

Sonata no. 23 ('Appassionata')

1. Allegro assai

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Measures 1-4 of the first system. The music is in G minor, 3/8 time. Measure 1 starts with a piano (*pp*) dynamic and a first inversion chord (i). Measure 2 continues with a first inversion chord (i). Measure 3 features a trill on the right hand and a V6 chord in the left hand. Measure 4 contains a seventh chord (vii) in the left hand and a V chord in the right hand, with a second inversion chord (II) indicated below.

Measures 5-8 of the second system. Measure 5 begins with a first inversion chord (i) in the left hand. Measure 6 has a V6 chord in the left hand. Measure 7 features a trill on the right hand and a seventh chord (vii) in the left hand. Measure 8 contains a V chord in the left hand and a first inversion chord (i) in the right hand, with a seventh chord (vii) indicated below.

Measures 9-13 of the third system. Measure 9 starts with a piano (*pp*) dynamic and a V6 chord in the left hand. Measure 10 has a V chord in the left hand. Measure 11 features a trill on the right hand and a seventh chord (vii) in the left hand. Measure 12 contains a fourth inversion chord (iv) in the left hand and a seventh chord (vii) in the right hand. Measure 13 has a V chord in the left hand, a piano (*pp*) dynamic, and a *poco ritardando* marking.

Measures 14-16 of the fourth system. Measure 14 begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic and a seventh chord (vii) in the left hand. Measure 15 features a forte (*f*) dynamic and a VI6 chord in the right hand. Measure 16 contains a piano (*p*) dynamic, a V chord in the left hand, and a first inversion chord (i) in the right hand with a piano (*pp*) dynamic.

Measures 17-20 of the fifth system. Measure 17 starts with a fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic. Measure 18 has a piano (*p*) dynamic. Measure 19 features a fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic and a V6 chord in the left hand. Measure 20 contains a piano (*p*) dynamic and a seventh chord (vii) in the left hand, with a trill on the right hand.

2
22

ff V6 *p* III V *p* i

26

sfp VI V V V V i64 i

30

sfp VI V6 vii vii

33

pp V *pp* I dolce

36

V I6 IV V

39

I V *p* I6 *f sf* iii II6 *p* V

44

tr
V
pp

49

i
mf

52

VI6
ff
II
vii

54

ii
V
f
i
sf

56

VI6
ff
II
vii

58

ii
sf
V
ii
sf
V
ii
sf
V

60 8

ff *vii* *V* *V* \emptyset *i* *iv* *i6* *V* *sfp*

62

i *iv* *i6* *V* *sfp* *i* *iv* *i6* *V* *sfp*

64

i *pp* *VII* *I*

67

pp *pp*

68

pp *pp* *pp* *pp* *pp* *V6* *vii* *V* *ii* *vii* *ii6*

73

sf *sf* *p* *sf* *sf* *I6* *vii* *I6* *ii* *ii6* *V* *V* *I* *vii* *I6* *ii* *ii6*

78

Key signature: one sharp (F#). Time signature: 2/4.

Measures 78-79. The right hand plays a continuous eighth-note pattern. The left hand has a few notes with dynamics *p*, *V*, and *f*.

80

Key signature: one sharp (F#). Time signature: 2/4.

Measures 80-81. The right hand plays a continuous eighth-note pattern. The left hand has a few notes with a slur.

81

v 5 V 5 vii V V V V

83

i 5 5 5

84

5 VI V vii V

86

V V 5 V V

87

8 vii 5 vii 5 vii 5 vii 5

89

vii 5 vii 5 vii 5 vii 5

90

vii 5 vii 5 vii vii *sf* V vii *sf* V vii

92

sf V vii *sf* V *sf* vii *fp* V V V

p

95

I64 I6 *sfp* vi V V V

99

V I64 I *sfp* vi V6 VI V6 VI

103

V6 vii *pp* vii vii V V I6 V I

107

V6 vi *f* V vi v6 V *p* I

110

V

111

I6 ii V V V *f* *p* iv

114

V iv6 iv V V

117

f
II

sempre più forte V V

118 119 120 121 122

iv V V

123 124

ff vii vii vii vii

125 126

vii vii vii vii vii vii vii vii

sempre Ped.

127 128

vii vii vii vii vii vii vii vii

sempre Ped.

129 130

vii vii vii vii

131 132 133 134

ff vii vii vii vii

132

V vii V vii V vii V vii *p* V *dimin.*

135

pp
i

138

V vii V V

141

V vii V vii

144

V vii V
V
V i6

147

V
V
V

148

V V V *f* vii *f* V *f* VI

151

Musical score for measures 151-152. The system consists of two staves. The upper staff is in bass clef with a key signature of three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat). It features a long, sustained note in the first measure, followed by a melodic line in the second measure. The lower staff is in bass clef with the same key signature. It contains a complex chordal texture in the first measure, indicated by a 'p' dynamic and a 'V' chord symbol. The second measure continues with a melodic line, indicated by a 'pp' dynamic.

152

Musical score for measures 153-155. The system consists of two staves. The upper staff is in bass clef with a key signature of three flats. It features a complex chordal texture in the first measure, indicated by a 'ff' dynamic and a 'I' chord symbol. The second measure continues with a melodic line, indicated by a 'p' dynamic. The third measure features a melodic line, indicated by a 'ff' dynamic and a 'V6' chord symbol.

156

Musical score for measures 156-157. The system consists of two staves. The upper staff is in bass clef with a key signature of three flats. It features a long, sustained note in the first measure, followed by a melodic line in the second measure. The lower staff is in treble clef with the same key signature. It contains a complex chordal texture in the first measure, indicated by a 'p' dynamic. The second measure continues with a melodic line, indicated by a 'vii' chord symbol.

157

ff V6 *p* ii *ff* vii6 *p* i6

161

ff vii *f* *sf* vii *p* V i

165

sfp VI V V V

168

V i64 i *sf* VI V6 vii

171

vii iv *pp* V *pp* V I dolce

175

Musical score for measures 175-177. Treble clef, key signature of three flats. Chords: vii6, I6, IV, V, V. Dynamics: sf, p.

178

Musical score for measures 178-182. Treble clef, key signature of three flats. Chords: I, V, I6, iv, II6, V. Dynamics: p, f, sf, p.

183

Musical score for measures 183-187. Treble clef, key signature of three flats. Chords: V. Dynamics: tr, pp.

188

Musical score for measures 188-190. Treble clef, key signature of three flats. Chords: i. Dynamics: f, mf.

191

Musical score for measures 191-192. Treble clef, key signature of three flats. Chords: VI6, II, vii. Dynamics: ff.

193

Musical score for measures 193-194. Treble clef, key signature of three flats. Chords: ii, V, i. Dynamics: sf, f.

16

195

VI6

ff II

vii

197

ii *sf* V

ii *sf* V ii *sf* V

199

ff vii V V

p i iv i6 V *sfp*

201

i iv i6 *sf* V

i iv i6 V *sf*

203

p i

pp

205

VI

207

I6

209

V V V V

p I

V

212

I6

i

f vii

sf

215

V6

sf

vii

sf

i6

sf

218

ff

II6

220

vii

sf

Red.

iv6 V6 VI6 vii6 *ff* i6 ii6 vii iv6

Ped.

V6 VI6 vii6 i6 ii6 vii iv6

Ped.

Ped.

vii

Ped.

V

Ped.

V

Ped.

sempre Pedale

p V V V

sempre Pedale

(Ped.)

238

Adagio.

pp
vii

p
V

ff

i p i6

V

Red.

241

i6

V

sf
vii

244

sf
V

iv

vii

V

V

sf
vii

247

sf
V

iv

vii

V

V

i sf V6 sf V

250

i

sf

V6

sf
V

251

i

ii

V

V

i sf V6 sf V

i sf V6 sf V

254

Musical score for piano, measures 254-256. The score is in 3/4 time with a key signature of two flats. It features a complex texture with dense chords and arpeggiated patterns in both hands. Measure 254 starts with a piano (*p*) dynamic. Measure 255 begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic. Measure 256 begins with a fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic. Chord symbols *i*, *ii*, *V*, and *i6* are indicated below the notes.

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257

Musical score for measures 257-260. The piece is in a key with three flats (B-flat major or D-flat minor) and a common time signature. The right hand features a continuous eighth-note pattern. The left hand has a melodic line starting with a forte (*f*) dynamic, followed by a piano (*p*) dynamic and a *dimin.* (diminuendo) marking. A *ff* (fortissimo) dynamic is indicated below the first measure. The score concludes with a double bar line.

259

Musical score for measures 259-262. The right hand continues with a dense eighth-note texture. The left hand has a melodic line with a *pp* (pianissimo) dynamic marking. The score concludes with a double bar line.

261

Musical score for measures 261-264. The right hand features a dense texture of repeated eighth notes. The left hand has a melodic line with a *Più piano* (pianissimo) dynamic marking. The score concludes with a double bar line.

262

Musical score for measure 262. The right hand has a melodic line with a *ppp* (pianississimo) dynamic marking. The left hand has a melodic line. The score concludes with a double bar line.