

SONG 1

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A

head in - head out

very soft / ad lib repeat / suggested tempo: between 100 and 120 /
 if one keyboard player : switch randomly from main to echo back to main /
 if two keyboard players : player 1 plays main, player 2 plays echo (possibly in canon) / leave gaps and sometimes briefly switch lines,
 for random generation of sudden chords unison / any other organisation is welcome too /
 bass and drums play within the clave and harmonic context /

B

open section (improvisation)

very soft / bass and drums : free pulse and flow, or playing around the clave 21/4 + 19/4 /
 if one keyboard player : switch randomly from main to echo back to main /
 if two keyboard players : player 1 plays main, player 2 plays echo /

(main)

cadenza section :
 'resolve' A, B, C or D chord to 1, 2 or 3 chord / any order /
 repeat until all A B C D and 1 2 3 chords have been played = 3 'full cadenzas'
 + 1 (A,B,C or D) chord 'unresolved' = 24 possible combinations*
 x notes : B \flat , B, C or C \sharp = short appoggiaturas to A, B, C or D, played in higher register /
 A,B,C and D chords are long, 1, 2 and 3 chords are short /
 all 7 chords must be played before repeating the section /
 allow silence between each action /

(echo)

this 4-chord sequence should be repeated as a continuum /
 insert chords 1 and/or 2 and/or 3 randomly within each repetition /
 sudden flow changes are welcome /

* open section main / all 24 combinations
 Ax \flat B1C2D3 Ax \flat B1C3D2 Ax \flat B2C1D3 Ax \flat B2C3D1
 Ax \flat B3C1D2 Ax \flat B3C2D1 A1B \times C2D3 A1B \times C3D2
 A1B2C3D \times A1B2C \times D3 A1B3C \times D2 A1B3C2D \times
 A2B \times C1D3 A2B \times C3D1 A2B1C \times D3 A2B1C3D \times
 A2B3C \times D1 A2B3C1D \times A3B \times C1D2 A3B \times C2D1
 A3B1C \times D2 A3B1C2D \times A3B2C \times D1 A3B2C1D \times