young symphonic band series

Oak Ridge Overture

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Oak Ridge Overture is written in the overture style of fast-slow-fast. The main rhythmic motif is stated in the trumpets and altos beginning at measure [3], leading into the "waterfall" in measures [9] - [20]. The trombones and baritones then pick up the syncopated rhythmic motif at measure [23], the contrasting middle section features clarinets and saxes in legato style The main theme is repeated in the key of F, the in B. Be sure to bring out the woodwind countermelody at measure [72], and keep the percussion driving and present throughout the fast sections.

N S T R U M E N T A T I O N

- 1 Conductor Score
- 10 Flute
- 2 Oboe
- 2 Bassoon
- 6 1st B♭ Clarinet
- 6 2nd Bk Clarinet
- 1 El Alto Clarinet
- 2 B Bass Clarinet
- 2 Alto Saxophone
- 2 2nd El Alto Saxophone
- B♭ Tenor Saxophone
- 1 El Baritone Saxophone

- 2 F Horn
- 4 1st Bb Trumpet
- 4 2nd Bb Trumpet
- 3 1st Trombone
- 3 2nd Trombone
- 2 Baritone T.C.
- 2 Baritone B.C.
- 4 Tuba
- 4 Mallets (Bells, Chimes, Xylophone)
- Percussion (Snare Drum, Bass Drum, Crash Cymbals, Sus. Cymbal)
- 1 Timpani

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