

# THE MERCHANT OF VENICE

## Sonic Story

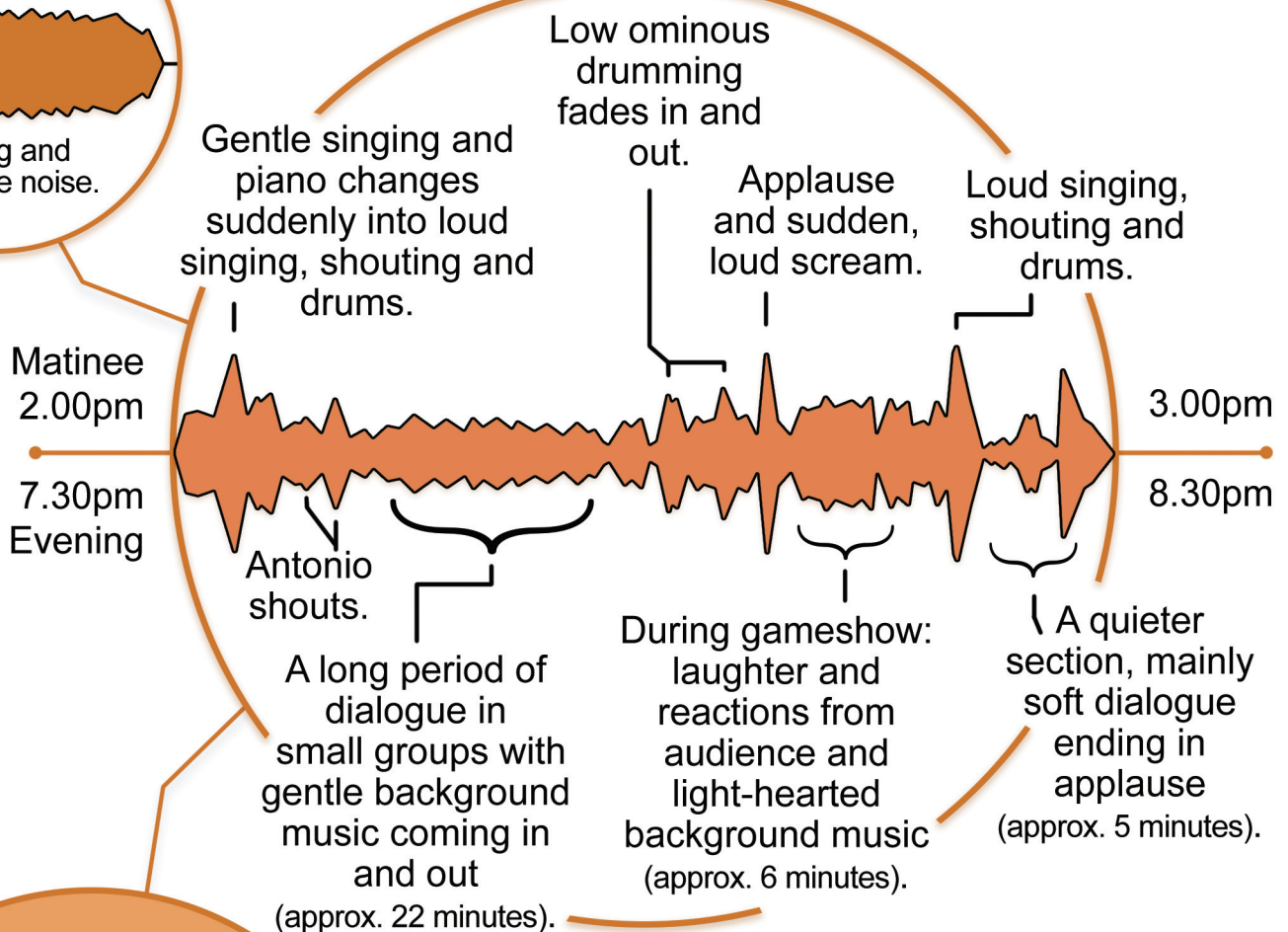
This 'Sonic Story' provides information about what to expect from the music and sounds of The Merchant of Venice.

It shows the volume changes throughout the performance and highlights loud and quiet moments and moments when the sound changes suddenly.

### Pre-show



### Act 1

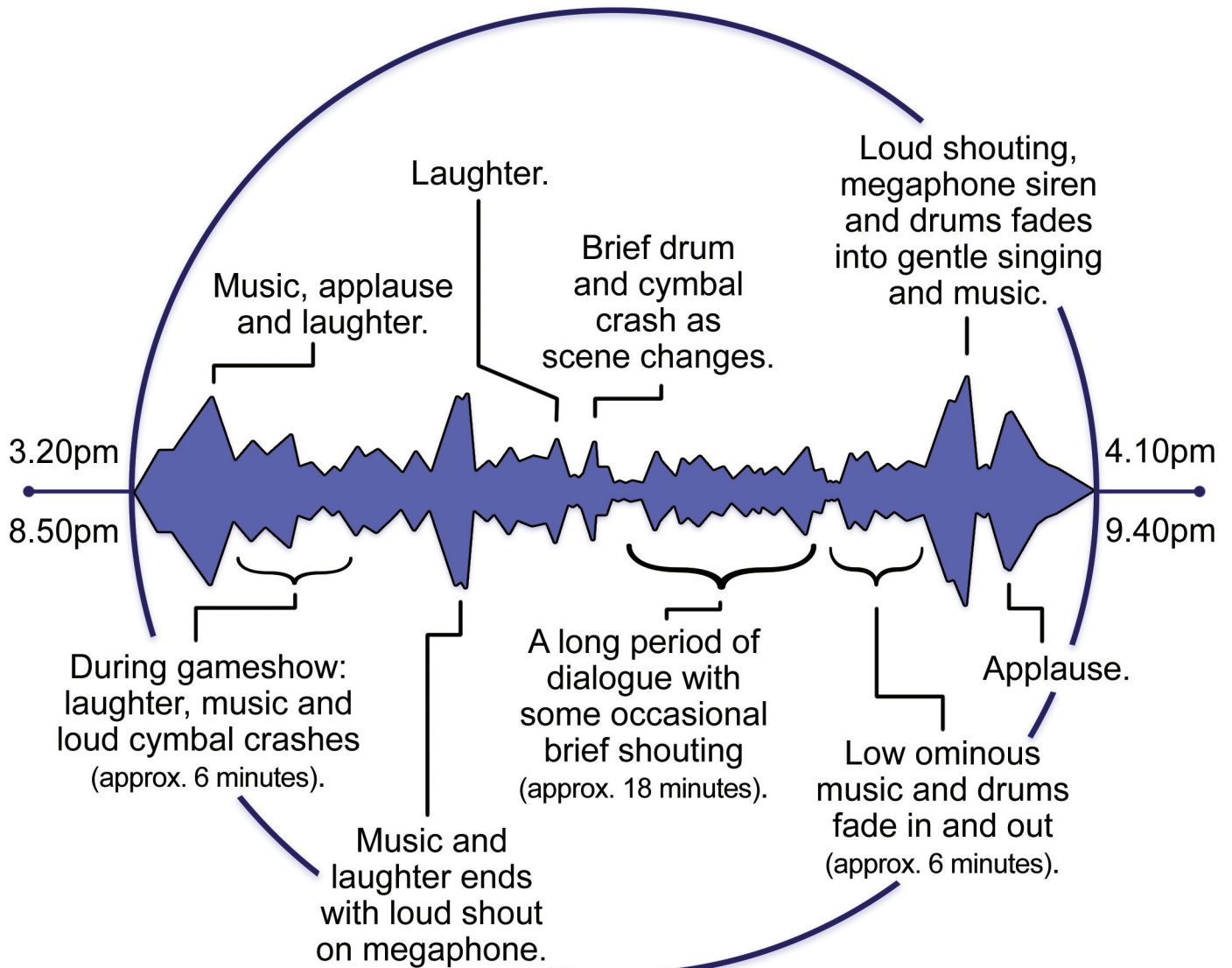


### Summary:

- Dialogue in small groups.
- Gentle music in the background.
- Chimes to highlight some scene changes.
- Two sudden loud periods of singing, shouting and drums.

(Times are approximate)

## Act 2



### Summary:

Dialogue in small groups.

Laughter.

Gentle music in the background.

Extremely loud section just before the end of the play.

(Times are approximate)