

Lute Suite in E major

1. Prelude

J.S. Bach

The image shows a page of lute tablature for J.S. Bach's Lute Suite in E major, specifically the first Prelude. The tablature is arranged in 12 horizontal staves, each corresponding to a different letter (a through l) indicating specific fingerings or techniques. Measure numbers 1 through 28 are indicated at the beginning of each staff. The notation uses vertical stems and horizontal dashes to represent the lute strings.

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