**OLIVER HOPKINS-BURKE** 

## **Octet**

for eight instruments

This piece lasts for 10 minutes and is divided into 20 sections, each lasting for 30 seconds.

Each musician picks any short sound (1 second or less) at their written dynamic, which they maintain throughout the piece.

Musician 1's sound is fff.

Musician 2's sound is ff.

Musician 3's sound is f.

Musician 4's sound is mf.

Musician 5's sound is mp.

Musician 6's sound is p.

Musician 7's sound is pp.

Musician 8's sound is ppp.

x3 = At any three different points within the 30 seconds, play your sound. (A different number means a different number of times.)

- = Remain silent.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Musician 1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Musician 2	-	-	-	-	<b>x</b> 1	-	-	-	-	-
Musician 3	x1	-	-	x1	-	-	-	-	<b>x</b> 1	<b>x</b> 1
Musician 4	-	-	-	-	-	-	<b>x</b> 1	-	-	-
Musician 5	-	<b>x</b> 2	<b>x</b> 1	-	-	-	-	<b>x</b> 2	-	-
Musician 6	_	-	_	-	-	<b>x</b> 2	-	-	-	-
Musician 7	-	-	<b>x</b> 2	-	-	<b>x</b> 1	<b>x</b> 1	-	<b>x</b> 1	-
Musician 8	<b>x</b> 2	-	-	<b>x</b> 2	<b>x</b> 1	-	<b>x</b> 1	-	-	<b>x</b> 2
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Musician 1	11	<b>12</b>	13 -	<b>14</b> x1	15	16 -	1 <b>7</b>	18	19 -	<b>20</b> ×1
Musician 1 Musician 2	11 - -	12 - -			_		1 <b>7</b> - -	18 - -	19 - -	
	11 - -	-		x1	-	-	17 - -	18 - -	19 - -	
Musician 2	11 - - - x1	-		x1 - -	-	-	- -	-	19 - - -	
Musician 2 Musician 3	- - - x1	- - - x1		x1 - -	- - - x1	- x1 -	- - -	- - -	- - -	x1 - -
Musician 2 Musician 3 Musician 4	- - x1	- - x1		x1 - - -	- - - x1	- x1 - -	- - - - x1	- - - x1	- - - - x1	x1 - - -
Musician 2 Musician 3 Musician 4 Musician 5	- - x1 -	- - x1 -		x1	- - x1 -	- x1 - -	- - - x1	- - - x1	- - - x1	x1 - - -