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Fum Fum Fum

Catalan Christmas Song

for women's chorus and percussion

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Special sounds in Catalan:

uh = a weak neutral vowel , like a in portable or the second o in doctor

upper-case R = strong trill, as in Spanish

lower-case r = single tongue-flap, also as in Spanish (or British, as in very)

l' = l followed by consonant y sound (million, or Spanish ll) without following vowel

[th] = very soft th as in then, like Spanish d between vowels

[ou] = diphthong: strong O (oh) going to weak U (oo), like long O in English

[v] = like Spanish soft v: lips almost closed like for B, but not quite (not lower lip to teeth)

[eu] = diphthong: strong short E (eh) going to weak U (oo)

El vint-i-cinc de desembre, fum, fum, fum

El vin-tee-sink day duh-sem-bruh foom, foom, foom

Ha nascut un minyonet ros i blanquet, ros i blanquet;
ah nuh-scoot oon min-yuh-net rose ee bluhn-kett

Fill de la Verge Maria n'és nat en una establia.

feel' day la vehr-jhuh muh-ree-uh nayss not en oon ess-tuh-blee-uh

Aquí dalt de la muntanya
uh-kee doll de la muhn-tahn-yuh

Si n'hi ha dos pastorets abrigadets, abrigadets;
see nee ah dose pah-stuh-rets uh-bree-guh-dets

amb la pell i la samarra, mengen ous i botifarra.

ahm la pell-pee lah suh-mahR-uh men-zhuhn [ou]ss ee boh-tuh-fahR-uh

Qui dirà més gran mentida?
Kee dih-rah mase grahn men-tee-[th]uh

Ja respond el majoral amb gran cabal, amb gran cabal;
zhah ruh-spond el mah-zhuh-rahl ahm gran cuh-[v]al

jo faré deu mil camades amb un salt totes plegades.
zho fuh-ray d[eu] mee cuh-mah-[th]es ahm oon sahl to-tess pluh-gah-[th]es

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Fum, Fum, Fum

Traditional

Traditional Catalan, arr. by Anthony Doherty

Strong and steady rhythm $\bullet = \text{approx} 112$

Musical score for the first section of "Fum, Fum, Fum". The score consists of eight staves. The first four staves are vocal parts: Soprano 1, Soprano 2, Alto 1, and Alto 2, all in treble clef and common time. The next three staves are percussion: Finger Cymbals, Tambourine, and Small Drum (with wood stick), all in common time. The vocal parts play eighth-note patterns, while the percussion parts provide rhythmic support. The vocal parts sing "Fum, fum," at the end of the section.

Soprano 1

Soprano 2

Alto 1

Alto 2

Finger Cymbals

Tambourine

Small Drum
(with wood stick)

p

Fum, fum,

Musical score for the second section of "Fum, Fum, Fum". The score consists of six staves. The first three staves are vocal parts: S 1, S 2, and A 1, all in treble clef and common time. The next two staves are vocal parts: A 2 and F. Cym., both in treble clef and common time. The final staff is Tamb. in common time. The vocal parts sing "Fum, fum, fum, fum." The vocal parts sing "fum, fum, fum, fum." at the end of the section.

S 1

S 2

A 1

A 2

F. Cym.

Tamb.

p

Fum, fum, fum, fum.

fum, fum, fum, fum.

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mp

S 1 El vin-ti-cinc de de-sem-bre, Fum, fum, fum. El vin-ti-cinc

mp

S 2 El vin-ti-cinc de de-sem-bre, Fum, fum, fum. El vin-ti-cinc

A 1 Fum, fum, fum, fum. Fum,

A 2 Fum, fum, fum, fum. Fum,

F. Cym.

Tamb.

Dr.

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mp

S 1 de de-sem-bre, Fum, fum, fum. Ha nas-cut un min-yo - net, ros i blan-

mp

S 2 de de-sem-bre, Fum, fum, fum. Ha nas-cut un min-yo - net, ros i blan-

A 1 fum, fum. Ha nas-cut un min-yo - net, ros i blan-

mp

A 2 fum, fum. Ha nas-cut un min-yo - net, ros i blan-

F. Cym.

Tamb.

Dr.

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S 1 quet, ros i blan - quet; Fill de la Ver-ge Ma - ri - a, n'és nat

S 2 quet, ros i blan - quet; Fill de la Ver-ge Ma - ri - a, n'és nat

A 1 quet, ros i blan - quet; Fill de la Ver-ge Ma - ri - a, n'és nat

A 2 quet, ros i blan - quet; Fill de la Ver-ge Ma - ri - a, n'és nat

F. Cym.

Tamb.

Dr.

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S 1 en u-na_e-sta-bli-a. *p* Fum, fum, fum.

S 2 en u-na_e-sta-bli-a. *p* Fum, fum, fum.

A 1 en u-na_e-sta-bli-a. *p* Fum, fum, fum.

A 2 en u-na_e-sta-bli-a. *p* Fum, fum, fum.

F. Cym.

Tamb.

Dr.

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mf

S 1 A - quí dalt de la mun-tan - ya, Fum, fum, fum.

S 2 A - quí dalt de la mun-tan - ya, Fum, fum, fum.

A 1 A - quí dalt de la mun-tan - ya, Fum, fum, fum.

A 2 A - quí dalt de la mun-tan - ya, Fum, fum, fum.

F. Cym.

Tamb.

Dr. *mp* *mf*

f

S 1 A - quí dalt de la mun-tan - ya, Fum, fum, fum. Si n'hi ha dos pa - sto -

S 2 A - quí dalt de la mun-tan - ya, Fum, fum, fum. Si n'hi ha dos pa - sto -

A 1 A - quí dalt de la mun-tan - ya, Fum, fum, fum. Si n'hi ha dos pa - sto -

A 2 A - quí dalt de la mun-tan - ya, Fum, fum, fum. Si n'hi ha dos pa - sto -

F. Cym.

Tamb.

Dr. *mp* *mf*

f

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S 1 rets a - bri - ga - dets, a - bri - ga - dets; amb la pell i la sa - mar - ra, men - gen

S 2 rets a - bri - ga - dets, a - bri - ga - dets; amb la pell i la sa - mar - ra, men - gen

A 1 rets a - bri - ga - dets, a - bri - ga - dets; amb la pell i la sa - mar - ra, men - gen

A 2 rets a - bri - ga - dets, a - bri - ga - dets; amb la pell i la sa - mar - ra, men - gen

F. Cym.

Tamb.

Dr.

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S 1 ous i bo - ti - far-ra. Fum, fum, fum.

S 2 ous i bo - ti - far-ra. Fum, fum, fum.

A 1 ous i bo - ti - far-ra. Fum, fum, fum.

A 2 ous i bo - ti - far-ra. Fum, fum, fum.

F. Cym. 47

Tamb. 47

Dr. 47

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S 1 *f*
Qui di - rà més gran men - ti - da?

S 2
Qui di - rà més gran men - ti - da?

A 1 *f*
Qui di - rà més gran men - ti - da? *ff* Fum, fum, fum.

A 2 *f*
Qui di - rà més gran men - ti - da? *ff* Fum, fum, fum.

F. Cym.
Tamb.
Dr. *f*

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S 1 *ff*
Fum, fum, fum. *f* Fum. Ja re-spond el ma-jo - ral amb gran ca -

S 2 *ff*
Fum, fum, fum. *f* Fum. Ja re-spond el ma-jo - ral amb gran ca -

A 1 *f*
Fum, fum, fum. *f* Ja re-spond el ma-jo - ral amb gran ca -

A 2 *f*
Fum, fum, fum. *f* Ja re-spond el ma-jo - ral amb gran ca -

F. Cym.
Tamb.
Dr. *f*

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S 1 bal, amb gran ca - bal; "Jo fa - ré deu mil ca - ma - des amb un

S 2 bal, amb gran ca - bal; "Jo fa - ré deu mil ca - ma - des amb un

A 1 bal, amb gran ca - bal; "Jo fa - ré deu mil ca - ma - des amb un

A 2 bal, amb gran ca - bal; "Jo fa - ré deu mil ca - ma - des amb un

F. Cym.

Tamb.

Dr.

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S 1 salt to - tes ple - ga - des." *ff* *pp* fum, fum, fum, fum,

S 2 salt to - tes ple - ga - des." *ff* *pp* fum, fum, fum, fum,

A 1 salt to - tes ple - *#ga* - des." *ff* *pp* fum, fum, fum, fum,

A 2 salt to - tes ple - *#ga* - des." *ff* *pp* fum, fum, fum, fum,

F. Cym.

Tamb.

Dr.

Musical score for 'Fum, Fum, Fum' featuring seven vocal parts and three percussion instruments. The vocal parts are Soprano 1 (S 1), Soprano 2 (S 2), Alto 1 (A 1), Alto 2 (A 2), French Cymbals (F. Cym.), Tambourine (Tamb.), and Drum (Dr.). The score is in common time, key signature of one sharp, and dynamic markings include *ff*, *fff*, and slurs. The vocal parts sing 'fum, fum, fum, fum, fum.' followed by 'Fum, fum, fum.' The percussion parts provide rhythmic support with various patterns of eighth and sixteenth notes.

On the twenty-fifth of December
 A little child was born, all pink and blond.
 Son of the Virgin Mary, He was born in a stable.

Up on the mountain there are two little shepherds
 All wrapped up in a skin and a cloak
 Eating eggs and sausage.

Who will tell the biggest lie?
 Replied the foreman with the big horse,
 "I will make a leap of ten thousand paces altogether."