

BASS EXCERPTS

READ DIRECTIONS CAREFULLY

Prepare a Solo of your choice (a movement of Sonata, Concerto, etc.). Prepare ALL excerpts. Bernstein metronome markings are taken from the full score. Use professional audio and video recordings for a more thorough tempo guideline for both Tchaikovsky and Bernstein. There will be sight reading at the audition. A link for audition signups will be available on the school of music website. Excerpts are marked with brackets.

BERNSTEIN *Symphonic Dances from WSS*, PROLOGUE *Allegro Moderato* (♩= 128)

225 (pizz.)
ff f dim. molto p

235
mp cresc. f

arco
ff

243
Furioso

250 254
fff

258

BERNSTEIN *Symphonic Dances from WSS, COOL Swing Allegretto* (♩ = 160)

Allegretto (♩ = 160)

656

f *cresc. sempre* *f*

661

666

ff

670

676

681

fz

Detailed description: This image shows a page of musical notation for the piece "COOL Swing Allegretto" by Leonard Bernstein. The score is written in bass clef with a 3/4 time signature. It begins with a large left bracket and includes dynamic markings such as *f*, *cresc. sempre*, and *ff*. The piece concludes with a large right bracket and a final dynamic marking of *fz*. Measure numbers 656, 661, 666, 670, 676, and 681 are enclosed in boxes above the staff. The notation includes various rhythmic values, slurs, and articulation marks.

TCHAIKOVSKY *Swan Lake*, Valse

Musical score for Tchaikovsky's *Swan Lake*, Valse, measures 14-15. The score is written in bass clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). Measure 14 is marked with a box containing the number 14 and a dynamic marking of *ff*. The first staff of measure 14 is also enclosed in a large left-facing bracket. The second staff of measure 14 features a slanted line under the first few notes, indicating a glissando. The third staff of measure 14 is marked with a dynamic marking of *ff*. Measure 15 is marked with a box containing the number 15. The score consists of nine staves in total, with the final staff of measure 15 enclosed in a large right-facing bracket.

TCHAIKOVSKY *Swan Lake*, Mazurka

arco
ff

pizz.
p

10 arco
ff

11
ff

12 Più mosso