

# 21.2 Johann Sebastian Bach – Fugue in D Minor

Score in B-flat

BWV 554 ([Spurious]  
possibly by Johann Tobias Krebs}

Measures 1-6 of the Fugue in D Minor. The score is in B-flat major (two flats) and common time. The first staff (treble clef) contains the main melody, starting with a half note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, C5, and a half note D5. The second staff (treble clef) has rests. The third staff (treble clef) has rests. The fourth staff (bass clef) has rests.

Measures 7-12 of the Fugue in D Minor. Measure 7 starts with a treble clef and a 7-measure rest. The melody continues with a half note G4, quarter notes A4, B4, C5, and a half note D5. A trill (tr) is marked above the D5. The second staff (treble clef) has a melody starting with a quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, C5, and a half note D5. The third staff (treble clef) has rests. The fourth staff (bass clef) has rests.

Measures 13-18 of the Fugue in D Minor. Measure 13 starts with a treble clef and an 8-measure rest. The melody continues with a half note G4, quarter notes A4, B4, C5, and a half note D5. The second staff (treble clef) has a melody starting with a quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, C5, and a half note D5. The third staff (treble clef) has a melody starting with a quarter note G4, followed by quarter notes A4, B4, C5, and a half note D5. The fourth staff (bass clef) has rests.

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Musical score for Fugue in D Minor, page 2, measures 19-22. The score is written for four staves in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The music is in 3/4 time. Measure 19 features a melodic line in the top staff with a slur over the first two notes, and a bass line starting with an eighth-note triplet. Measure 20 continues the melodic development in the top staff and the bass line. Measure 21 shows a long note in the top staff and a half-note in the bass line. Measure 22 concludes the section with rests in the top two staves and a quarter note in the bottom staff.