

Hornpipe
from Water Music

George Frederic Handel
Arranged by Christian Dickinson

This arrangement of the main theme of Handel's *Hornpipe* from his *Water Music* is intended for use by intermediate trombone students. The parts can be played with one or multiple players on a part. However, I suggest limiting the number of players on the bass trombone (optional tuba) part.

The tempo marking is approximately 90 beats to the half note- stately but not dragging. Each note in the first 5 ½ measures should be weighted and evenly balanced, with the next 3 ½ measures played lighter and spaced. From measure 9 the piece builds dynamically to the end, keeping with the lighter feel until the tutti in measure 20, which returns to the weighted feeling of the beginning theme.

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5 Trombones

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(1685-1759)

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Broad and Stately $\text{♩} = 90$

Score for Trombone 1, Trombone 2, Trombone 3, Trombone 4, and Bass Trombone (opt. Tuba).

Measures 1-4 are shown. The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The time signature is 3/2.

Measure 1: *f* (forte). Trombone 1, 2, 3, and 4 play a half note B-flat. Bass Trombone plays a half note B-flat.

Measure 2: *sim.* (simile). Trombone 1, 2, 3, and 4 play a half note C. Bass Trombone plays a half note C.

Measure 3: *sim.* (simile). Trombone 1, 2, 3, and 4 play a half note D. Bass Trombone plays a half note D.

Measure 4: *sim.* (simile). Trombone 1, 2, 3, and 4 play a half note E. Bass Trombone plays a half note E.

Measures 5-8 are shown. The key signature is one flat (B-flat). The time signature is 3/2.

Measure 5: *mf* (mezzo-forte). Trombone 1, 2, 3, and 4 play a half note F. Bass Trombone plays a half note F.

Measure 6: *mf* (mezzo-forte). Trombone 1, 2, 3, and 4 play a half note G. Bass Trombone plays a half note G.

Measure 7: *mf* (mezzo-forte). Trombone 1, 2, 3, and 4 play a half note A. Bass Trombone plays a half note A.

Measure 8: *mf* (mezzo-forte). Trombone 1, 2, 3, and 4 play a half note B-flat. Bass Trombone plays a half note B-flat.

9 10 11 12 13 14

mp

f *mf*

f *mp*

f *mf*

f

15 16 17 18 19

f *cresc.*

f *cresc.*

f *cresc.*

f *cresc.*

20 21 22 23 24

ff *ff* *ff* *ff* *ff*

allargando

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