## **Simon Speare**

## 8 Drummers Prumming

For untuned percussion ensemble

Full Score

This piece was composed for the percussion ensemble while Composer in Residence at the Centre for Young Musicians, London. It was first performed on 5 July 2002 at Morley College conducted by Tony Malony.

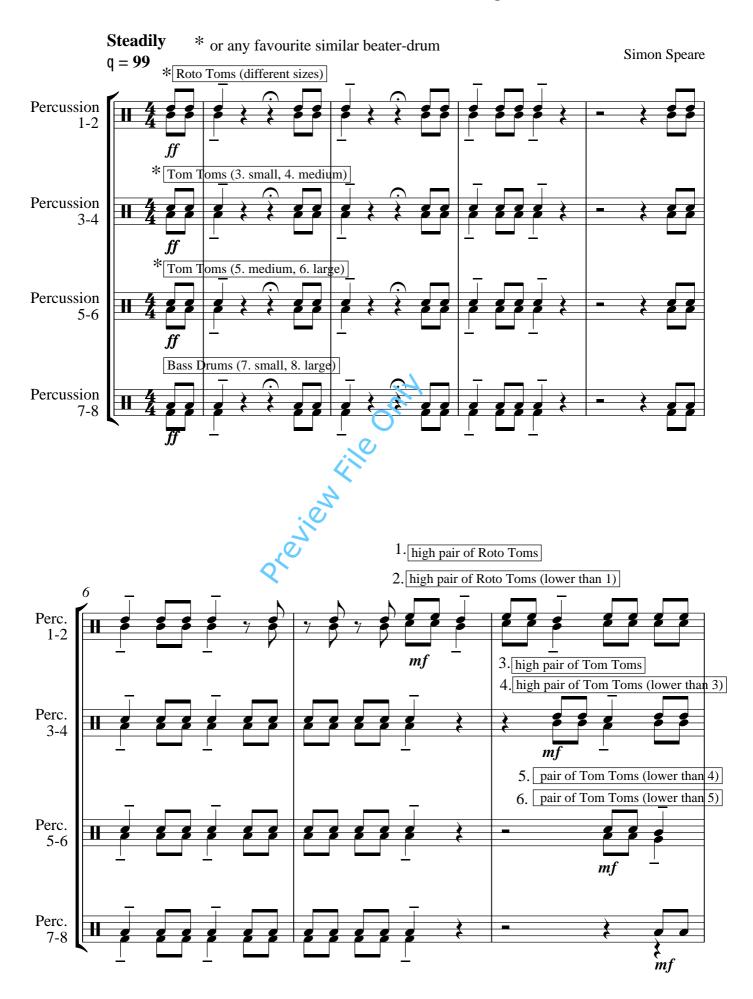
## **Orchestration**

- 1. \*High pair of Roto Toms, Agogo Bell, Suspended length of metal tube.
- 2. \*High pair of Roto Toms (lower than player 1), High Woodblock, School Playground Bell.
- 3. \*High pair of Tom Toms (lower than player 2) Metal instrument e.g. Fire Extinguisher (lower than the Agogo Bell of player 1), Cow Bell.
- 4. \*High pair of Tom Toms (lower than player 3), Woodblock (lower than player 2), Small Tam-tam.
- 5. \*Pair of Tom Toms (lower than player 4), high hand-drum e.g. Bongo, anvil.
- 6. \*Pair of Tom Toms (lower than player 5), Fire Extinguisher,
- 7. Small Bass Drum, hand-drum e.g. Djembe (lower than player 5), Large Bass Drum.
- 8. Large Bass Drum, Large Tam-tam.

The instruments marked with \* can be replaced with any favourite similar sounding instruments from the percussionists' collections. For the most part the instruments indicated are merely suggestions and the players should have fun finding good sounds themselves.

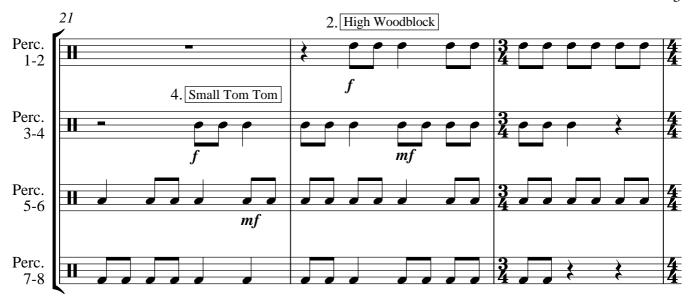
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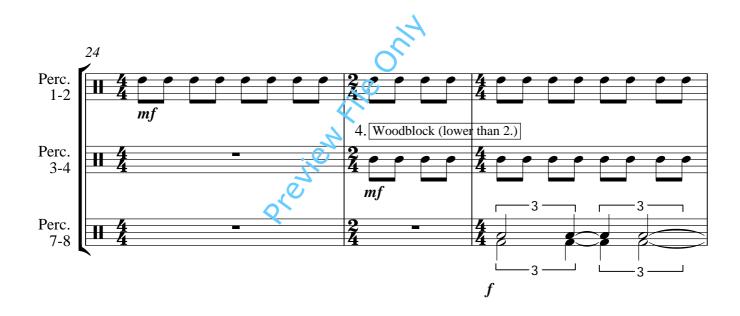
## 8 Drummers Drumming

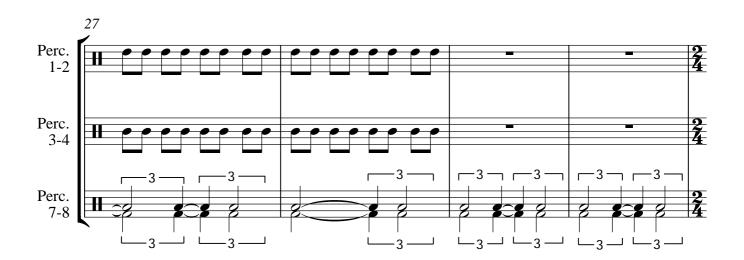


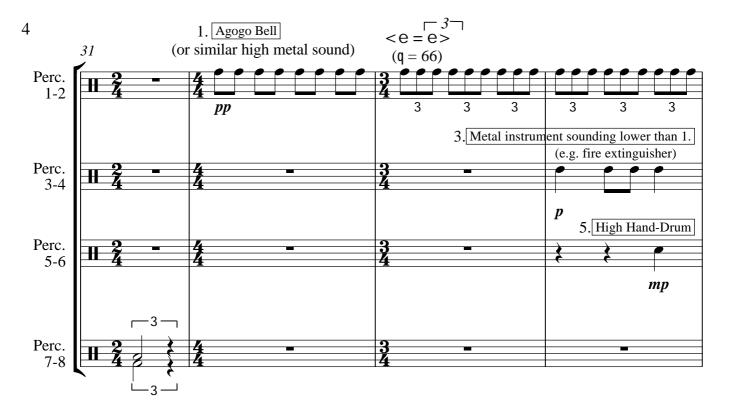


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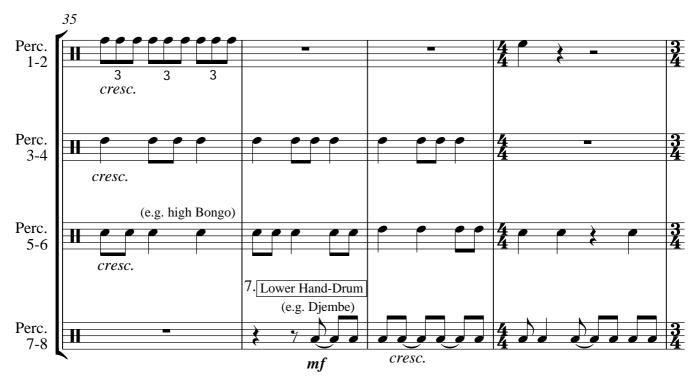




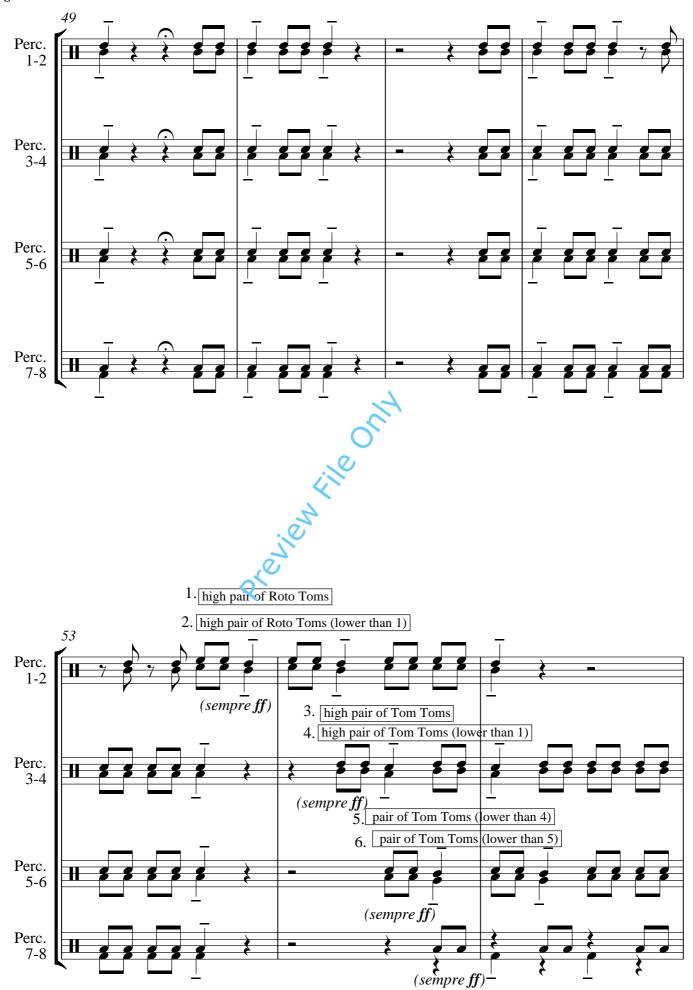


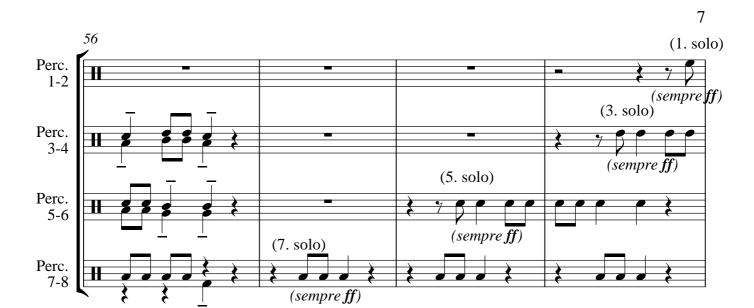




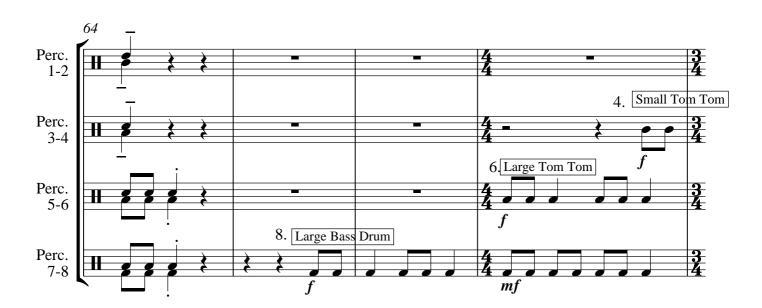


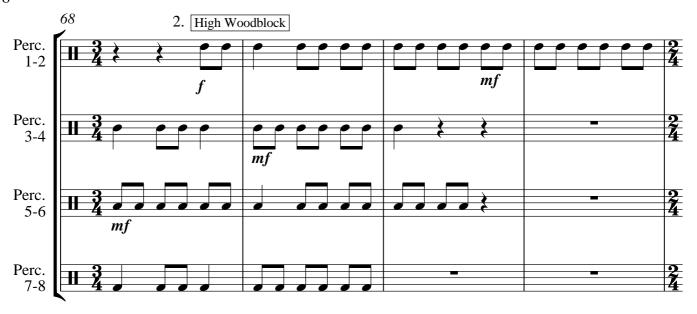




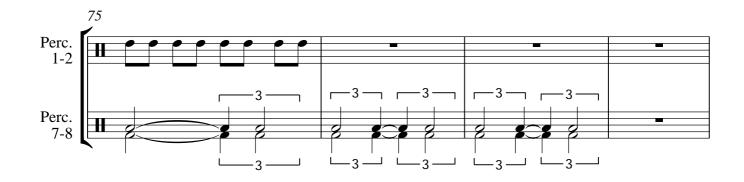


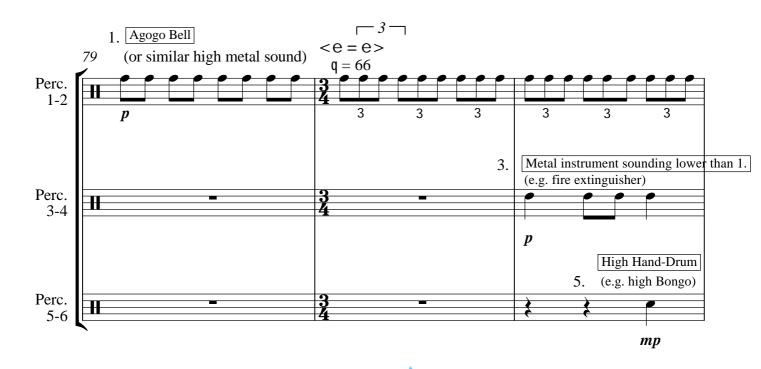






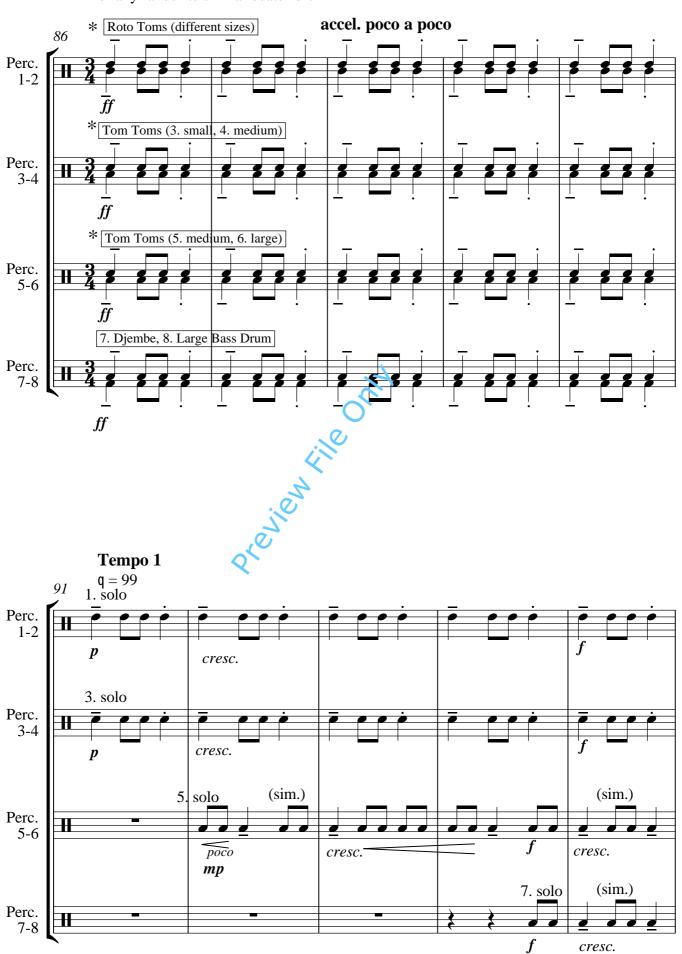


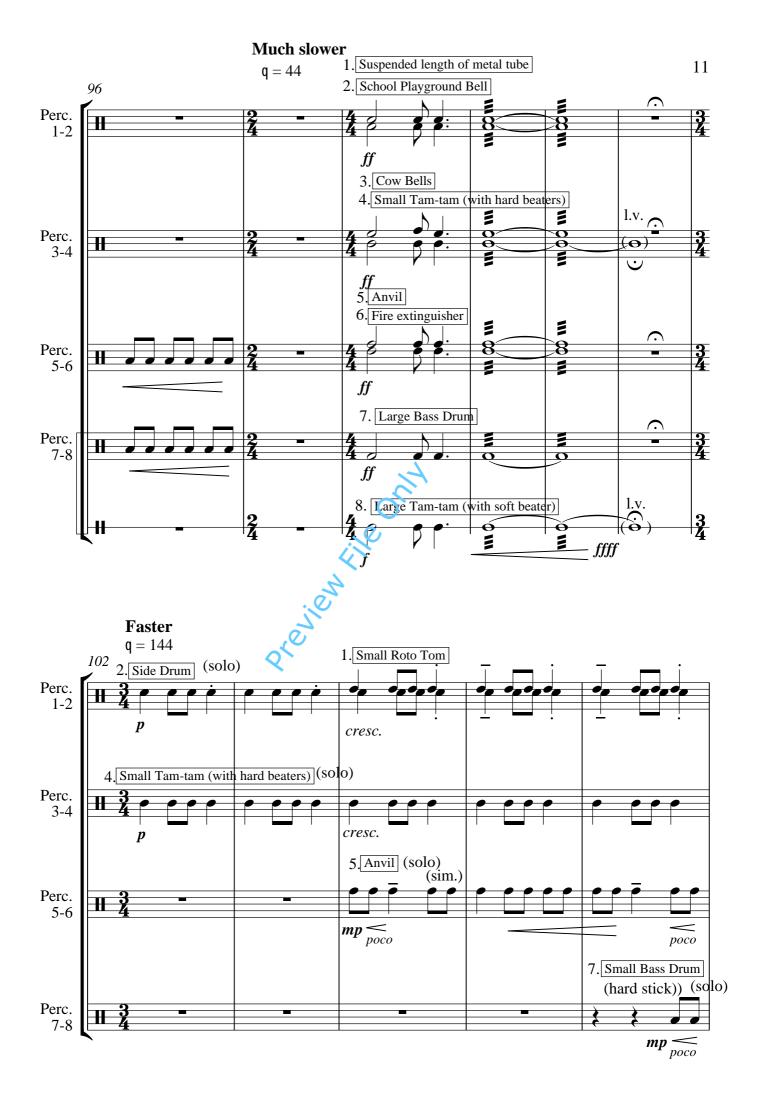






\* or any favourite similar beater-drum





12 accel. 107 Perc. 1-2 (cresc.) 3. Agogo Bells Perc. 3-4 (cresc.) 6. Small Tom Tom (sim.) (sim.) Perc. 5-6 **√**poco cresc. 8. Large Bass Drum (sim.)  $\overline{\text{(sim.)}}$ Perc. 7-8 cresc. mt poco cresc. \* or any favourite similar beater-drum Slower \* Roto Toms (different sizes) 112 q = 99Perc. 1-2 ff\* Tom Toms (3. small, 4. medium) Perc. 3-4 ff \* Tom Toms (5. medium, 6. large) Perc. 5-6 ffBass Drums (7. small, 8. large) Perc. 7-8

