

26. Ricercar

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The musical score consists of six staves of tablature for lute. The first staff begins with a common time signature and a C-clef. The subsequent staves show various rhythmic patterns and harmonic changes, indicated by letterheads (a, b, r, f) and flags. Performance instructions are included in the margin:

- 1) 2 notes interchanged in orig.
- 2) Rhythm flag double value in orig.
- 3) Rhythm flag double value in orig.
- 4) Repeat of a on 3rd course deleted before this chord.

Measure numbers are present at the start of some staves: 1), 2), 3) at the top; 5, 10, 15, 20, 25 along the left side.

- 1) 2 notes interchanged in orig.
 2) Rhythm flag double value in orig.
 3) Rhythm flag double value in orig.
 4) Repeat of a on 3rd course deleted before this chord.

1)

1) Rhythm flag missing in orig.

1)

2)

3)

4)

5)

1) a in orig.

2) a on 5th course in orig.

3) Rhythm flag double value in orig.

4) d deleted from 2nd course, here.

5) Note one course lower in orig.