

A Kalmus Classic Edition

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THE VIRTUOSO PIANIST

SIXTY EXERCISES
COMPLETE

FOR PIANO

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No. 1

Exercise for extension of the fifth and fourth fingers of the left hand in ascending, and the fifth and fourth fingers of the right hand in descending.

M.M. ♩ = 60 - 108*

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The musical score is written for piano in 2/4 time. It consists of four systems of exercises. The first system is marked *mf* and includes an 'ascending' label. The second system includes a 'descending' label. The third and fourth systems continue the exercise. The score features various fingerings and articulations for both hands.

* For each of the twenty exercises in this first part, set the metronome at 60; repeat, gradually increasing the speed to 108.

Play each note distinctly, lift the fingers carefully.