

**NABUCODONOSOR
(NABUCCO)
OVERTURE**

GIUSEPPE VERDI

arranged for 2 flutes, 2 oboes, 2 clarinets, 2 bassoons, 4 horns and double bass

**by
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Score

NABUCODONOSOR

Giuseppe Verdi
arr. Patrick Clements

Andante

Overture

The musical score consists of twelve staves, each representing a different instrument or section of the orchestra. The instruments are:

- Flute 1
- Flute 2 (Piccolo)
- Oboe 1
- Oboe 2
- Clarinet 1 in A
- Clarinet 2 in A
- Horn 1 in F
- Horn 2 in F
- Horn 3 in F
- Horn 4 in F
- Bassoon 1
- Bassoon 2
- Double Bass

The score is set in common time and uses a key signature of two sharps (F major). The instrumentation is divided into two main sections: a woodwind section (Flutes, Oboes, Clarinets, Horns) and a brass section (Bassoons, Double Bass). The woodwind section begins with a sustained note from Flute 1, followed by entries from Flute 2 (Piccolo), Oboe 1, and Oboe 2. The brass section enters with sustained notes from Bassoon 1 and Bassoon 2. The score includes dynamic markings such as *p* (pianissimo), *maestoso*, and *ff* (fortissimo). The bassoon parts feature prominent eighth-note patterns, while the double bass provides harmonic support with sustained notes.

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Musical score for orchestra and double bass section, page 12. The score includes parts for Flute 1, Picc., Oboe 1, Oboe 2, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2, Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, Double Bass, and Horns 1-4. The key signature is A major (three sharps). The score features dynamic markings such as *poco accel.*, *p*, *cresc. poco a poco*, *rall.*, and *cresc. poco a poco*. The bassoon and double bass sections play eighth-note patterns throughout the page.

Allegro

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Allegro

24

Fl. 1

Picc.

Ob. 1

Ob. 2

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

Hn. 1

p

stacc. e sotto voce

Hn. 2

p

stacc. e sotto voce

Hn. 3

p

stacc. e sotto voce

Hn. 4

p

stacc. e sotto voce

Bsn. 1

p

stacc. e sotto voce

Bsn. 2

p

stacc. e sotto voce

DB

p

stacc. e sotto voce

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36

Fl. 1

Picc.

Ob. 1

Ob. 2

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hn. 3

Hn. 4

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

DB

to flute

Andante (T⁰ Primo)

Andantino

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Musical score for orchestra, page 50. The score includes parts for Flute 1, Picc., Oboe 1, Oboe 2, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2, Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, Double Bass, and Horns 1-4. The music features various rhythmic patterns and dynamics, including a prominent flute line and bassoon entries.

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Musical score for orchestra, page 65, section A. The score includes parts for Flute 1, Flute 2, Oboe 1, Oboe 2, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2, Horn 1, Horn 2, Horn 3, Horn 4, Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, and Double Bass (DB). The music features dynamic markings such as ***ff***, ***p***, ***pp***, and ***pizz.***. Various performance techniques are indicated, including grace notes, slurs, and triplets. The bassoon parts show complex sixteenth-note patterns, while the double bass provides harmonic support with sustained notes.

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Musical score for Nabucodonosor, page 8, featuring parts for Flute 1, Flute 2, Oboe 1, Oboe 2, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2, Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, and Double Bass. The score is in 7/7 time. The instrumentation includes woodwind instruments (Flute 1, Flute 2, Oboe 1, Oboe 2, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2) and brass instruments (Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, Double Bass). The vocal parts (Horn 1, Horn 2, Horn 3, Horn 4) are also present. The score includes dynamic markings such as **ff**, **pp**, and **p**, as well as performance instructions like **3**, **arco**, and **pizz.**. The vocal parts sing in unison, while the instrumental parts provide harmonic support and rhythmic complexity.

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to piccolo

Musical score for orchestra and double bass section, page 10, measure 98.

The score consists of ten staves:

- Fl. 1 (Flute 1) and Fl. 2 (Flute 2) play eighth-note patterns.
- Ob. 1 (Oboe 1) and Ob. 2 (Oboe 2) play eighth-note patterns with grace notes and slurs.
- Cl. 1 (Clarinet 1) and Cl. 2 (Clarinet 2) play eighth-note patterns.
- Hn. 1 (Horn 1), Hn. 2 (Horn 2), Hn. 3 (Horn 3), and Hn. 4 (Horn 4) play sustained notes.
- Bsn. 1 (Bassoon 1) and Bsn. 2 (Bassoon 2) play eighth-note patterns.
- DB (Double Bass) plays eighth-note patterns.

Text annotations include "to piccolo" above the Flute 2 staff and "arco" below the Double Bass staff.

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Allegro [$\bullet = 88$]

108

Musical score for orchestra and double bass section. The score consists of ten staves. From top to bottom: Flute 1 (C-clef), Flute 2 (C-clef), Oboe 1 (C-clef), Oboe 2 (C-clef), Clarinet 1 (F-clef), Clarinet 2 (F-clef), Horn 1 (C-clef), Horn 2 (C-clef), Horn 3 (C-clef), Horn 4 (C-clef), Bassoon 1 (Bass clef), Bassoon 2 (Bass clef), and Double Bass (Bass clef). The music is in common time. Dynamics include *p*, $\#$, and $\equiv \sigma$. Measure 1: Flute 1, Flute 2, Oboe 1, Oboe 2, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2, Horn 1, Horn 2, Horn 3, Horn 4, Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, Double Bass: rest. Measure 2: Flute 1, Flute 2, Oboe 1, Oboe 2, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2, Horn 1, Horn 2, Horn 3, Horn 4, Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, Double Bass: rest. Measure 3: Flute 1, Flute 2, Oboe 1, Oboe 2, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2, Horn 1, Horn 2, Horn 3, Horn 4, Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, Double Bass: rest. Measure 4: Flute 1, Flute 2, Oboe 1, Oboe 2, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2, Horn 1, Horn 2, Horn 3, Horn 4, Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, Double Bass: rest. Measure 5: Flute 1, Flute 2, Oboe 1, Oboe 2, Clarinet 1, Clarinet 2, Horn 1, Horn 2, Horn 3, Horn 4, Bassoon 1, Bassoon 2, Double Bass: rest.

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Fl. 1

Picc.

Ob. 1

Ob. 2

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hn. 3

Hn. 4

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

DB

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15

165

Fl. 1

Picc.

Ob. 1

Ob. 2

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hn. 3

Hn. 4

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

DB

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16

178 E

Fl. 1

Picc.

Ob. 1

Ob. 2

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hn. 3

Hn. 4

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

DB

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F

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G

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228

Fl. 1

Picc.

Ob. 1

Ob. 2

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hn. 3

Hn. 4

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

DB

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21

241

Fl. 1

Picc.

Ob. 1

Ob. 2

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hn. 3

Hn. 4

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

DB

p cresc.

pp

cresc.

pp

cresc.

pp

cresc.

p cresc.

pp

cresc.

p cresc.

p cresc.

pp

cresc.

pp

cresc.

pp

cresc.

p cresc.

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267

Fl. 1

Picc.

Ob. 1

Ob. 2

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hn. 3

Hn. 4

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

DB

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282

Fl. 1

Picc.

Ob. 1

Ob. 2

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hn. 3

Hn. 4

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

DB

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25

NABUCO CHORUS

25

Fl. 1

Picc.

Ob. 1

Ob. 2

Cl. 1

Cl. 2

Hn. 1

Hn. 2

Hn. 3

Hn. 4

Bsn. 1

Bsn. 2

DB

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