Figure 2

MYCENAE-ALPHA

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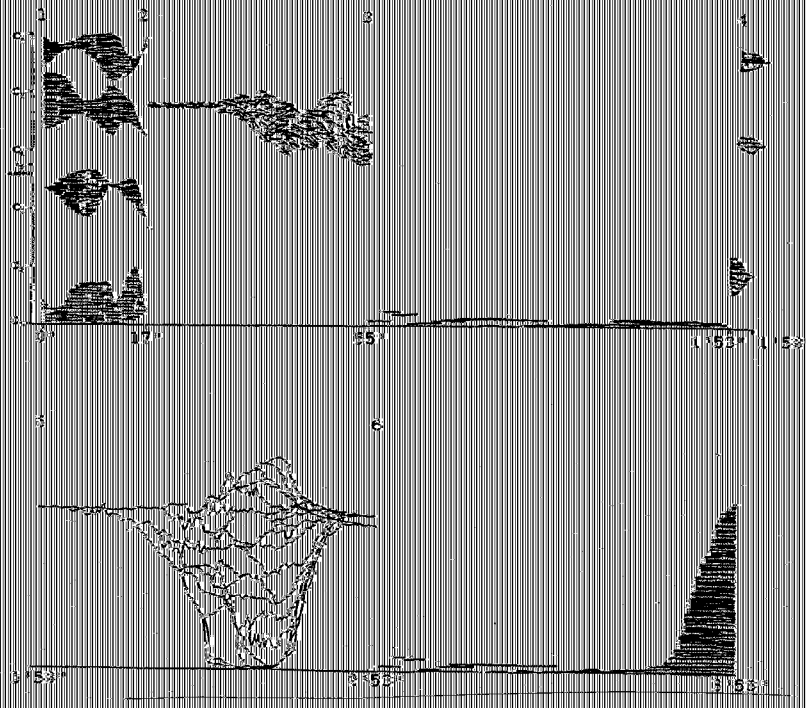
For piano tuned to be projected in polar direction by four sound monitors around the audience.

Composed on the GMUS graphic-electronic system at the CEMAMu (Centre d'Etudes de Mathématique et Automatique Musicales) Paris, France.

World premiere in 1978 at the "Festivals di Mycenae" at Karamlis concert hall, Athens, Greece. And awarded by the international music critics' prize of the Hellenic Composers' Union.

French premiere in 1979 at the "Rencontres Internationales de Musique Contemporaine" at Royaumont, France performed by Claude Helffer.



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