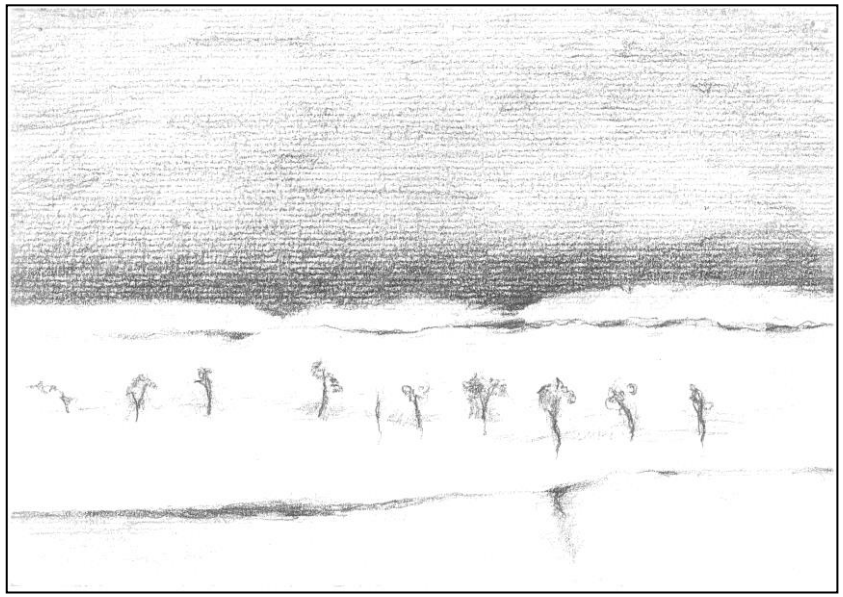
Rohan Phillips

Transit

Six short pieces for solo piano

2014-2015

Rohan Phillips: Transit ~ 6 short pieces for solo piano



1. Bendigo
2. MEL-CNS
3. Manuka/Bendigo
4-6. Bendigo

These pieces were inspired by the Artist In Transit program created by Julie Andrews. For many months she rode the train between Bendigo and Melbourne, encouraging passengers to create a small sketch. Julie then collected these works and exhibited them, after which visitors to the exhibition were invited to take a work home as a memento.

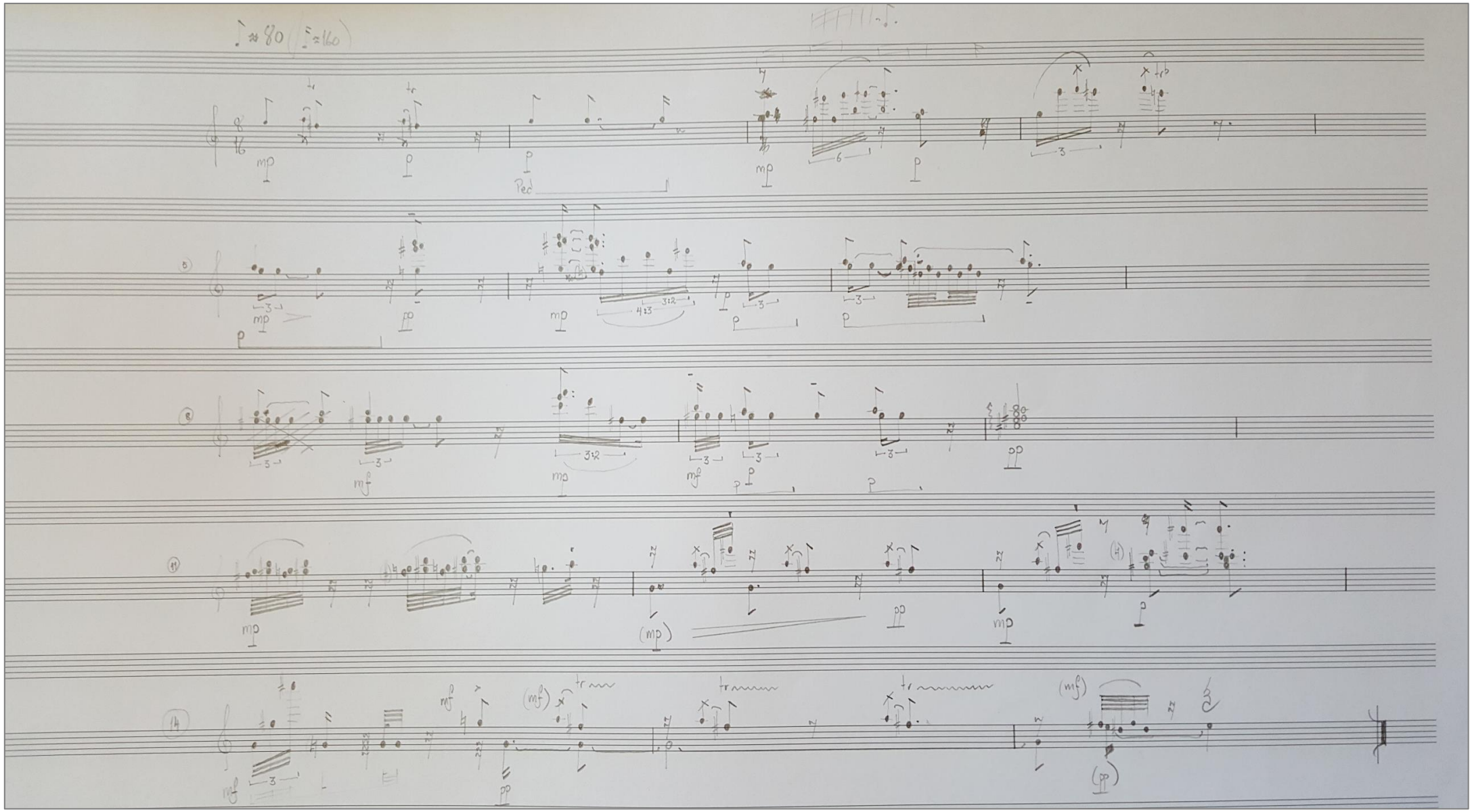
The first of these Transit pieces was written after I attended the Bendigo exhibition: the inspiration came out of the project as a whole, as well as the work I collected that evening.

The next piece was written flying from Melbourne to Cairns and the third was started on holiday in Manuka.

While the concluding works were written 'at home' I have attempted to maintain in these pieces a 'fleeting' atmosphere – of a space between destinations.

Duration: (approx.) 5 minutes

Transit I – pencil copy



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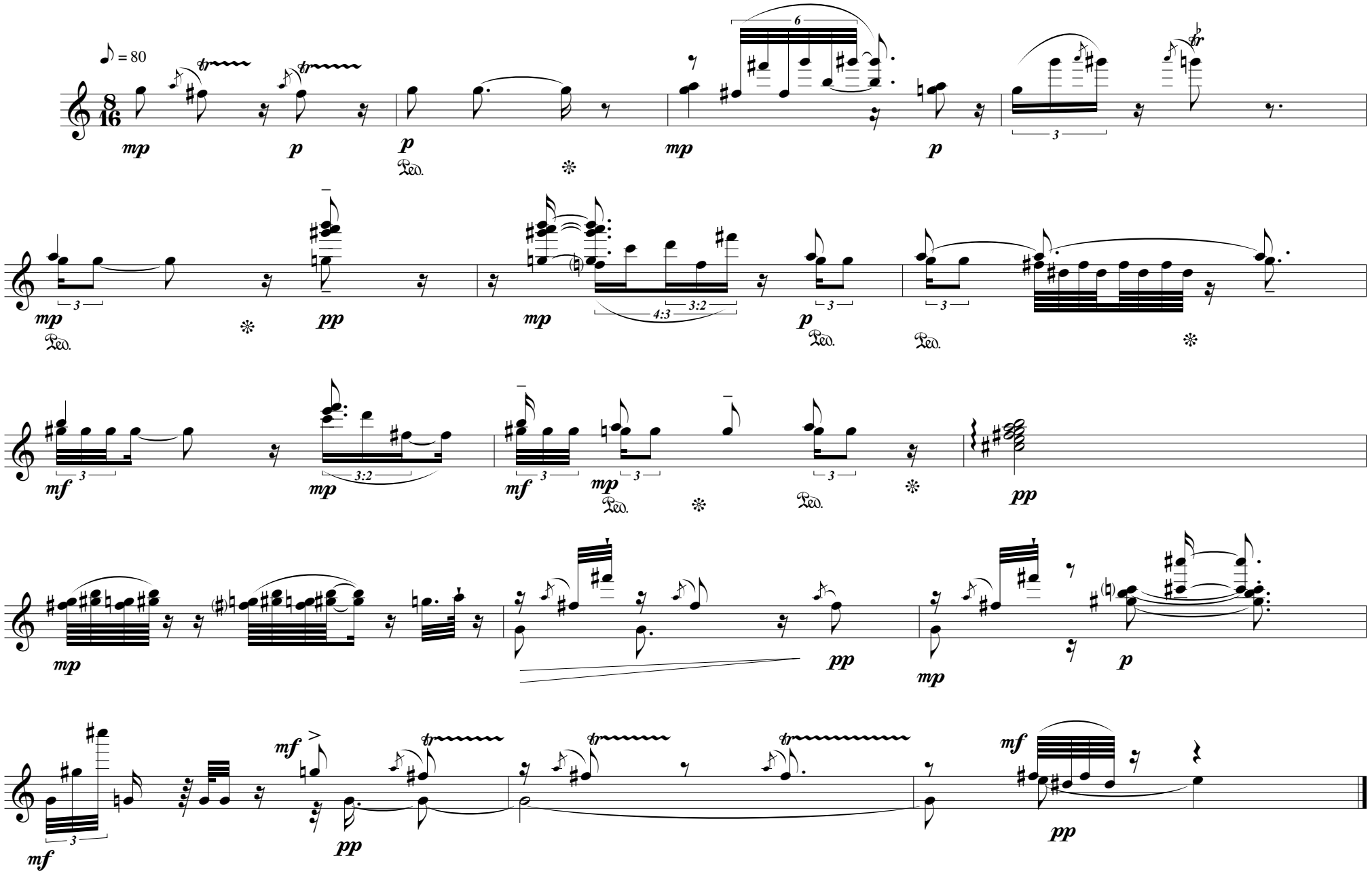
Bendigo
July, 2014



Transit II

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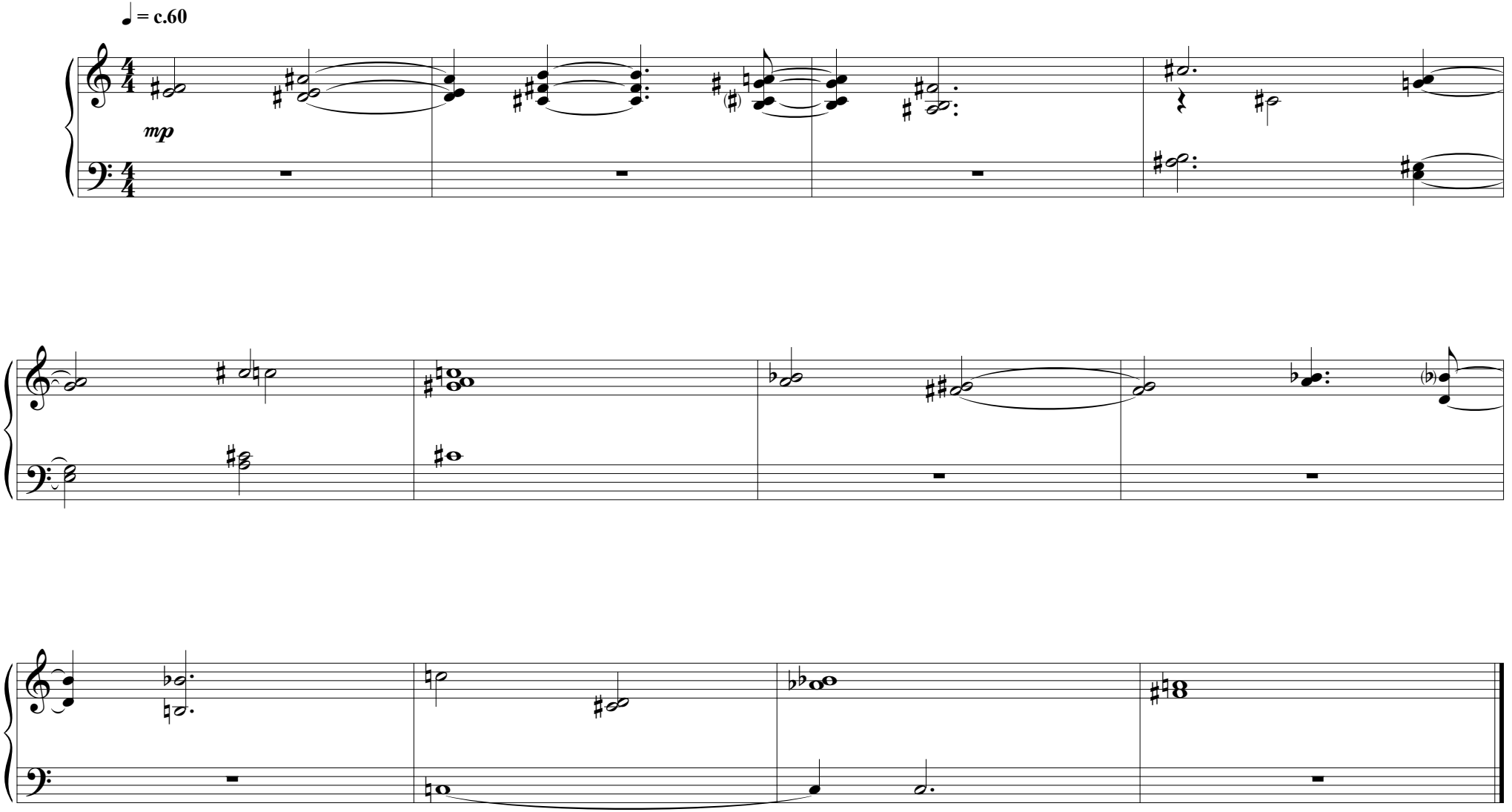
MEL -CNS
Oct, 2014



Transit III

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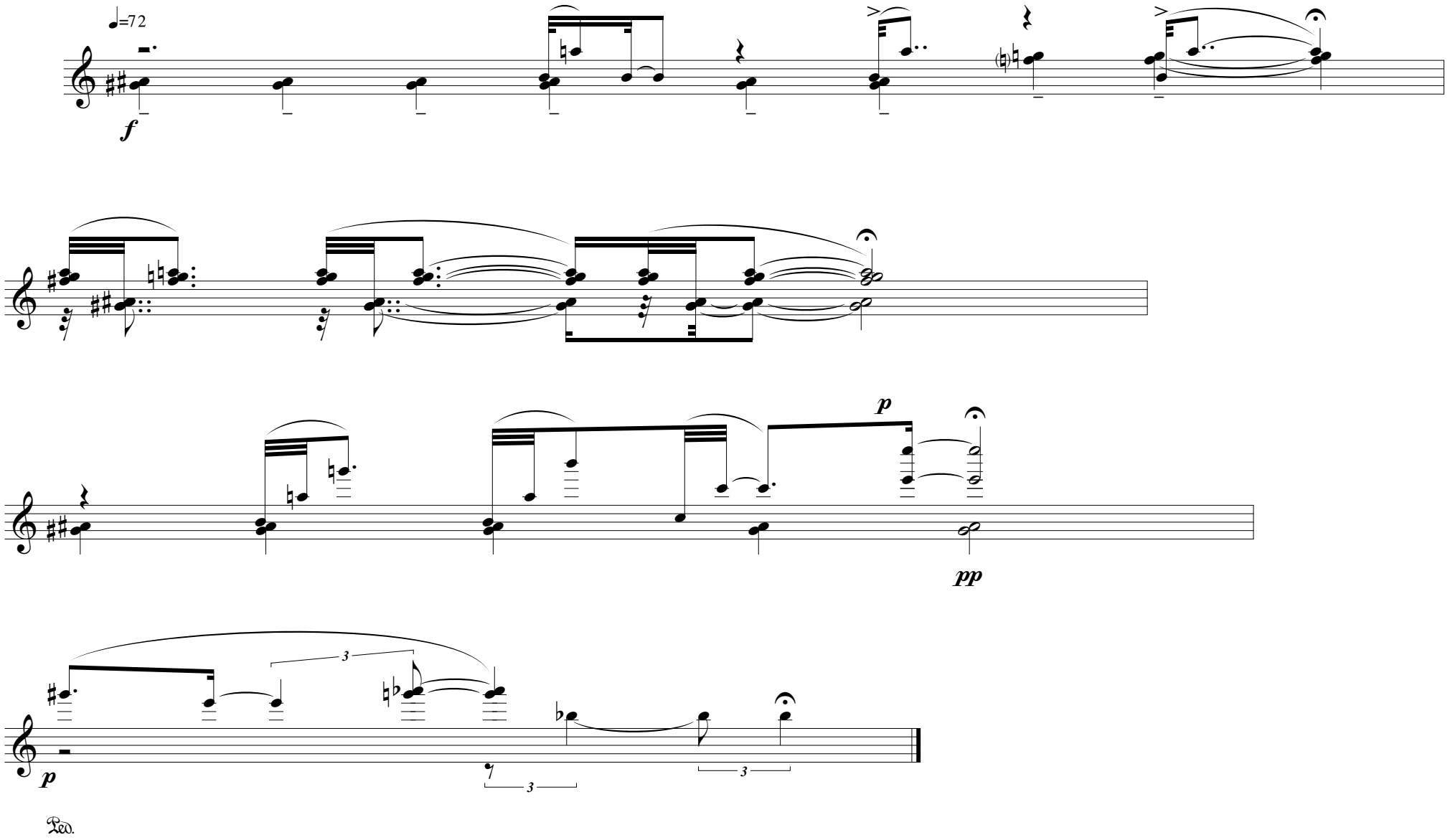
Manuka, Jan /
Bendigo, May 2015



Transit IV

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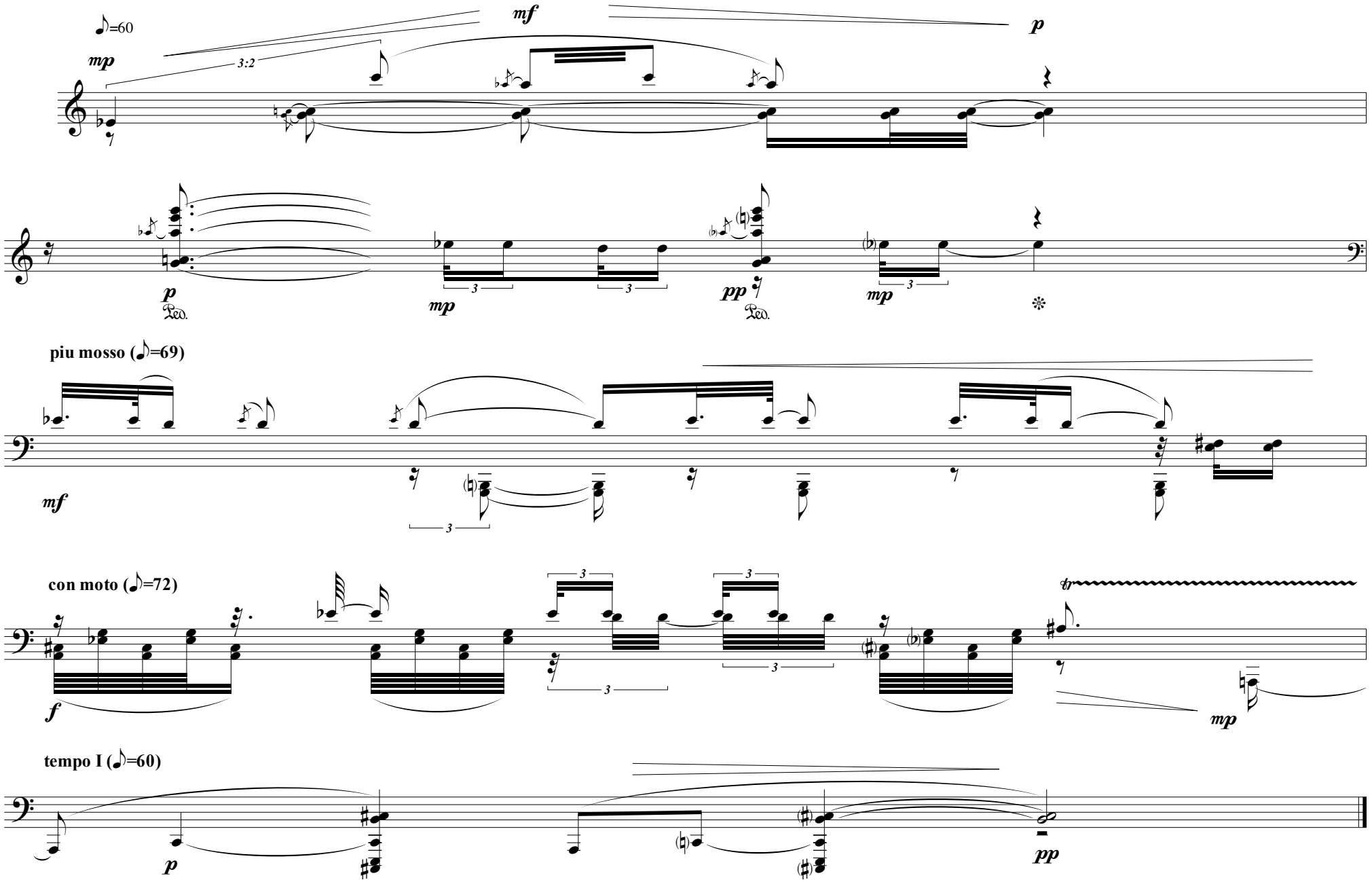
Bendigo, June 2015



Transit V

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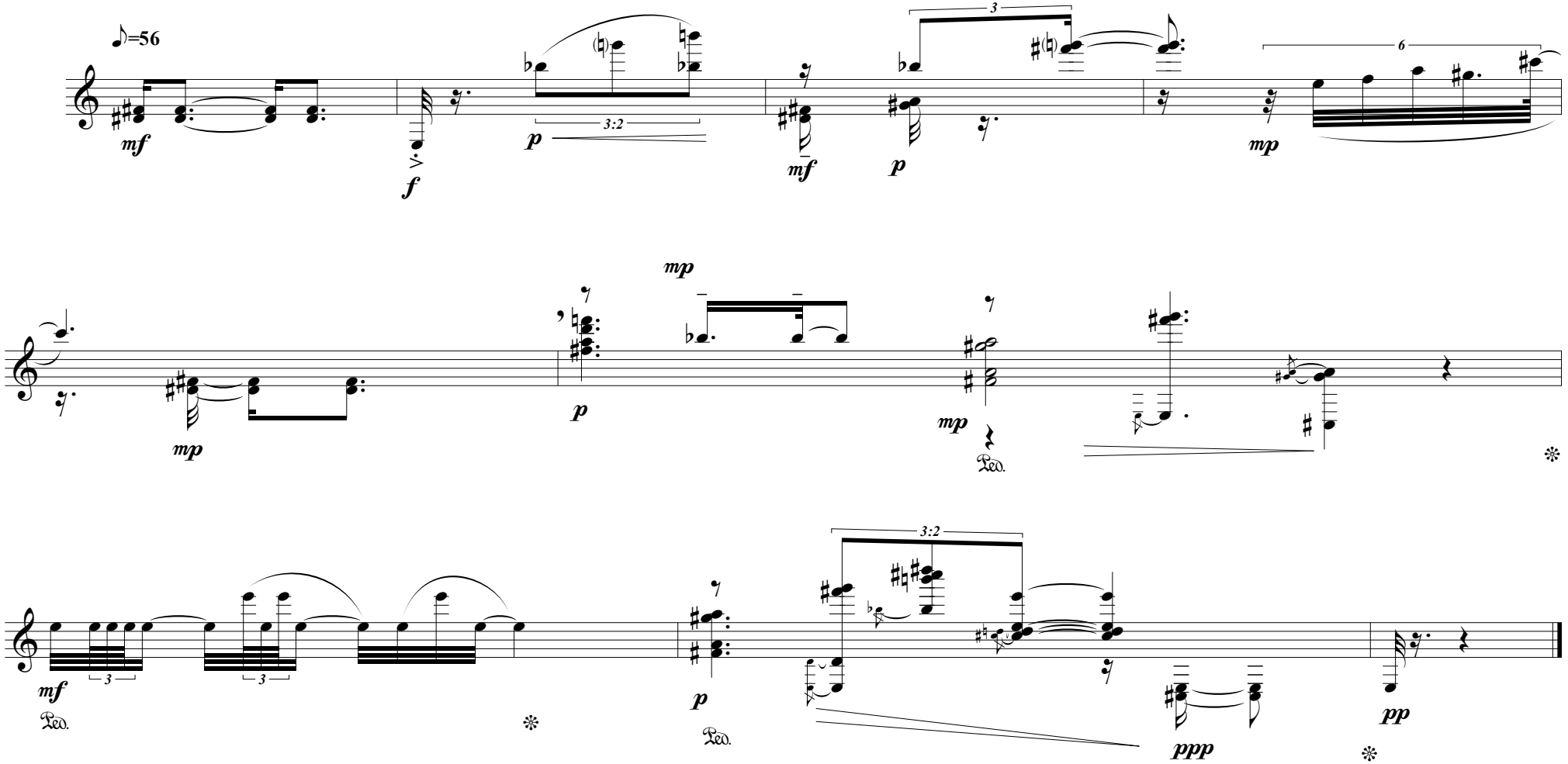
Bendigo, 13 June 2015



Transit VI

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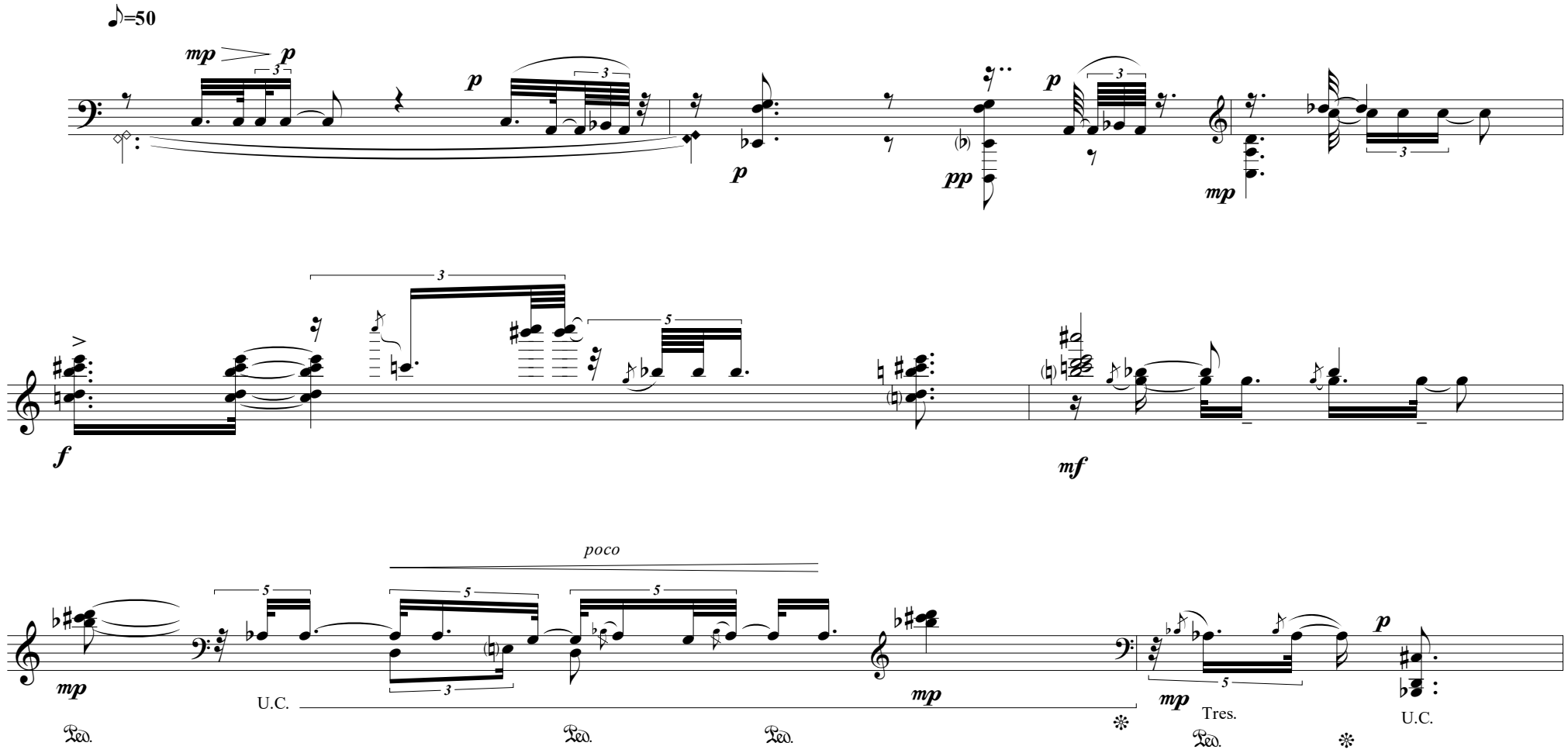
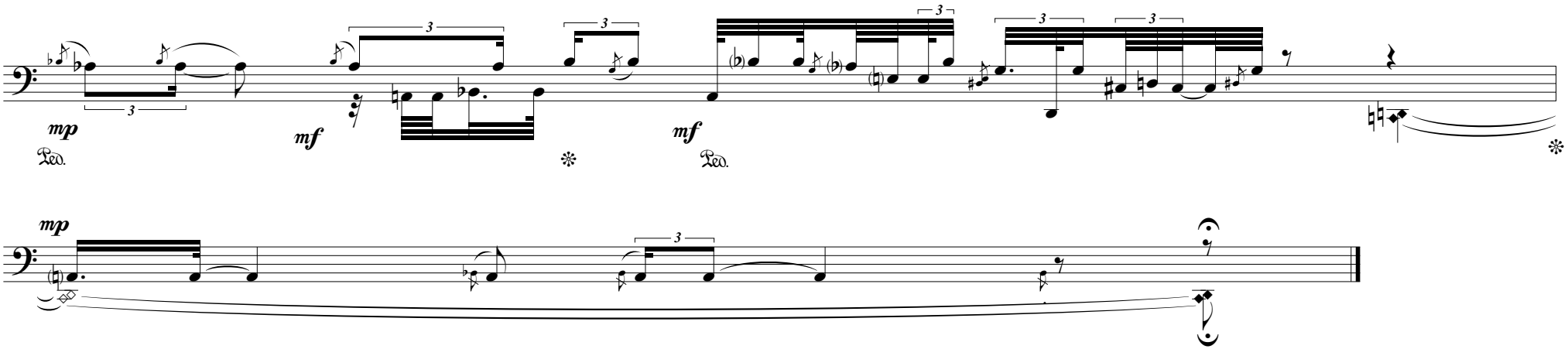
Bendigo, 25 July 2015



[This passage to be played harmonically & rhythmically (not melodically)
especially emphasising repeated note patterns.]



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