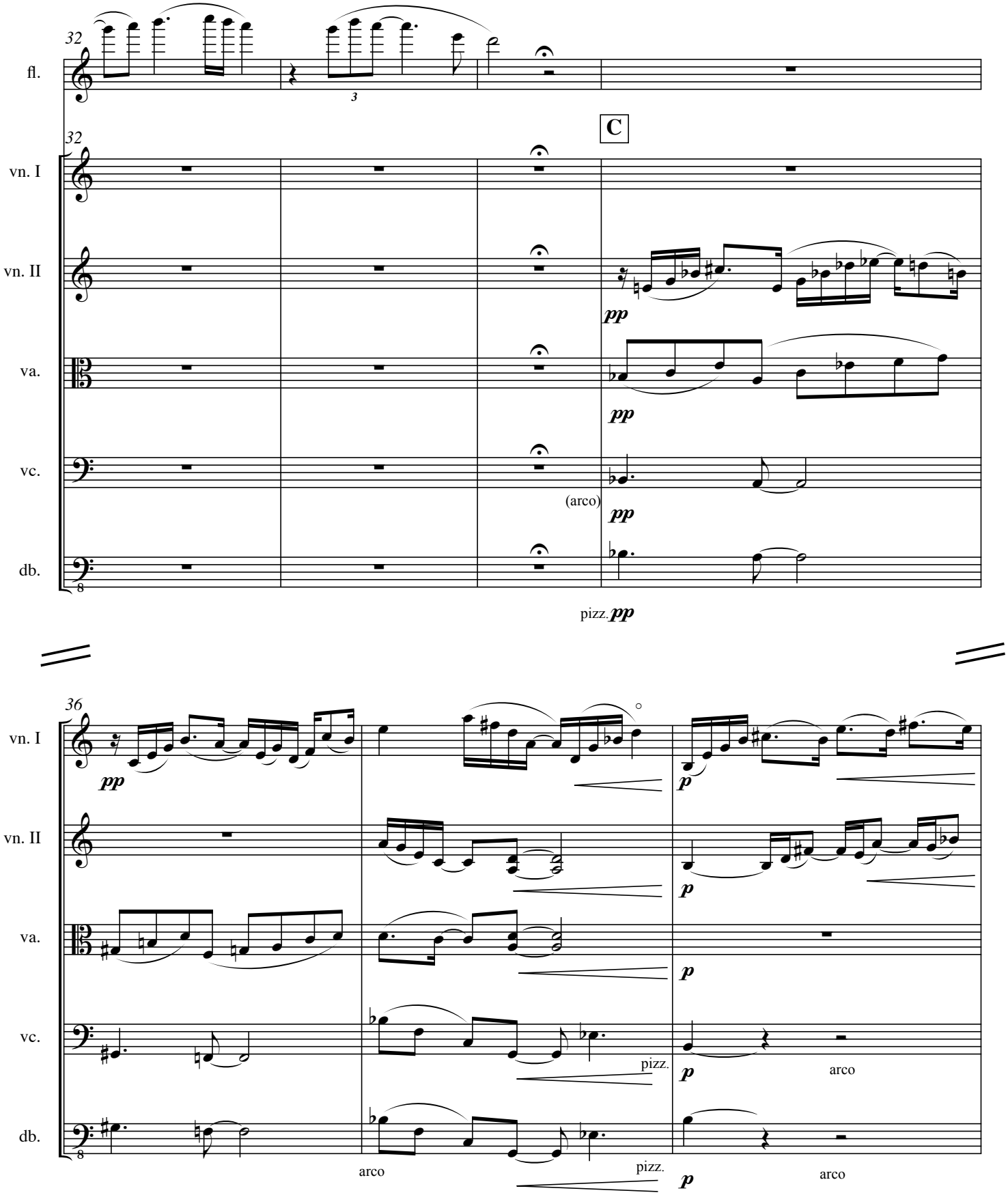
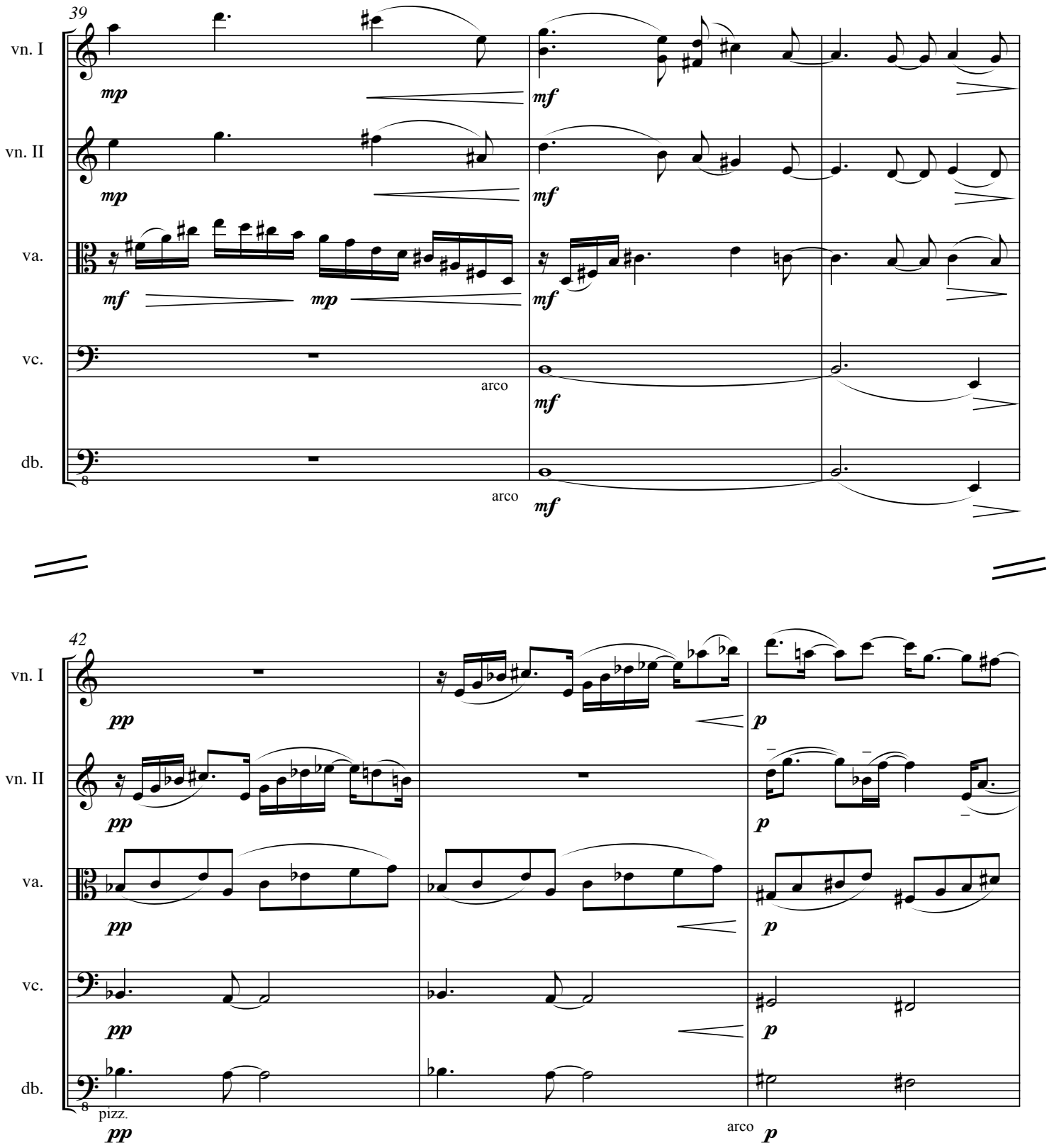
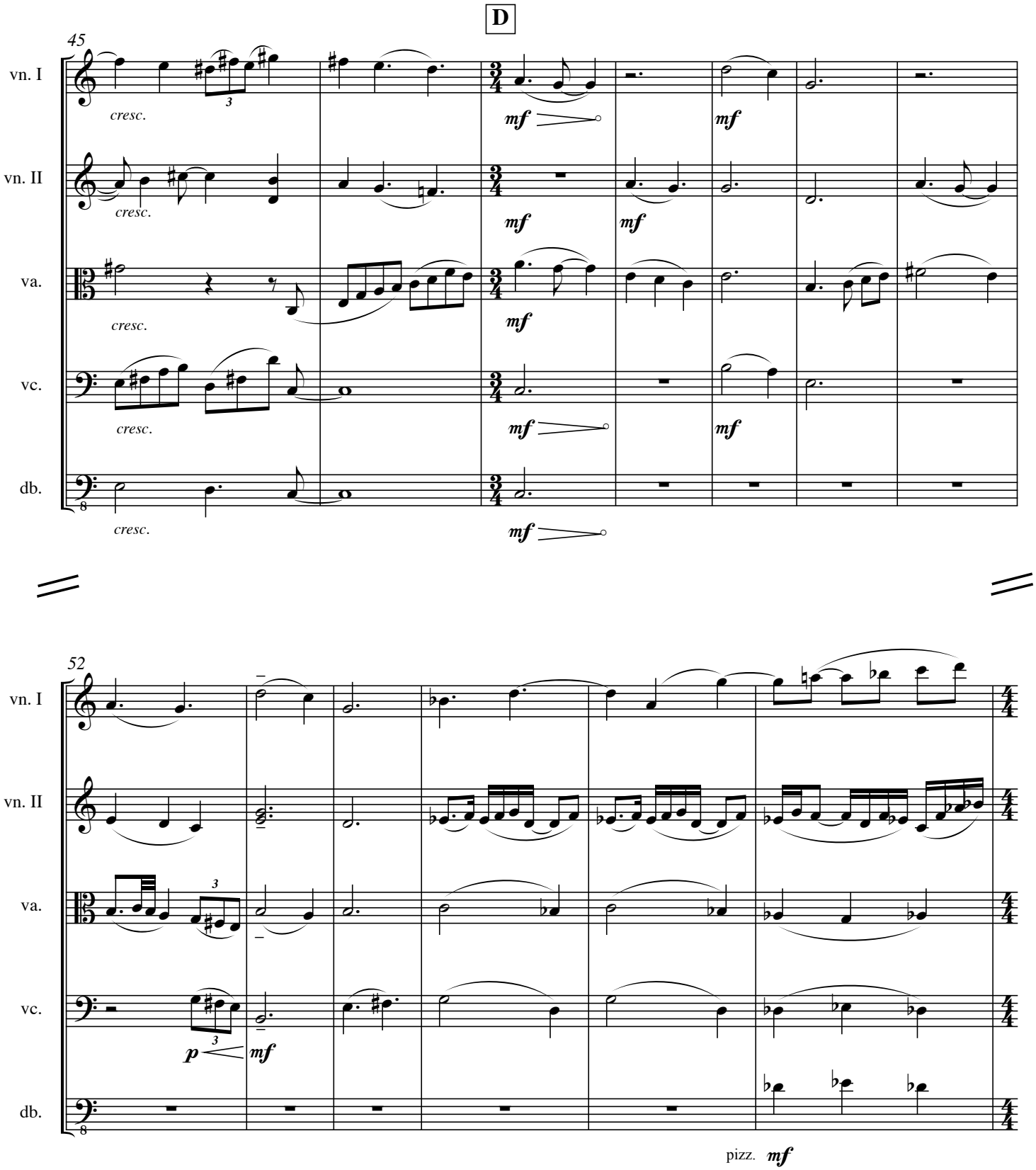
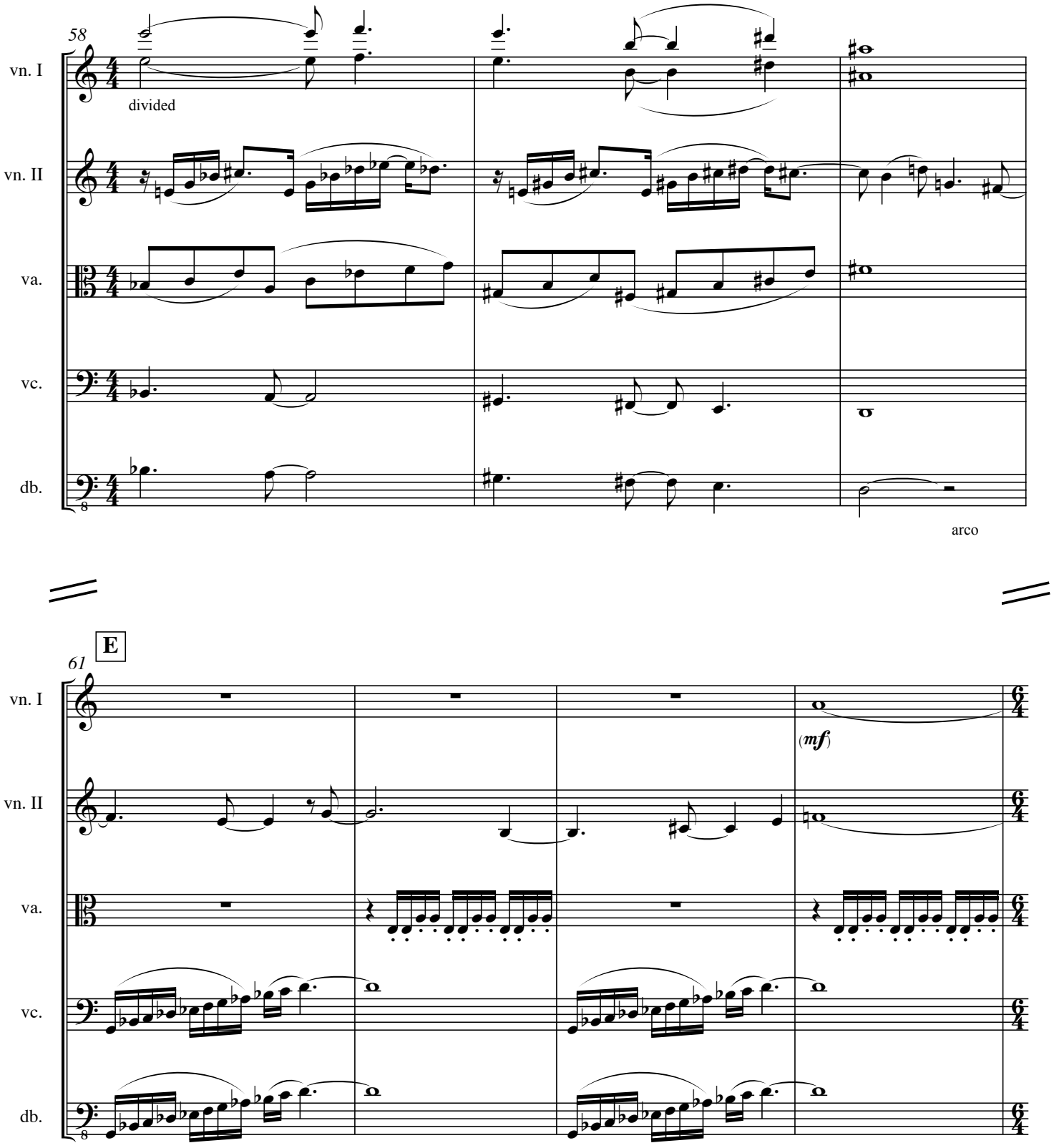
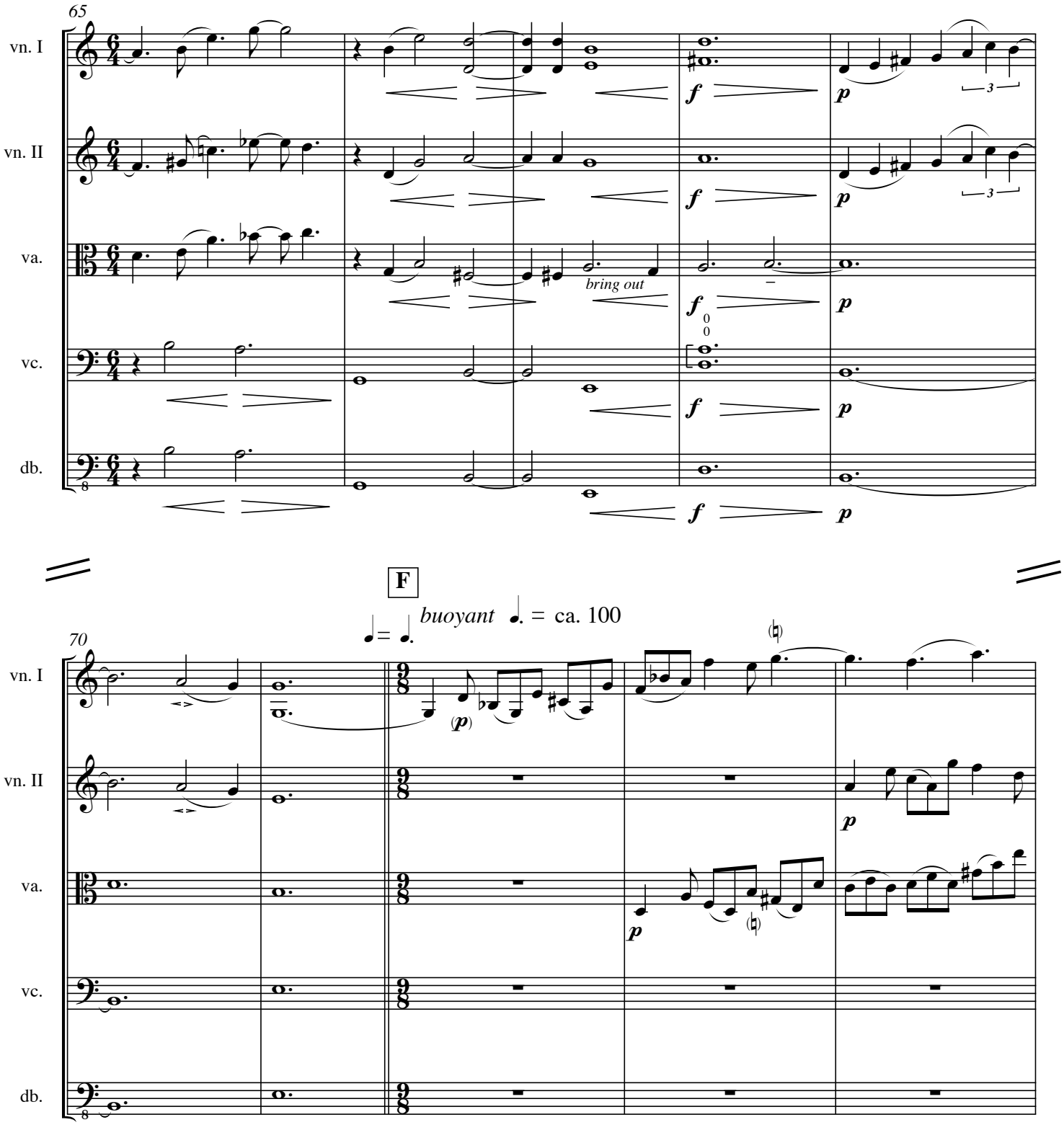

B
lightly moving ♩ = ca. 100
24
vn. I
vn. II
viola
va.
cello
vc.
pizz.
doublebass
db.
pizz.
solo flute, piccolo or violin in the distance
27
fl.
27
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
arco
db.
arco

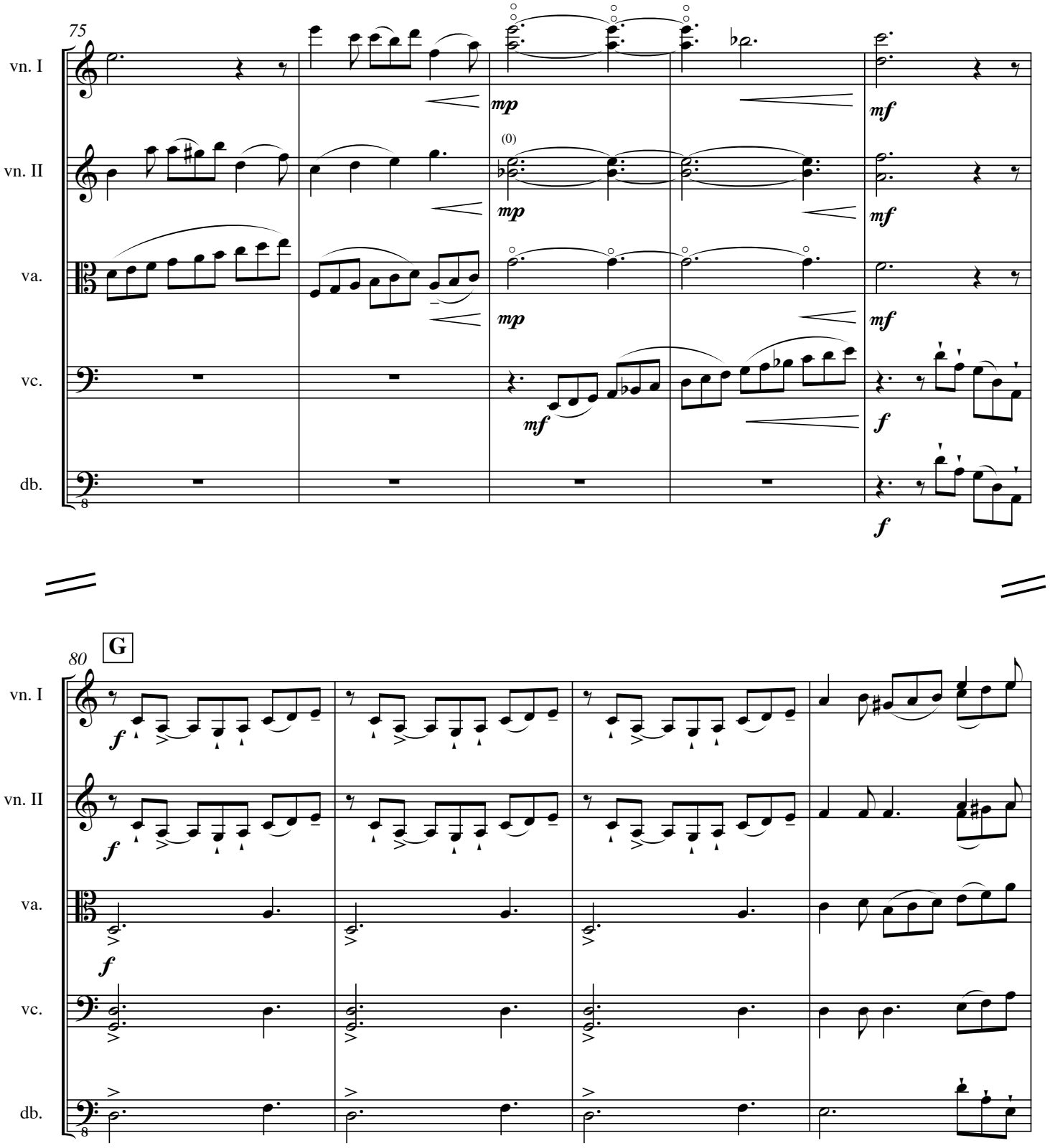

32
fl.
3
C
vn. I
vn. II
pp
va.
pp
vc.
(arco)
pp
db.
pizz. pp
36
vn. I
pp
p
vn. II
p
va.
p
vc.
pizz.
p
arco
db.
arco
pizz.
p
arco

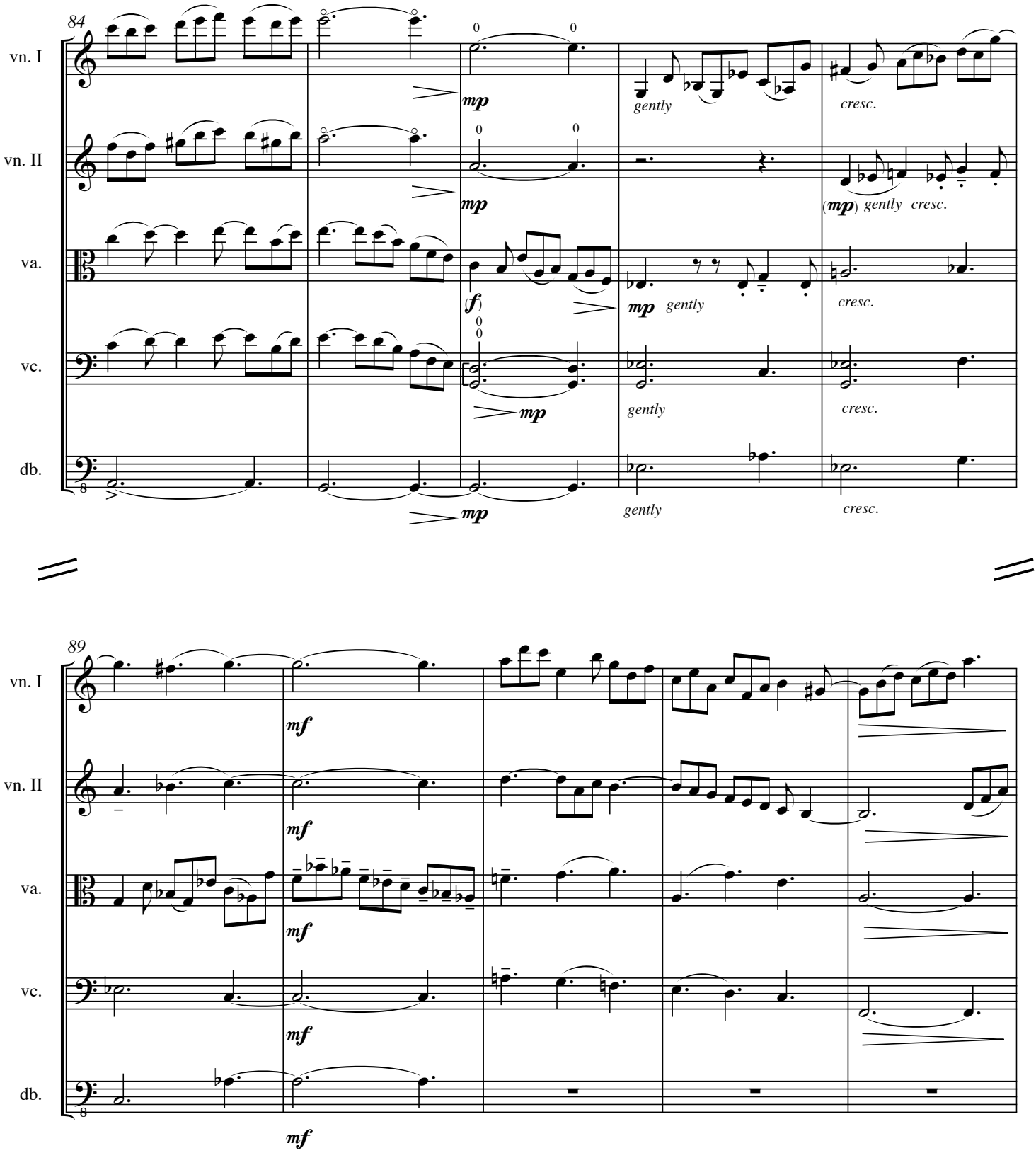

39
vn. I
mp
mf
vn. II
mp
mf
va.
mf
mp
mf
vc.
arco
mf
db.
arco
mf
42
vn. I
pp
p
vn. II
pp
p
va.
pp
p
vc.
pp
p
db.
pizz.
pp
arco
p

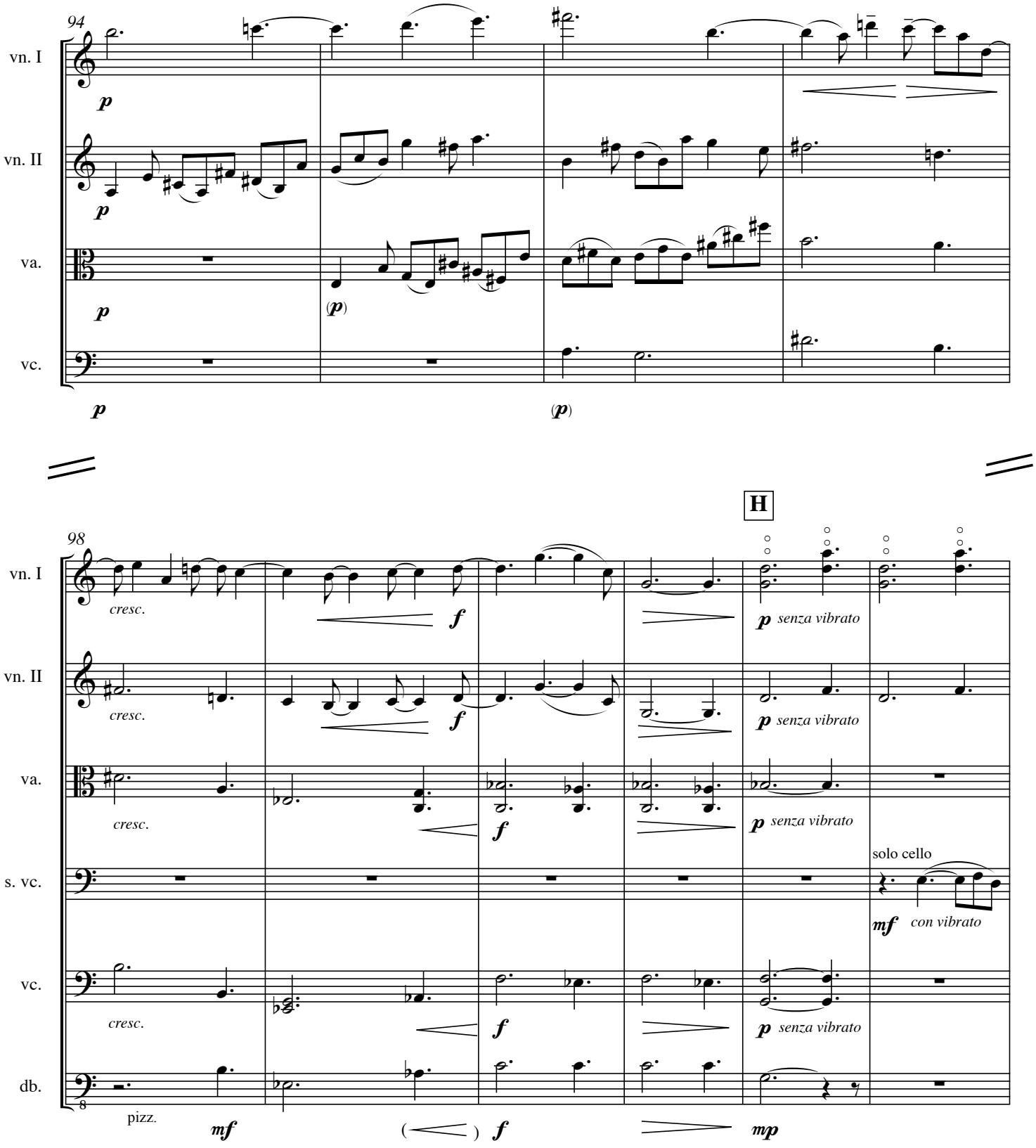

D
45
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.
cresc.
mf
52
p
pizz.

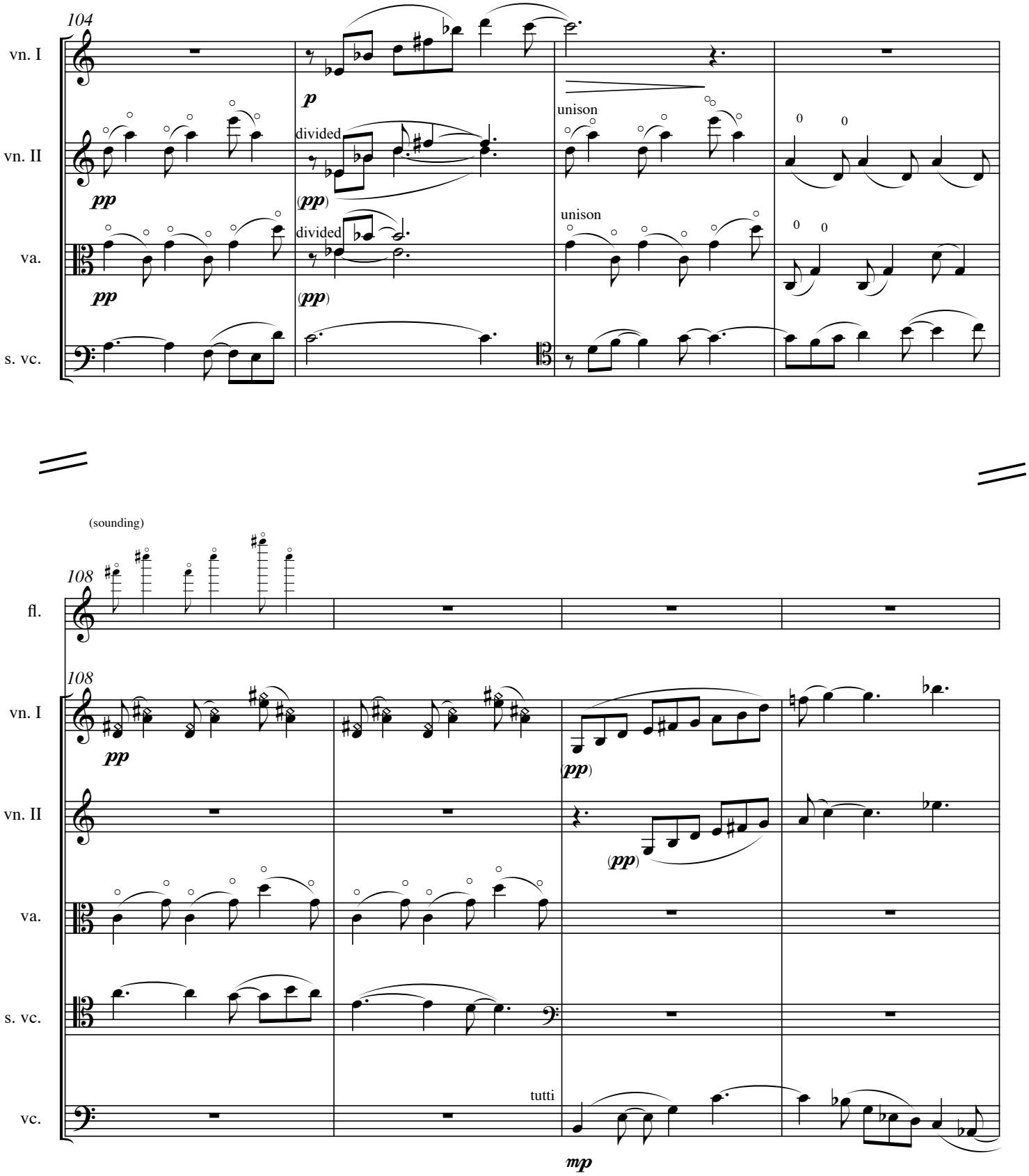

58
vn. I
divided
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.
arco
E
61
vn. I
(mf)
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.

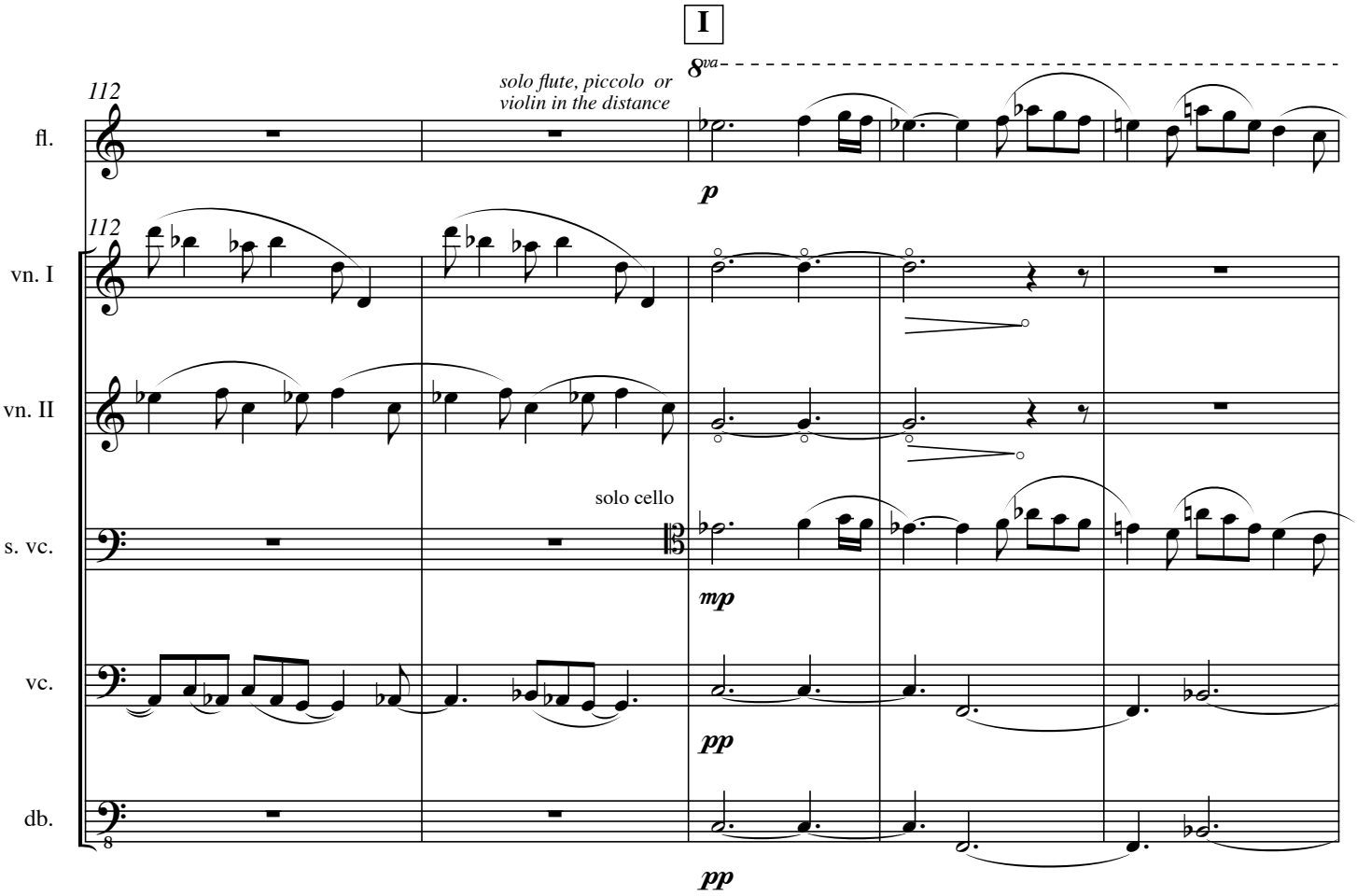

65
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.
bring out
F
buoyant ♩. = ca. 100
70

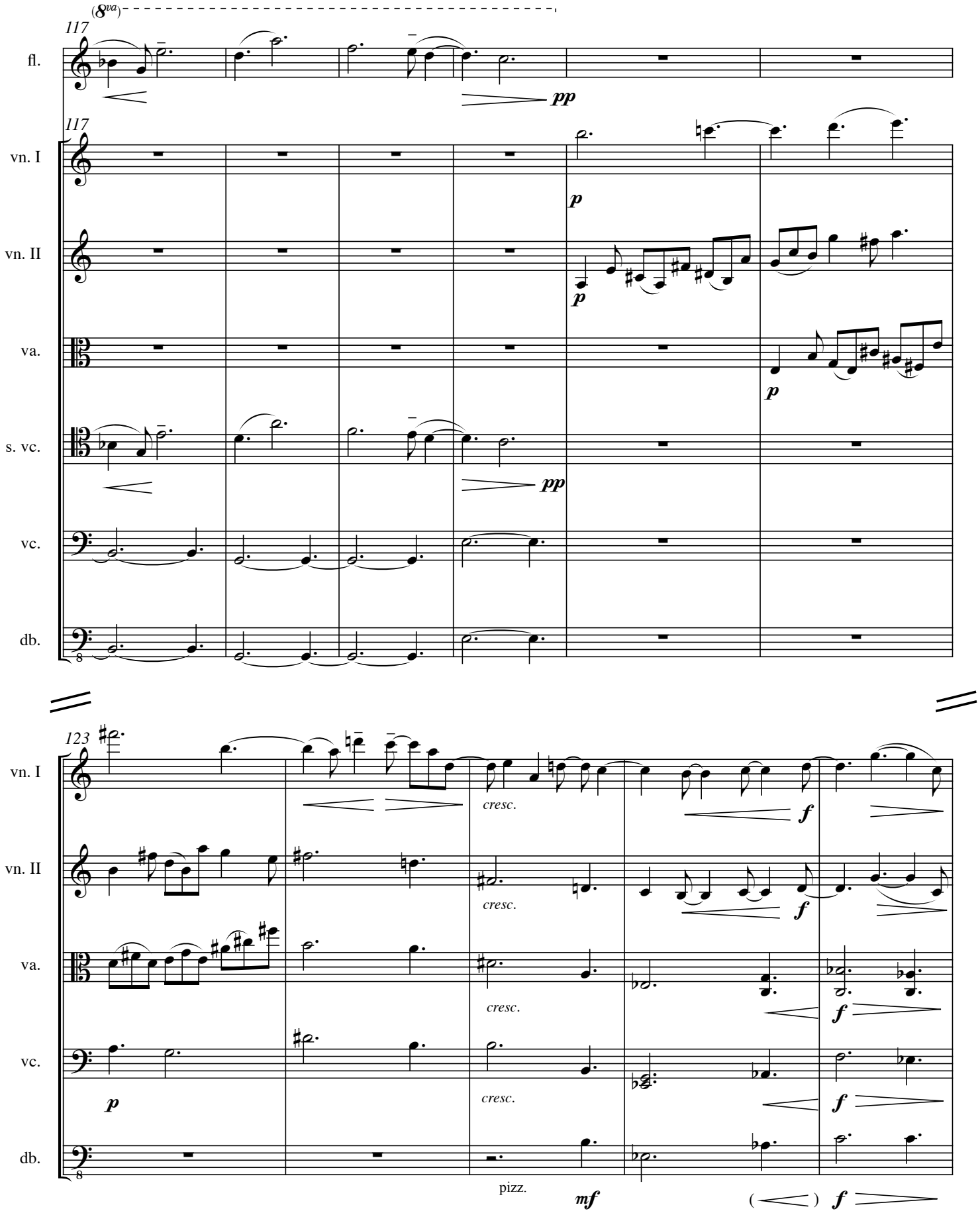

75
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.
mp
mf
(0)
f
G
80

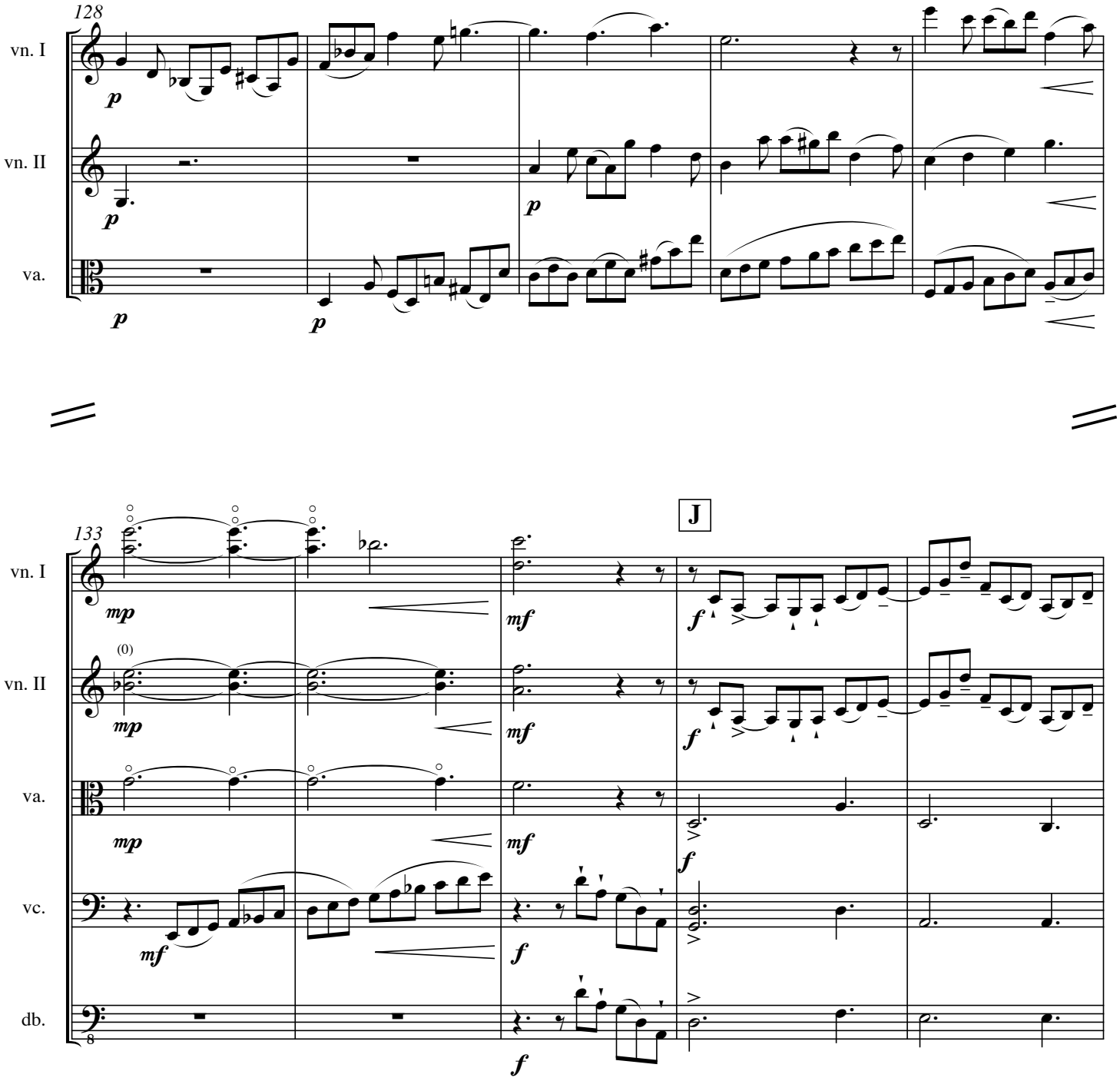

84
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.
mp
gently
cresc.
(mp)
(f)
89
mf

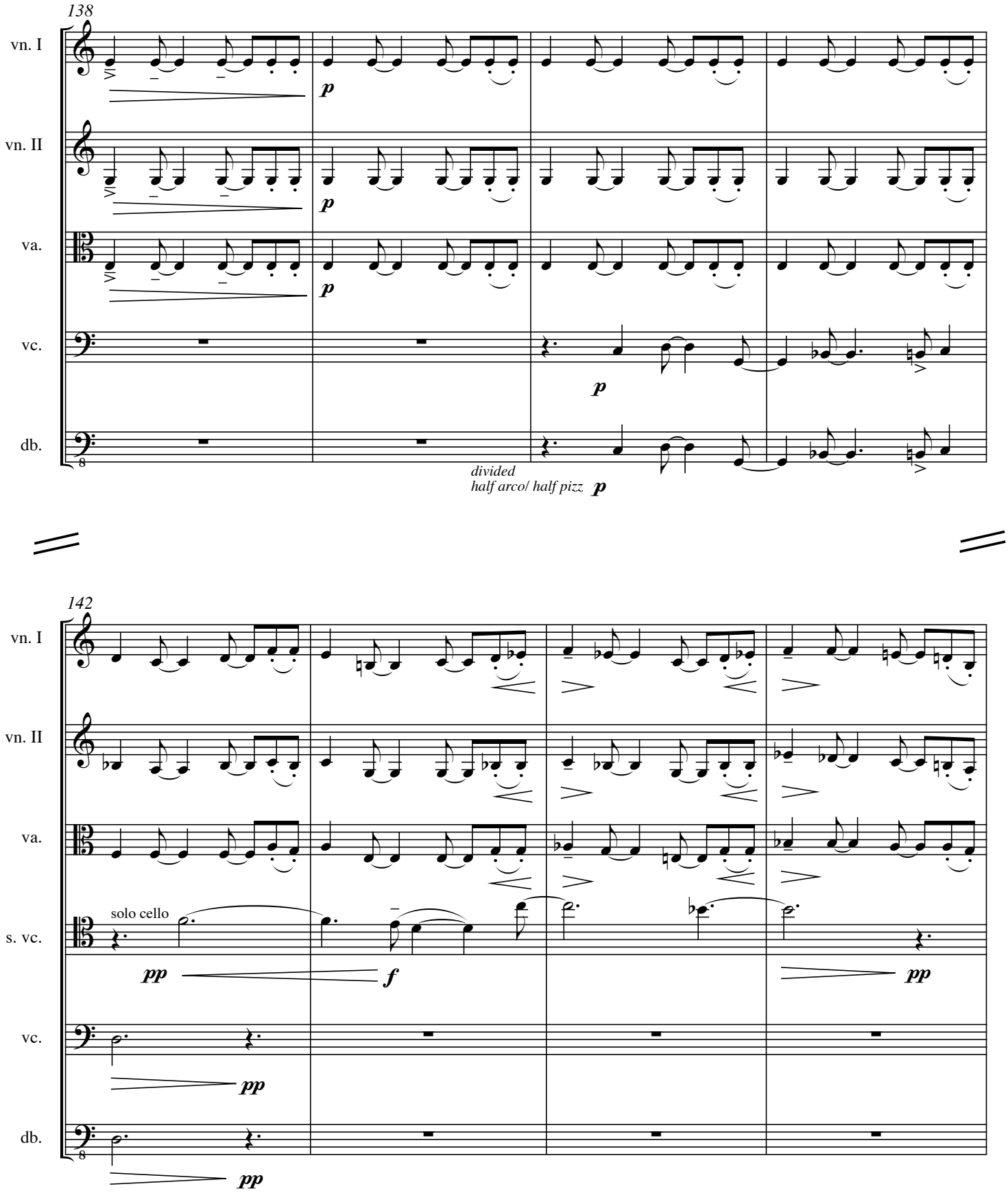

94
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
p
(p)
98
H
cresc.
f
senza vibrato
solo cello
mf
con vibrato
s. vc.
db.
pizz.
mp

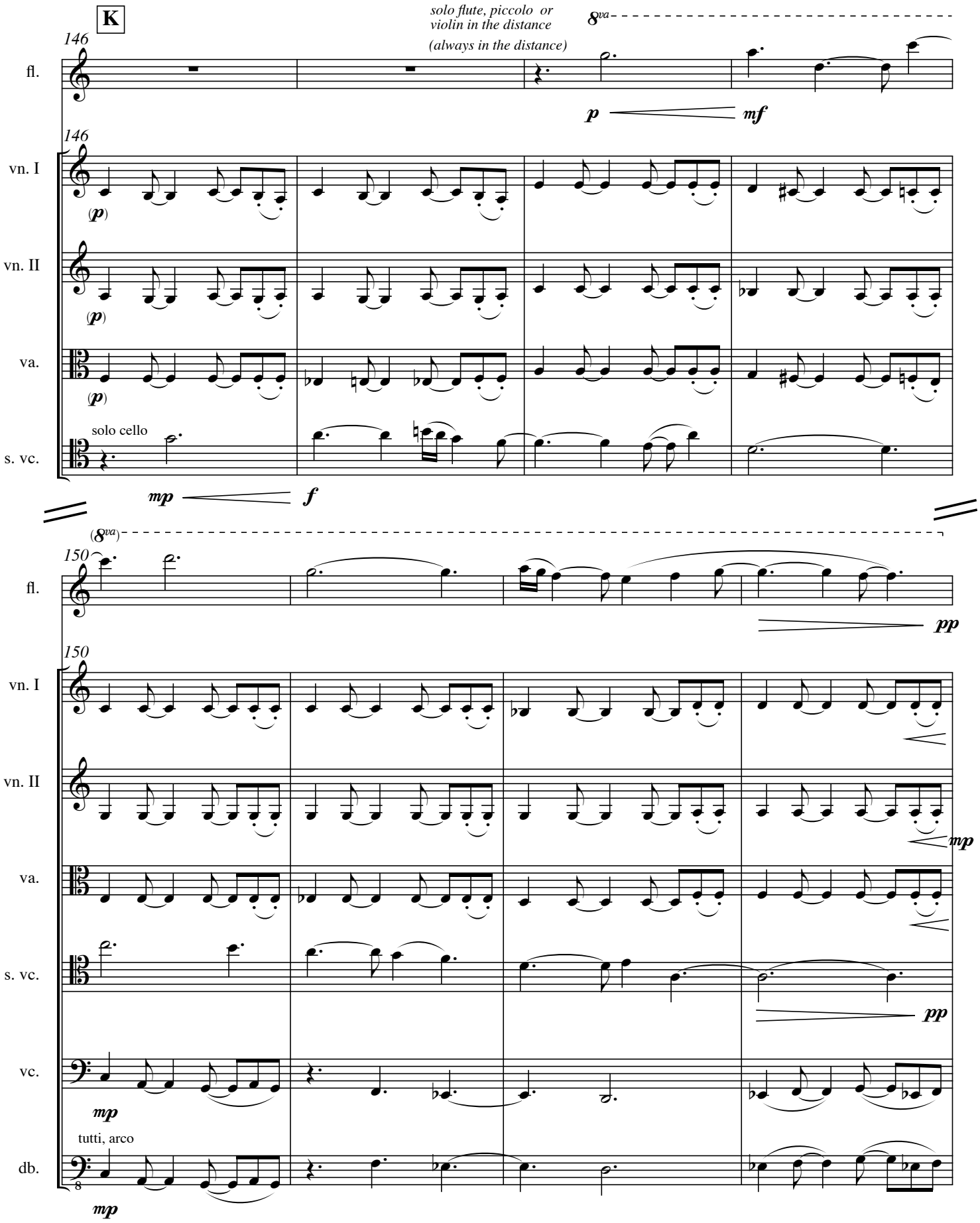

104
vn. I
vn. II
va.
s. vc.
p
pp
divided
(pp)
unison
0
(sounding)
108
fl.
vc.
tutti
mp

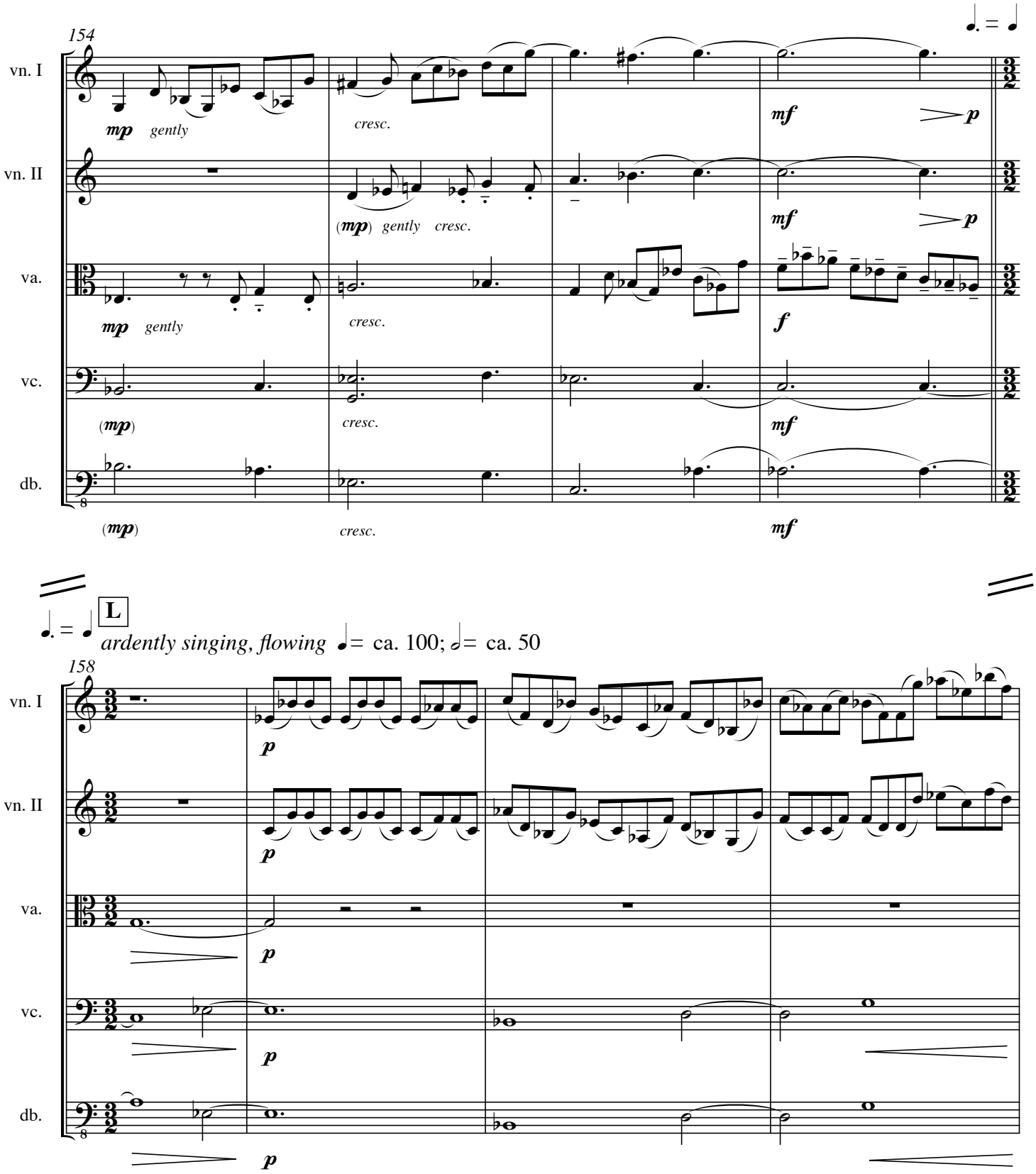

I
8va
solo flute, piccolo or violin in the distance
112
fl.
p
112
vn. I
vn. II
solo cello
s. vc.
mp
vc.
pp
db.
8
pp

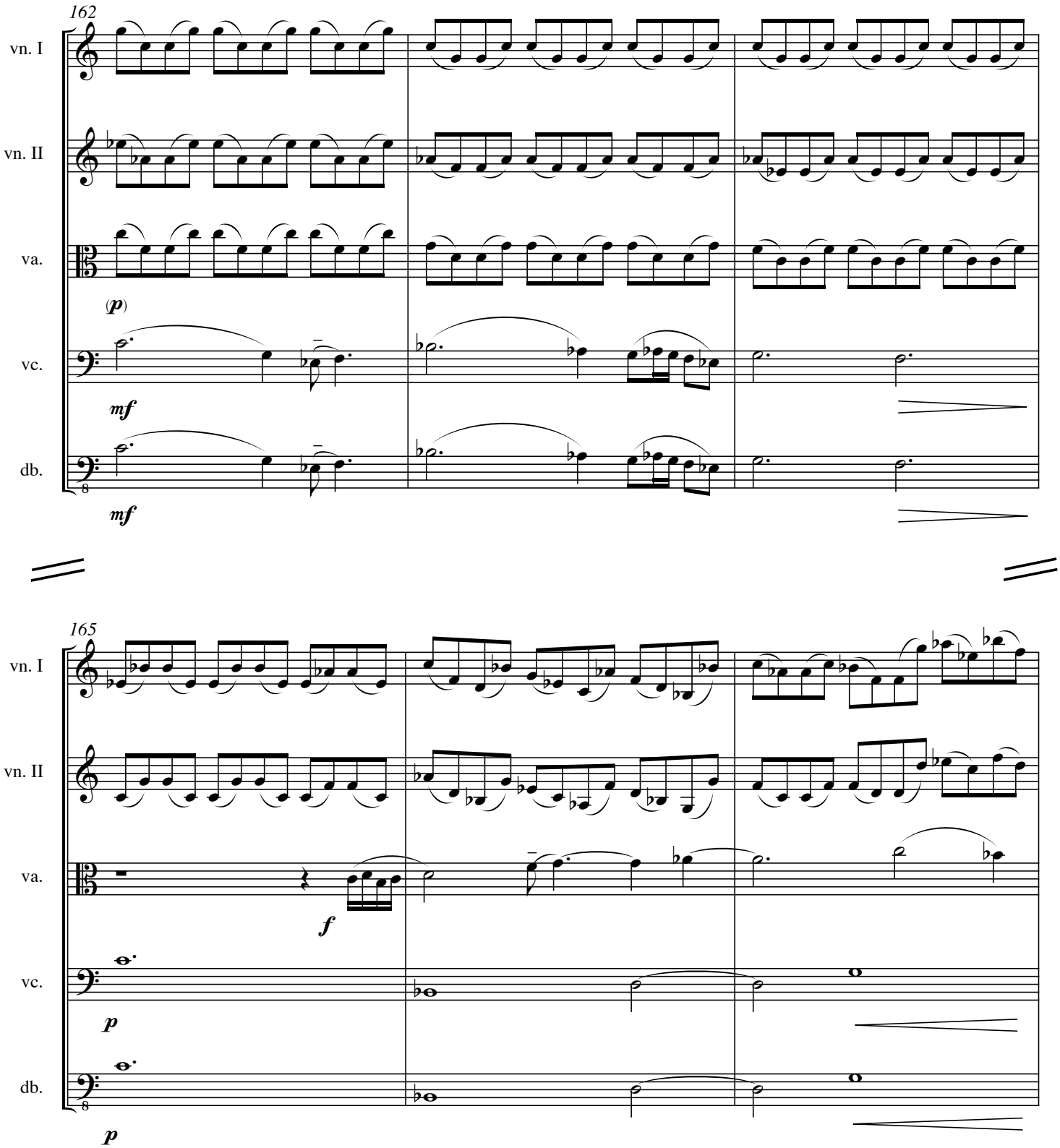

(8va)
117
fl.
pp
117
vn. I
p
vn. II
p
va.
p
s. vc.
pp
vc.
db.
123
vn. I
cresc.
f
vn. II
cresc.
f
va.
cresc.
f
vc.
p
cresc.
f
db.
pizz.
mf
f

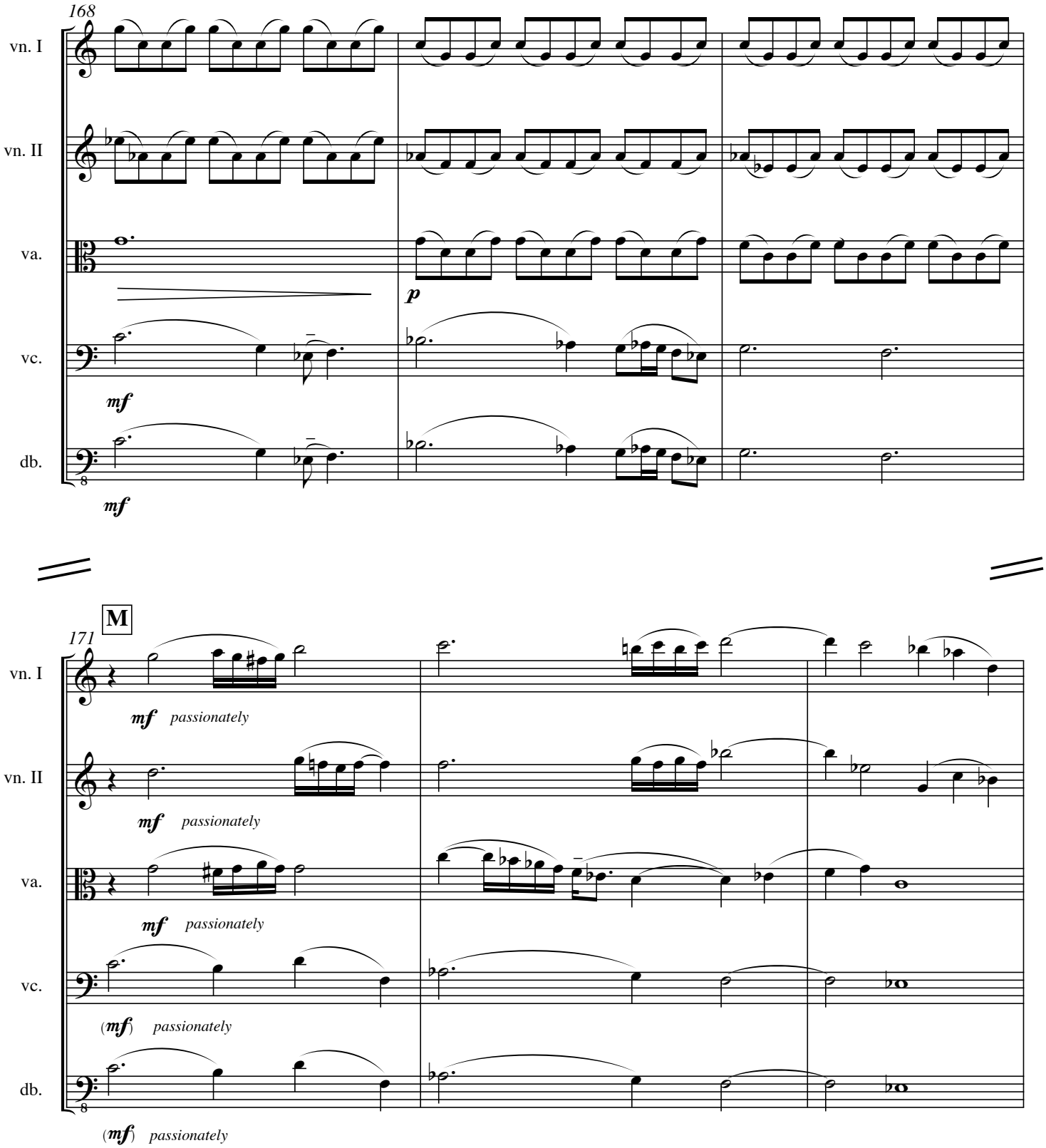

128
vn. I
vn. II
va.
133
J
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.

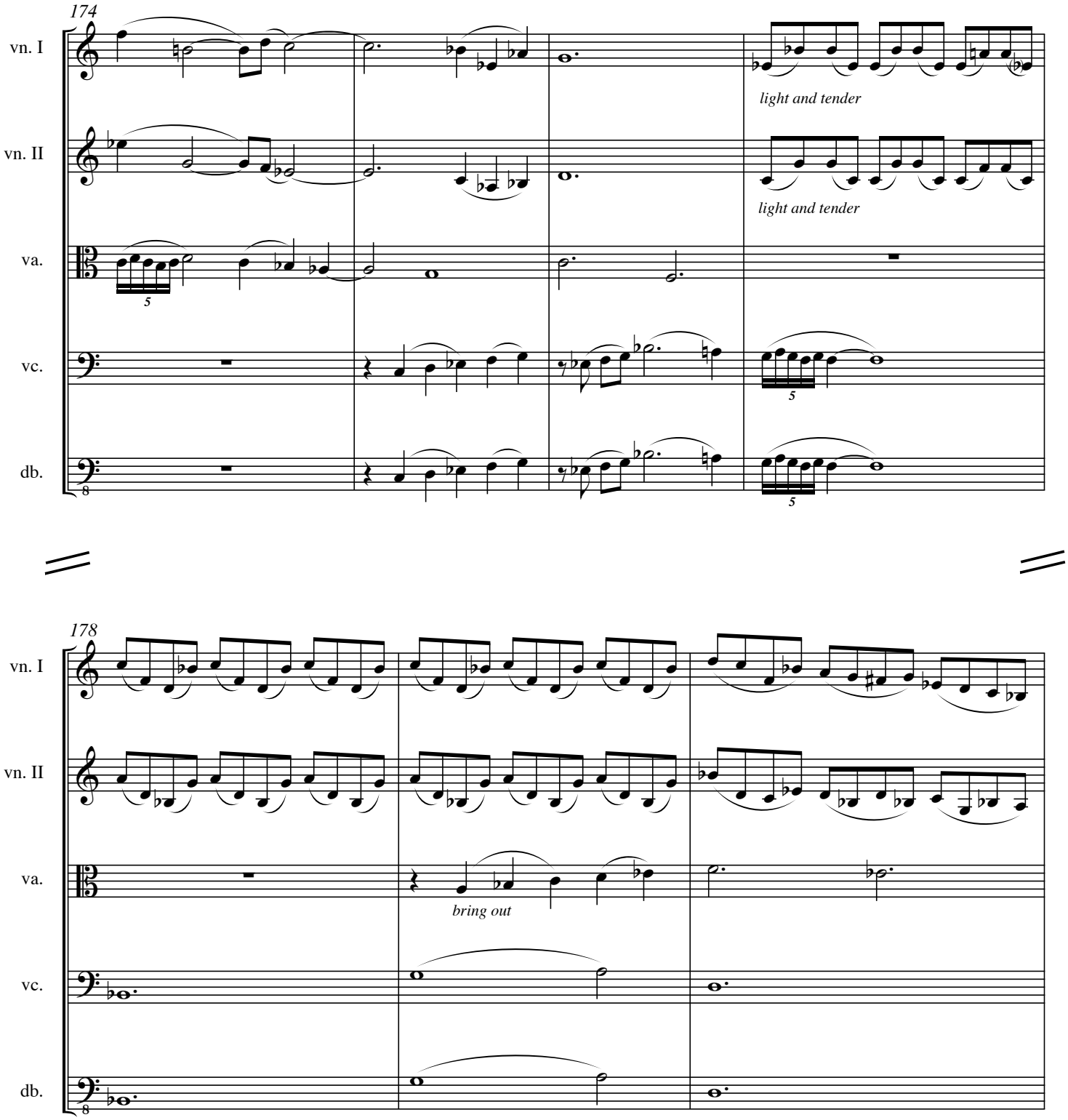

138
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.
p
divided
half arco/ half pizz.
142
solo cello
s. vc.
pp
f

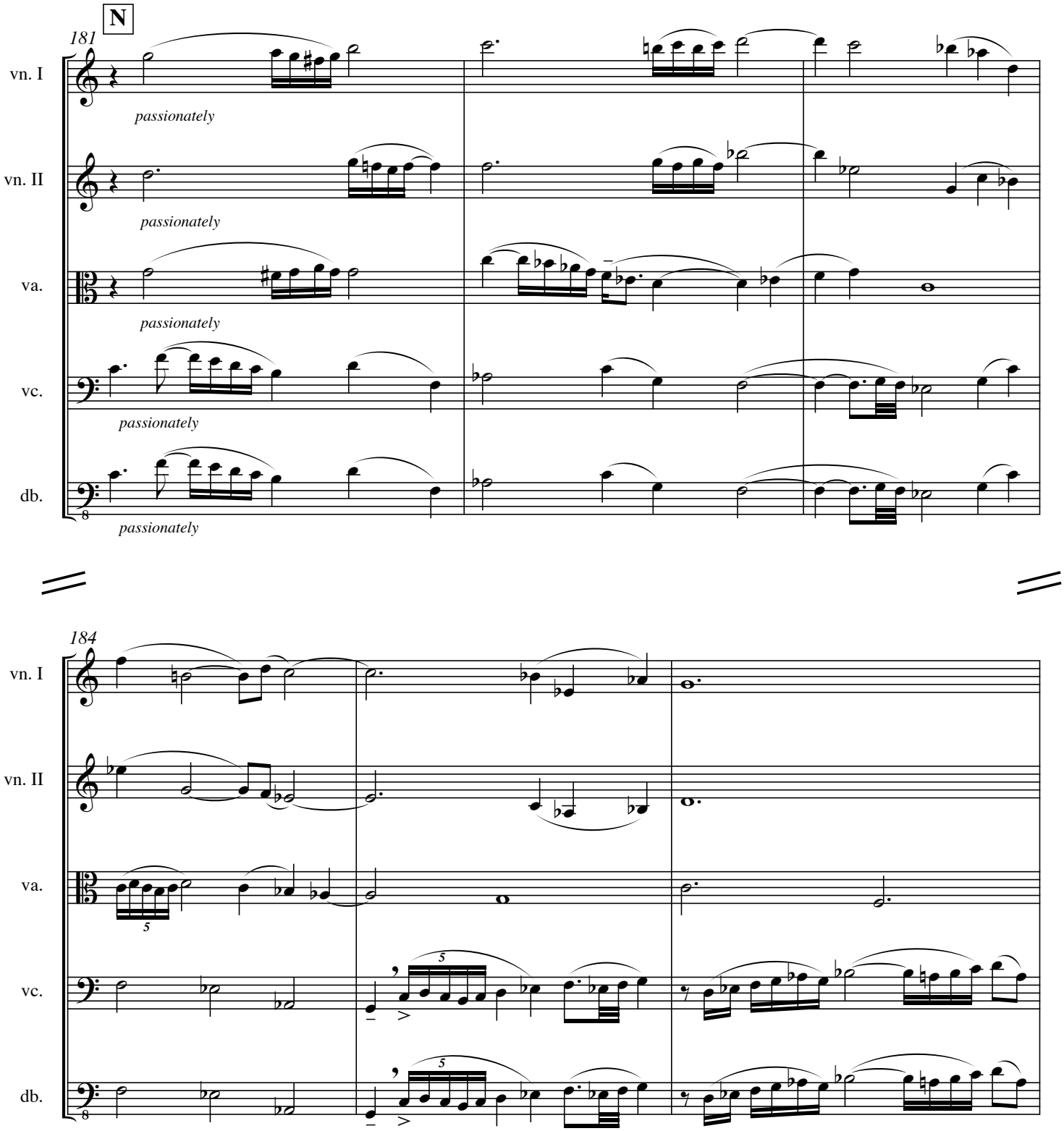

K
solo flute, piccolo or violin in the distance
(always in the distance)
8va
146
fl.
p
mf
vn. I
vn. II
va.
(p)
solo cello
s. vc.
mp
f
(8va)
150
pp
vc.
tutti, arco
db.

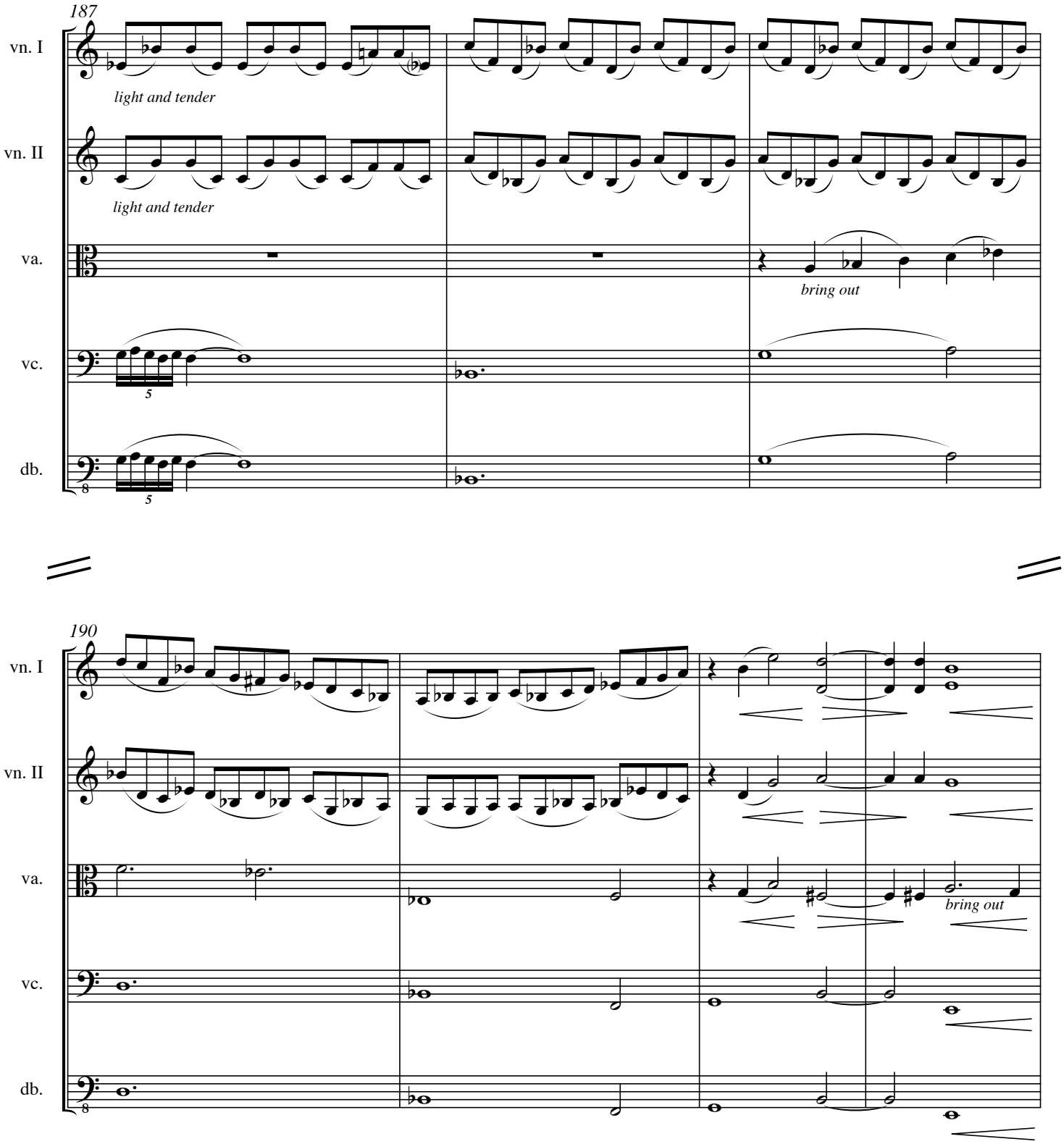

154
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.
mp gently
cresc.
(mp) gently cresc.
mf
p
f
(mp)
L
ardently singing, flowing ♩= ca. 100; 𝅗𝅥= ca. 50
158

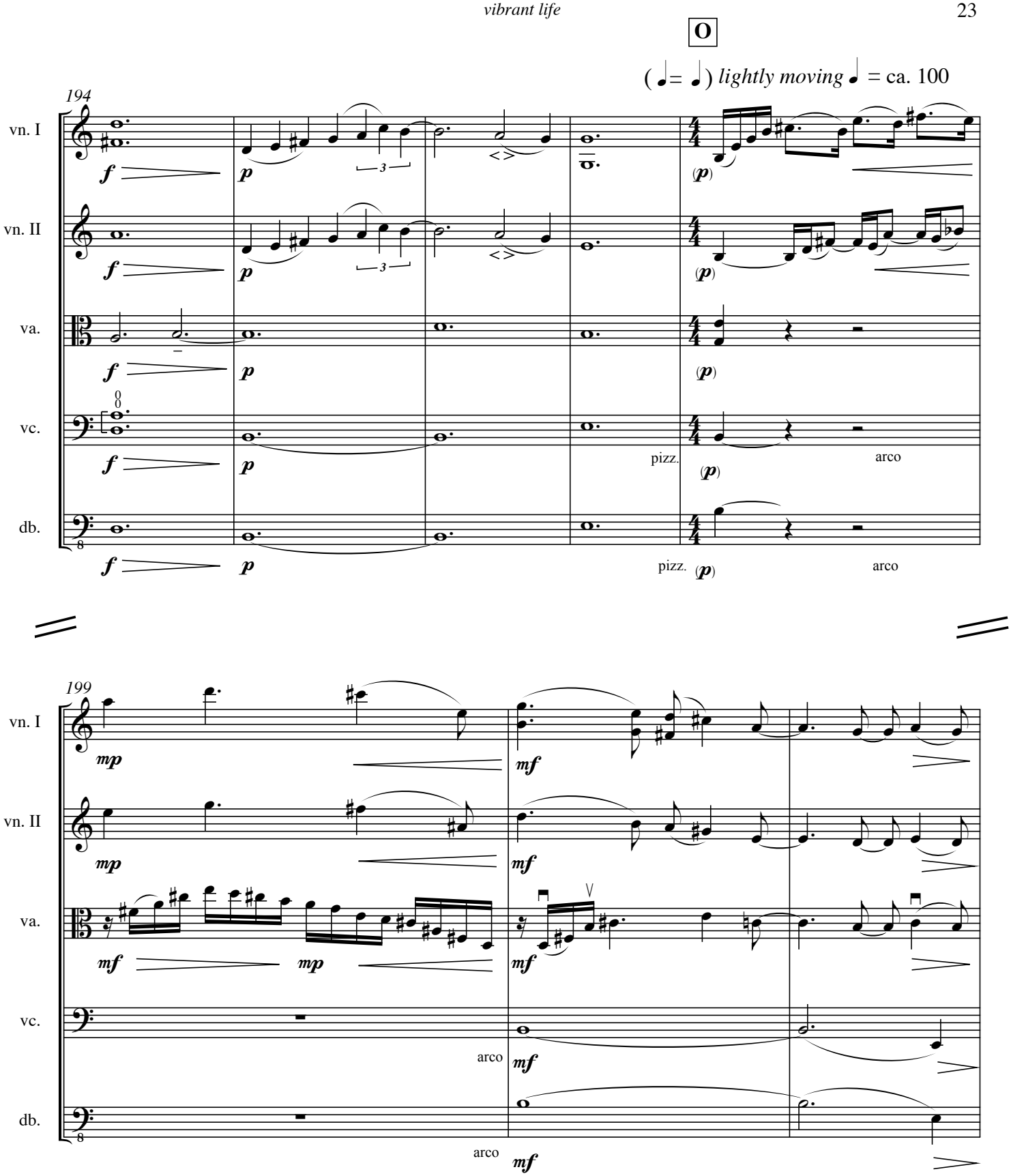

162
vn. I
vn. II
va.
(p)
vc.
mf
db.
mf
165
vn. I
vn. II
va.
f
vc.
p
db.
p

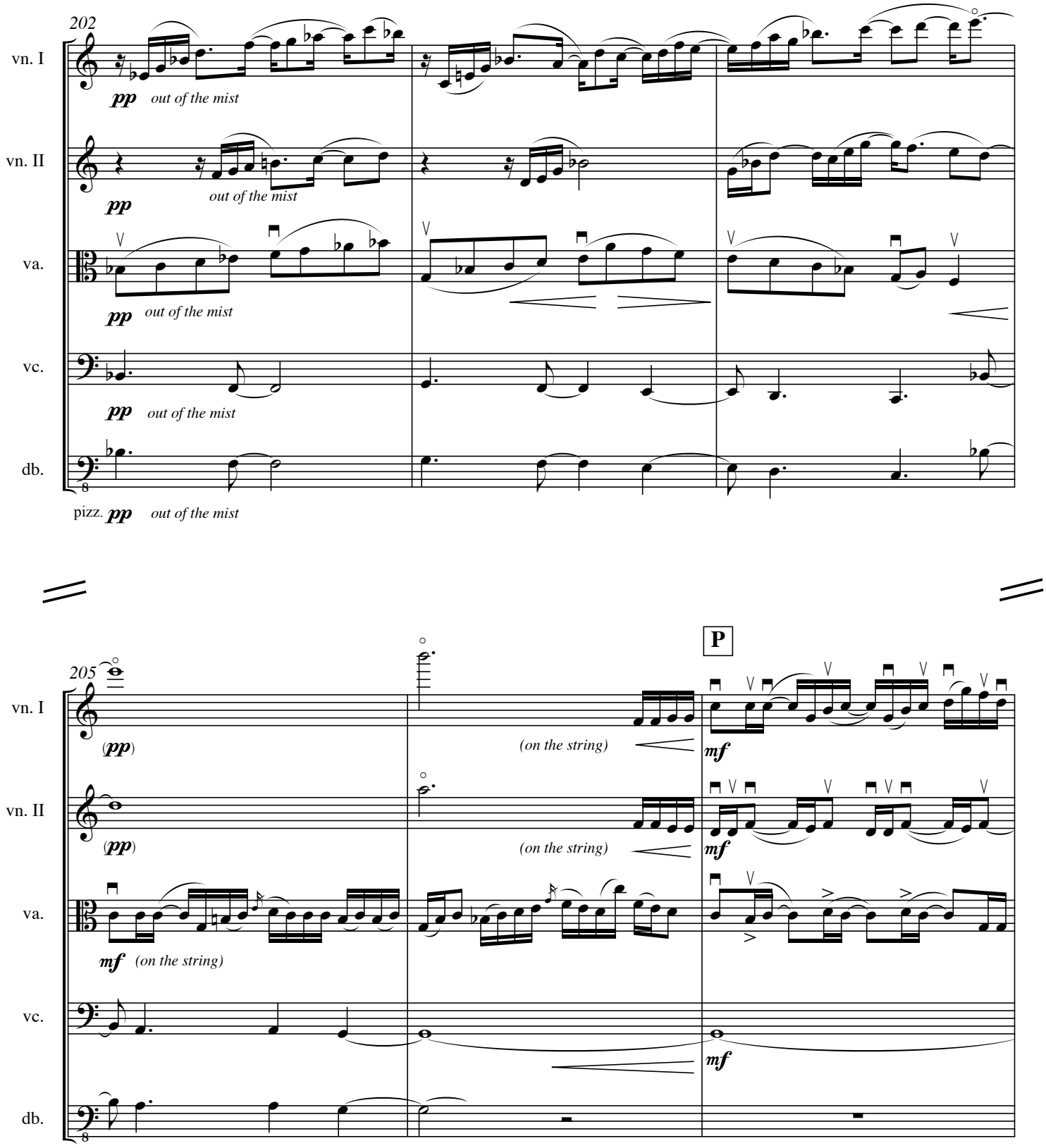

168
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.
p
mf
mf
M
171
mf passionately
mf passionately
mf passionately
(mf) passionately
(mf) passionately

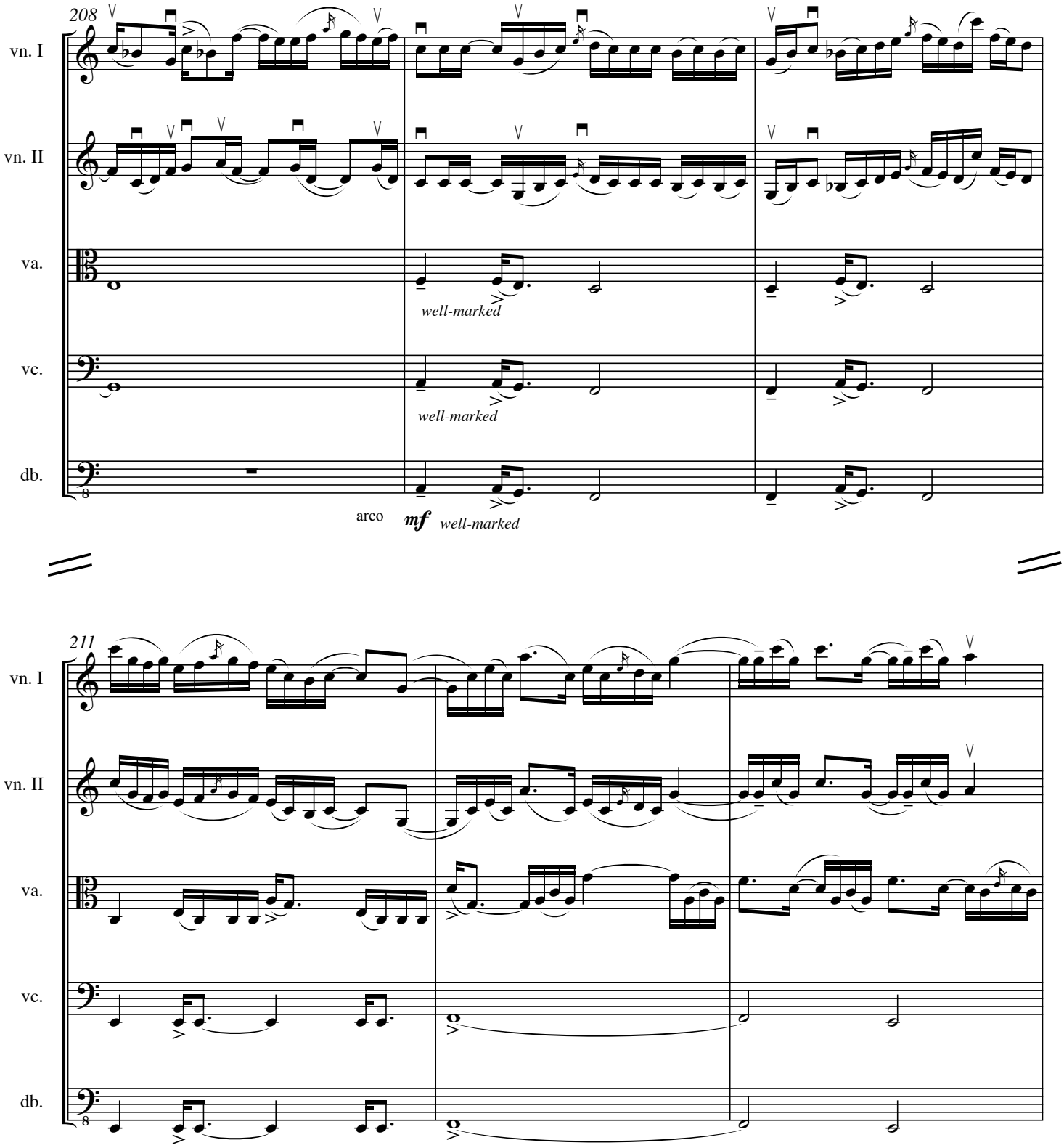

174
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.
light and tender
light and tender
5
5
5
178
bring out

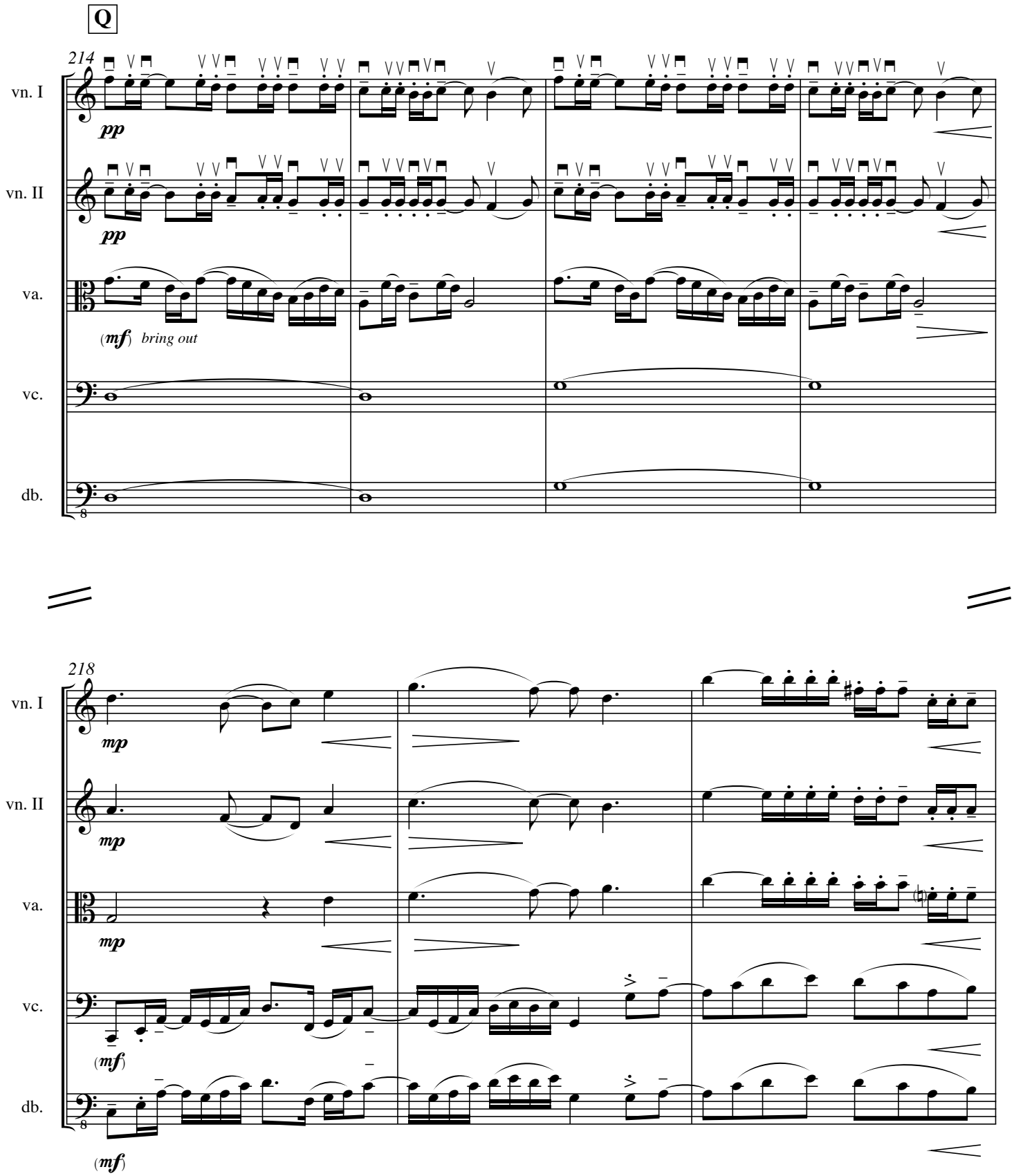

N
181
vn. I
passionately
vn. II
passionately
va.
passionately
vc.
passionately
db.
passionately
184
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.

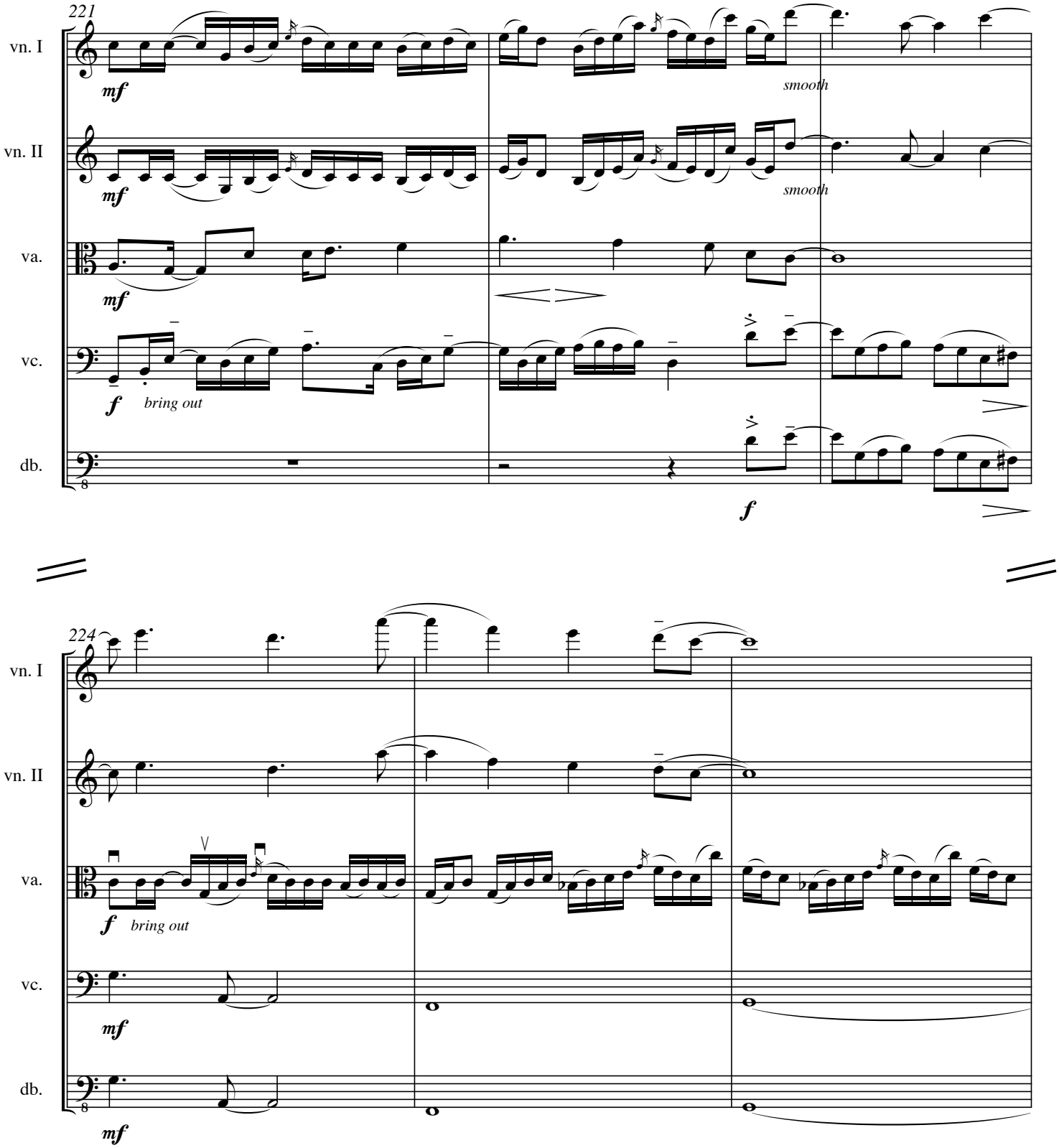

187
vn. I
light and tender
vn. II
light and tender
va.
bring out
vc.
db.
190
vn. I
vn. II
va.
bring out
vc.
db.

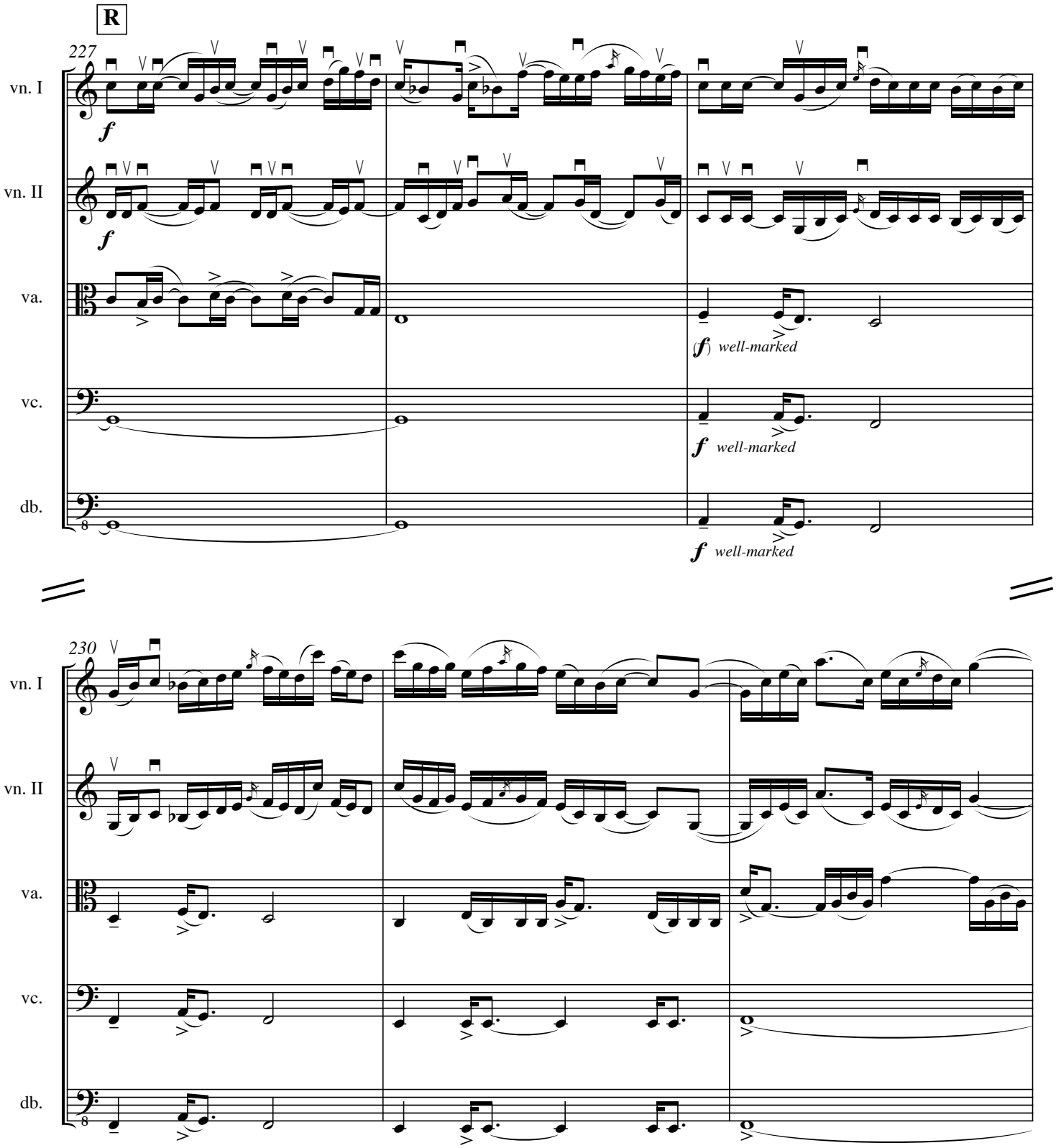

O
(♩= ♩) lightly moving ♩ = ca. 100
194
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.
f
p
(p)
pizz.
arco
199
mp
mf

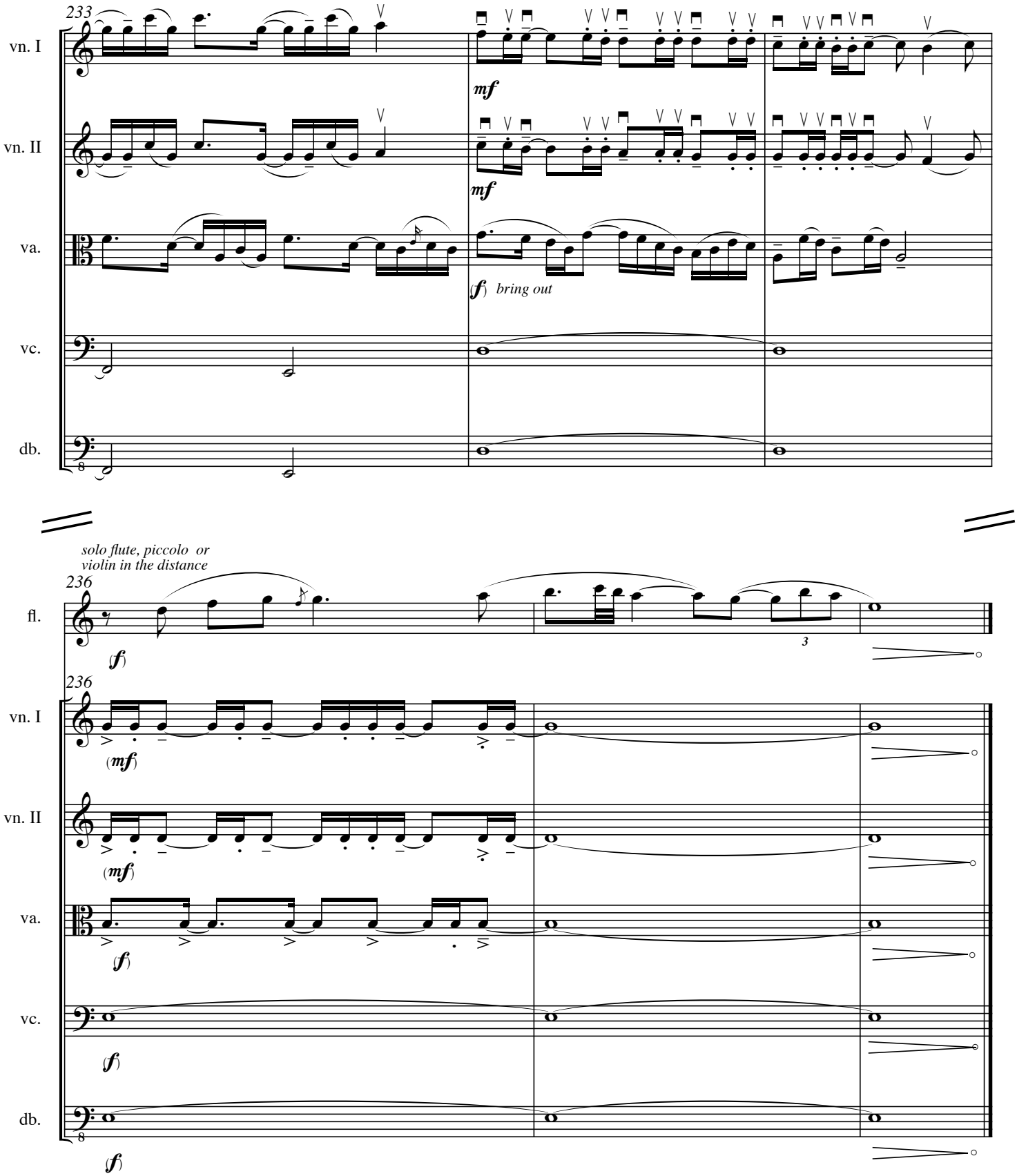

202
vn. I
pp out of the mist
vn. II
pp out of the mist
va.
pp out of the mist
vc.
pp out of the mist
db.
pizz. pp out of the mist
205
(pp)
(on the string)
P
mf
(pp)
(on the string)
mf
mf (on the string)
mf


208
vn. I
vn. II
va.
well-marked
vc.
well-marked
db.
arco
mf
well-marked
211
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.


Q
214
vn. I
pp
vn. II
pp
va.
(mf) bring out
vc.
db.
218
vn. I
mp
vn. II
mp
va.
mp
vc.
(mf)
db.
(mf)


221
vn. I
mf
smooth
vn. II
mf
smooth
va.
mf
vc.
f
bring out
db.
f
224
vn. I
vn. II
va.
f
bring out
vc.
mf
db.
mf


R
227
vn. I
vn. II
va.
vc.
db.
f
(f) well-marked
f well-marked
230



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