

JAMAIS VU

for solo cello

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General information

Jamais Vu is an algorithmic work generated by a computer program. Because this program makes use of random procedures, a different version of this composition is output at each execution of the program. It is recommended that the performer generates a new version of this work for each new performance (more on how to generate new versions below), though this is not a strict requirement.

Durata: averagely 4–5 minutes.

General performance notes

- all tremolos should be played non-misurato.
- all grace notes should be played on the beat and as fast as possible.

Generating a unique version

In order to generate a unique version of this work, it is necessary to have the following programs installed on a Linux computer:

- The program `jamaisVu.out` and the subfolder `title page`, both of which can be freely obtained by sending a request to gilberto.agostinho.f@gmail.com
- LilyPond, which can be downloaded from www.lilypond.org
- pdfunite, which is freely available for most Linux distributions

To generate a score, simply execute the file `jamaisVu.out` and wait until a score in PDF format named `Jamais Vu.pdf` is automatically generated in that same directory. To generate a new score, simply run the executable file once again. The program will also a MIDI file and a LilyPond format file.

If you do not have access to a Linux machine and would like to receive a couple of versions as PDF files to choose from, please contact me on the same e-mail address mentioned above.

IMPORTANT NOTE: after generating a score, another execution of `jamaisVu.out` will result in the loss of all previously generated files (they will all be overwritten)! If you wish to keep a particular version of this composition, please copy all its files to a safe location. Also, please notice that this program has been tested with LilyPond version 2.19.53 and pdfunite version 0.24.5, and there is no guarantee it will work with different versions of either of these programs.

to Matthias Lorenz
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$\text{♩} = 132-138$

The musical score is written for solo cello in bass clef with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The tempo is marked as 132-138 bpm. The score consists of eight staves of music. The dynamics range from pianissimo (pp) to fortissimo (f). The score includes various musical notations such as slurs, ties, and fingerings (5, 6).

Staff 1: *pp* (pianissimo), *mp* (mezzo-piano). Fingerings: 5, 6, 5, 5.

Staff 2: *pp*, *p* (piano), *mp*. Fingerings: 6, 5, 6.

Staff 3: *p*, 6.

Staff 4: *pp*, *mp*, 5, 6.

Staff 5: *pp*, 5, 6, *p*, 6.

Staff 6: 6, *pp*, 6, *p*.

Staff 7: *mp*, *p*, *f* (fortissimo), 6, 6.

Staff 8: *mp*, *mf* (mezzo-forte), *p*, 6, 5.

5 6 *mp* *p* 6

6 5 5 5

pp 5 *p* *mf* *mp* *mf*

5 *mp*

p *mp* 6 5

mf 6 5 5

f 5 5 *mp*

ff 6

5 *mf* *ff*

This page contains ten staves of musical notation for a bass line. The notation includes various musical symbols such as notes, rests, and dynamic markings. The dynamics are indicated by *mp* (mezzo-piano), *f* (forte), *ff* (fortissimo), *mf* (mezzo-forte), and *ff* (fortissimo). The fingering is indicated by numbers 5 and 6. The notation is written in a single system, with the staves connected by a brace on the left. The key signature is one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 4/4. The music is written in a single system, with the staves connected by a brace on the left. The notation includes various musical symbols such as notes, rests, and dynamic markings. The dynamics are indicated by *mp* (mezzo-piano), *f* (forte), *ff* (fortissimo), *mf* (mezzo-forte), and *ff* (fortissimo). The fingering is indicated by numbers 5 and 6. The notation is written in a single system, with the staves connected by a brace on the left. The key signature is one flat (B-flat), and the time signature is 4/4.