

Semper Fidelis March.

DRUMS

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ff sf f sf f sf

10 mf f sf mf

21 ff ff

34 fff Solo. x x

45 D,E 1st mf, 2nd ff

62 ff

70

78 G ff

Detailed description: This is a drum score for the Semper Fidelis March. It consists of eight staves of music, each starting with a measure number. The music is written in bass clef with a 2/4 time signature. The first staff (measures 1-9) includes dynamic markings of fortissimo (ff) and sforzando (sf). The second staff (measures 10-19) features mezzo-forte (mf) and fortissimo (f) dynamics, with measures 2-6 marked with repeat signs and numbers 2-6. The third staff (measures 20-29) has fortissimo (ff) dynamics and includes a section marked 'B' with repeat signs and numbers 2-7. The fourth staff (measures 30-39) starts with fortissimo (ff) and includes a section marked 'C' as a solo with repeat signs and numbers 1 and 2, and 'x x' below. The fifth staff (measures 40-49) includes a section marked 'D,E' with repeat signs and numbers 2 and 3, and dynamic markings of 1st mezzo-forte (mf) and 2nd fortissimo (ff). The sixth staff (measures 50-61) continues the rhythmic pattern. The seventh staff (measures 62-69) is marked fortissimo (ff). The eighth staff (measures 70-84) includes a section marked 'G' with repeat signs and numbers 2-7, and fortissimo (ff) dynamics.

90

8 9

ff

1. 2.

Detailed description: This is a musical score for drums, specifically measures 8 and 9. The notation is on a single staff with a bass clef. The key signature has one sharp (F#). Measure 8 starts with a double bar line and a repeat sign, followed by two eighth notes (F# and C) with a '7' below them. Measure 9 continues with two eighth notes (F# and C) with a '7' below them, followed by a quarter note (F#) with a '7' below it. A dynamic marking of *ff* is placed below the first measure. A first ending bracket spans measures 9 through 12, and a second ending bracket spans measures 13 through 14. The first ending ends with a double bar line and a repeat sign, while the second ending ends with a double bar line and a repeat sign.