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STEP BY STEP

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Concert Band

Score for Concert Band, measures 1-8. Tempo: $\text{♩} = 152$. Dynamics include *f*, *fp*, and *f*. Instruments include Piccolo, Flute, Oboe, B♭ Clarinets 1, 2, 3, B♭ Bass Clarinet, Bassoon, E♭ Alto Saxophones 1, 2, B♭ Tenor Saxophone, E♭ Baritone Saxophone, B♭ Trumpets 1, 2, 3, F Horns 1, 2, 3, 4, Trombones 1, 2, 3, Euphonium, Tuba, Double Bass, Timpani, and Percussion 1, 2, 3. Percussion includes S.D., B.D., and Xylo. A large white watermark 'A' is present over the Oboe and Double Bass staves.

9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18

Score for Concert Band, measures 9-18. Dynamics include *mp*, *f*, *p*, *stacc.*, *stacc. mutas*, *pizz.*, and *p*. Instruments include Piccolo, Flute, Oboe, B♭ Clarinets 1, 2, 3, B♭ Bass Clarinet, Bassoon, E♭ Alto Saxophones 1, 2, B♭ Tenor Saxophone, E♭ Baritone Saxophone, B♭ Trumpets 1, 2, 3, F Horns 1, 2, 3, 4, Trombones 1, 2, 3, Euphonium, Tuba, Double Bass, Timpani, and Percussion 1, 2, 3. Percussion includes *pizz.* and *p*. A large white watermark 'A' is present over the B♭ Clarinet 1 and Double Bass staves.

19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

Picc. *mp*

Flute *mp*

Oboe

1

B♭ Cls. 2 3

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bsbn.

1 2

E♭ Alto Saxs.

B♭ Ten. Sax.

E♭ Bar. Sax.

1 2 3

B♭ Tpts.

1 2 3 4

F Hns.

1 2 3

Trbs.

Euph.

Tuba

D. Bass

Timp.

1 2 3

Perc. 2

mp

29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38

Picc. *mp*

Flute *mp* *cresc.*

Oboe *mp* *cresc.*

1

B♭ Cls. 2 3

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bsbn. *p* *cresc.*

1 2

E♭ Alto Saxs. *cresc.*

B♭ Ten. Sax. *cresc.*

E♭ Bar. Sax.

1 2 3

B♭ Tpts.

1 2 3 4

F Hns. *p* *cresc.*

Trbs. *p* *cresc.*

Euph. *p* *cresc.*

Tuba *cresc.*

D. Bass *cresc.*

Timp.

1 2 3

Perc. 2 *cresc.*

mp

39 40 **41** 42 43 44 45 46

Picc. *mf*

Flute *mf*

Oboe *mf*

1 *mf*

B♭ Cls. 2 *mp*

3 *mp*

B♭ Bass Cl. *mp*

Bsn. *mp*

1 *mf*

E♭ Alto Sax. *mf*

2 *mf*

B♭ Ten. Sax. *mp*

E♭ Bar. Sax. *p* *cresc.* str. mute *mp*

1 *mf*

B♭ Tpts. *mf*

2,3

1,2 *mp*

F Hns. *mf*

3,4 *mp*

1,2 *mp*

Trbs. *mp*

3 *mp*

Euph. *mp* (low WW)

Tuba *mp*

D. Bass *mp*

Timp. *mp*

1 *mp*

Perc. 2 *mp*

3 *mf* Glock.

47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 **55** 56

Picc. *mp* *cresc.*

Flute *mp* *cresc.*

Oboe *mp* *cresc.*

1 *mf* *cresc.*

B♭ Cls. 2 *mp* *cresc.*

3 *mp* *cresc.*

B♭ Bass Cl. *cresc.*

Bsn. *cresc.*

1 *cresc.*

E♭ Alto Sax. *mp* *cresc.*

2 *mp* *cresc.*

B♭ Ten. Sax. *mp* *cresc.*

E♭ Bar. Sax. *open* *cresc.*

1 *mf* *cresc.*

B♭ Tpts. *cresc.*

2,3

1,2 *mp*

F Hns. *mp*

3,4 *mp* (Inc. 34)

1,2 *mp*

Trbs. *cresc.*

Euph. *cresc.*

Tuba *cresc.*

D. Bass *cresc.*

Timp. *mp*

1 *mp*

Perc. 2 *mp*

3 *mp*

57 58 59 60 (d.+d) 61 62 63 64

Picc. Flute Oboe 1 B♭ Cls. 2 3 B♭ Bass Cl. Bsn. 1 2 E♭ Alto Saxes. B♭ Ten. Sax. E♭ Bar. Sax. 1 2.3 B♭ Tpts. 1.2 F Hns. 3.4 Trbs. 1.2 3 Euph. Tuba D. Bass Timp. 1 Perc. 2 3

65 66 67 68 69 70 71 72 73

Picc. Flute Oboe 1 B♭ Cls. 2 3 B♭ Bass Cl. Bsn. 1 2 E♭ Alto Saxes. B♭ Ten. Sax. E♭ Bar. Sax. 1 2.3 B♭ Tpts. 1.2 F Hns. 3.4 Trbs. 1.2 3 Euph. Tuba D. Bass Timp. 1 Perc. 2 3

74 75 76 77 78 79 80 81 82

Picc. Flute Oboe

1 3

B♭ Cls. 2 3

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bsbn.

1 2

E♭ Alto Saxes.

B♭ Ten. Sax.

E♭ Bar. Sax.

1 2.3

B♭ Tpts.

1.2 3.4

F Hns.

1.2 3

Trbs.

Euph.

Tuba

D. Bass

Timp.

1 3

Perc. 2

83 84 85 86 87 88 89 90 91 92

Picc. Flute Oboe

1 3

B♭ Cls. 2 3

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bsbn.

1 2

E♭ Alto Saxes.

B♭ Ten. Sax.

E♭ Bar. Sax.

1 2.3

B♭ Tpts.

1.2 3.4

F Hns.

1.2 3

Trbs.

Euph.

Tuba

D. Bass

Timp.

1 3

Perc. 2

Glock.

93 94 95 96 **97** 98 99 100

Picc. *ff*

Flute *ff*

Oboe *ff*

1. *ff*

B♭ Cls. 2. *ff*

3. *ff*

B♭ Bass Cl. *ff*

Bssn. *ff*

1. *ff*

E♭ Alto Sax. 2. *ff*

B♭ Ten. Sax. *ff*

E♭ Bar. Sax. *ff*

1. *ff*

B♭ Tpts. 2.3. *ff*

1.2. *ff*

F Hns. 3.4. *ff*

1.2. *ff*

Trbs. 3. *ff*

Euph. *ff*

Tuba *ff*

D. Bass *ff*

Timp. *f*

1. *ff*

Perc. 2. *ff*

3. *ff*

omit if necessary

Xylo. *ff*

101 102 103 104 **105** 106 107 108 109 110

Picc. *mp cant.*

Flute *mp cant.*

Oboe *mp cant.*

1. *p*

B♭ Cls. 2. *p*

3. *p*

B♭ Bass Cl. *p*

Bssn. *mp cant.*

1. *mp cant.*

E♭ Alto Sax. *mp cant.*

B♭ Ten. Sax. *mp cant.*

E♭ Bar. Sax. *mp cant.*

1. *mp cant.*

B♭ Tpts. 2.3. *mp cant.*

1.2. *mp cant.*

F Hns. 3.4. *mp cant.*

1.2. *mp cant.*

Trbs. 3. *mp cant.*

Euph. *mp cant.*

Tuba *mp cant.*

D. Bass *p*

Timp. *p*

1. *p*

Perc. 2. *p*

3. *p*

Picc. *one*
mp

Flute

Oboe

1
 B♭ Cls. 2
 3

B♭ Bass Cl.

Bssn. *mf mp*

1
 E♭ Alto Sax.

2
 B♭ Ten. Sax.

E♭ Bar. Sax.

1
 B♭ Tpts. *one, str. mute*
mp

2.3

1.2
 F Hns.

3.4

1.2
 Trbs.

3

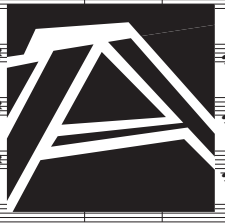

Euph. *mf mp*

Tuba

D. Bass

Timp.

1
 Perc. 2
 3

Picc.

Flute *cresc.*
mf *mf*

Oboe

1
 B♭ Cls. 2
 3 *mp*
mp
mp

B♭ Bass Cl. *p cresc.*
mp
mf

Bssn. *cresc.*
3
mf

1
 E♭ Alto Sax.

2

B♭ Ten. Sax.

E♭ Bar. Sax.

1
 B♭ Tpts. *cresc.*
mf *mf*

2.3

1.2
 F Hns.

3.4

1.2
 Trbs.

3

Euph. *cresc.*
3
mf

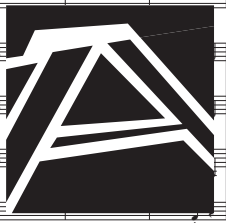
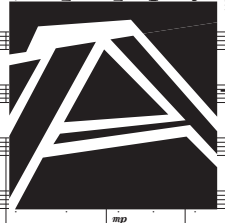
Tuba *cresc.*

D. Bass *cresc.*

Timp.

1
 Perc. 2 *cresc.*
cresc.
mp

3

154 155 156 157 158 159 160 **161** 162 163

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164 165 166 167 168 **169** 170 171 172

Picc. Flute Oboe 1 B♭ Cls. 2 3 B♭ Bass Cl. Bsns. 1 2 E♭ Alto Saxes. B♭ Ten. Sax. E♭ Bar. Sax. 1 2.3 B♭ Tpts. 1.2 F Hns. 3.4 Trbns. 1.2 3 Euph. Tuba D. Bass Timp. Perc. 2 3

stand (opt.) *f* *mp* *arco*