

Condensed Score



CONCERTINO

OPUS 26

FEATURES CLARINET SOLOIST

BAND GRADE 3, SOLO GRADE 5 - DURATION 9:00

by Carl Maria von Weber
(1786 - 1826)

arranged by Alfred Reed
edited by Don McCathren

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INSTRUMENTATION

1 - Conductor	2 - Eb Alto Clarinet	2 - 1st & 2nd
1 - Master Lesson Plan	2 - Bb Bass Clarinet	Horns in F
1 - Bb Clarinet Solo	1 - Bb Contra-Bass Clarinet	2 - 3rd & 4th
1 - C Piccolo	1 - 1st Eb Alto Saxophone	Horns in F
6 - 1st & 2nd Flutes	1 - 2nd Eb Alto Saxophone	2 - 1st Trombone
2 - 1st & 2nd Oboes	1 - Bb Tenor Saxophone	2 - 2nd Trombone
2 - 1st & 2nd Bassoons	1 - Eb Baritone Saxophone	2 - 3rd Trombone
1 - Eb Clarinet	3 - 1st Bb Cornet	2 - Baritone B.C.
4 - 1st Bb Clarinet	3 - 2nd Bb Cornet	2 - Baritone T.C.
4 - 2nd Bb Clarinet	3 - 3rd Bb Cornet	5 - Bases
4 - 3rd Bb Clarinet		1 - Timpani



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BAND GRADE 3

(Bb CLARINET SOLO WITH CONCERT BAND)

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Notes To The Director:

Before rehearsing this arrangement, may we respectfully suggest that you read carefully the important NOTES TO THE CONDUCTOR that appear on the first page of the Conductor's Score.

Sincerely yours,

Alfred Reed
Don McCathren

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(Also Published for Solo Bb Clarinet with Piano Acc.)

NOTES TO THE CONDUCTOR

This new edition of the CONCERTINO by Carl Maria von Weber is the first to take full advantage of the improved instrumentation of the modern symphonic band, making it possible for the first time to achieve a truly artistic performance of the solo, using band accompaniment. This edition is unique in that it is the result of the combined efforts of three experts in the field of solo clarinet literature and band music. The idea was first conceived by the well-known clarinet soloist Don McCathren, who edited the solo clarinet part and prepared the excellent Master Lesson. The band accompaniment was scored by Alfred Reed, outstanding composer and arranger of band music, and the piano accompaniment was written by the brilliant pianist and arranger, Marcel Frank.

The solo part, in this new setting, is effective when played by multiple soloists. It is suggested that the solo part be studied by the entire clarinet section, using the Master Lesson Plan which is provided. Several section rehearsals may be profitably devoted to the study of this work. Prior to the performance, the clarinetists who play the solo best can be selected, and the remaining players should be assigned to the three regular parts. There should be a minimum of two players on each of these parts.

When using only one soloist, it may be necessary to limit the number of players in the clarinet, cornet, saxophone and bass sections of the band to achieve proper balance when the soloist is playing, unless electrical amplification is used for the soloist. Naturally, all players should join in the playing of all tutti passages. Consideration should also be given to the acoustical qualities of the room or auditorium. It is better to use fewer than too many players in the band. This transcription of the original orchestral setting has been designed to sound full with an absolute minimum number of players...even with only one stand of each of the clarinets and basses, and only one player on all other parts. Much cross-cueing in the parts has been done to take care of any weak or missing instrumentation. This is especially true of the frequent independent use of the bassoons, alto and bass clarinets, and horns. Example: at letter "N" the accompaniment is in the horns only, playing in two parts. These are cued in both the saxophones and clarinets, but the cues should not be used if not necessary. Attention is called to the bassoon and baritone soli passages at letter "K" and in the last four measures of "L". These should be clearly heard above the accompaniment without forcing the tone.

In the original version there is no repeat at letter "L". However, it will add interest and brilliance to this variation to repeat this section at a very fast tempo, playing in a light style. This repeat is optional and should only be used if the soloist is advanced and can play the repeat in a very rapid tempo. If repeat is taken, observe the "a tempo" at "L". The horn solo five bars before "P" may be played by either saxophone or cornet, depending on which player can perform it most effectively.

The optional cut at the end of the work has been provided to heighten the effectiveness of the solo. If taken, the players should substitute the first note in the 5th bar from the end for the first note in the 3rd bar from the end. Rehearse this substitution carefully.

Careful attention to dynamics and phrasing will result in a well balanced sound, permitting the soloist to be heard without forcing the tone even in the softest passages. We believe that this new edition will bring new life and recognition to this "masterpiece" of the clarinet repertoire.

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concertino

(for clarinet and band)

Playing Time 9:00

Conductor

by c. m. von weber, op. 26
arranged for band by alfred reed
edited by don mc cathren

Adagio ma non troppo M. M. ♩ = 60
Solo Clarinet

Flts.

Cors.
Clts.

ff
Trbs.
Bar.

Basses

Clts. Saxes Hns.

Bar. Basses
Solo

(Clarinet Key)

(Band Cue)

Clts.

2nd A. Sax
Ten. Sax

1st Hn.

1st 2nd Hns.

Basses
1st stand only

f

Sempre legato tongue

Simile

Bsn.
A+B. Cl.

Basses
Tutti

CONDUCTOR - 2

Subito

pp

f

(B)

Subito

pp

f

Bar. Bases

mp

(C) *tr*

mf

Clts. Saxes sust.

Hns.

Bases

p

f

mp

pp

p

Saxes

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This musical score is for the Conductor 2 part of a piece. It consists of four systems of staves. The first system includes a piano part with a 'Subito' instruction and dynamic markings of *pp* and *f*, and a woodwind part with a circled 'B'. The second system continues the piano part with another 'Subito' instruction and dynamic markings of *pp* and *f*. The third system introduces the woodwind part with a circled 'C', a trill (tr) marking, and dynamic markings of *mf* and *p*. It also includes instructions for 'Bar. Bases', 'Clts. Saxes sust.', 'Hns.', and 'Bases'. The fourth system continues the piano part with dynamic markings of *f*, *mp*, and *pp*, and the woodwind part with a dynamic marking of *p* and an instruction for 'Saxes'. The score is watermarked with 'KendorMusic.com' and the number '3026' is at the bottom left.

First system of the musical score. It includes staves for woodwinds (flutes, oboes, clarinets) and strings. Dynamics include *pp* (pianissimo), *p* (piano), and *Clts.* (Clarinets). A tempo marking of *Poco* is present.

Second system of the musical score, marked **THEME - Andante** with a tempo of $\text{♩} = 120$. It includes staves for Baritone, Basses, and Clarinets/Bassoon/3rd Clarinets. Dynamics include *pp* and *p*. The instruction *Very Smoothly* is written above the woodwind staff.

Third system of the musical score. It includes staves for Horns and woodwinds. Dynamics include *p*, *f* (forte), and *mp* (mezzo-piano). Tempo markings include *Rubato* and *A Tempo*.

Fourth system of the musical score. It includes staves for Clarinets, Horns, and 2nd/3rd Clarinets. Dynamics include *p*. A section marked **E** is indicated. The instruction *+ Horns* is written above the woodwind staff.

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The musical score is divided into four systems, each with three staves. The first system shows a piano introduction with dynamics *f*, *p*, and *mf*. The second system introduces woodwinds: Cors. (Cornets), Clts. Oboe Saxes (Clarinets, Oboes, Saxophones), and Hns. (Horns). The third system continues the woodwind parts with dynamics *ff* and *f*. The fourth system features a key change to G major (indicated by a circled G) and includes parts for Bsn. B. Sax A+B, Clts. (Bassoon, Baritone Saxophone, Clarinets), Hns. (Horns), and Bsn. (Bassoon). Dynamics include *p*, *f*, and *mf*. A tempo marking of 126 is present in the second system.

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CONDUCTOR - 6

Rubato *A Tempo*

p *f* *p*

Dolce

p

1st Clts.

+ Bsn

2nd+3rd Clts.

3rd+4th Hns.

f *p*

1st+2nd Hns.

Poco

pp

A+B. Cl.

A Tempo

p *Poco Rit.*

Clts.

p

VARIATION II
Allegro Moderato (1st Time) ♩=112

(K) Allegro Vivace (2nd Time) ♩=138

First system of the musical score. It features three staves: a top staff with a melody starting at *mp* and reaching *f*, a middle staff with chords, and a bottom staff with a bass line. A section labeled "Bar. (Solo)" with a *mp* dynamic begins in the bottom staff.

Second system of the musical score. The top staff continues the melody. The middle staff has a section labeled "Bsn. Soli (Cued in Trbs.)". The bottom staff continues the bass line. An "Optional Repeat" section is indicated at the end of the system.

Third system of the musical score. It begins with a tempo change: "A tempo" and "Allegro Moderato" with a metronome marking of 112. The top staff has a *p* dynamic. The middle staff is labeled "Clts." and the bottom staff is labeled *mp*.

Fourth system of the musical score. The top staff has a *f* dynamic. The middle staff is labeled "Cors. Cup mts." and the bottom staff is labeled "Trbs. Cup mts.". There are also markings for "Cl." and "A. Cl.". The system ends with a measure marked "+Timp.".

Bar. Solo

Bsn. Solo
Cued in Trb.

Cors. Open

Trbs. Timp.

Hns. Marc

Clts. Flts. Ob. Saxes

Flts.

Timp.

p Dim.

Timp. Solo

Hns. Cued in Clts. + Saxes

Piu Lento ♩ = 60

Rubato

f *p* *fz* *mp*

Clts.

p

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A Tempo

p *fz* *p*

Bar.

p

Timp.

pp

Allegro ♩ = 88

pp *pp* *p*

p 1st+2nd Hns.
Cued in Saxes+1st Cor.

Clts.+Saxes

Clts.
Bsn.

Basses

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Simile

f *p*

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f

Tutti

ff Hns

Col. Fl. 8va Higher

Ⓡ Risoluto

f

Clts.

p

Bsn.

Hns. (Cued in Saxes)

pp

Clts.

pp

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System 1: Three staves. The top staff has a melodic line with slurs and accents. The middle staff is labeled "Hns. (Cued in Saxes)" and contains chords. The bottom staff has a bass line with slurs and accents.

System 2: Three staves. The top staff begins with a circled 'S' and a forte (*f*) dynamic. The middle staff is labeled "Clts. + Saxes". The bottom staff begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic. The system concludes with a repeat sign.

System 3: Three staves. The top staff has a forte (*ff*) dynamic and a melodic line. The middle staff is labeled "All W. W., Saxes, Hns., Bar. Flts., Ob., Bsn.". The bottom staff has a fortissimo (*fp*) dynamic. The system ends with a measure containing the number "13".

System 4: Three staves. The top staff begins with a fortissimo (*ff*) dynamic. The middle staff is labeled "Picc. Clts.". The bottom staff begins with a fortissimo (*fp*) dynamic and includes the instruction "f Tutti". The system concludes with a repeat sign.

U Con passione

U

Con passione

p

Clts.

Hns.

p

Bsn.

p

f

Poco *f*

V

pp

Saxes

pp

Clts.

p

W

p

mf

Flts., Ob., Clts., Hns.

p

mf

f

⊗ Con Fuoco ♩ = 94

f

Hns.
(Cued in
Saxes, Cors.) *ff*

Clts.

1st+2nd Hns. -
Cued in Bar.

p

Cors. *pp*

Hns.

+ Saxes

Bsn.

Flts.
Ob.

11

mf

Hns. *mf*

Trbs., Timp. *mp*

f *ff* *mp* *mf* *pp* *f* *ff* *Optional cut*

Clts. Cors. Clts. Clts.+Saxes Ob. p *f* Tutti *p* 3rd+4th Hns Clts., A. Sax Bsn. A. Cl. Ten. Sax Bar. Flts. Ob. Clts. Cors. Trbs. Bar. Hns. Basses Timp.

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This musical score is for a conductor, labeled "CONDUCTOR - 15". It consists of four systems of staves. The first system includes a top staff with a melodic line marked with a forte (*f*) dynamic and a crescendo leading to a fortissimo (*ff*) section, and two lower staves for Clarinets (Clts.) and Corsos (Cors.) marked mezzo-piano (*mp*) and mezzo-forte (*mf*). The second system features a top staff with a melodic line marked piano (*p*) and fortissimo (*ff*), and two lower staves for Clarinets and Saxophones (Clts.+Saxes) and Horns (3rd+4th Hns) marked forte (*f*) and piano (*p*). The third system includes a top staff with a melodic line marked pianissimo (*pp*) and fortissimo (*ff*), and two lower staves for Clarinets and Alto Saxophone (Clts., A. Sax) and Bassoon, Alto Clarinet, Tenor Saxophone, and Baritone (Bsn. A. Cl. Ten. Sax Bar.) marked mezzo-forte (*mf*). The fourth system includes a top staff with a melodic line marked fortissimo (*ff*) and a fortissimo (*ff*) section, and two lower staves for Flutes, Oboes, Clarinets, Corsos, and Trumpets (Flts. Ob. Clts. Cors. Trbs.) and Baritone Horns (Bar. Hns.) marked forte (*f*) and fortissimo (*ff*). The score also includes a section for Basses and Timpani (Basses Timp.) and an "Optional cut" section. The page number 3026 is at the bottom left.