

# Helios Overture

Opus 17

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## Andante Tranquillo

Musical score for the first page of the Helios Overture, measures 1-8. The score is for the Andante Tranquillo movement. It includes parts for Piccolo, Flute 1, Flute 2, Oboe 1,2, English Horn, Bassoon 1,2, Eb Clarinet, Bb Clarinet 1, Bb Clarinet 2, Bb Clarinet 3, Bass Clarinet, Contrabass Clarinet Bb, Alto Saxophone 1,2, Tenor Saxophone, Baritone Saxophone, Horn 1,2 F, Horn 3,4 F, Bb Trumpet 1, Bb Trumpet 2,3, Bb Cornet 1,2, Trombone 1, Trombone 2,3, Baritone C, Tuba C, String Bass, and Timpani. Dynamics include ppp, pp, and pp. Performance instructions include 'Cue CB Clar.' and 'Cue CB Clar.'. The score is written in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat.

Musical score for the second page of the Helios Overture, measures 9-16. The score continues from the first page. It includes parts for Piccolo, Flute 1, Flute 2, Oboe 1,2, English Horn, Bassoon 1,2, Eb Clarinet, Bb Clarinet 1, Bb Clarinet 2, Bb Clarinet 3, Bass Clarinet, Contrabass Clarinet Bb, Alto Saxophone 1,2, Tenor Saxophone, Baritone Saxophone, Horn 1,2 F, Horn 3,4 F, Bb Trumpet 1, Bb Trumpet 2,3, Bb Cornet 1,2, Trombone 1, Trombone 2,3, Baritone C, Tuba C, String Bass, and Timpani. Dynamics include ppp, pp, and pp. Performance instructions include 'Cue CB Clar.' and 'Cue CB Clar.'. The score is written in 3/4 time with a key signature of one flat. A rehearsal mark 'A' is present at the beginning of measure 9.



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Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani

*p*

*pp*

*ad lib.*

*pp*

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C

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani

*pp*

*sempre pp*

*ad lib.*

*pp*

*sempre pp*

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Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani

*poco a poco cresc.*

*sempre cresc.*

*pp*

*p*

*1.*

*2. - ad lib.*

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Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani

*p*

*mp*

*1. 2.*

*1. 2.*

*1. 2.*

*3. 4.*

*f*

*f*

*1. 2.*

*mp*

*mp*

*p cresc.*

*mp*

*1. 2.*

*p*

*cresc.*

*2.*

*p cresc.*

*+3. 1.*

*mp*

*f*

*p*

*cresc.*

*p*

*cresc.*

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Piccolo *f*

Flute 1 *f*

Flute 2 *f*

Oboe 1,2 *f*

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2 *f*

E♭ Clarinet *f*

B♭ Clarinet 1 *f*

B♭ Clarinet 2 *f*

B♭ Clarinet 3 *f*

Bass Clarinet *f*

Contrabass Clarinet B♭ *f*

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1 *f*

B♭ Trumpet 2,3 *f*

B♭ Cornet 1,2 *f*

Trombone 1 *f*

Trombone 2,3 *f*

Baritone C *f*

Tuba C *f*

String Bass *f*

Timpani

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Piccolo *f*

Flute 1 *f*

Flute 2 *f*

Oboe 1,2 *f*

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2 *f*

E♭ Clarinet *f*

B♭ Clarinet 1 *f*

B♭ Clarinet 2 *f*

B♭ Clarinet 3 *f*

Bass Clarinet *f*

Contrabass Clarinet B♭ *f*

Alto Saxophone 1,2 *f*

Tenor Saxophone *f*

Baritone Saxophone *f*

Horn 1,2 F *f*

Horn 3,4 F *f*

B♭ Trumpet 1 *f*

B♭ Trumpet 2,3 *f*

B♭ Cornet 1,2 *f*

Trombone 1 *f*

Trombone 2,3 *f*

Baritone C *f*

Tuba C *f*

String Bass *f*

Timpani

62 **E**

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani

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Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani

71 **F** *accel.*

Piccolo *ff*

Flute 1 *ff*

Flute 2 *ff*

Oboe 1,2 *ff*

English Horn *ff*

Bassoon 1,2 *ff*

E♭ Clarinet *ff*

B♭ Clarinet 1 *ff*

B♭ Clarinet 2 *ff*

B♭ Clarinet 3 *ff*

Bass Clarinet *ff*

Contrabass Clarinet B♭ *ff*

Alto Saxophone 1,2 *ff*

Tenor Saxophone *ff*

Baritone Saxophone *ff*

Horn 1,2 F *ff*

Horn 3,4 F *ff*

B♭ Trumpet 1 *ff*

B♭ Trumpet 2,3 *ff*

B♭ Cornet 1,2 *ff*

Trombone 1 *ff*

Trombone 2,3 *ff*

Baritone C *ff*

Tuba C *ff*

String Bass *ff*

Timpani *f*

75 **G** *Allegro ma non troppo*

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani

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Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani



Baton Music



**P** Più Allegro

191 Piccolo *f*

Flute 1 *f*

Flute 2 *f*

Oboe 1,2 *f*

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2 *f*

E♭ Clarinet *f*

B♭ Clarinet 1 *f*

B♭ Clarinet 2 *f*

B♭ Clarinet 3 *f*

Bass Clarinet *f*

Contrabass Clarinet B♭ *f*

Alto Saxophone 1,2 *ff*

Tenor Saxophone *f*

Baritone Saxophone *f*

Horn 1,2 F *f*

Horn 3,4 F *f*

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3 *f*

Baritone C *f*

Tuba C *f*

String Bass *f*

Timpani

**Q** Tempo I

199 Piccolo *ff*

Flute 1 *ff*

Flute 2 *ff*

Oboe 1,2 *ff*

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2 *ff*

E♭ Clarinet *ff*

B♭ Clarinet 1 *ff*

B♭ Clarinet 2 *ff*

B♭ Clarinet 3 *ff*

Bass Clarinet *ff*

Contrabass Clarinet B♭ *ff*

Alto Saxophone 1,2 *ff*

Tenor Saxophone *ff*

Baritone Saxophone *ff*

Horn 1,2 F *ff*

Horn 3,4 F *ff*

B♭ Trumpet 1 *ff*

B♭ Trumpet 2,3 *ff*

B♭ Cornet 1,2 *ff*

Trombone 1 *ff*

Trombone 2,3 *ff*

Baritone C *ff*

Tuba C *ff*

String Bass *ff*

Timpani *ff*

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Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani

215 **R** Presto

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani

222 **S**

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani

1, 2 ad lib

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Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani

Cue CB Clar.

1, 2

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani



Baton Music

Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani

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Piccolo

Flute 1

Flute 2

Oboe 1,2

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet B♭

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

B♭ Cornet 1,2

Trombone 1

Trombone 2,3

Baritone C

Tuba C

String Bass

Timpani



Baton Music