The Anthropic Principle

for 2 percussionists

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Performance notes:

The instruments used are a snare and a set of two drums, one (bottom line) lower in pitch than the other (top line). The instruments must be perceived as part of the same entity; thus choose loud drums if playing the snare forecfully with drum sticks, and less loud drums if playing the snare with brushes, more softly.

Slashed notes in the snare part are rimshots. Trills are either simple tremoli (when applied to a single note) or may be interpreted as alternating ones (when applied to two notes, e.g. 1/2/1/2/1/2,... or 1/2/2/1/2,... etc.).

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