

## ELGAR: THE SATURATION BY THE BBC

The statistics below prove that the BBC saturate us with performance of Elgar.

The evidence is overwhelming and cannot be disputed and many other British composers are ignored.

The BBC will not accept the evidence that Elgar is broadcast so very much to the point of over saturation and other British composers are ignored even though in house orchestras and conductor want to perform these other composers.

While Elgar is popular in some quarters, he is despised in many others and some people are tired of all these broadcasts

Broadcasts from January 1, 2014

### January

- 1 Cello Concerto
- 12 Cockaigne
- 14 Symphony no 1
- 15 To her beneath
- 17 Cockaigne
- In the South
- 17 TV presentation Paul Tortelier Cello Concerto
- 27 Violin Concerto
- 29 Sea Pictures

### February

- 2 In the South
- 3 Serenade
- 20 Serenade
- Enigma Variations
- 22/3 Symphony no 2
- 24 Wand of Youth

### March

- 3 TV presentation
- Cello Concerto
- Symphony no 1
- Symphony no 2 accept these were excerpts
- The Apostles
- Pomp and Circumstance no 1 etc
- 6 Pomp and Circumstance no 1
- 9 Quartet
- The Apostles
- 12 Romance for bassoon and strings
- 13 Symphony no 1
- 15 Enigma variations
- Serenade

### April

- 4 Enigma variations
- ? Crown of India
- 7 Enigma variations

10	Symphony no 1		
11	Cello Concerto		
15	In the South		
19	Dream Children		
21	Dream of Gerontius		
22	Symphony no 1		
23	Musicmakers		
	Love's Tempest		
24	The Apostles		
25	Pomp and Circumstance no 1		
	Best of British so far	6	
27	unscheduled piece	1	48 total

## May

2	Wand of Youth		
5	Enigma variations		
6	Enigma Variations		
8	Song about flowers		
12	Enigma variations		
	In the South		
16	Imperial March		not advertised
20	Four choral songs		
21	Enigma variations AGAIN		
	Symphony no 2		
24	Serenade		
25	Severn suite unbilled best of British		
	on this programme excerpts are played but not here		
	Favouritism?		
	In the South		
26	Bavarian Dances,		delightful music. Really?
29	Anthem on the death of Victoria 5.20am		
29	Symphony no 2		

## June

3	Chanson de matin	6.30am	
	Froissart 9.15		"One of Elgar's masterful overtures – as announced"
	In the south		
4	Dream of Gerontius		guest Terry Waite
6	Dream Children 7.20		
	Symphony no 2 8.20		
9	Cockaigne		
11	Severn Suite		
12	Symphony no 2		
	Imperial march		
15	Symphony no. 1		
22	Two choral pieces		
23	Land of hope and glory		
	Give unto the Lord		
	Sospiri		
	The King's way		
	Carillon		
	Bavarian dances		
	Cello Concerto at 11am		

- 24 Windlass Song  
Speak Music  
For the Fallen  
Polonia  
op77  
Fairyland
- 25 Fight for right  
Organ grinder  
Dance of the little winds  
To women  
Piano Concerto  
Great is the Lord  
Violin concerto
- 26 Enigma theme  
Sanguine fan  
Improvisation  
Fringes of the Fleet  
Fourth of August
- 27 Wand of youth overture  
Untitled piece  
Big Steamers  
Violin Sonata no 2 Accept excerpts but still broadcasts  
Land of hope and glory  
Symphony no 2
- 28 Piano Quintet, in Stephen Isserliss programme
- 29 Songs Op 73  
Songs Op71

About 110 broadcasts in 6 months

BBC in house orchestras and conductors want to perform other British works and have said so but the BBC swamp us with Elgar.

Elgar started the year with the Cello Concerto and will start the Proms with the Kingdom

Britten has about 62 performances.

These following composers have had none, unless unscheduled performances:

- Searle,
- Apivior,
- Hamilton,
- Rawsthorne (Possibly)
- Standford, who died recently.
- Jeffrey Lewis
- William Wordsworth
- George Lloyd
- Ashton
- Hinton
- Goehr
- Reizenstein
- Simpson
- Maconchy
- Lutyens

Gipps  
Atkins  
Finnesy  
Stevens

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