

# In the Steppes of Central Asia

*Symphonic Poem*

Alexander Borodin  
*transcribed by Rens van Leeuwen*

Symphonic Band

Grade: 4  
Duration: 8:00



Full Score  
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Allegretto con moto ♩ = 92

Piccolo *pp*  
solo

Flute 1,2 *pp*

Oboe *pp*

English Horn *pp*

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2 1. *p cantabile*

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Timpani

Bells *with bow*

Vibraphone, Bells *pp*

Tambourine

A

B



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Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells

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Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells

72 **D**

Piccolo

Flute 1,2 *2 soli*

Oboe *p*

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2 *p*

B♭ Clarinet 1 *p*

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1,2 *quasi pizz.*

Tenor Saxophone *p*

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F *p*

Horn 3,4 F *p*

B♭ Trumpet 1 *p*

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C


Tuba C

Cello *p*

String Bass *p*

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells



**Baton Music**

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Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe *ppp* *dim.* *ppp*

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1 *dim.*

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet *dim.*

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone *dim.*

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F *p*

Horn 3,4 F *dim.*

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello *dim.*

String Bass *dim.*

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells

91 **E**

Piccolo

Flute 1,2 *2 soli*  
*p*

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2  
*p*

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2  
*p*

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet  
*p*

Contrabass Clarinet  
*p*

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone  
*quasi pizz.*  
*p*

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello  
*p*

String Bass  
*p*

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells

101 **F**

Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet  
*mf*

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone  
*mf*

Horn 1,2 F  
2. *p*

Horn 3,4 F  
4. *p* 3. *p*

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2  
*p*

Bass Trombone  
*p*

Baritone C


Tuba C  
*solo quasi pizz.*  
*p*

Cello  
*mf*

String Bass  
*mf*

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells



# Baton Music

110

Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells

120

G

Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Timpani

130

Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Timpani

*f*

*p*





193 **K**

Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe *p cantabile*

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2 *p*

B♭ Clarinet 1 *p cantabile*

B♭ Clarinet 2 *p cantabile*

B♭ Clarinet 3 *p cantabile*

Bass Clarinet *p cantabile*

Contrabass Clarinet *p cantabile*

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone *p cantabile*

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone *p*

Baritone C *p cantabile*

Tuba C

Cello *p cantabile*

String Bass *p cantabile*

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells

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Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet *p cantabile*

Contrabass Clarinet *p cantabile*

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone *p cantabile*

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone *p*

Baritone C *p cantabile*

Tuba C

Cello *p cantabile*

String Bass *p cantabile*

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells

Tambourine

210

**L**

Piccolo *mf*

Flute 1,2 *mf* 1. 2.

Oboe *mf*

English Horn *mf*

Bassoon 1,2 *mf* 1. 2.

E♭ Clarinet *mf*

Solo Clarinet A 1,2 *mf*

B♭ Clarinet 1 *mf*

B♭ Clarinet 2 *mf quasi pizz.*

B♭ Clarinet 3 *mf quasi pizz.*

Bass Clarinet *mf*

Contrabass Clarinet *mf*

Alto Saxophone 1,2 *mf* 1. 2.

Tenor Saxophone *mf*

Baritone Saxophone *mf*

Horn 1,2 F *mf*

Horn 3,4 F *mf*

B♭ Trumpet 1 *mf*

B♭ Trumpet 2,3 *mf*

Trombone 1,2 *mf* 1. quasi pizz.

Bass Trombone *mf*

Baritone C *mf*

Tuba C *mf*

Cello *mf* pizz.

String Bass *mf*

Timpani *mf*

Tambourine *p*

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Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe

English Horn *cantabile* *marc.*

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet *cantabile norm.* *marc.*

Contrabass Clarinet *cantabile*

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone *cantabile quasi pizz.* *marc.*

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F 3.

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C *cantabile tutti* *marc.*

Tuba C *mf*

Cello *arco* *pizz. cantabile* *marc.*

String Bass *pizz. cantabile*

Tambourine



**Baton Music**

Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells

Tambourine

*p*

*sempre dim. poco a poco*

*p cantabile*

*quasi pizz.*

*pp*

*2 soli*

*1.*

*2.*

*4.*

Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells

*p*

*sempre dim. poco a poco*

*p cantabile*

*1.*

*2.*

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Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells

*pp*

*p cantabile*

*p*

1.

*pp*

1.

*pp*

Piccolo

Flute 1,2

Oboe

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

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Horn 1,2 F

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B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells

*p*

*dim.*

*ppp*

*ppp*

with bow

*p*



Baton Music

272 **P**

Piccolo *cantabile dolciss.*

Flute 1,2 *solo*

Oboe *p* *rall. e dim.* *p perdendosi* *pppp*

English Horn

Bassoon 1,2

E♭ Clarinet

Solo Clarinet A 1,2

B♭ Clarinet 1

B♭ Clarinet 2

B♭ Clarinet 3

Bass Clarinet

Contrabass Clarinet

Alto Saxophone 1,2

Tenor Saxophone

Baritone Saxophone

Horn 1,2 F

Horn 3,4 F

B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2,3

Trombone 1,2

Bass Trombone

Baritone C

Tuba C

Cello

String Bass

Timpani

Vibraphone, Bells