

Ballet / Dance Wonk Worksheet

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Title: New York City Ballet in Paris
Label: Bel Air Date: shot 7/16
TV Director: Vincent Batillon
Choreographer: Balanchine
Orchestra: Orchestra Promethée - Capps
Troup(s): New York City Ballet

PQ/SQ 29.97, 16:9, 1080i? kHz bit

PQ is superb as to resolution and color balance. No problem when lights were relatively low.

Full stage (W) (S) (V) (C)

(C) [scribbles]

121 Find statistics for all 4 segments together.
All were similar.

Part stage / whole body (W) (S) (V) (C)

(C) [scribbles]

113

(W) = Walpurgisnacht
(S) = Sonatine
(V) = La Valse
(C) = Symphony in C

2 No feet (W) (S) (V) (C)

Waist / torso (W) (S) (V) (C)

7

(total of 7 real waist/torso shots)

Close-up / other (W) (S) (V) (C) Only 1 close-up on the disc

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Total Clips 244

Pace & Ratios
90 x 60 = $\frac{5400}{55}$ secs
(duration in min)
÷ 244 = 22+
(total clips) (s per clip)

Full stage = $\frac{121}{244} = 50\%$
Pt stage / wh body = 46%
Total full body = 96%

Performance Notes: I called a "constructive" clip perhaps 5600 times. Only 9 real torso shots. The others were bows. Death was the only close-up (in La Valse).
(W) Wide variety of #s for ladies, mostly. (S) Duet - fantasy pas de deux... sheer elegance.

(V) Massive focus for this one. Opening of V last 2 min. + 18 sec.

Note high angle shot in V at 52:50. Even the shots of orchestra in the pit look exceptionally beautiful.

Timestamp

00:02:30 FS - Win W.
(W) 4:42 11:11
4:53 PS - 11
12:17 Solo W
14:44 *
19:42 *
(S) 22:23 Duet
22:47 24:33
23:47 24:46*
27:54 29:47*
(V) 37:37 52:48
37:47 54:00
42:46 55:28
43:54 55:58
48:06 57:00*
49:27 59:49*
50:29 1:00:33
1:03:00 ← 1:01:50
(C) 1:04:37 13:58
1:06:41 16:25*
06:43* 16:39*
08:48 18:08
10:43 19:48
11:28* 20:21
11:55 22:07*
12:54* 22:47*
22:56*
36:59* 28:34
37:04 30:18
38:19 33:07*
38:19 33:55*
39:29 36:29
(W) Real dancing times:
End 19:48
Start 2:10
17:38
(S) 32:01
End 33:01
Start 21:06
11:55
(V) 1:03:09
Start 35:23
27:46
(C) 1:38:22
End 1:38:22
Start 1:04:39
33:36

-End time:

-Start time:

Total = Duration:

90:55