

Stratonice

comédie héroïque en un acte

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(1763-1817)

Ouverture

The musical score for the Ouverture of Stratonice consists of two systems of music. The first system, labeled "Lent", features woodwind instruments: Flûtes, Clarinettes en Ut, and Bassons. The Flûtes and Clarinettes play sustained notes at *f*, while the Bassons play at *f*. The second system, also labeled "Lent", features brass and percussion: Cors en Fa, Trombone, and Timbales en Ut-Fa. The Trombone and Timbales play at *f*, while the Cors en Fa plays at *voilées*. The second system continues with the strings: Violons, Altos, Violoncelles, and Contrebasses. The Violons and Altos play eighth-note chords at *f*, while the Violoncelles and Contrebasses play eighth notes at *f*. The tempo "Lent" is indicated above the first system, and dynamic markings such as *f*, *p*, *cresc.*, *ten.*, and *p cresc.* are used throughout the score.

7

Fl. f

Cl. (Ut) f

Bsn. f

Cors (Fa) f

Tbn. f

Timb. f

Vlns 1 f ten. p > > > > ff p < f >

Vlns 2 f ten. p > > > ff p < f >

Alt. f

Vlc. f ten.

Cb. f

15

Fl. ff

Cl. (Ut) ff

Bsn. ff

Cors (Fa) ff

Tbn. ff

Timb. f

Vlns 1 ff p < f > ff p < f > ff p < f >

Vlns 2 ff p < f > ff p < f > ff p < f >

Alt. ff

Vlc. ff

Cb. ff

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Fl.

Cl. (Ut)

Bsn.

Cors (Fa)

Tbn.

Timb.

Vlns 1

Vlns 2

Alt.

Vlc.

Cb.

194

Fl.

Cl. (Ut)

Bsn.

Cors (Fa)

Tbn.

Timb.

Vlns 1

Vlns 2

Alt.

Vlc.

Cb.