

PLAGUE WATER

for Ensemble Nikel

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10D

$\frac{2}{4}$ ♩ = 48

$\frac{4}{8}$

baritone saxophone

p

COLOR SIX

electric guitar

ppp

15ma

piano

pp

p

4 wood shakers

ppp

5 wood blocks

3 bass drums

STYROFOAM

mp

f

pp

15ma

8va

4:3

pp

L.V.

pp

3:2

mp

4:3

mp

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$\frac{2}{4}$

$\frac{5}{16}$

$\frac{7}{16}$

baritone saxophone

ppp

4:3

3:2

electric guitar

pp

15ma

piano

p

8va

ppp

4:3

pp

3:2

3:2

p

wood shakers

p

3:2

ppp

wood blocks

bass drums

mp

f

mp

3:2

The musical score is arranged in a vertical stack of staves. The instruments and their parts are as follows:

- baritone saxophone:** Plays a single note (F#4) with a *pp* dynamic marking.
- electric guitar:** Plays a single note (F#4) with a *pp* dynamic marking.
- piano:**
 - Right hand: Plays a chord (F#4, A4) with a *pp* dynamic marking.
 - Left hand: Plays a single note (F#3) with a *pp* dynamic marking.
 - A *15ma* (15th harmonic) marking is present above the right hand.
 - A *3:2* ratio marking is present below the left hand.
- wood shakers:** Plays a single note (F#4) with a *pp* dynamic marking.
- wood blocks:** Plays a single note (F#4) with a *pp* dynamic marking.
- bass drums:** Plays a single note (F#3) with a *pp* dynamic marking.

The score includes various musical notations such as treble and bass clefs, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and dynamic markings (*pp*).