

PRELUDE AND POLONAISE

from the Opera "The Night before Christmas"

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Full Score CONCERT BAND

Prelude
Allegro non troppo (alla polacca) ♩ = 100

piccolo

Flute 1, 2

Oboe 1, 2

Bassoon 1
Bassoon 2 (optional)

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

E♭ Alto Clarinet

B♭ Bass Clarinet

E♭ Alto Sax. 1, 2

B♭ Tenor Sax.

E♭ Baritone Sax.

B♭ Trumpet 1, 2

B♭ Cornet 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Trombone 1, 2

C Trombone 3

C Baritone 1, 2

C Bases

String Bass


Harp (optional)

Timpani

Percussion 1

Percussion 2

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players, div.

Cue Basses 1
Cue Basses 2

Cue String Bass, one player

arco



Picc.

Fl. 1, 2
two players
p

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)
mf

E♭ CL.

B♭ CL. 1

B♭ CL. 2

B♭ CL. 3
mf

E♭ A. CL.

B♭ Bs. CL.

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2
play, All.
p

C Tbn. 3
play
p

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass
play, one player
p


S. Bass
Cue String Bass, one player
mf

Timp.


Perc. 1

Perc. 2

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Cue E♭ Clarinet, one player
mf



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Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

E♭ A. Cl.

B♭ Bc. Cl.

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Ctr. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

beriato music

beriato music

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Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

E♭ A. Cl.

B♭ Bc. Cl.

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Ctr. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

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C Polonaise

Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL.1

B♭ CL.2

B♭ CL.3

E♭ A. CL

B♭ B♭. CL

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

C Polonaise

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Cmt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2



beriato
music

D

Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL.1

B♭ CL.2

B♭ CL.3

E♭ A. CL

B♭ B♭. CL

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

D

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Cmt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2


C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2



beriato
music

play ad lib. on Trumpet

Out F Horn 4

div. if only one player, play lower voice

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Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Ban. 1
Ban. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL 1

B♭ CL 2

B♭ CL 3

E♭ A. CL

B♭ Bc. CL

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Ctrt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2



beriato
music

mus.

un.

reher players
(one player)

beriato
music

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Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Ban. 1
Ban. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL 1

B♭ CL 2

B♭ CL 3

E♭ A. CL

B♭ Bc. CL

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Ctrt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2



beriato
music

mus.

un.

div.

un.

beriato
music

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beriato music

Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL 1

B♭ CL 2

B♭ CL 3

E♭ A. CL

B♭ Bc. Cl.

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crnt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.


Perc. 1

Perc. 2



beriato music

68 **F** Trio



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Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL 1

B♭ CL 2

B♭ CL 3

E♭ A. CL

B♭ Bc. Cl.

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

F Trio

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crnt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass


S. Bass

Hp. (opt.)

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2



beriato music

74 **G**

Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

E♭ A. Cl.

B♭ B♭ Cl.

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

beriato music

G

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crnt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Hp. (opt.)

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

beriato music

89 **H**

Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

E♭ A. Cl.

B♭ B♭ Cl.

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

beriato music

H

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crnt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Hp. (opt.)

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

beriato music

p

All. div.

play

1. Clar. Horn

Clarinet

Our Basses 1, 2

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Picc.
Fl. 1, 2
Ob. 1, 2
Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)
E♭ Cl.
B♭ Cl. 1
B♭ Cl. 2
B♭ Cl. 3
E♭ A. Cl.
B♭ B♭ Cl.
E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2
B♭ T. Sax.
E♭ B. Sax.
B♭ Tpt. 1, 2
B♭ Crtn. 1, 2
F Horn 1, 3
F Horn 2, 4
C Tbn. 1, 2
C Tbn. 3
C Bar. 1, 2
C Bass
S. Bass
Timp.
Perc. 1
Perc. 2

beriato music

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Picc.
Fl. 1, 2
Ob. 1, 2
Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)
E♭ Cl.
B♭ Cl. 1
B♭ Cl. 2
B♭ Cl. 3
E♭ A. Cl.
B♭ B♭ Cl.
E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2
B♭ T. Sax.
E♭ B. Sax.
B♭ Tpt. 1, 2
B♭ Crtn. 1, 2
F Horn 1, 3
F Horn 2, 4
C Tbn. 1, 2
C Tbn. 3
C Bar. 1, 2
C Bass
S. Bass
Hp. (opt.)
Timp.
Perc. 1
Perc. 2

beriato music

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Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

E♭ A. Cl.

B♭ Bc. Cl.

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crnt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2



beriato
music

one player

one player

play

play

Cut B♭ Clar. 1, 2

Cut F Horn 1

Cut F Horn 2

Cut Basses 1, 2

Cut String Bass, one player

play, two players



beriato
music

100

Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ Cl.

B♭ Cl. 1

B♭ Cl. 2

B♭ Cl. 3

E♭ A. Cl.

B♭ Bc. Cl.

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crnt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Hp. (opt.)

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2



beriato
music

p cantabile e dolce

p cantabile e dolce

p cantabile e dolce

p cantabile e dolce

play



beriato
music

All *p*

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beriato
music

Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL.1

B♭ CL.2

B♭ CL.3

E♭ A. CL

B♭ Bs. CL

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crnt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Hp.
(opt.)

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

K

p

div.

K

All

a2

1.

2.

Or F Horn 1

Or F Horn 2

Or F Horn 3

Or F Horn 4

p

one player

two players

K

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music**

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beriato
music

Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL.1

B♭ CL.2

B♭ CL.3

E♭ A. CL

B♭ Bs. CL

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crnt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

p

div.

unis.

a2

p

f

f

one player

All

K

**beriato
music**

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Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL.1

B♭ CL.2

B♭ CL.3

E♭ A. Cl.

B♭ B♭ Cl.

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crtn. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

beriato music

mp *f* *mf* *p* *ff* *pp* *uniso* *div.* *marcato* *All.* *1.* *a2* *half the players* *two players* *Snare Drum* *Triangle* *p sub.* *Cymb. a2*

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Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL.1

B♭ CL.2

B♭ CL.3

E♭ A. Cl.

B♭ B♭ Cl.

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crtn. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

beriato music

f *mp* *f* *mf* *p* *ff* *pp* *uniso* *div.* *All.* *1.* *a2*

135 **M**

Picc. *ff*

Fl. I, 2 *ff*

Ob. I, 2 *ff*

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.) *ff*

E♭ CL *ff*

B♭ CL.1 *ff*

B♭ CL.2 *ff*

B♭ CL.3 *ff*

E♭ A. CL. *ff*

B♭ B♭. CL. *ff*

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2 *ff*

B♭ T. Sax. *ff*

E♭ B. Sax. *ff*

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 *ff*

B♭ Ctrt. 1, 2 *ff*

F Horn 1, 3 *ff*

F Horn 2, 4 *ff*

C Tbn. 1, 2 *ff*

C Tbn. 3 *ff*

C Bar. 1, 2 *ff*

C Bass *ff*

S. Bass *ff*

Timp. *f*

Perc. 1 *mf*

Perc. 2 *mf*

Bass Drum



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music

uniss.

div.

mf

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Picc. *ff*

Fl. I, 2 *ff*

Ob. I, 2 *ff*

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.) *ff*

E♭ CL *ff*

B♭ CL.1 *ff*

B♭ CL.2 *ff*

B♭ CL.3 *ff*

E♭ A. CL. *ff*

B♭ B♭. CL. *ff*

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2 *ff*

B♭ T. Sax. *ff*

E♭ B. Sax. *ff*

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2 *ff*

B♭ Ctrt. 1, 2 *ff*

F Horn 1, 3 *ff*

F Horn 2, 4 *ff*

C Tbn. 1, 2 *ff*

C Tbn. 3 *ff*

C Bar. 1, 2 *ff*


C Bass *ff*

S. Bass *ff*

Timp. *f*

Perc. 1 *mf*

Perc. 2 *mf*



beriato
music

uniss.

div., if only one player, play lower voice

play sd. lib on Trumpet

Out F Horn 4

mf

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beriato
music

Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL. 1

B♭ CL. 2

B♭ CL. 3

E♭ A. CL

B♭ Bc. CL

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Ctrt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

musical notation

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music

Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL. 1

B♭ CL. 2

B♭ CL. 3

E♭ A. CL

B♭ Bc. CL

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Ctrt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2

musical notation

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Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL 1

B♭ CL 2

B♭ CL 3

E♭ A. CL

B♭ Bc. CL

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crnt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2



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music

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P Coda

Picc.

Fl. 1, 2

Ob. 1, 2

Bsn. 1
Bsn. 2 (opt.)

E♭ CL

B♭ CL 1

B♭ CL 2

B♭ CL 3

E♭ A. CL

B♭ Bc. CL

E♭ A. Sax. 1, 2

B♭ T. Sax.

E♭ B. Sax.

P Coda

B♭ Tpt. 1, 2

B♭ Crnt. 1, 2

F Horn 1, 3

F Horn 2, 4

C Tbn. 1, 2

C Tbn. 3

C Bar. 1, 2

C Bass

S. Bass

Timp.

Perc. 1

Perc. 2



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music



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