

# Rhapsody

on a Theme of Paganini

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Symphonic Band

grade: 5  
duration: 30:00



Baton Music

INTRODUCTION  
Allegro Vivace

① VAR. 1

Piccolo  
Flute 1,2  
Oboe 1,2  
English Horn  
Bassoon 1,2  
E♭ Clarinet  
Solo Clarinet B♭1,2  
B♭ Clarinet 1  
B♭ Clarinet 2  
B♭ Clarinet 3  
Bass Clarinet  
Contrabass Clarinet  
Alto Saxophone 1  
Alto Saxophone 2  
Tenor Saxophone  
Baritone Saxophone  
Piano  
Horn 1,2 F  
Horn 3,4 F  
B♭ Trumpet 1,2  
Trombone 1,2  
Trombone 3  
Baritone C  
Tuba C  
Cello (optional)  
String Bass  
Harp  
Timpani  
Glockenspiel  
Triangle  
Snare Drum  
Cymbals  
Bass Drum

17 (2)

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

*mf* *dim.* *p* *mf* *dim.* *pp*

THEME  
L'istesso Tempo

32 (3)

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

*mp* *mf* *pp*



Baton Music

45

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

VAR. 2  
L'istesso Tempo

57

4

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

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(5)

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E $\flat$  Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B $\flat$  1,2

B $\flat$  Clarinet 1

B $\flat$  Clarinet 2

B $\flat$  Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B $\flat$  Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum



VAR. 6  
L'istesso Tempo

185

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

195

14

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum



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Piccino

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

**B**

**Baton Music**

236 VAR. 7 Meno mosso, a tempo moderato 18

Piccino

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E $\flat$  Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B $\flat$  1,2

B $\flat$  Clarinet 1

B $\flat$  Clarinet 2

B $\flat$  Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B $\flat$  Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum



Baton Music



Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

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B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum



Baton Music

VAR. 14  
L'istesso Tempo

467

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

56

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

57

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38

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani


Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum



# Baton Music

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39

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

VAR. 15  
Più vivo, scherzando

506

Piccolo  
Flute 1  
Flute 2  
Oboe 1,2  
English Horn  
Bassoon 1,2  
E $\flat$  Clarinet  
Solo Clarinet B $\flat$  1,2  
B $\flat$  Clarinet 1  
B $\flat$  Clarinet 2  
B $\flat$  Clarinet 3  
Bass Clarinet  
Contrabass Clarinet  
Alto Saxophone 1  
Alto Saxophone 2  
Tenor Saxophone  
Baritone Saxophone  
Piano  
Horn 1,2 F  
Horn 3,4 F  
B $\flat$  Trumpet 1,2  
Trombone 1,2  
Trombone 3  
Baritone C  
Tuba C  
Cello  
String Bass  
Harp  
Timpani  
Glockenspiel  
Triangle  
Snare Drum  
Cymbals  
Bass Drum



Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum



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Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1, 2

English Horn

Bassoon 1, 2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1, 2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1, 2 F

Horn 3, 4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1, 2

Trombone 1, 2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

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Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1, 2

English Horn

Bassoon 1, 2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1, 2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1, 2 F

Horn 3, 4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1, 2

Trombone 1, 2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

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Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

64

*f* *p* *cresc.*



# Baton Music

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Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum

*f* *p* *cresc.* *poco a poco cresc.*

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E $\flat$  Clarinet

Solo Clarinet B $\flat$  1,2

B $\flat$  Clarinet 1

B $\flat$  Clarinet 2

B $\flat$  Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1

Alto Saxophone 2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Piano

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B $\flat$  Trumpet 1,2

Trombone 1,2

Trombone 3

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Harp

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle

Snare Drum

Cymbals

Bass Drum



Baton Music



Piccolo  
 Flute 1  
 Flute 2  
 Oboe 1,2  
 English Horn  
 Bassoon 1,2  
 E♭ Clarinet  
 Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2  
 B♭ Clarinet 1  
 B♭ Clarinet 2  
 B♭ Clarinet 3  
 Bass Clarinet  
 Contrabass Clarinet  
 Alto Saxophone 1  
 Alto Saxophone 2  
 Tenor Saxophone  
 Baritone Saxophone  
 Piano  
 Horn 1,2 F  
 Horn 3,4 F  
 B♭ Trumpet 1,2  
 Trombone 1,2  
 Trombone 3  
 Baritone C  
 Tuba C  
 Cello  
 String Bass  
 Harp  
 Timpani  
 Glockenspiel  
 Triangle  
 Snare Drum  
 Cymbals  
 Bass Drum

Piccolo  
 Flute 1  
 Flute 2  
 Oboe 1,2  
 English Horn  
 Bassoon 1,2  
 E♭ Clarinet  
 Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2  
 B♭ Clarinet 1  
 B♭ Clarinet 2  
 B♭ Clarinet 3  
 Bass Clarinet  
 Contrabass Clarinet  
 Alto Saxophone 1  
 Alto Saxophone 2  
 Tenor Saxophone  
 Baritone Saxophone  
 Piano  
 Horn 1,2 F  
 Horn 3,4 F  
 B♭ Trumpet 1,2  
 Trombone 1,2  
 Trombone 3  
 Baritone C  
 Tuba C  
 Cello  
 String Bass  
 Harp  
 Timpani  
 Glockenspiel  
 Triangle  
 Snare Drum  
 Cymbals  
 Bass Drum

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Piccolo *ff sforzato*

Flute 1 *ff sforzato*

Flute 2 *ff sforzato*

Oboe 1,2 *ff sforzato*

English Horn *ff sforzato*

Bassoon 1,2 *ff pesante*

E<sup>b</sup> Clarinet *ff sforzato*

Solo Clarinet B<sup>b</sup> 1,2 *ff sforzato*

B<sup>b</sup> Clarinet 1 *ff pesante*

B<sup>b</sup> Clarinet 2 *ff pesante*

B<sup>b</sup> Clarinet 3 *ff pesante*

Bass Clarinet *ff pesante*

Contrabass Clarinet *ff pesante*

Alto Saxophone 1 *ff pesante*

Alto Saxophone 2 *ff pesante*

Tenor Saxophone *ff pesante*

Baritone Saxophone *ff pesante*

(Sp) *cresc.*

Piano *ff sforzato*

Horn 1,2 F *ff pesante*

Horn 3,4 F *ff pesante*

B<sup>b</sup> Trumpet 1,2 *ff pesante*

Trombone 1,2 *ff pesante*

Trombone 3 *ff pesante*

Baritone C *ff pesante*

Tuba C *ff pesante*

Cello *ff pesante*

String Bass *ff pesante*

Harp *ff sforzato*

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle *ff*

Snare Drum *mf*

Cymbals *mf*

Bass Drum *mf*

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Piccolo *ff sforzato*

Flute 1 *ff sforzato*

Flute 2 *ff sforzato*

Oboe 1,2 *ff sforzato*

English Horn *ff sforzato*

Bassoon 1,2 *ff sforzato*

E<sup>b</sup> Clarinet *ff sforzato*

Solo Clarinet B<sup>b</sup> 1,2 *ff sforzato*

B<sup>b</sup> Clarinet 1 *mf*

B<sup>b</sup> Clarinet 2 *mf*

B<sup>b</sup> Clarinet 3 *mf*

Bass Clarinet *mf*

Contrabass Clarinet *mf*

Alto Saxophone 1 *mf*

Alto Saxophone 2 *mf*

Tenor Saxophone *mf*

Baritone Saxophone *mf*

(Sp) *cresc.*

Piano *ff sforzato*

Horn 1,2 F *ff pesante*

Horn 3,4 F *ff pesante*

B<sup>b</sup> Trumpet 1,2 *ff pesante*

Trombone 1,2 *ff pesante*

Trombone 3 *ff pesante*

Baritone C *ff pesante*

Tuba C *ff pesante*

Cello *ff pesante*

String Bass *ff pesante*

Harp *ff sforzato*

Timpani

Glockenspiel

Triangle *ff*

Snare Drum *mf*

Cymbals *mf*

Bass Drum *mf*

Baton Music

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Piccolo  
Flute 1  
Flute 2  
Oboe 1,2  
English Horn  
Bassoon 1,2  
E♭ Clarinet  
Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2  
B♭ Clarinet 1  
B♭ Clarinet 2  
B♭ Clarinet 3  
Bass Clarinet  
Contrabass Clarinet  
Alto Saxophone 1  
Alto Saxophone 2  
Tenor Saxophone  
Baritone Saxophone  
Piano  
Horn 1,2 F  
Horn 3,4 F  
B♭ Trumpet 1,2  
Trombone 1,2  
Trombone 3  
Baritone C  
Tuba C  
Cello  
String Bass  
Harp  
Timpani  
Glockenspiel  
Triangle  
Snare Drum  
Cymbals  
Bass Drum

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Piccolo  
Flute 1  
Flute 2  
Oboe 1,2  
English Horn  
Bassoon 1,2  
E♭ Clarinet  
Solo Clarinet B♭ 1,2  
B♭ Clarinet 1  
B♭ Clarinet 2  
B♭ Clarinet 3  
Bass Clarinet  
Contrabass Clarinet  
Alto Saxophone 1  
Alto Saxophone 2  
Tenor Saxophone  
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Horn 1,2 F  
Horn 3,4 F  
B♭ Trumpet 1,2  
Trombone 1,2  
Trombone 3  
Baritone C  
Tuba C  
Cello  
String Bass  
Timpani  
Glockenspiel  
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Snare Drum  
Cymbals  
Bass Drum