

Innocence by Burgmuller

What does the title mean?

Innocence is a character description like simple, naive, child-like. This piece is a study for children.

What key is this in?


F major

Bar 7 to 8 is C major


Notation:


Moderato - moderately fast

Grazioso - gracefully


 P - piano - soft


3/4 - simple triple - 3 crotchet beats per bar

 Diminuendo - gradually getting softer

 Crescendo - gradually getting louder

Slur - play legato/smoothly

 # Sharp - raise the note a semitone


 Flat - lower the note a semitone


 Natural - cancel the sharp or flat

1st/2nd time ending - play the first time ending, repeat the section. On second time, skip first time ending, go straight to 2nd time.

Leggiero - light touch

8va - play an octave higher than written

 F - forte - loud

 Repeat sign - repeat the section

 Staccato - short and detached

 Accent - play the note louder

Metronome marking - around 88 to 96 crotchets per minute $\text{♩} = \text{ca } 88 - 96$

Need to know note names and types of notes/rests