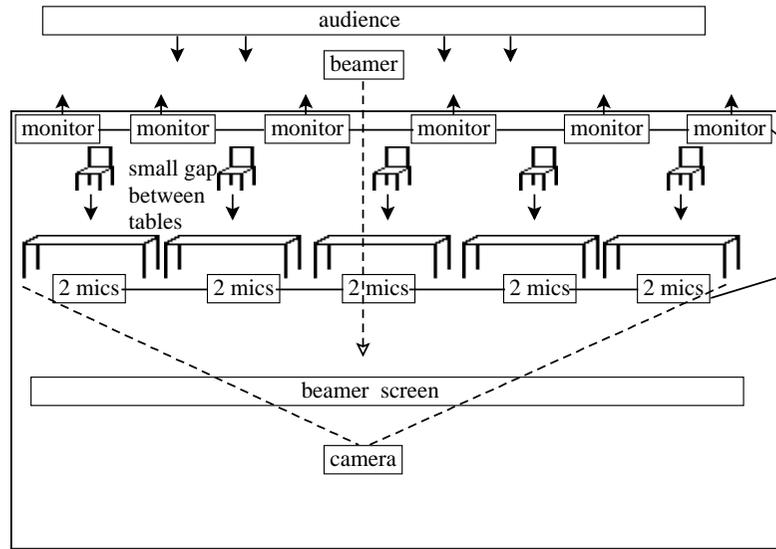


What about Woof?

for five percussionists

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What about Woof? Set Up



Players: are sitting giving the back to the audience. They must be frontally projected on the screen.

mixer and amplifier

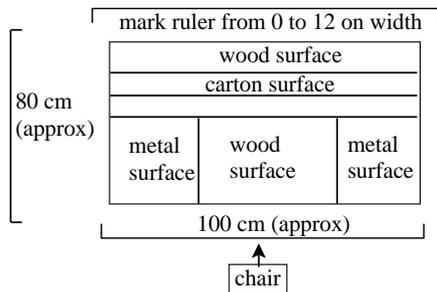
Microphones: each table must have two condenser microphones on stands pointing towards the surface of the table. One covering the right zone and the other the left zone.

Monitor: each table should be amplified through two monitors (left and right) which are placed between tables. A single monitor can share left side of one table and right from the one beside.

Camera and Beamer: the beamer must project on the screen the five tables which are filmed by a camera on stage. The players should be able to watch the screen.

Music Stands: two stands per table are required. Placed in front and almost flat at the height of the tables' surface.

Table Surface Set Up (each table uses the same design)



-metal surface: zinc, aluminium or other kind of metallic flat surface with irregular texture.

(on first performance metallic flat music stands were used beside the tables).

-wood surface: table's surface. Ideally textured to produce loud sounds. If necessary, cover it with some better wooden surface which produces more sound.

-carton surface: carton box material. Like market packing boxes material.

Indications

1. Coins: All players use one ordinary coin in each hand to rub or beat over surfaces through all the piece.

Percussion

T
this letter indicates in which surface to play.

Left Hand
Right Hand
middle line marks the center of the table dividing left and right sides.
(inverted-piano-score version)

rubbing tremolo:
move the coin back and forth on the surface producing a constant sound.

7
seconds:
some bars are written with the number in seconds over the score.

up
down
arms move up away or down towards the surface.
The length of the line determines the speed of the movement of the arm

Dotted line:
stay still with arms pointing up.
The lines from the beginning and the end of the bar work as the line described beside.

Perc.

Head turn: the letter inside the circle indicates if it should turn to left or right. The speed of the movement is determined by the length of the arrow

90°

White headed arrow indicates that the head must go back suddenly to its original position (looking forward).

T
T space: center wood surface.

M
M line: metallic sides surface (metallic music stands).

LW/LC
LW(table stripe)
LC(carton stripe)Above or below the system will be written the "stripe form" surfaces. Which to play will be specified in the score.

Slide from one area to another.

Sudden slide back to position pointed by arrow..

Accent by the note or letter: beat on the table with the coin.

Perc.

black line between notes indicates length of total stillness of the arm.

r total
Slide through horizontal stripe. Arrow indicates the direction(left/right).
Text over arrow indicates point of ending.

improv
Improvisation: free, include material of previous sections.

L total : all length from right to left
r total : all length from left to right
L 1,5 : stop in the marked measure(number)
L/r end : move from current position until end of pointed direction.

What about Woof ?

The score is organized into five systems, each with two staves for Percussion (Left Hand and Right Hand). The notation includes:

- System 1:** Left Hand: *ffff* 7, 3. Right Hand: *ffff*. Includes a diagram showing a 90° rotation of the right hand.
- System 2:** Left Hand: *ffff* 7, *psub* 3. Right Hand: *ffff*, $\begin{matrix} > \\ T \\ sfz \end{matrix}$. Includes a diagram showing a 90° rotation of the right hand.
- System 3:** Left Hand: *ffff* 7, 3. Right Hand: *ffff*, *ffff* 5, 3. Includes a diagram showing a 90° rotation of the right hand.
- System 4:** Left Hand: *ffff* 7, 3. Right Hand: *ffff*, *ffff* 5, $\begin{matrix} > \\ T \\ sfz \end{matrix}$, *psub* 3. Includes a diagram showing a 90° rotation of the left hand.
- System 5:** Left Hand: *ffff* 7, $\begin{matrix} > \\ T \\ sfz \end{matrix}$, *psub* 3. Right Hand: *ffff*, *ffff* 5, 3. Includes a diagram showing a 90° rotation of the left hand.

This musical score is for a Percussion instrument, consisting of 10 staves. The notation includes various dynamics and articulations, along with performance directions. The score is divided into measures by vertical bar lines, with some measures containing multiple staves.

Staff 1: Starts with a dynamic of *fff* and a *sfz* articulation. A *90°* direction is indicated. The staff ends with a *sfz* articulation and a *psub* dynamic.

Staff 2: Starts with a *90°* direction and a *psub* dynamic. The staff contains a *fff* dynamic and a *sfz* articulation. The staff ends with a *90°* direction.

Staff 3: Starts with a *sfz* articulation and a *psub* dynamic. The staff contains a *fff* dynamic and a *sfz* articulation. The staff ends with a *90°* direction.

Staff 4: Starts with a *90°* direction and a *sfz* articulation. The staff contains a *fff* dynamic and a *psub* dynamic. The staff ends with a *90°* direction.

Staff 5: Starts with a *90°* direction and a *sfz* articulation. The staff contains a *fff* dynamic and a *psub* dynamic. The staff ends with a *90°* direction.

Staff 6: Starts with a *90°* direction and a *sfz* articulation. The staff contains a *fff* dynamic and a *psub* dynamic. The staff ends with a *90°* direction.

Staff 7: Starts with a *90°* direction and a *sfz* articulation. The staff contains a *fff* dynamic and a *psub* dynamic. The staff ends with a *90°* direction.

Staff 8: Starts with a *90°* direction and a *sfz* articulation. The staff contains a *fff* dynamic and a *psub* dynamic. The staff ends with a *90°* direction.

Staff 9: Starts with a *90°* direction and a *sfz* articulation. The staff contains a *fff* dynamic and a *psub* dynamic. The staff ends with a *90°* direction.

Staff 10: Starts with a *90°* direction and a *sfz* articulation. The staff contains a *fff* dynamic and a *psub* dynamic. The staff ends with a *90°* direction.

This musical score is for a Percussion part, consisting of five staves. The notation is highly rhythmic and includes several key features:

- Staff 1:** Starts with a circled 'R' and a 90-degree rotation arrow. It features a complex rhythmic pattern with dynamic markings of *ffff* and accents.
- Staff 2:** Features a circled 'L' and a 90-degree rotation arrow. It contains a rhythmic pattern with *ffff* dynamics and accents.
- Staff 3:** Contains a rhythmic pattern with *ffff* dynamics and accents.
- Staff 4:** Features a circled 'R' and a 90-degree rotation arrow. It includes a rhythmic pattern with *ffff* dynamics and accents.
- Staff 5:** Features a circled 'L' and a 90-degree rotation arrow. It contains a rhythmic pattern with *ffff* dynamics and accents.

The score is divided into measures by vertical lines. Rehearsal marks are indicated by the numbers 5, 7, and 2, which appear above the staves. The notation includes various rhythmic values, slurs, and dynamic markings such as *ffff* (fortississimo). The word "Perc." is written to the left of each staff. The number "18" is written at the top left of the first staff.

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The image displays a musical score for Percussion, consisting of five staves. The score is divided into measures with time signatures 7/4 and 5/4. The notation includes rhythmic patterns, notes, and various annotations.

Staff 1: Perc. H 7/4 LC. Notes: quarter note, dotted quarter note. Annotation: *r total* (rightward arrow).

Staff 2: Perc. H 7/4. Notes: quarter note, dotted quarter note. Annotations: (3) and (4) with dashed arrows; "hand stay still at beginning point".

Staff 3: Perc. H 7/4 M. Notes: quarter note, dotted quarter note. Annotations: *sfz* (leftward arrow), (6) "left hand moves to T center" (dashed arrow), (1) "right hand moves to LC at left end" (dashed arrow), "hand stay still at beginning point".

Staff 4: Perc. H 7/4 M. Notes: quarter note, dotted quarter note. Annotations: (3), (4) *sfz* "left hand moves to T center" (dashed arrow), (2) and (5) with dashed arrows, "right hand moves to LC at left end" (dashed arrow), "hand stay still at beginning point".

Staff 5: Perc. H 7/4 M. Notes: quarter note, dotted quarter note. Annotations: (6), (1) *sfz* "left hand moves to T center" (dashed arrow), (5) "right hand moves to LC at left end" (dashed arrow), "hand stay still at beginning point".

Staff 6: Perc. H 5/4 LC. Notes: quarter note, dotted quarter note. Annotation: *r total* (rightward arrow).

Staff 7: Perc. H 5/4 LW. Notes: quarter note, dotted quarter note. Annotation: *L 1.5* (leftward arrow).

Staff 8: Perc. H 5/4 LW. Notes: quarter note, dotted quarter note. Annotation: *L 2.5* (leftward arrow).

Staff 9: Perc. H 5/4 LC. Notes: quarter note, dotted quarter note. Annotation: *r total* (rightward arrow).

Staff 10: Perc. H 5/4 LW. Notes: quarter note, dotted quarter note. Annotation: *L 4* (leftward arrow).

Staff 11: Perc. H 5/4 LC. Notes: quarter note, dotted quarter note. Annotation: *r total* (rightward arrow).

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The image displays a musical score for Percussion, consisting of five staves. The score is divided into measures by vertical bar lines. Each staff begins with a treble clef and a 5/4 time signature. The notes are half notes, often beamed together in groups. Above the notes, various time signatures are indicated: 5/4, 4/4, 3/4, and 2/4. Labels 'LC' and 'LW' are placed above specific notes. Below the notes, horizontal lines with arrows indicate durations: 'r total' (right total), 'L total' (left total), 'r end' (right end), and 'L' followed by a number (e.g., L 1.5, L 2.5, L 4, L 5.5, L 0.5, L 2). The score is organized into measures of 2, 2, 2, 2, and 2 measures each, with the final measure of each staff ending in a 2/4 time signature.

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The image displays five staves of musical notation for percussion instruments, labeled 'Perc.' on the left. Each staff begins with a treble clef and a 2/4 time signature. The notation consists of quarter notes, some of which are beamed together or have longer durations indicated by wavy lines below the staff. The notes are labeled with 'LC' (Left Cymbal) or 'LW' (Left Woodblock). The time signature changes to 4/4 in the second measure of each staff, and to 3/4 in the third measure. The notation returns to 2/4 in the fourth measure. The fifth measure of each staff contains a single note with a wavy line below it, indicating a longer duration. The sixth measure contains a single note with a wavy line below it, indicating a longer duration. The seventh measure contains a single note with a wavy line below it, indicating a longer duration. The eighth measure contains a single note with a wavy line below it, indicating a longer duration. The ninth measure contains a single note with a wavy line below it, indicating a longer duration. The tenth measure contains a single note with a wavy line below it, indicating a longer duration. The eleventh measure contains a single note with a wavy line below it, indicating a longer duration. The twelfth measure contains a single note with a wavy line below it, indicating a longer duration. The thirteenth measure contains a single note with a wavy line below it, indicating a longer duration. The fourteenth measure contains a single note with a wavy line below it, indicating a longer duration. The fifteenth measure contains a single note with a wavy line below it, indicating a longer duration. The sixteenth measure contains a single note with a wavy line below it, indicating a longer duration. The annotations include 'r total' (right total), 'L total' (left total), 'r end' (right end), and 'L 0.5', 'L 1.5', 'L 2', 'L 2.5' (left end) with arrows pointing to the corresponding notes or wavy lines.

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Perc. $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ LW $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ LC $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$

L total
back to
right end

r center

Perc. $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ LW $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ LC $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$

L total
back to
right end

r center

Perc. $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ LW $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ LC $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$

L total
back to
right end

r center

Perc. $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ LW $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ LC $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$

L total
back to
right end

r center

Perc. $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ LW $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ LC $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$

L total
back to
right end

r center

* accent: fast and short sudden movement to start. Original speed must be immediately recovered.

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Perc. $\text{H } \frac{1}{4} \text{ } \frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{1}{8}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ **improv** $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$

Perc. $\text{H } \frac{1}{4} \text{ } \frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{1}{8}$ **improv** $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ **improv** $\frac{2}{4}$

Perc. $\text{H } \frac{1}{4} \text{ } \frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ **improv** $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{1}{8}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$

Perc. $\text{H } \frac{1}{4} \text{ } \frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{1}{8}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ **improv** $\frac{2}{4}$

Perc. $\text{H } \frac{1}{4} \text{ } \frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ **improv** $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{1}{8}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{2}{4}$

stop in T center

* slow

slow

stop in T center

* slow

slow

approximate overlaps

stop in T center

* slow

stop in T center

* slow

slow

* slow : improvise :
 choose right or left
 movement. Also can be done
 with two or one hand.

Synchronized

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Perc. H $\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

sfz *f* *p* *f*

Perc. H $\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

sfz *f* *p* *f*

Perc. H $\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

sfz *f* *p* *f*

Perc. H $\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

sfz *f* *p* *f*

Perc. H $\frac{3}{8}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{5}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

sfz *f* *p* *f*

The score consists of five vertically aligned staves, each labeled 'Perc.' on the left. Each staff begins with a treble clef, a 3/8 time signature, and a 4/4 time signature. The music is divided into four measures by vertical bar lines. Measure 100 is marked with a '100' at the top left. The notation includes various rhythmic values (quarter, eighth, and sixteenth notes), rests, and complex patterns. Dynamics such as *sfz* (sforzando), *f* (forte), *p* (piano), and *f* (forte) are indicated throughout. Articulation marks, including accents (>) and hairpins (upward and downward arrows), are used to shape the sound. The notation is dense and detailed, typical of a professional musical score.

104 Perc. H $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ stop at center

Perc. H $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

Perc. H $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

Perc. H $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$

Perc. H $\frac{4}{4}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{4}{4}$ stop at center

The image shows a musical score for five percussion staves. The score is divided into three measures. The first measure is in 4/4 time, the second in 3/4, and the third in 4/4. Each staff contains rhythmic notation with various dynamics (p, mf, f) and articulation marks (accents, up-bow/down-bow strokes). The first and fifth staves have a 'stop at center' instruction at the end of the third measure.

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The image shows a musical score for Percussion, consisting of five staves. The top staff (Perc.) features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes with a dynamic marking of *mf*. The second, third, and fourth staves are grouped together and contain two types of pulses: ** pulse 1* and ** pulse 2*. ** pulse 1* is marked with *pp* and *p*, while ** pulse 2* is marked with *p* and *pp*. The fifth staff (Perc.) also features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes with a dynamic marking of *mf*. The score is divided into measures by vertical bar lines, and the dynamics *mf*, *pp*, *p*, and *mp* are clearly indicated throughout.

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Perc.

* pulse 1
pp

Equal dynamics for both hands.

* pulse 2

* pulse 1
pp

Equal dynamics for both hands.

* pulse 2

* pulse 1
pp

Equal dynamics for both hands.

* pulse 2

f

139 Perc. *f possibile*

143 *All energy* Seconds *motionless*

Perc.	sfz <i>fff</i> 10 <i>f possibile</i>	sfz 3	sfz 1 <i>f possibile</i>	sfz 2	sfz 5 <i>f possibile</i>	sfz 7	sfz 0,5 <i>f possibile</i>	sfz 3	sfz 2,5 <i>f possibile</i>
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Perc.	H	5	sfz 1 f possibile	1	sfz 6	3	3	3	3	9	15	15
			M		T				slow circular movement : accelerando			
			M		T					f possibile		
			sfz		sfz							
Perc.	H	5	sfz 1 f possibile	1	sfz 6	3	3	3	3	9	15	15
			M		T				slow circular movement : accelerando			
			M		T					f possibile		
			sfz		sfz							
Perc.	H	5	sfz 1 f possibile	1	sfz 6	3	3	3	3	9	15	15
			M		T					nervous (fast movements)	cue: cut group	
			M		T							
			sfz		sfz							
Perc.	H	5	sfz 1 f possibile	1	sfz 6	3	3	3	3	9	15	15
			M		T				slow circular movement : accelerando			
			M		T							
			sfz		sfz							
Perc.	H	5	sfz 1 f possibile	1	sfz 6	3	3	3	3	9	15	15
			M		T							
			M		T					f possibile		
			sfz		sfz							
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			M		T							
			M		T							
			sfz		sfz							

circular movement : accelerando