

GIOVANNI BOTTESINI



Complete Method

for

Double Bass



Part I

Transposed Two Semitones Up

Preface

Giovanni Bottesini (1821–1889) was an Italian composer, conductor, and music teacher. He was arguably also the most eminent double-bass player of his time, and his virtuosity on the instrument had earned him the title “the Paganini of the Double Bass.” Bottesini toured the world extensively, and among his many accomplishments, was chosen by Verdi to conduct the world premiere of *Aida* in 1871.

Bottesini’s instructional book *Complete Method for Double Bass*, in its various editions, has become a staple of the double-bass curriculum. Bottesini championed the three-string double bass — an earlier version of the instrument, missing today’s E string, which was standard at the time in many parts of the world. Consequently, the lowest note in his original *Method* is low A (except for a few exercises, originally meant for solfège). This version of the book is transposed two semitones up from the original, for practicing purposes.

This digital edition of Bottesini’s *Method* is based on the 1869 French edition issued by Léon Escudier, as found on the International Music Score Library Project website (imslp.org). It contains only the exercises (in a slightly different order), without the original text and illustrations, and does not include the second part of the book, titled “the double bass considered as a solo instrument.” Due to the advances in double-bass technique since Bottesini’s time, and given today’s near-universality of four-string instruments, the original fingering, position, and bowing markings were omitted.

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I dedicate this edition to my beloved daughter Naomi, a baker of fine pizzas and a hopelessly forgetful toothbrusher.

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August 2020



1. Preliminary Exercises

1.1 *Lento*

Exercise 1.1 is a preliminary exercise in bass clef, key of D major (two sharps), and common time (C). It is marked *Lento*. The exercise consists of three staves of music. The first staff contains 8 measures, the second staff contains 8 measures, and the third staff contains 8 measures. The melody is a simple scale-like exercise with eighth notes and rests, each note marked with a fermata.

1.2

Exercise 1.2 is a preliminary exercise in bass clef, key of D major (two sharps), and common time (C). It consists of one staff of music, 6 measures long, featuring a sequence of eighth notes and rests.

1.3

Exercise 1.3 is a preliminary exercise in bass clef, key of D major (two sharps), and common time (C). It consists of one staff of music, 6 measures long, featuring a sequence of eighth notes and rests.

1.4

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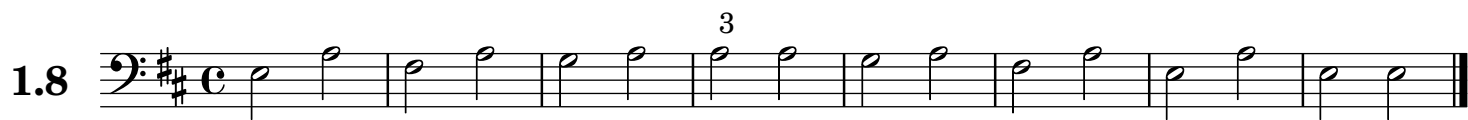
Exercise 1.5 is a preliminary exercise in bass clef, key of D major (two sharps), and common time (C). It consists of one staff of music, 8 measures long, featuring a sequence of eighth notes and rests.

1.6

Exercise 1.6 is a preliminary exercise in bass clef, key of D major (two sharps), and common time (C). It consists of one staff of music, 12 measures long, featuring a sequence of eighth notes and rests.

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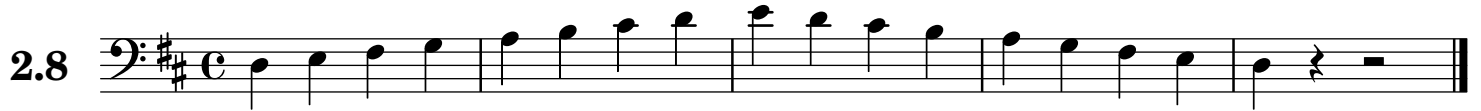
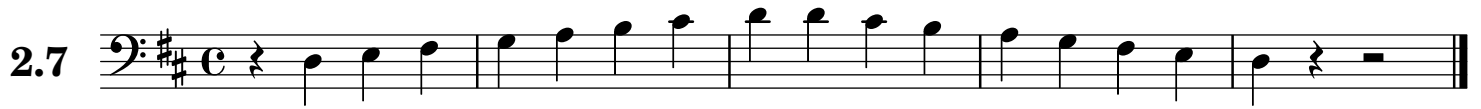


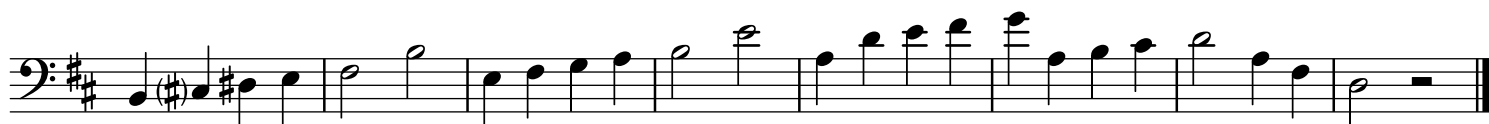




2. Exercises in D Major









Andante

2.22 

Allegretto

2.23 

Moderato

2.24 

Adagio

2.25 

**Andante**

2.26

**Moderato**

2.27

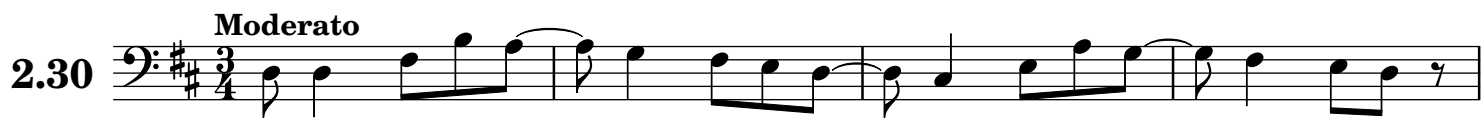
**Allegro**

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**Adagio**

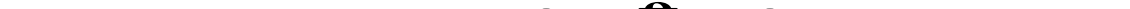
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3. Exercises in B Minor

3.1 

3.2 **Sostenuto**

D4 quarter, E4 quarter, F#4 quarter, G4 quarter, A4 quarter, B4 quarter, C5 quarter, D5 quarter, E5 quarter, F#5 quarter, G5 quarter, A5 quarter.

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3.3 **Moderato**



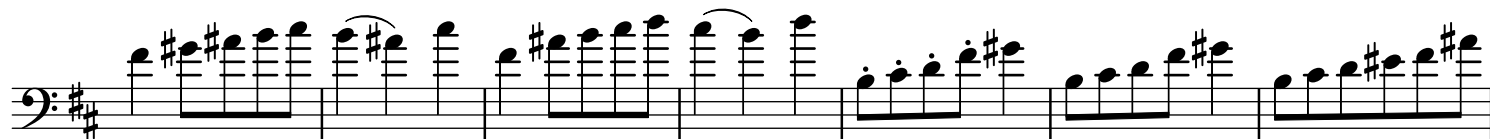
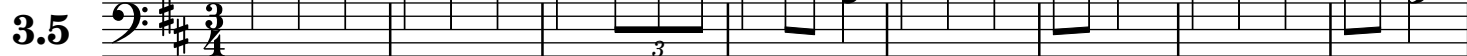
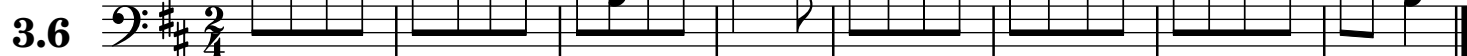
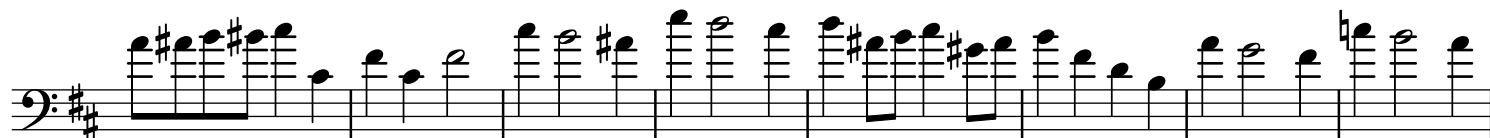
The musical score for Example 3.3, titled 'Moderato', is written on a single staff with a bass clef, a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#), and a common time signature (C). The tempo is marked 'Moderato'. The melody consists of eighth and sixteenth notes, with some measures containing beamed sixteenth notes. The piece ends with a double bar line.

The bass line of 'The Rose Tree' is written on a single staff in bass clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The melody consists of several measures of music, primarily using eighth and sixteenth notes, with some rests and a final quarter note. The notes are mostly in the lower register of the bass staff.

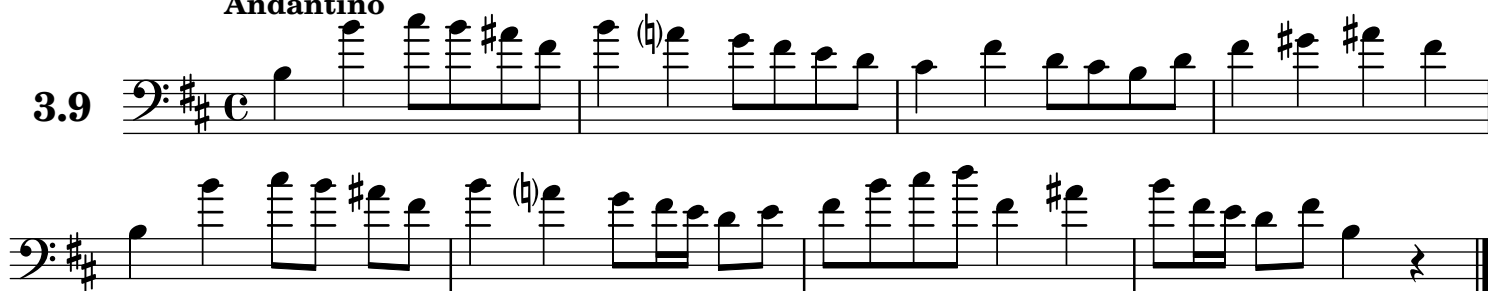
The bass line of 'The Sound of Silence' is written in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of six measures. The first measure has a whole note G2. The second measure has a whole note A2. The third measure has a whole note B2. The fourth measure has a whole note C3. The fifth measure has a whole note D3. The sixth measure has a whole note E3. The notes are G, A, B, C, D, E, which correspond to the first six notes of the scale.

3.4 *Lento*

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**Andante****Allegretto****Allegretto****Moderato**

Andantino

3.9 

Moderato

3.10 

Andantino

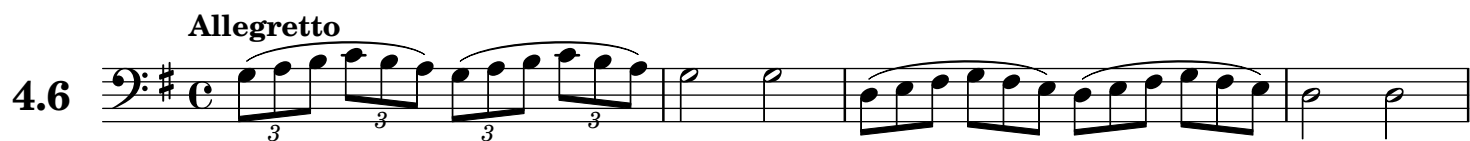
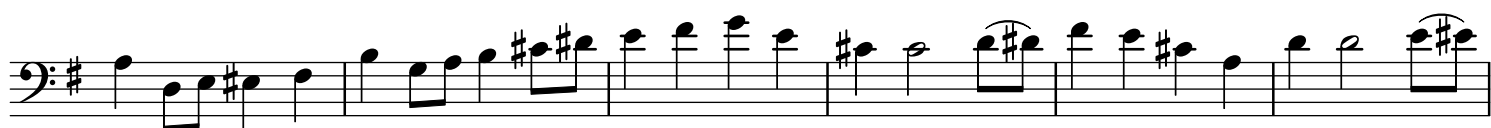
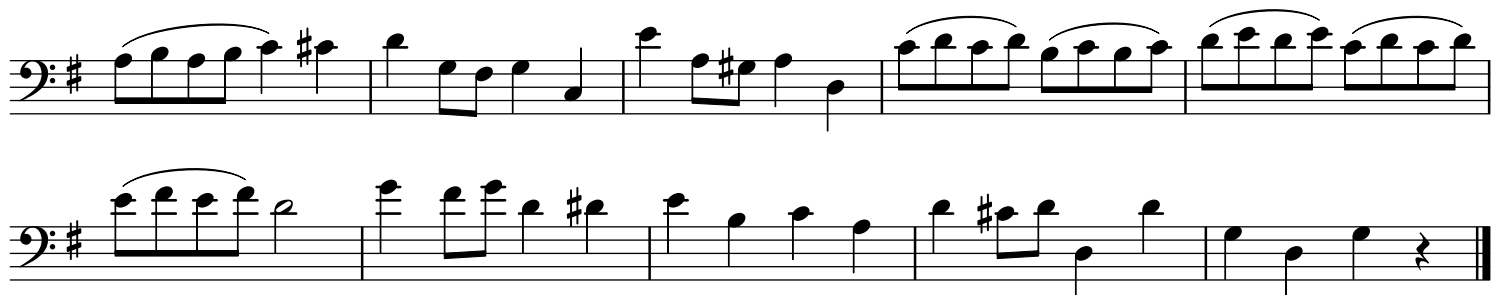
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Allegretto

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4. Exercises in G Major





4.7 **Adagio**



4.8 **Allegretto**



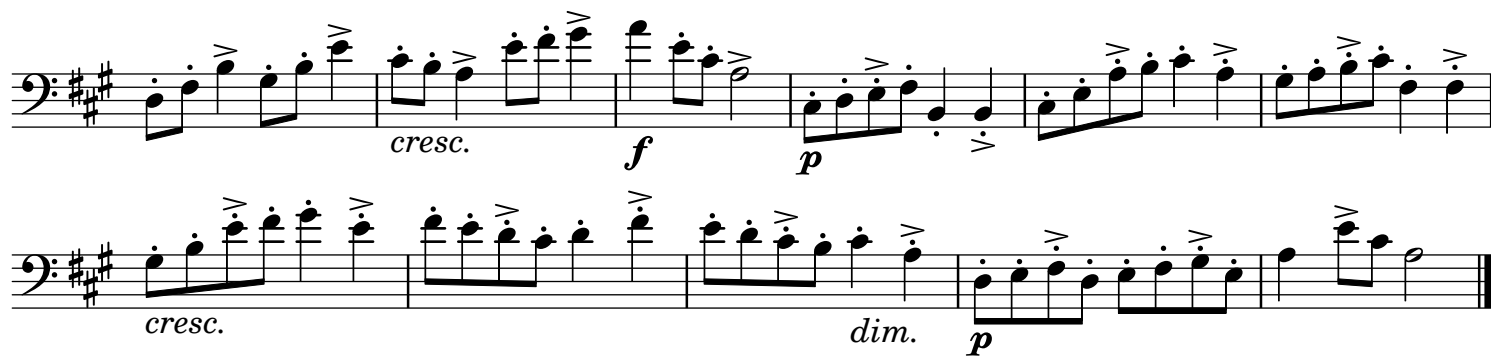
5. Exercises in E Minor



Musical score for bass clef, key of D major (one sharp). The score consists of six staves of music. The first five staves contain measures 21 through 25, and the sixth staff contains measure 26. The music features various rhythmic patterns, including eighth and sixteenth notes, and rests. Measure 21 starts with a quarter rest followed by a dotted quarter note. Measure 22 has a quarter rest followed by a dotted quarter note. Measure 23 has a quarter rest followed by a dotted quarter note. Measure 24 has a quarter rest followed by a dotted quarter note. Measure 25 has a quarter rest followed by a dotted quarter note. Measure 26 has a quarter rest followed by a dotted quarter note.

5.5

6. Exercises in A Major



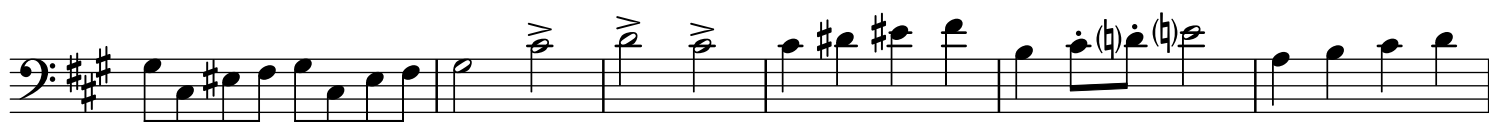
Moderato

6.5

6.5 **Moderato**

The musical score for exercise 6.5, titled "Moderato", is written in A major (two sharps) and 3/4 time. It consists of five staves of music. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a 3/4 time signature. The music is written in a single melodic line. The second staff continues the melody. The third staff introduces a key signature change to one sharp (F#) and includes a measure with a natural sign over the first note. The fourth staff continues the melody. The fifth staff concludes the exercise with a double bar line.

7. Exercises in F-Sharp Minor



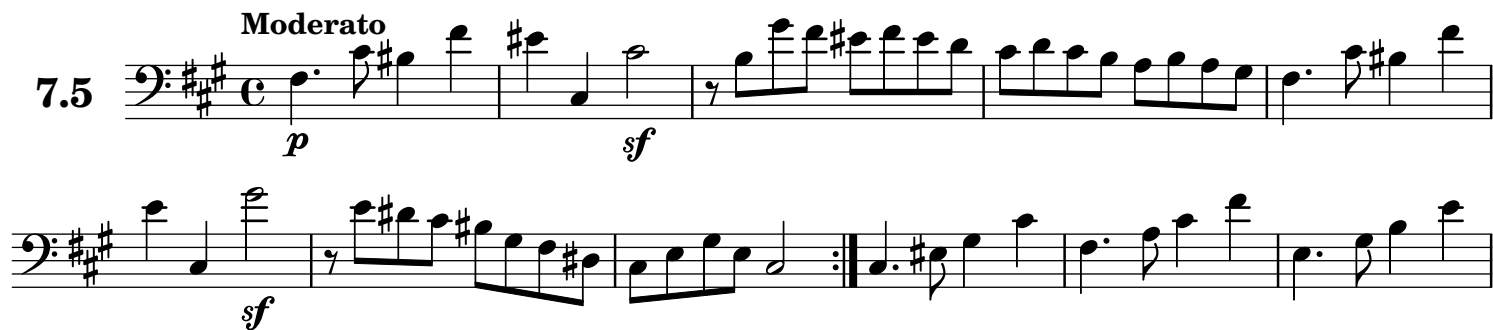
Adagio

7.4

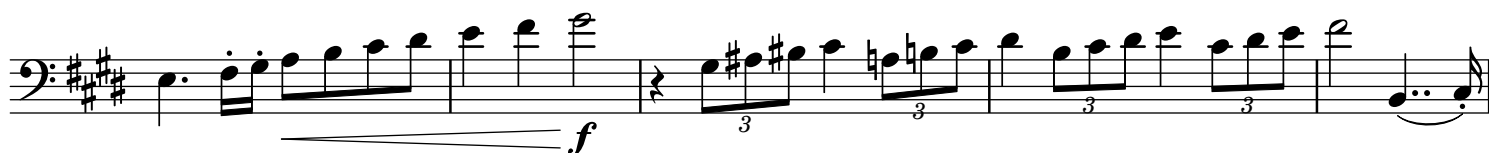
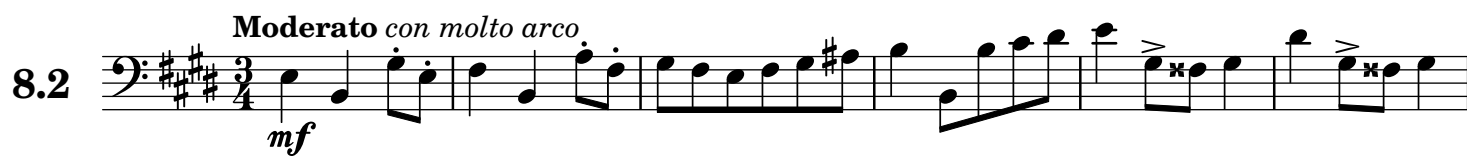
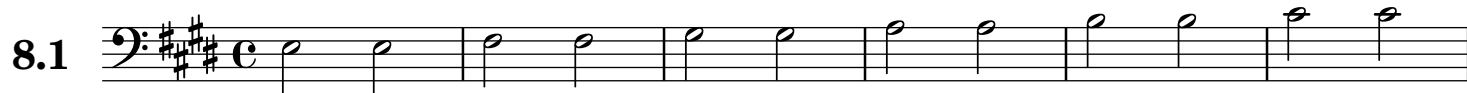


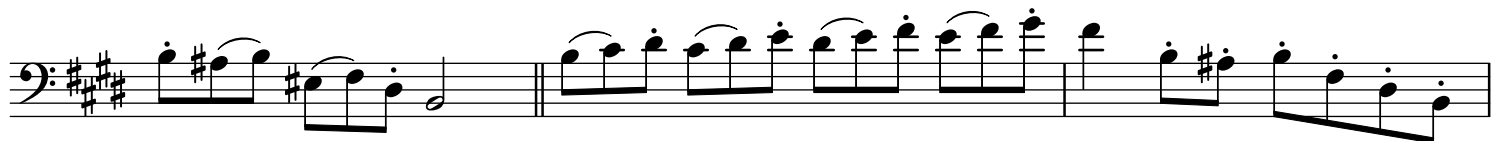
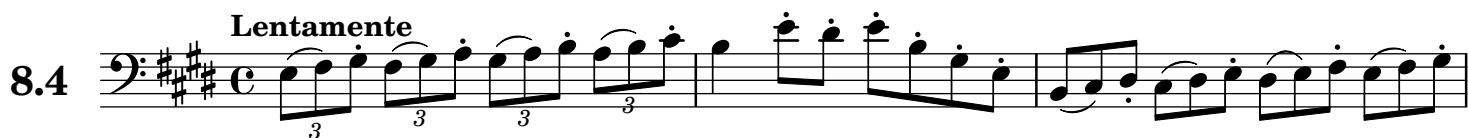
Moderato

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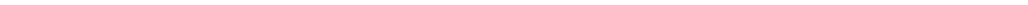


8. Exercises in E Major





9. Exercises in C-Sharp Minor

9.1 

Musical notation for the bass line of 'The Rose Tree'. The key signature is D major (two sharps: F# and C#). The melody consists of eighth notes: D2, E2, F#2, G2, A2, B2, C#3, D3, E3, F#3, G3, A3, B3, C#4, D4, E4, F#4, G4, A4, B4, C#5, D5, E5, F#5, G5, A5, B5, C#6, D6, E6, F#6, G6, A6, B6, C#7, D7, E7, F#7, G7, A7, B7, C#8, D8, E8, F#8, G8, A8, B8, C#9, D9, E9, F#9, G9, A9, B9, C#10, D10, E10, F#10, G10, A10, B10, C#11, D11, E11, F#11, G11, A11, B11, C#12, D12, E12, F#12, G12, A12, B12, C#13, D13, E13, F#13, G13, A13, B13, C#14, D14, E14, F#14, G14, A14, B14, C#15, D15, E15, F#15, G15, A15, B15, C#16, D16, E16, F#16, G16, A16, B16, C#17, D17, E17, F#17, G17, A17, B17, C#18, D18, E18, F#18, G18, A18, B18, C#19, D19, E19, F#19, G19, A19, B19, C#20, D20, E20, F#20, G20, A20, B20, C#21, D21, E21, F#21, G21, A21, B21, C#22, D22, E22, F#22, G22, A22, B22, C#23, D23, E23, F#23, G23, A23, B23, C#24, D24, E24, F#24, G24, A24, B24, C#25, D25, E25, F#25, G25, A25, B25, C#26, D26, E26, F#26, G26, A26, B26, C#27, D27, E27, F#27, G27, A27, B27, C#28, D28, E28, F#28, G28, A28, B28, C#29, D29, E29, F#29, G29, A29, B29, C#30, D30, E30, F#30, G30, A30, B30, C#31, D31, E31, F#31, G31, A31, B31, C#32, D32, E32, F#32, G32, A32, B32, C#33, D33, E33, F#33, G33, A33, B33, C#34, D34, E34, F#34, G34, A34, B34, C#35, D35, E35, F#35, G35, A35, B35, C#36, D36, E36, F#36, G36, A36, B36, C#37, D37, E37, F#37, G37, A37, B37, C#38, D38, E38, F#38, G38, A38, B38, C#39, D39, E39, F#39, G39, A39, B39, C#40, D40, E40, F#40, G40, A40, B40, C#41, D41, E41, F#41, G41, A41, B41, C#42, D42, E42, F#42, G42, A42, B42, C#43, D43, E43, F#43, G43, A43, B43, C#44, D44, E44, F#44, G44, A44, B44, C#45, D45, E45, F#45, G45, A45, B45, C#46, D46, E46, F#46, G46, A46, B46, C#47, D47, E47, F#47, G47, A47, B47, C#48, D48, E48, F#48, G48, A48, B48, C#49, D49, E49, F#49, G49, A49, B49, C#50, D50, E50, F#50, G50, A50, B50, C#51, D51, E51, F#51, G51, A51, B51, C#52, D52, E52, F#52, G52, A52, B52, C#53, D53, E53, F#53, G53, A53, B53, C#54, D54, E54, F#54, G54, A54, B54, C#55, D55, E55, F#55, G55, A55, B55, C#56, D56, E56, F#56, G56, A56, B56, C#57, D57, E57, F#57, G57, A57, B57, C#58, D58, E58, F#58, G58, A58, B58, C#59, D59, E59, F#59, G59, A59, B59, C#60, D60, E60, F#60, G60, A60, B60, C#61, D61, E61, F#61, G61, A61, B61, C#62, D62, E62, F#62, G62, A62, B62, C#63, D63, E63, F#63, G63, A63, B63, C#64, D64, E64, F#64, G64, A64, B64, C#65, D65, E65, F#65, G65, A65, B65, C#66, D66, E66, F#66, G66, A66, B66, C#67, D67, E67, F#67, G67, A67, B67, C#68, D68, E68, F#68, G68, A68, B68, C#69, D69, E69, F#69, G69, A69, B69, C#70, D70, E70, F#70, G70, A70, B70, C#71, D71, E71, F#71, G71, A71, B71, C#72, D72, E72, F#72, G72, A72, B72, C#73, D73, E73, F#73, G73, A73, B73, C#74, D74, E74, F#74, G74, A74, B74, C#75, D75, E75, F#75, G75, A75, B75, C#76, D76, E76, F#76, G76, A76, B76, C#77, D77, E77, F#77, G77, A77, B77, C#78, D78, E78, F#78, G78, A78, B78, C#79, D79, E79, F#79, G79, A79, B79, C#80, D80, E80, F#80, G80, A80, B80, C#81, D81, E81, F#81, G81, A81, B81, C#82, D82, E82, F#82, G82, A82, B82, C#83, D83, E83, F#83, G83, A83, B83, C#84, D84, E84, F#84, G84, A84, B84, C#85, D85, E85, F#85, G85, A85, B85, C#86, D86, E86, F#86, G86, A86, B86, C#87, D87, E87, F#87, G87, A87, B87, C#88, D88, E88, F#88, G88, A88, B88, C#89, D89, E89, F#89, G89, A89, B89, C#90, D90, E90, F#90, G90, A90, B90, C#91, D91, E91, F#91, G91, A91, B91, C#92, D92, E92, F#92, G92, A92, B92, C#93, D93, E93, F#93, G93, A93, B93, C#94, D94, E94, F#94, G94, A94, B94, C#95, D95, E95, F#95, G95, A95, B95, C#96, D96, E96, F#96, G96, A96, B96, C#97, D97, E97, F#97, G97, A97, B97, C#98, D98, E98, F#98, G98, A98, B98, C#99, D99, E99, F#99, G99, A99, B99, C#100, D100, E100, F#100, G100, A100, B100, C#101, D101, E101, F#101, G101, A101, B101, C#102, D102, E102, F#102, G102, A102, B102, C#103, D103, E103, F#103, G103, A103, B103, C#104, D104, E104, F#104, G104, A104, B104, C#105, D105, E105, F#105, G105, A105, B105, C#106, D106, E106, F#106, G106, A106, B106, C#107, D107, E107, F#107, G107, A107, B107, C#108, D108, E108, F#108, G108, A108, B108, C#109, D109, E109, F#109, G109, A109, B109, C#110, D110, E110, F#110, G110, A110, B110, C#111, D111, E111, F#111, G111, A111, B111, C#112, D112, E112, F#112, G112, A112, B112, C#113, D113, E113, F#113, G113, A113, B113, C#114, D114, E114, F#114, G114, A114, B114, C#115, D115, E115, F#115, G115, A115, B115, C#116, D116, E116, F#116, G116, A116, B116, C#117, D117, E117, F#117, G117, A117, B117, C#118, D118, E118, F#118, G118, A118, B118, C#119, D119, E119, F#119, G119, A119, B119, C#120, D120, E120, F#120, G120, A120, B120, C#121, D121, E121, F#121, G121, A121, B121, C#122, D122, E122, F#122, G122, A122, B122, C#123, D123, E123, F#123, G123, A123, B123, C#124, D124, E124, F#124, G124, A124, B124, C#125, D125, E125, F#125, G125, A125, B125, C#126, D126, E126, F#126, G126, A126, B126, C#127, D127, E127, F#127, G127, A127, B127, C#128, D128, E128, F#128, G128, A128, B128, C#129, D129, E129, F#129, G129, A129, B129, C#130, D130, E130, F#130, G130, A130, B130, C#131, D131,

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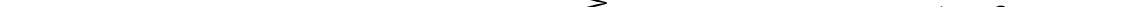
The bass line of 'The Rose Tree' is written in G major (one sharp) and 2/4 time. It consists of 16 measures. The notes are: G2 (quarter), A2 (quarter), B2 (quarter), A2 (quarter), G2 (quarter), F#2 (quarter), E2 (quarter), D2 (quarter), C2 (quarter), B1 (quarter), A1 (quarter), G1 (quarter), F#1 (quarter), E1 (quarter), D1 (quarter), C1 (quarter). The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 2/4.

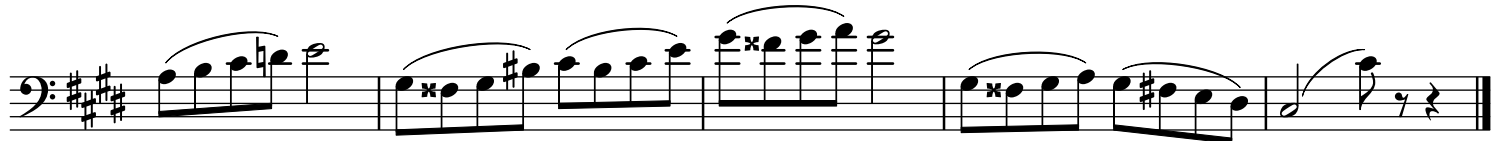
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The bass line of 'The Rose Tree' is written on a single staff in bass clef with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The melody begins with a half note G#2, followed by a quarter note F#2, a quarter note E2, and a quarter note D2. This is followed by a half note C#2, a quarter note B1, and a quarter note A1. The melody then continues with a half note G#1, a quarter note F#1, a quarter note E1, and a quarter note D1. The piece concludes with a half note C#1, a quarter note B1, and a quarter note A1.

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The bass line of 'The Rose Tree' is written on a single staff in bass clef with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The melody consists of the following notes: F#4, G#4, A4, B4, A4, G#4, F#4, E4, D4, C#4, B3, A3, G#3, F#3, E3, D3, C#3, B2, A2, G#2, F#2, E2, D2, C#2, B1, A1, G#1, F#1, E1, D1, C#1, B0, A0, G#0, F#0, E0, D0, C#0, B-1, A-1, G#-1, F#-1, E-1, D-1, C#-1, B-2, A-2, G#-2, F#-2, E-2, D-2, C#-2, B-3, A-3, G#-3, F#-3, E-3, D-3, C#-3, B-4, A-4, G#-4, F#-4, E-4, D-4, C#-4, B-5, A-5, G#-5, F#-5, E-5, D-5, C#-5, B-6, A-6, G#-6, F#-6, E-6, D-6, C#-6, B-7, A-7, G#-7, F#-7, E-7, D-7, C#-7, B-8, A-8, G#-8, F#-8, E-8, D-8, C#-8, B-9, A-9, G#-9, F#-9, E-9, D-9, C#-9, B-10, A-10, G#-10, F#-10, E-10, D-10, C#-10, B-11, A-11, G#-11, F#-11, E-11, D-11, C#-11, B-12, A-12, G#-12, F#-12, E-12, D-12, C#-12, B-13, A-13, G#-13, F#-13, E-13, D-13, C#-13, B-14, A-14, G#-14, F#-14, E-14, D-14, C#-14, B-15, A-15, G#-15, F#-15, E-15, D-15, C#-15, B-16, A-16, G#-16, F#-16, E-16, D-16, C#-16, B-17, A-17, G#-17, F#-17, E-17, D-17, C#-17, B-18, A-18, G#-18, F#-18, E-18, D-18, C#-18, B-19, A-19, G#-19, F#-19, E-19, D-19, C#-19, B-20, A-20, G#-20, F#-20, E-20, D-20, C#-20, B-21, A-21, G#-21, F#-21, E-21, D-21, C#-21, B-22, A-22, G#-22, F#-22, E-22, D-22, C#-22, B-23, A-23, G#-23, F#-23, E-23, D-23, C#-23, B-24, A-24, G#-24, F#-24, E-24, D-24, C#-24, B-25, A-25, G#-25, F#-25, E-25, D-25, C#-25, B-26, A-26, G#-26, F#-26, E-26, D-26, C#-26, B-27, A-27, G#-27, F#-27, E-27, D-27, C#-27, B-28, A-28, G#-28, F#-28, E-28, D-28, C#-28, B-29, A-29, G#-29, F#-29, E-29, D-29, C#-29, B-30, A-30, G#-30, F#-30, E-30, D-30, C#-30, B-31, A-31, G#-31, F#-31, E-31, D-31, C#-31, B-32, A-32, G#-32, F#-32, E-32, D-32, C#-32, B-33, A-33, G#-33, F#-33, E-33, D-33, C#-33, B-34, A-34, G#-34, F#-34, E-34, D-34, C#-34, B-35, A-35, G#-35, F#-35, E-35, D-35, C#-35, B-36, A-36, G#-36, F#-36, E-36, D-36, C#-36, B-37, A-37, G#-37, F#-37, E-37, D-37, C#-37, B-38, A-38, G#-38, F#-38, E-38, D-38, C#-38, B-39, A-39, G#-39, F#-39, E-39, D-39, C#-39, B-40, A-40, G#-40, F#-40, E-40, D-40, C#-40, B-41, A-41, G#-41, F#-41, E-41, D-41, C#-41, B-42, A-42, G#-42, F#-42, E-42, D-42, C#-42, B-43, A-43, G#-43, F#-43, E-43, D-43, C#-43, B-44, A-44, G#-44, F#-44, E-44, D-44, C#-44, B-45, A-45, G#-45, F#-45, E-45, D-45, C#-45, B-46, A-46, G#-46, F#-46, E-46, D-46, C#-46, B-47, A-47, G#-47, F#-47, E-47, D-47, C#-47, B-48, A-48, G#-48, F#-48, E-48, D-48, C#-48, B-49, A-49, G#-49, F#-49, E-49, D-49, C#-49, B-50, A-50, G#-50, F#-50, E-50, D-50, C#-50, B-51, A-51, G#-51, F#-51, E-51, D-51, C#-51, B-52, A-52, G#-52, F#-52, E-52, D-52, C#-52, B-53, A-53, G#-53, F#-53, E-53, D-53, C#-53, B-54, A-54, G#-54, F#-54, E-54, D-54, C#-54, B-55, A-55, G#-55, F#-55, E-55, D-55, C#-55, B-56, A-56, G#-56, F#-56, E-56, D-56, C#-56, B-57, A-57, G#-57, F#-57, E-57, D-57, C#-57, B-58, A-58, G#-58, F#-58, E-58, D-58, C#-58, B-59, A-59, G#-59, F#-59, E-59, D-59, C#-59, B-60, A-60, G#-60, F#-60, E-60, D-60, C#-60, B-61, A-61, G#-61, F#-61, E-61, D-61, C#-61, B-62, A-62, G#-62, F#-62, E-62, D-62, C#-62, B-63, A-63, G#-63, F#-63, E-63, D-63, C#-63, B-64, A-64, G#-64, F#-64, E-64, D-64, C#-64, B-65, A-65, G#-65, F#-65, E-65, D-65, C#-65, B-66, A-66, G#-66, F#-66, E-66, D-66, C#-66, B-67, A-67, G#-67, F#-67, E-67, D-67, C#-67, B-68, A-68, G#-68, F#-68, E-68, D-68, C#-68, B-69, A-69, G#-69, F#-69, E-69, D-69, C#-69, B-70, A-70, G#-70, F#-70, E-70, D-70, C#-70, B-71, A-71, G#-71, F#-71, E-71, D-71, C#-71, B-72, A-72, G#-72, F#-72, E-72, D-72, C#-72, B-73, A-73, G#-73, F#-73, E-73, D-73, C#-73, B-74, A-74, G#-74, F#-74, E-74, D-74, C#-74, B-75, A-75, G#-75, F#-75, E-75, D-75, C#-75, B-76, A-76, G#-76, F#-76, E-76, D-76, C#-76, B-77, A-77, G#-77, F#-77, E-77, D-77, C#-77, B-78, A-78, G#-78, F#-78, E-78, D-78, C#-78, B-79, A-79, G#-79, F#-79, E-79, D-79, C#-79, B-80, A-80, G#-80, F#-80, E-80, D-80, C#-80, B-81, A-81, G#-81, F#-81, E-81, D-81, C#-81, B-82, A-82, G#-82, F#-82, E-82, D-82, C#-82, B-83, A-83, G#-83, F#-83, E-83, D-83, C#-83, B-84, A-84, G#-84, F#-84, E-84, D-84, C#-84, B-85, A-85, G#-85, F#-85, E-85, D-85, C#-85, B-86, A-86, G#-86, F#-86, E-86, D-86, C#-86, B-87, A-87, G#-87, F#-87, E-87, D-87, C#-87, B-88, A-88, G#-88, F#-88, E-88, D-88, C#-88, B-89, A-89, G#-89, F#-89, E-89, D-89, C#-89, B-90, A-90, G#-90, F#-90, E-90, D-90, C#-90, B-91, A-91, G#-91, F#-91, E-91, D-91, C#-91, B-92, A-92, G#-92, F#-92, E-92, D-92, C#-92, B-93, A-93, G#-93, F#-93, E-93, D-93, C#-93, B-94, A-94, G#-94, F#-94, E-94, D-94, C#-94, B-95, A-95, G#-95, F#-95, E-95, D-95, C#-95, B-96, A-96, G#-96, F#-96, E-96, D-96, C#-96, B-97, A-97, G#-97, F#-97, E-97, D-97, C#-97, B-98, A-98, G#-98, F#-98, E-98, D-98, C#-98, B-99, A-99, G#-99, F#-99, E-99, D-99, C#-99, B-100, A-100, G#-100, F#-100, E-100, D-100, C#-100, B-101, A-101, G#-101, F#-101, E-101, D-101, C#-101, B-102, A-102, G#-102, F#-102, E-102, D-102, C#-102, B-103, A-103, G#-103, F#-103, E-103, D-103, C#-103, B-104, A-104, G#-104, F#-1

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10. Exercises in C Major



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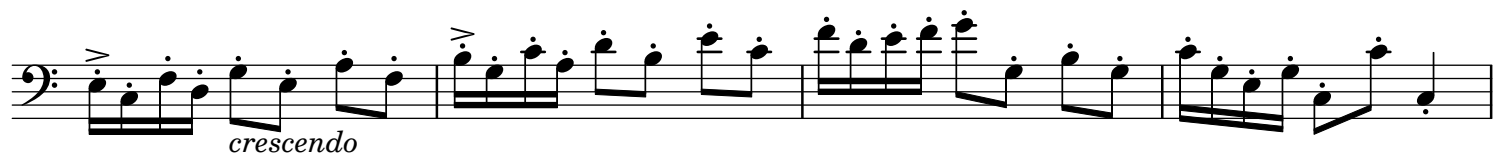
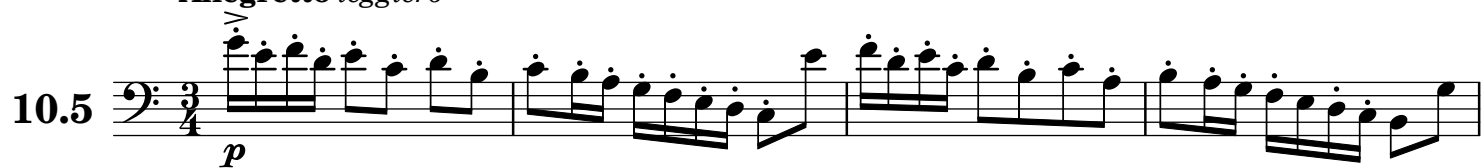


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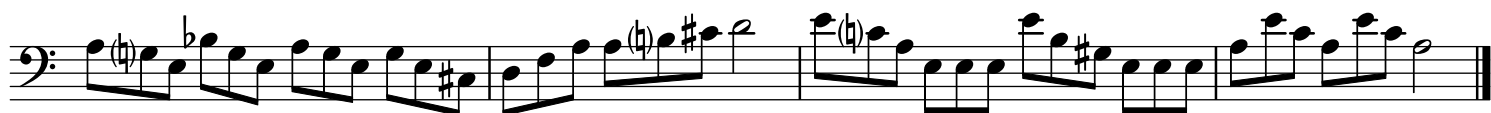
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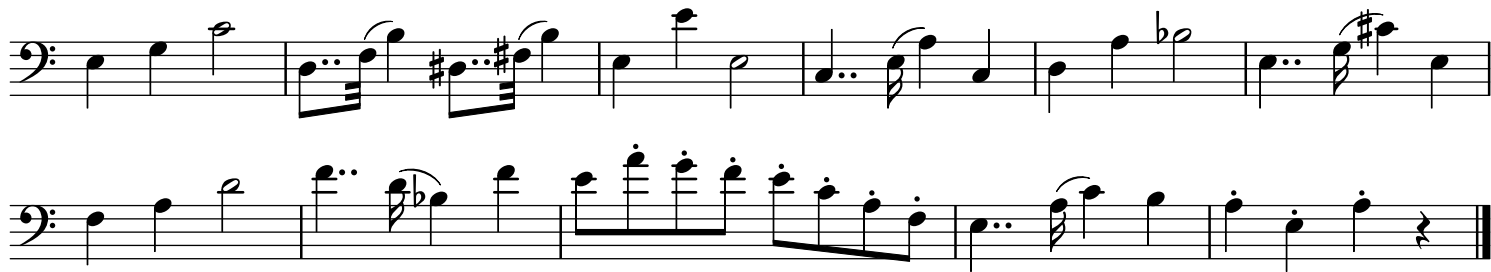


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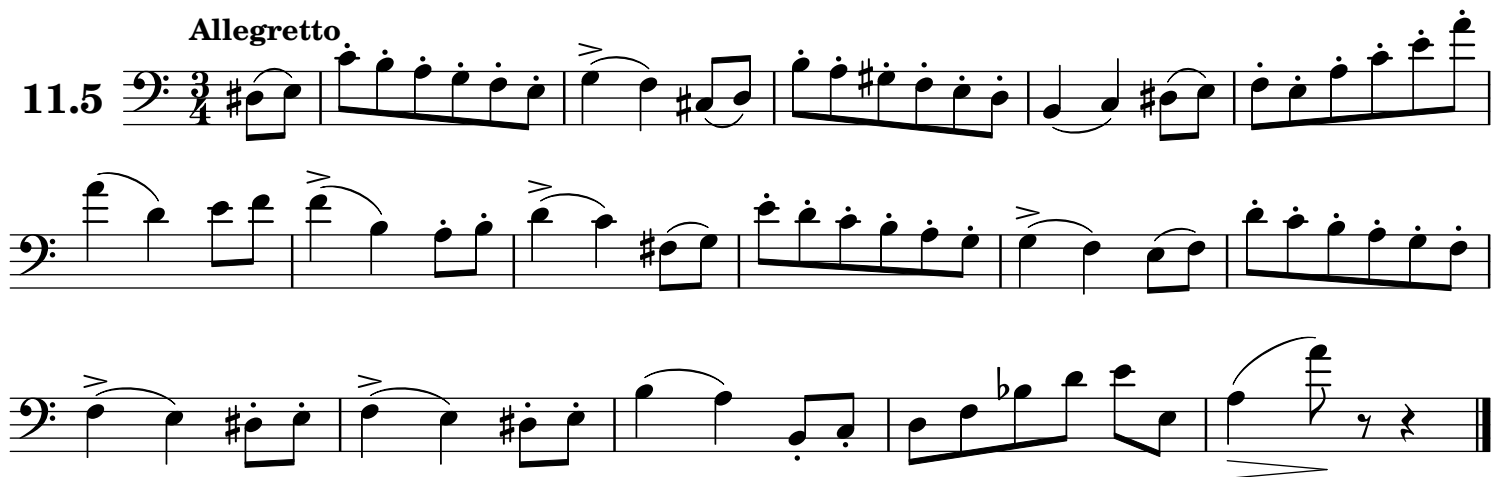


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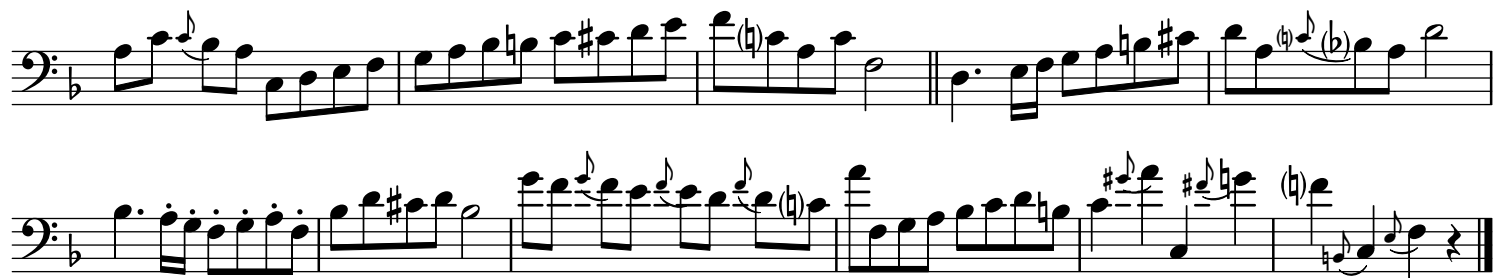


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12. Exercises in F Major





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12.6



Adagio

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13. Exercises in D Minor

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13.2 *Maestoso*

13.3 *Allegretto*

13.4 *Moderato*



Adagio

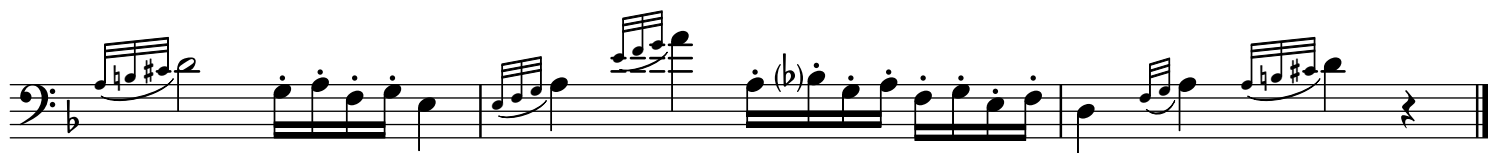
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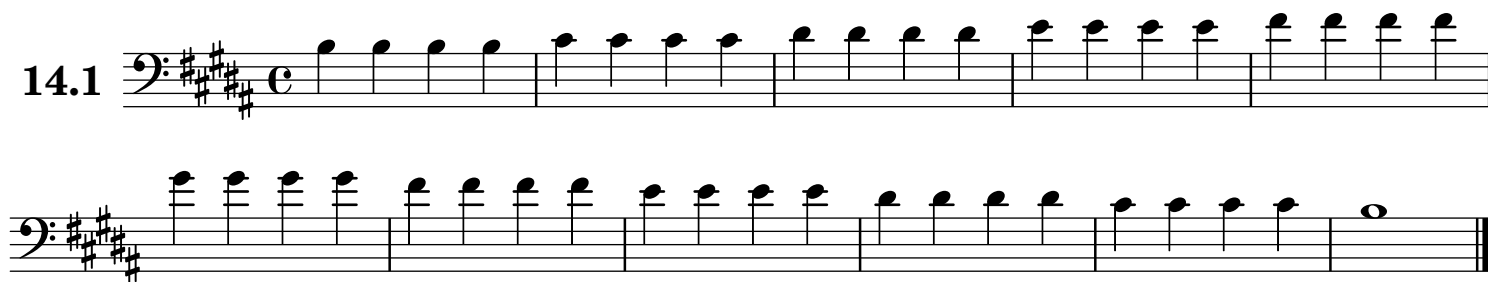
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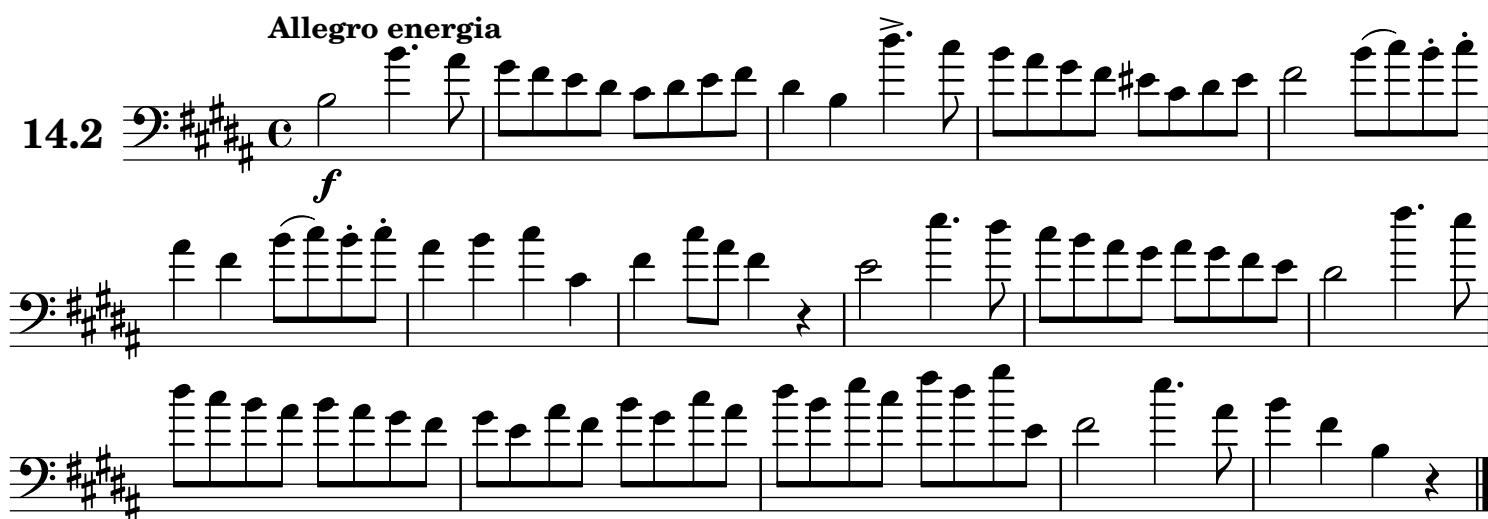
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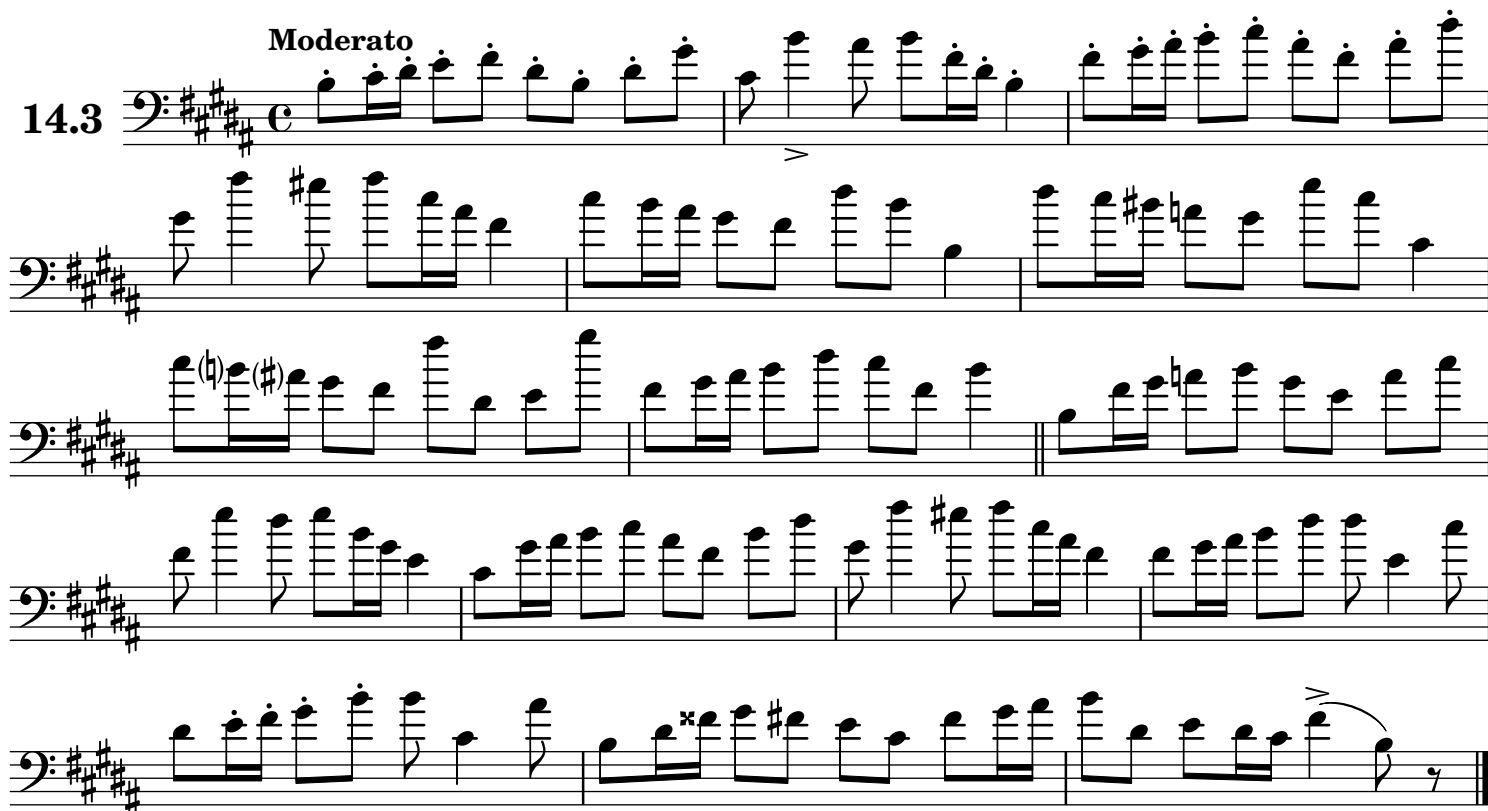
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14.3

Moderato



Adagio

14.4

Exercise 14.4 is an Adagio piece in E major/C minor, 4/4 time. It consists of four staves. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The music features a series of eighth notes with various ornaments (accents, slurs, and grace notes) and accidentals (sharps, flats, and naturals). The second staff continues the melodic line with similar ornamentation. The third staff introduces a bass clef and continues the piece with more complex rhythmic patterns and ornaments. The fourth staff concludes the exercise with a final cadence and a double bar line.

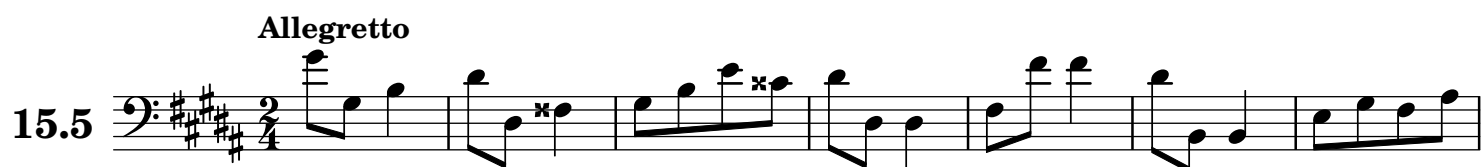
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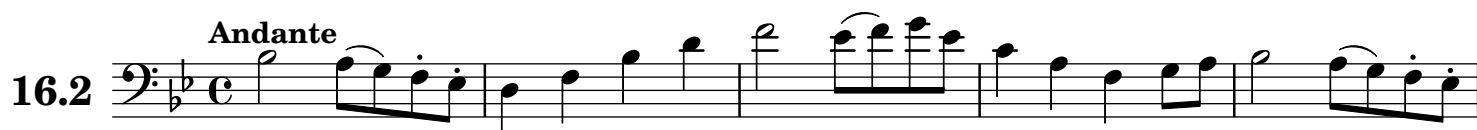
Exercise 14.5 is a Moderato piece in E major/C minor, 4/4 time. It consists of four staves. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The music features a series of eighth notes with various ornaments (accents, slurs, and grace notes) and accidentals (sharps, flats, and naturals). The second staff continues the melodic line with similar ornamentation. The third staff introduces a bass clef and continues the piece with more complex rhythmic patterns and ornaments. The fourth staff concludes the exercise with a final cadence and a double bar line.

15. Exercises in G-Sharp Minor





16. Exercises in B-Flat Major





Moderato



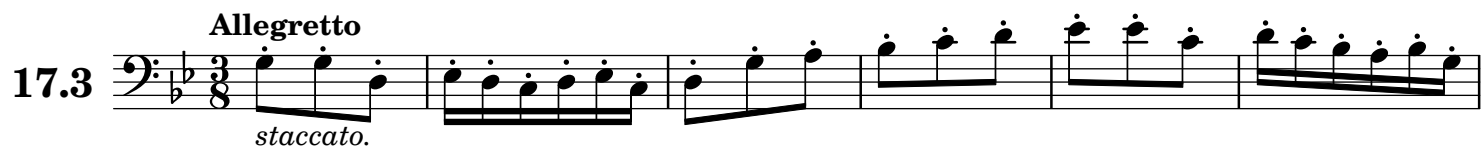
17. Exercises in G Minor



Maestoso



Allegretto



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Two staves of music in bass clef, key of B-flat major. The first staff contains measures 47 through 52. The second staff contains measures 53 through 58. The music features a variety of note values, rests, and accidentals, including a key signature change to one sharp in measure 54.

17.4 **Andantino**

The musical score for exercise 17.4, titled "Andantino", is written in bass clef, B-flat major, and common time. It consists of two staves. The first staff contains measures 1-4, and the second staff contains measures 5-8. The melody is primarily eighth-note based with triplets and slurs. Measure 8 ends with a double bar line.

Moderato

17.5

The musical score for measures 17.5 to 21 is written in bass clef, key of B-flat major, and 4/4 time. The tempo is marked 'Moderato'. The melody consists of eighth notes, with various accidentals (sharps, flats, and naturals) indicating chromatic movement. The accompaniment is a steady eighth-note pattern. The score ends with a double bar line and a repeat sign.

18. Exercises in G-Flat Major

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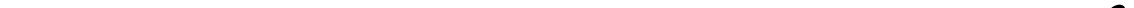
Musical notation for the bass line of 'The Rose Tree'. The key signature is B-flat major (two flats). The melody consists of the following notes: G2, A2, Bb2, C3, D3, E3, F3, G3, A3, Bb3, C4, D4, E4, F4, G4, A4, Bb4, C5, D5, E5, F5, G5, A5, Bb5, C6, D6, E6, F6, G6, A6, Bb6, C7, D7, E7, F7, G7, A7, Bb7, C8, D8, E8, F8, G8, A8, Bb8, C9, D9, E9, F9, G9, A9, Bb9, C10, D10, E10, F10, G10, A10, Bb10, C11, D11, E11, F11, G11, A11, Bb11, C12, D12, E12, F12, G12, A12, Bb12, C13, D13, E13, F13, G13, A13, Bb13, C14, D14, E14, F14, G14, A14, Bb14, C15, D15, E15, F15, G15, A15, Bb15, C16, D16, E16, F16, G16, A16, Bb16, C17, D17, E17, F17, G17, A17, Bb17, C18, D18, E18, F18, G18, A18, Bb18, C19, D19, E19, F19, G19, A19, Bb19, C20, D20, E20, F20, G20, A20, Bb20, C21, D21, E21, F21, G21, A21, Bb21, C22, D22, E22, F22, G22, A22, Bb22, C23, D23, E23, F23, G23, A23, Bb23, C24, D24, E24, F24, G24, A24, Bb24, C25, D25, E25, F25, G25, A25, Bb25, C26, D26, E26, F26, G26, A26, Bb26, C27, D27, E27, F27, G27, A27, Bb27, C28, D28, E28, F28, G28, A28, Bb28, C29, D29, E29, F29, G29, A29, Bb29, C30, D30, E30, F30, 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Bb134, C135, D135

18.3 **Moderato**

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The bass line of 'The Rose Tree' is written on a single staff in bass clef. The key signature has three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat), and the time signature is 3/4. The melody consists of the following notes: G2 (quarter), A2 (quarter), B2 (quarter), C3 (quarter), B2 (quarter), A2 (quarter), G2 (quarter), F2 (quarter), E2 (quarter), D2 (quarter), C2 (half). The final measure contains a whole rest.

18.4 **Moderato**



The musical notation for exercise 18.4 is written in bass clef with a key signature of three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and common time (C). The tempo is marked 'Moderato'. The melody consists of eighth and quarter notes, with some beamed sixteenth notes. The notes are: G2, A2, B2, C3, D3, E3, F3, G3, A3, B3, C4, D4, E4, F4, G4, A4, B4, C5, D5, E5, F5, G5, A5, B5, C6, D6, E6, F6, G6, A6, B6, C7, D7, E7, F7, G7, A7, B7, C8, D8, E8, F8, G8, A8, B8, C9, D9, E9, F9, G9, A9, B9, C10, D10, E10, F10, G10, A10, B10, C11, D11, E11, F11, G11, A11, B11, C12, D12, E12, F12, G12, A12, B12, C13, D13, E13, F13, G13, A13, B13, C14, D14, E14, F14, G14, A14, B14, C15, D15, E15, F15, G15, A15, B15, C16, D16, E16, F16, G16, A16, B16, C17, D17, E17, F17, G17, A17, B17, C18, D18, E18, F18, G18, A18, B18, C19, D19, E19, F19, G19, A19, B19, C20, D20, E20, F20, G20, A20, B20, C21, D21, E21, F21, G21, A21, B21, C22, D22, E22, F22, G22, A22, B22, C23, D23, E23, F23, G23, A23, B23, C24, D24, E24, F24, G24, A24, B24, C25, D25, E25, F25, G25, A25, B25, C26, D26, E26, F26, G26, A26, B26, C27, D27, E27, F27, G27, A27, B27, C28, D28, E28, F28, G28, A28, B28, C29, D29, E29, F29, G29, A29, B29, C30, D30, E30, F30, G30, A30, B30, C31, D31, E31, F31, G31, A31, B31, C32, D32, E32, F32, G32, A32, B32, C33, D33, E33, F33, G33, A33, B33, C34, D34, E34, F34, G34, A34, B34, C35, D35, E35, F35, G35, A35, B35, C36, D36, E36, F36, G36, A36, B36, C37, D37, E37, F37, G37, A37, B37, C38, D38, E38, F38, G38, A38, B38, C39, D39, E39, F39, G39, A39, B39, C40, D40, E40, F40, G40, A40, B40, C41, D41, E41, F41, G41, A41, B41, C42, D42, E42, F42, G42, A42, B42, C43, D43, E43, F43, G43, A43, B43, C44, D44, E44, F44, G44, A44, B44, C45, D45, E45, F45, G45, A45, B45, C46, D46, E46, F46, G46, A46, B46, C47, D47, E47, F47, G47, A47, B47, C48, D48, E48, F48, G48, A48, B48, C49, D49, E49, F49, G49, A49, B49, C50, D50, E50, F50, G50, A50, B50, C51, D51, E51, F51, G51, A51, B51, C52, D52, E52, F52, G52, A52, B52, C53, D53, E53, F53, G53, A53, B53, C54, D54, E54, F54, G54, A54, B54, C55, D55, E55, F55, G55, A55, B55, C56, D56, E56, F56, G56, A56, B56, C57, D57, E57, F57, G57, A57, B57, C58, D58, E58, F58, G58, A58, B58, C59, D59, E59, F59, G59, A59, B59, C60, D60, E60, F60, G60, A60, B60, C61, D61, E61, F61, G61, A61, B61, C62, D62, E62, F62, G62, A62, B62, C63, D63, E63, F63, G63, A63, B63, C64, D64, E64, F64, G64, A64, B64, C65, D65, E65, F65, G65, A65, B65, C66, D66, E66, F66, G66, A66, B66, C67, D67, E67, F67, G67, A67, B67, C68, D68, E68, F68, G68, A68, B68, C69, D69, E69, F69, G69, A69, B69, C70, D70, E70, F70, G70, A70, B70, C71, D71, E71, F71, G71, A71, B71, C72, D72, E72, F72, G72, A72, B72, C73, D73, E73, F73, G73, A73, B73, C74, D74, E74, F74, G74, A74, B74, C75, D75, E75, F75, G75, A75, B75, C76, D76, E76, F76, G76, A76, B76, C77, D77, E77, F77, G77, A77, B77, C78, D78, E78, F78, G78, A78, B78, C79, D79, E79, F79, G79, A79, B79, C80, D80, E80, F80, G80, A80, B80, C81, D81, E81, F81, G81, A81, B81, C82, D82, E82, F82, G82, A82, B82, C83, D83, E83, F83, G83, A83, B83, C84, D84, E84, F84, G84, A84, B84, C85, D85, E85, F85, G85, A85, B85, C86, D86, E86, F86, G86, A86, B86, C87, D87, E87, F87, G87, A87, B87, C88, D88, E88, F88, G88, A88, B88, C89, D89, E89, F89, G89, A89, B89, C90, D90, E90, F90, G90, A90, B90, C91, D91, E91, F91, G91, A91, B91, C92, D92, E92, F92, G92, A92, B92, C93, D93, E93, F93, G93, A93, B93, C94, D94, E94, F94, G94, A94, B94, C95, D95, E95, F95, G95, A95, B95, C96, D96, E96, F96, G96, A96, B96, C97, D97, E97, F97, G97, A97, B97, C98, D98, E98, F98, G98, A98, B98, C99, D99, E99, F99, G99, A99, B99, C100, D100, E100, F100, G100, A100, B100, C101, D101, E101, F101, G101, A101, B101, C102, D102, E102, F102, G102, A102, B102, C103, D103, E103, F103, G103, A103, B103, C104, D104, E104, F104, G104, A104, B104, C105, D105, E105, F105, G105, A105, B105, C106, D106, E106, F106, G106, A106, B106, C107, D107, E107, F107, G107, A107, B107, C108, D108, E108, F108, G108, A108, B108, C109, D109, E109, F109, G109, A109, B109, C110, D110, E110, F110, G110, A110, B110, C111, D111, E111, F111, G111, A111, B111, C112, D112, E112, F112, G112, A112, B112, C113, D113, E113, F113, G113, A113, B113, C114, D114, E114, F114, G114, A114, B114, C115, D115, E115, F115, G115, A115, B115, C116, D116, E116, F116, G116, A116, B116, C117, D117, E117, F117, G117, A117, B117, C118, D118, E118, F118, G118, A118, B118, C119, D119, E119, F119, G119, A119, B119, C120, D120, E120, F120, G120, A120, B120, C121, D121, E121, F121, G121, A121, B121, C122, D122, E122, F122, G122, A122, B122, C123, D123, E123, F123, G123, A123, B123, C124, D124, E124, F124, G124, A124, B124, C125, D125, E125, F125, G125, A125, B125, C126, D126, E126, F126, G126, A126, B126, C127, D127, E127, F127, G127, A127, B127, C128, D128, E128, F128, G128, A128, B128, C129, D129, E129, F129, G129, A129, B129, C130, D130, E130, F130, G130, A130, B130, C131, D131, E131, F131, G131, A131, B131, C132, D132, E132, F132, G132, A132, B132, C133, D133, E133, F133, G133, A133, B133, C134, D134, E134, F134, G134, A134, B134, C135, D135, E135, F135, G135, A135, B135, C136, D1

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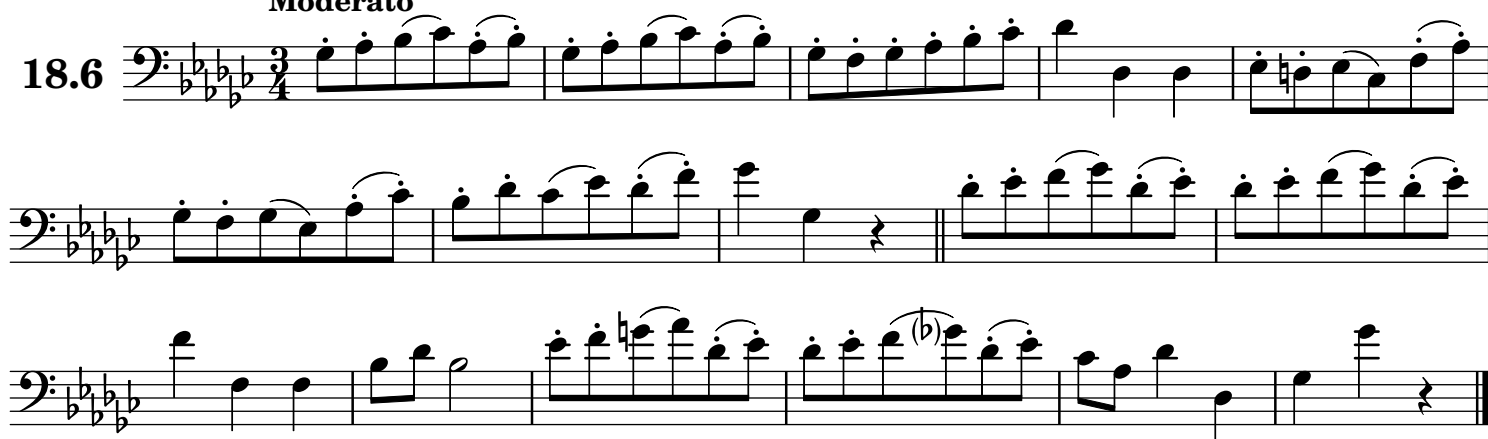
18.5 **Andante**

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The musical notation for the bass staff shows a sequence of notes starting with three chords (F major triad, E minor triad, D major triad) followed by a series of eighth and sixteenth note patterns across several measures, ending with a double bar line.

Moderato

18.6

**Moderato**

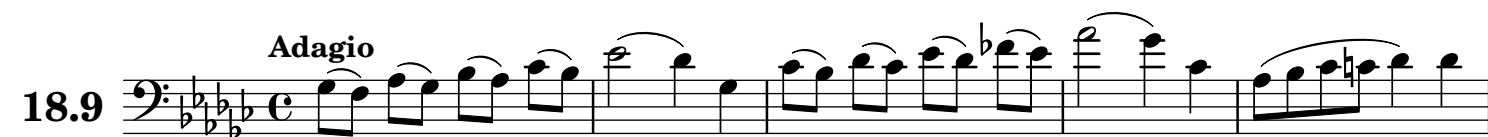
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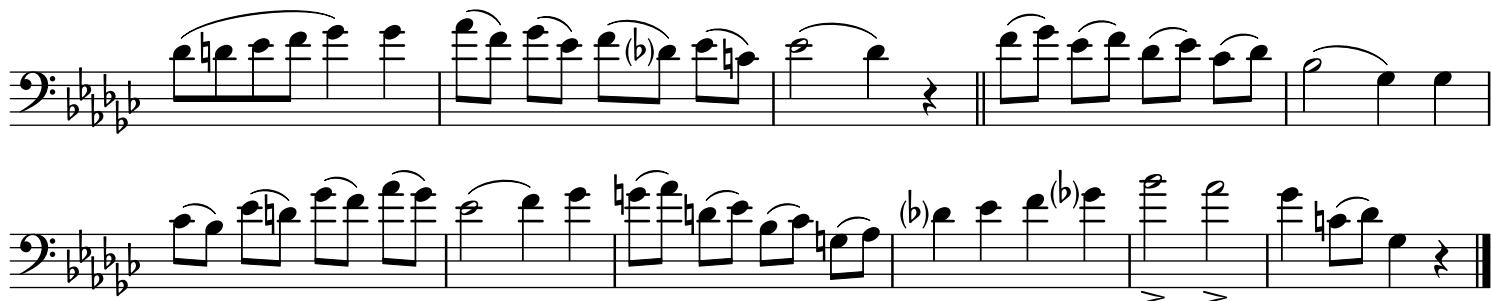
**Moderato**

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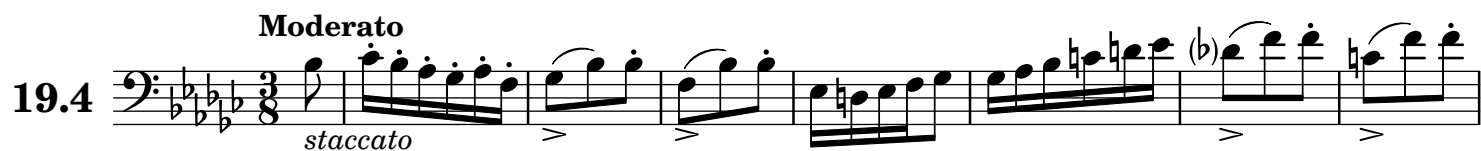
**Adagio**

18.9





19. Exercises in E-Flat Minor





20. Exercises in E-Flat Major

20.1 *Adagio*

20.2 *Moderato*

20.3 *Adagio*

20.4 *Adagio*



21. Exercises in C Minor

21.1 *Adagio*

21.2

21.3 *Andantino*

21.4 *Allegretto*
staccato



22. Exercises in A-Flat Major

22.1

Exercise 22.1 is in A-flat major (three flats: B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and common time (C). It is written in bass clef. The exercise consists of three staves of music. The first staff contains 8 measures, the second staff contains 8 measures with a repeat sign at the end, and the third staff contains 8 measures.

22.2

Adagio

Exercise 22.2 is in A-flat major (three flats: B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and common time (C). It is written in bass clef and marked *Adagio*. The exercise consists of four staves of music. The first staff contains 8 measures, the second staff contains 8 measures, the third staff contains 8 measures, and the fourth staff contains 8 measures.

22.3

Moderato

Exercise 22.3 is in A-flat major (three flats: B-flat, E-flat, A-flat) and 3/8 time. It is written in bass clef and marked *Moderato*. The exercise consists of three staves of music. The first staff contains 8 measures, the second staff contains 8 measures, and the third staff contains 8 measures.

23. Exercises in F Minor

23.1 *Adagio*

23.2 *Moderato*

23.3 *Moderato*



24. Exercises in D-Flat Major

Maestoso

24.1

Allegretto

24.2

Andantino

24.3

**Molto moderato**

24.4



25. Exercises in B-Flat Minor

Adagio

25.1 *Adagio*

The musical score for Example 25.1, titled "Adagio", is written for a single melodic line in bass clef. The key signature is three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat), and the time signature is common time (C). The score is divided into three staves. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a key signature change to one flat (F major/D minor). The music features a mix of eighth and sixteenth notes, often beamed together, and includes slurs and ties. The second and third staves continue the melodic and harmonic development. The piece concludes with a double bar line.

Andante

25.2 *Andante*

The musical score is written in bass clef with a common time signature. It consists of four staves. The first staff begins with a treble clef and a common time signature, followed by a key signature change to three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat). The music features a series of eighth-note chords and single notes, with some measures containing triplets. The second staff continues the melody with similar chordal structures. The third staff shows a more complex arrangement with some measures containing triplets and a key signature change to two flats (B-flat, E-flat). The fourth staff concludes the piece with a final chord and a double bar line.

26. Additional Exercises

26.1 *Andante*

26.2 *Moderato*

Molto moderato

26.3

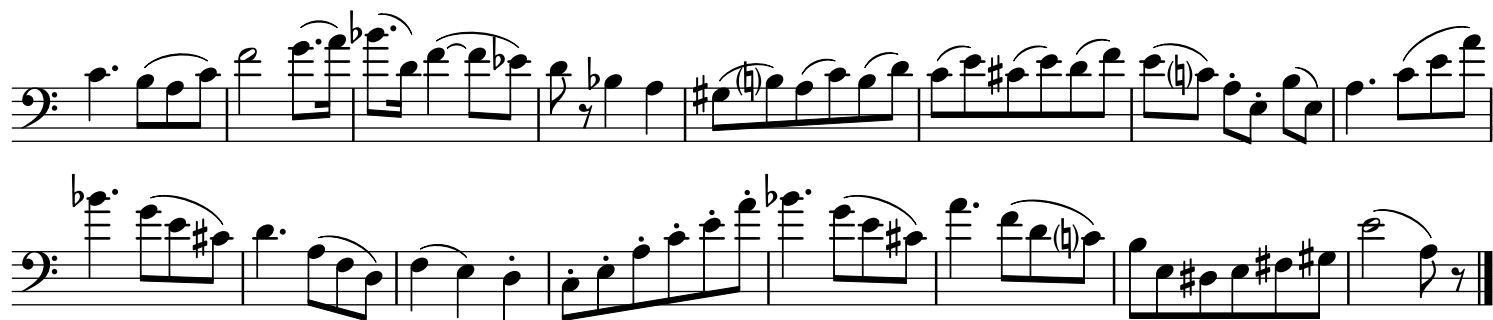
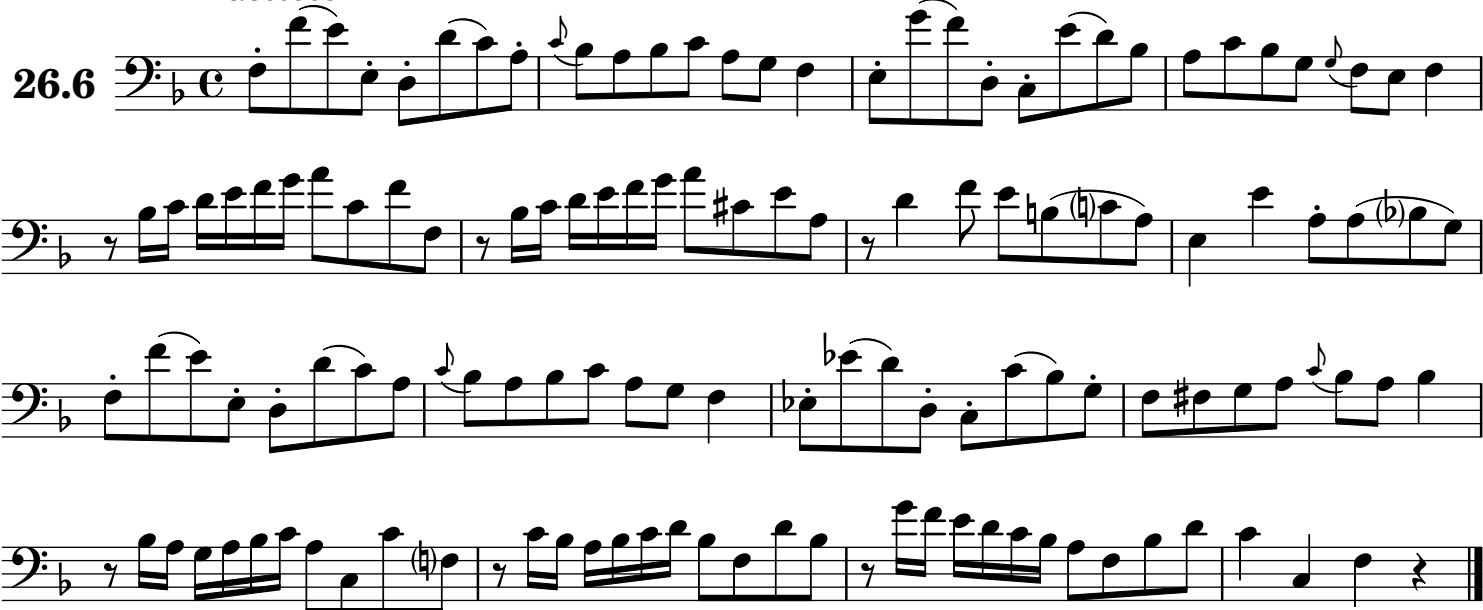
**Moderato**

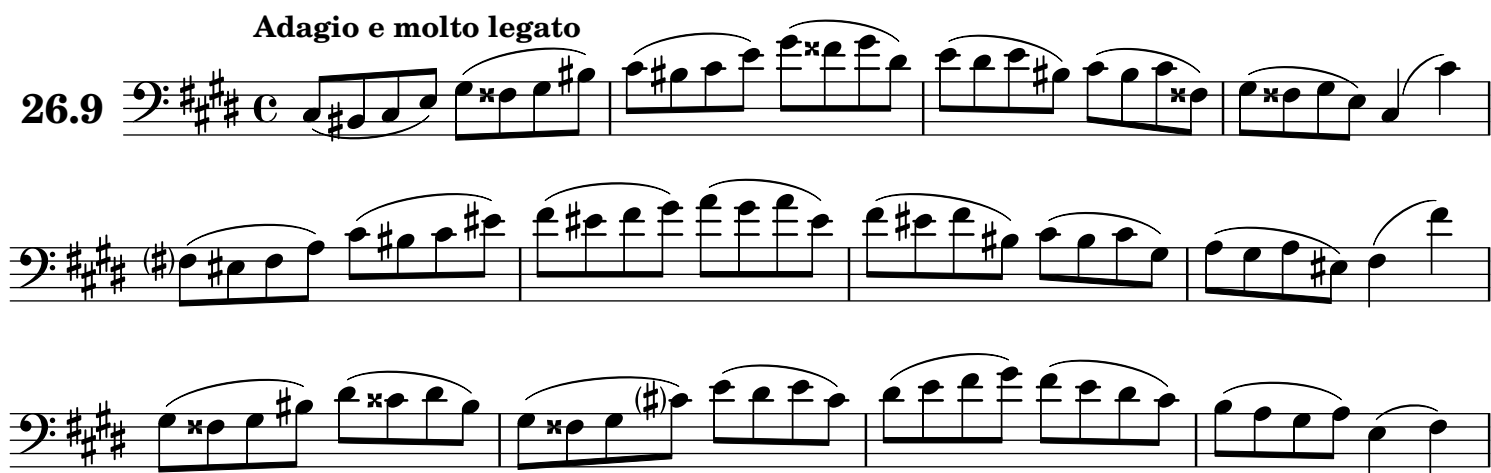
26.4

**Andante cantabile**

26.5



**Maestoso****Moderato**



Measures 68-75: Bass clef, key of D major (F# C# G#). The music consists of eighth and sixteenth notes, often beamed in pairs or groups of four, with various accidentals (sharps, naturals, flats) and slurs. Measure 75 ends with a double bar line.

Moderato

Measures 26.10-26.11: Bass clef, 6/8 time, key of D major. Measure 26.10 begins with a treble clef on a single staff, while the rest of the system is in bass clef. The music features eighth and sixteenth notes, often beamed in groups, with slurs and various accidentals. Measure 26.11 ends with a double bar line.

Allegretto

Measure 26.11: Bass clef, 6/8 time, key of D major. The music consists of eighth and sixteenth notes, often beamed in groups, with slurs and various accidentals. The measure ends with a double bar line.

Measures 69-74: This section contains six staves of music in bass clef with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#). The music features a series of eighth-note chords, many of which are beamed together in groups of four. Some measures include an 'x' symbol above a note, and measure 74 ends with a fermata over the final note.

Moderato

26.12

Measures 26.12-26.18: This section contains seven staves of music in bass clef with a key signature of two sharps (D, A) and common time (C). The music consists of eighth-note chords, some beamed in groups of four. Measure 26.15 includes a fermata over a note, and measure 26.18 ends with a fermata over the final note. There are also some accidentals (sharps and naturals) throughout the section.

