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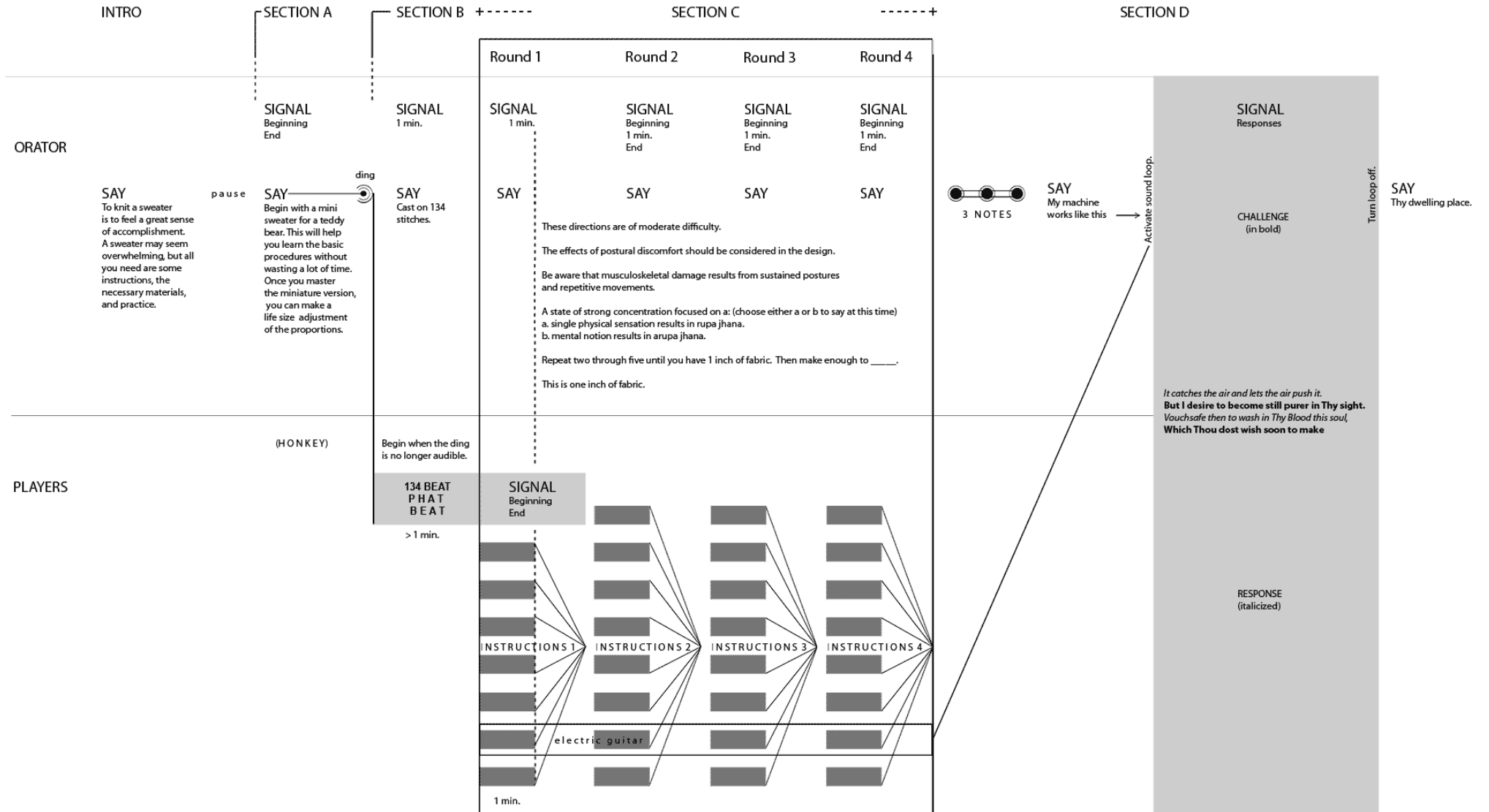
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For 4 or more performers.

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Introduction:

- Remain silent.
- When motioned to do so, begin section 1.

Section 1:

- Play some honky notes/tones.
- Continue playing until motioned to stop.
(If possible use saxophone, melotron, or harmonium.)

Section 2:

- The orator will strike a metal object.
- Once it has completely died out **ONLY** one player will begin playing a phat beat on a drum kit **134 beats** (33 measures & 2 beats) long.

NOTE: It must last a minimum of a minute. The orator will signal when a minute has elapsed.

(The beat may be pre-recorded.)

Section 3:
(comprised of 4 rounds)

ROUND 1

The person that played the phat beat for section 2 will now repeat what they just played. This drummer will signal to the rest of the players when section 2 has ended and round 1 has begun.

-Improvise for 1 minute when the round begins. If you have received specific instructions for this round, follow them.

-If you are without instructions, you must try to infer who has received instructions, and you must speculate as to what those instructions were.

-After 1 minute, those without instructions should shift their playing slowly to reflect what they believe those instructions to be.

NOTE: The orator will signal when 1 minute has elapsed.

CAUTION: Do not mimic the other performer.

-All players stop playing when the drummer stops.

ROUNDS 2 THRU 4

The orator will signal when to begin.

The orator will signal when a minute has elapsed.

The orator will signal when the round has ended.

Section 4:

In unison, all players must recite the lines that have been underlined, when signaled to do so by the orator.

My machine works like this :

It catches the air and lets the air push it.

But I desire to become still purer in Thy sight.

Vouchsafe then to wash in Thy Blood this soul,

Which Thou dost wish soon to make

Thy dwelling place.