## MONOTHEMATIC COMPOSITION

## "STUDY IN RHYTHM" I

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Figure 49. Major component is strata-harmony  $\Sigma = 2S$  (concluded).

## E. "STUDY IN RHYTHM II" FOR PIANO (1940)

A two-part instrumental interference is the major component of the subject in this monothematic composition. Its source is the  $r_{5+3}$ . Each term of the resultant is broken into single t-units. Thus the attack-group appears as follows: A = 3+2+1+3+1+2+3. By distributing the attacks through two parts and through the durations, we obtain a double cycle of  $r_{5+3}$ ;  $\frac{1}{4}$  interference makes the 7 terms of r appear twice:

