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Symphony No. 5 — "Reformation"

(Fourth Movement)

Felix Mendelssohn

Arranged by Richard Meyer

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Instrumentation

1 — Conductor Score
1 — Flute
1 — Oboe
1 — Bassoon
1 — B♭ Clarinet I
1 — B♭ Clarinet II
1 — B♭ Bass Clarinet
1 — E♭ Alto Saxophone
1 — F Horn
1 — B♭ Trumpet I
1 — B♭ Trumpet II
1 — Trombone
1 — Tuba
3 — Percussion (Snare Drum, Bass Drum, Crash Cymbals, Triangle)
1 — Timpani
8 — Violin I
8 — Violin II
3 — Violin III (Viola 𝄞)
5 — Viola
5 — Cello
5 — String Bass
1 — Piano Accompaniment

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Mendelssohn completed his *Symphony No. 5* in 1830, at the age of 20. The fourth movement is based on the famous Lutheran chorale, "A Mighty Fortress is Our God." Its melody is announced first by flute alone. Gradually, the other woodwinds, followed by strings and brass, join in. The tempo increases in the main section of the movement, built around various phrases from the chorale. A triumphant proclamation of the chorale concludes the movement. This arrangement retains all the wonderful colors of Mendelssohn's original orchestration while giving your students a chance to learn a wide variety of playing styles (including legato, marcato, and staccato). Playable in first position for strings with some optional shifting for violin 1 and basses.

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(Fourth Movement)

CONDUCTOR SCORE
Duration - 5:30

Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)
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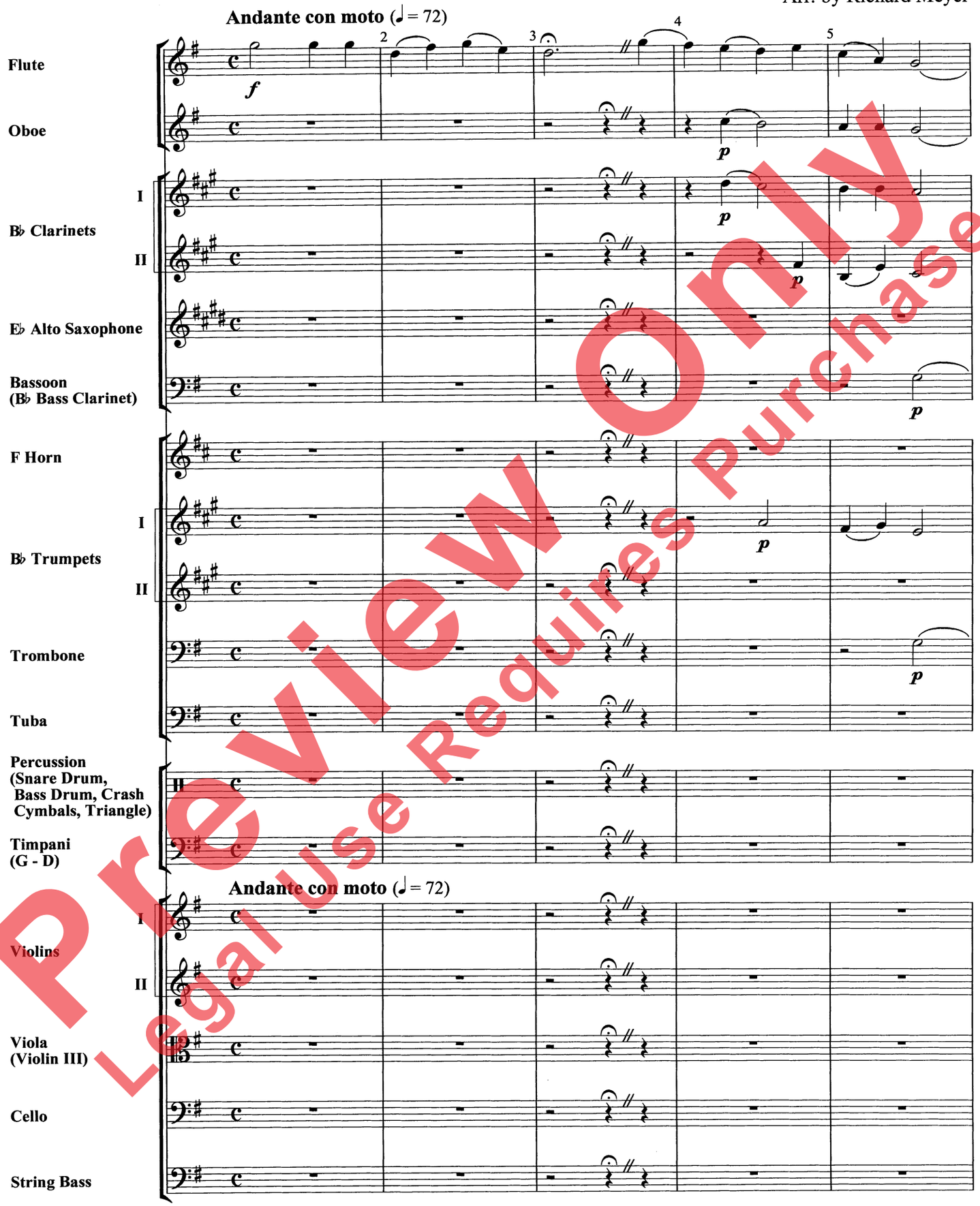

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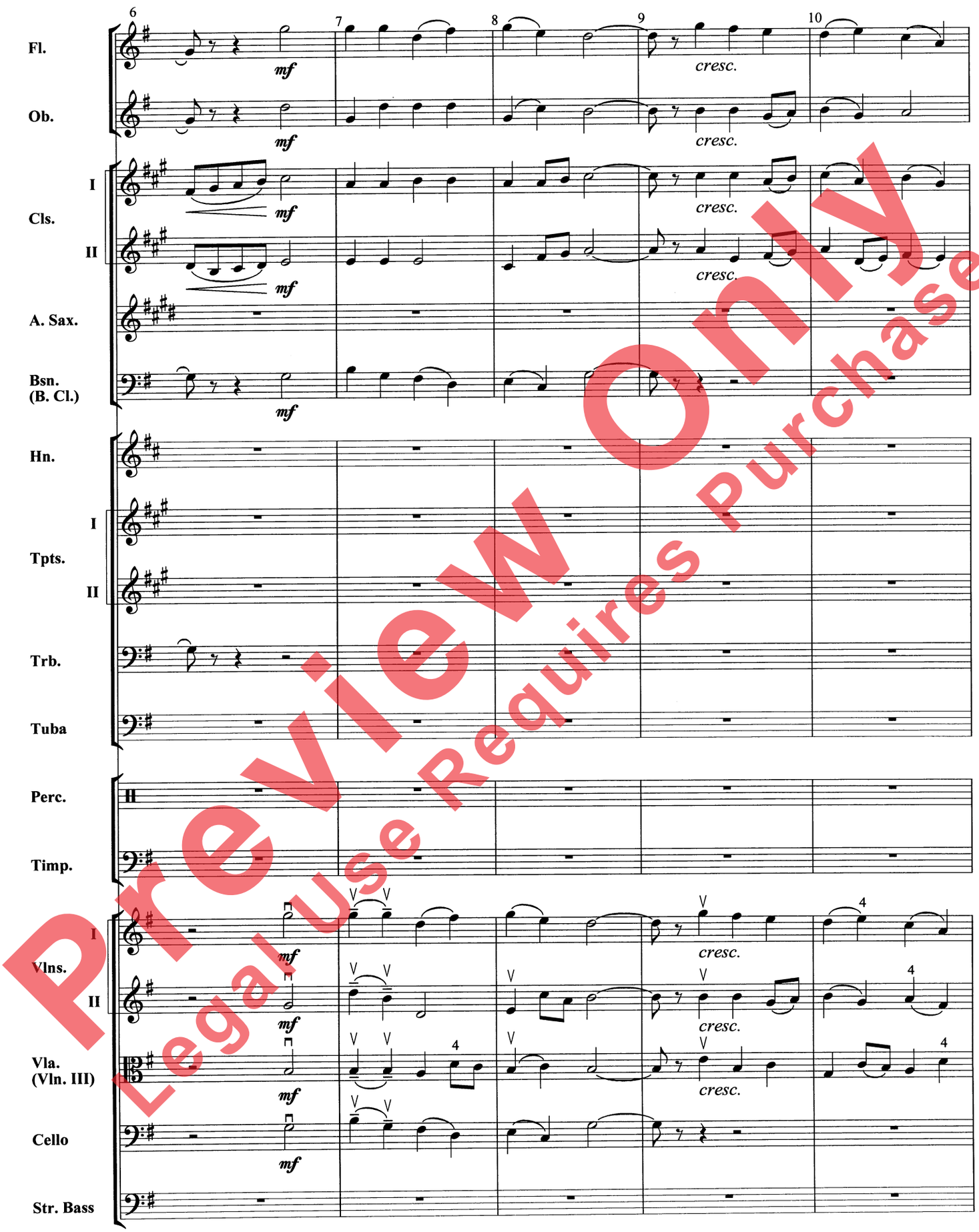

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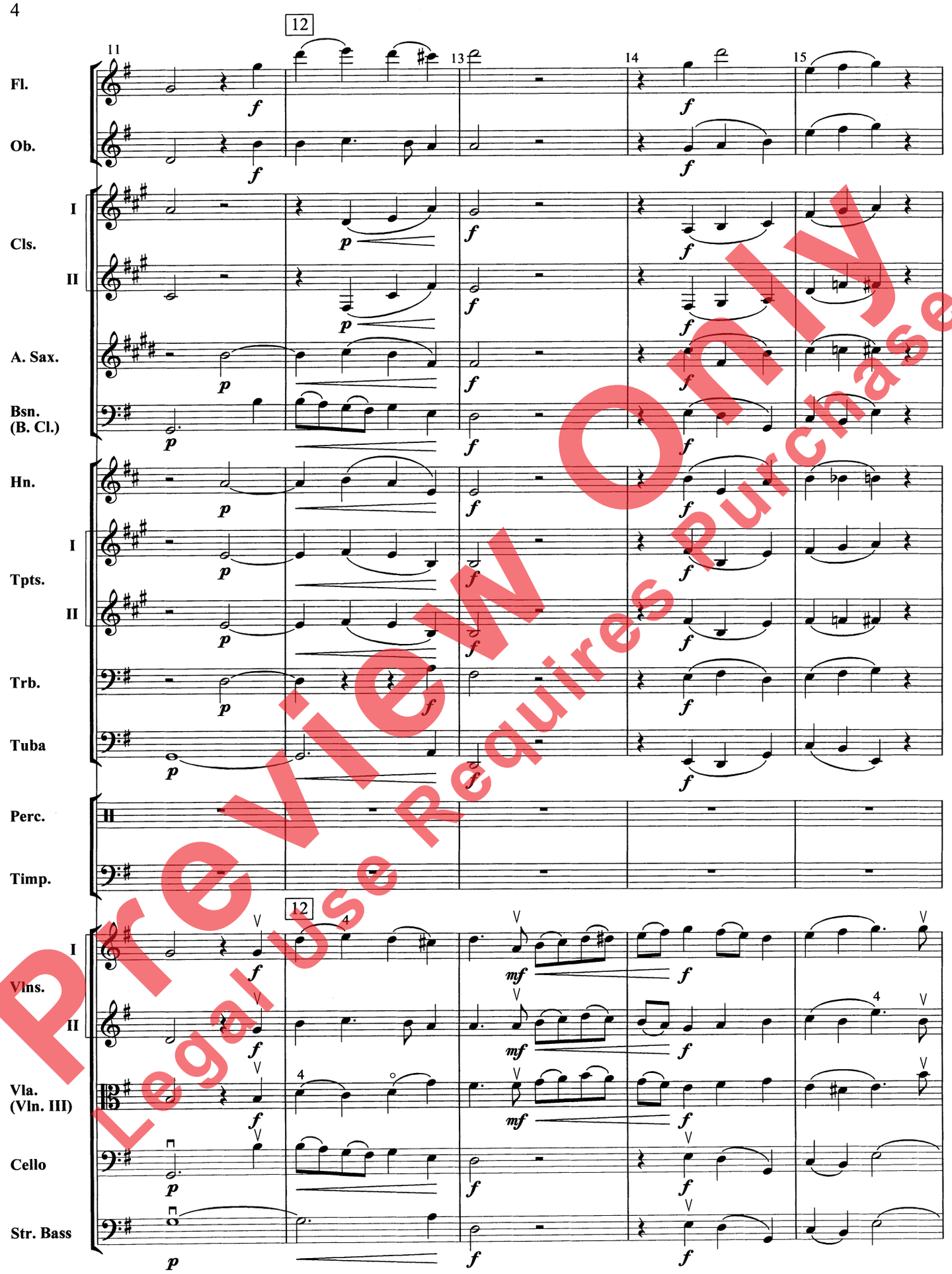

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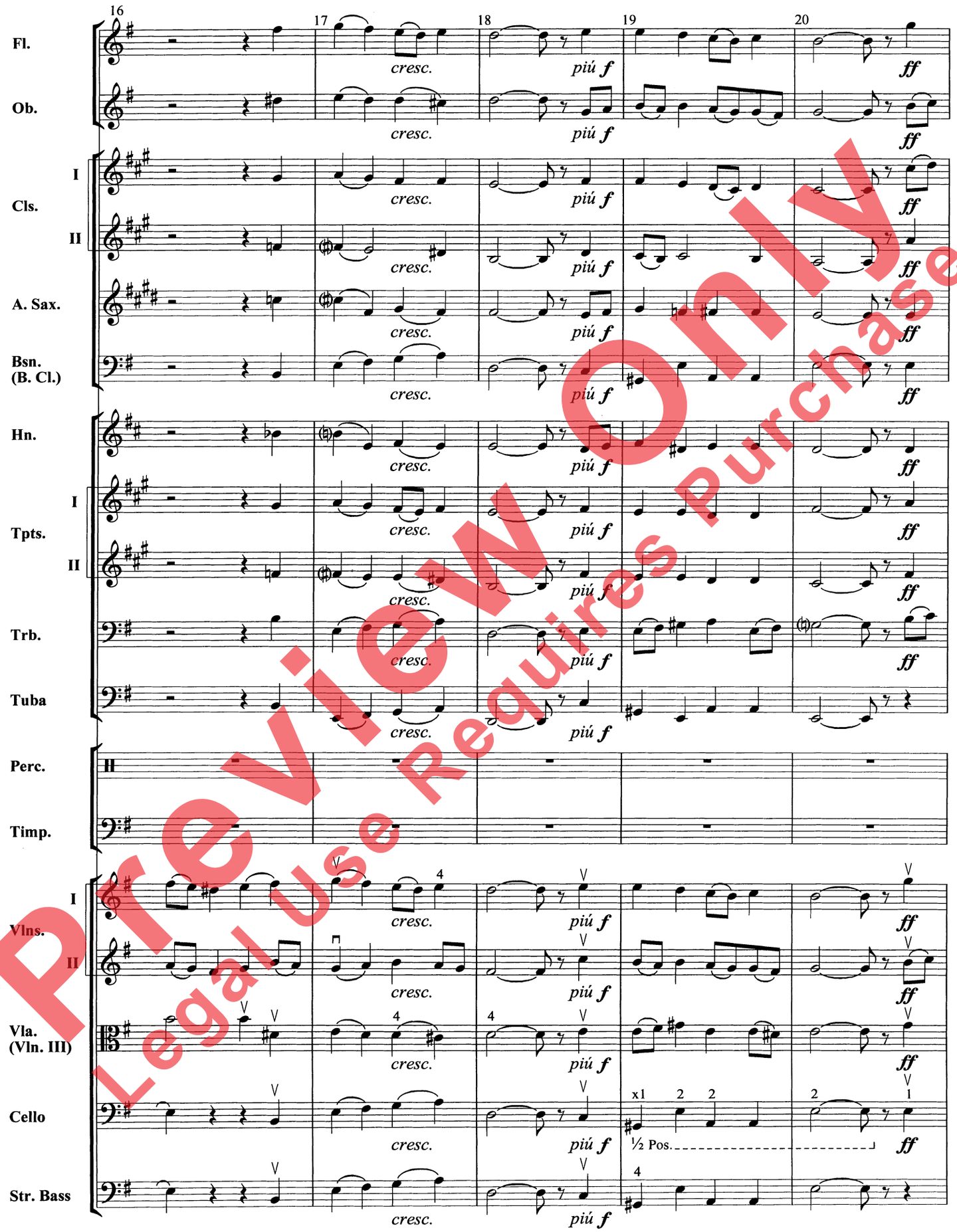

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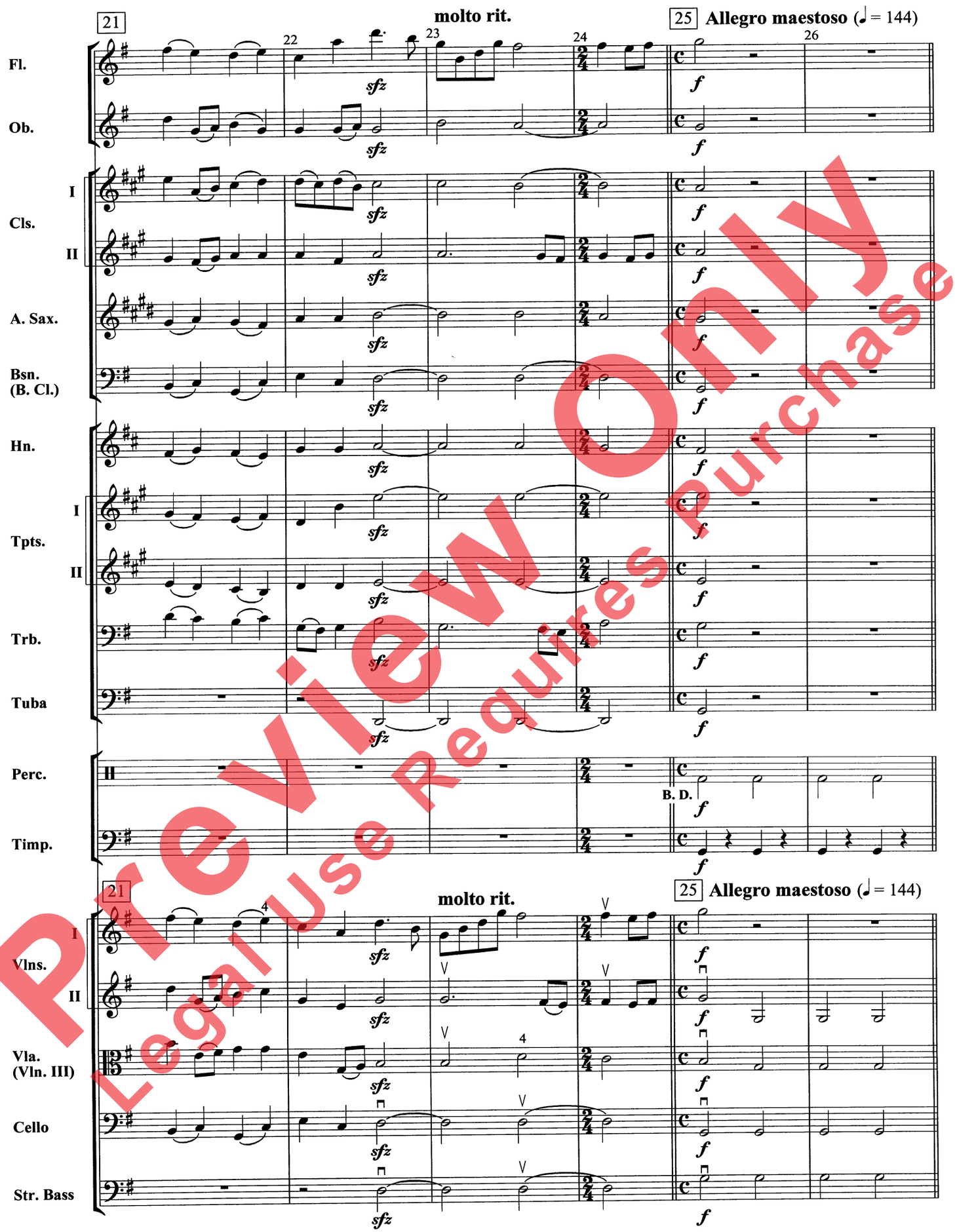

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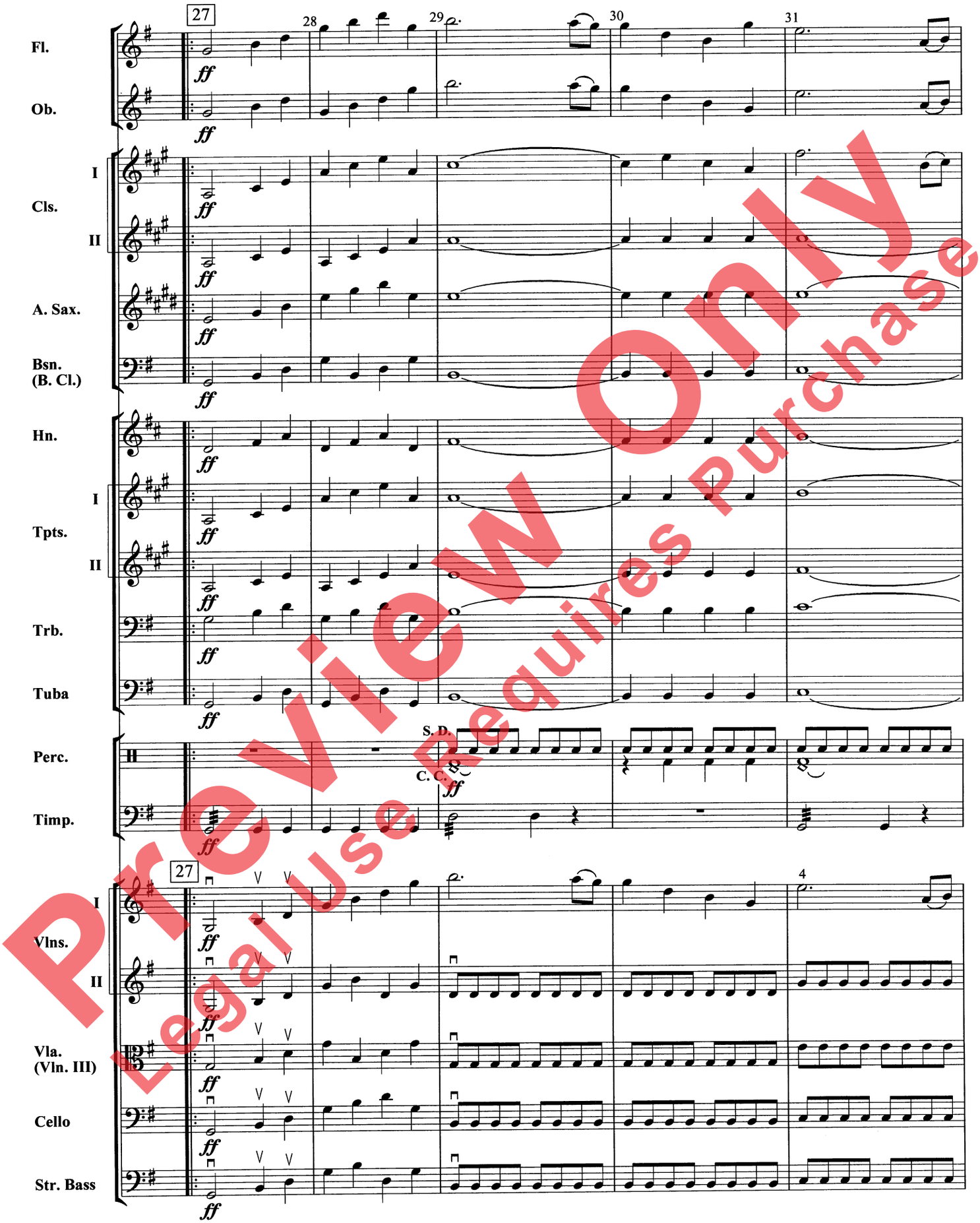

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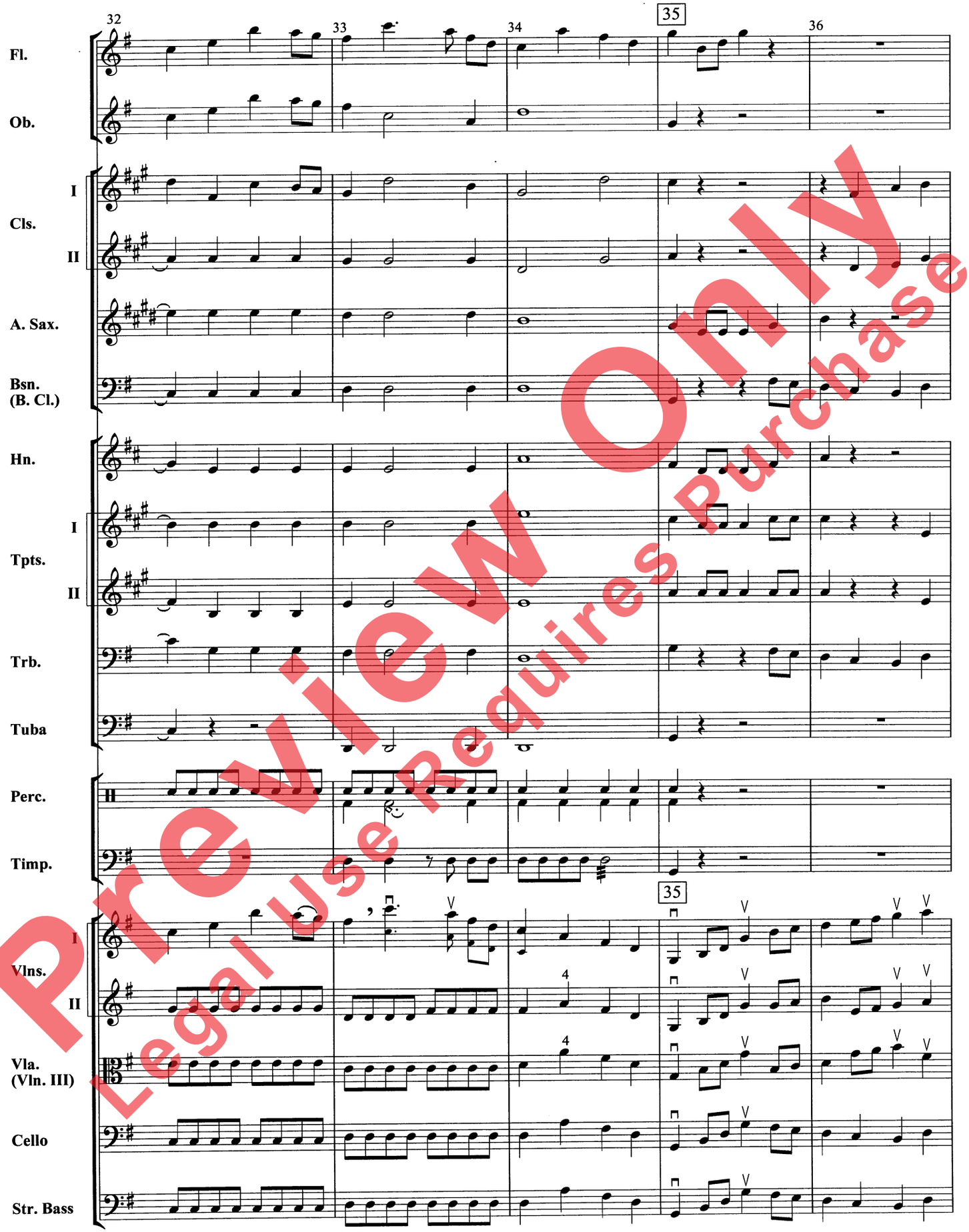

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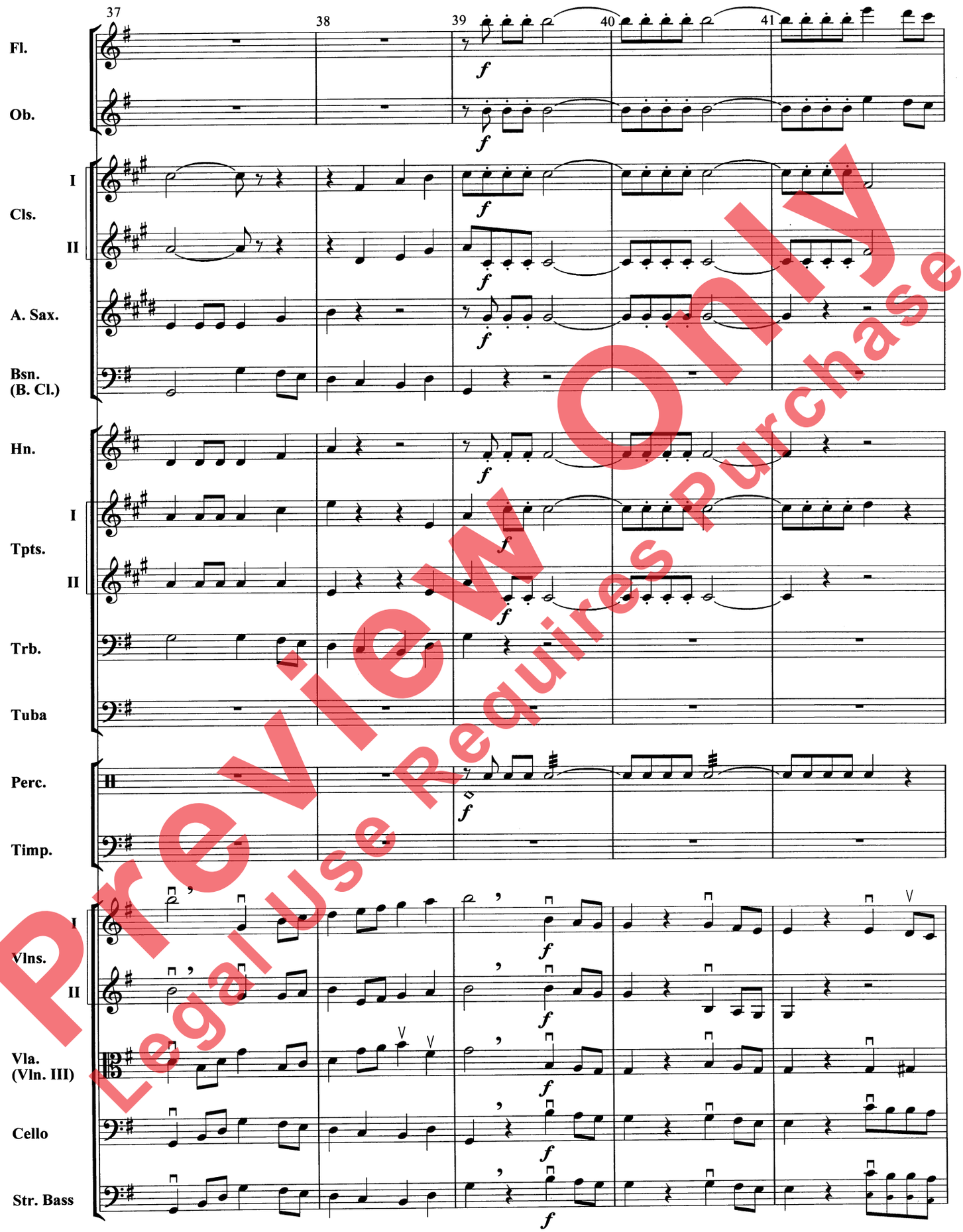

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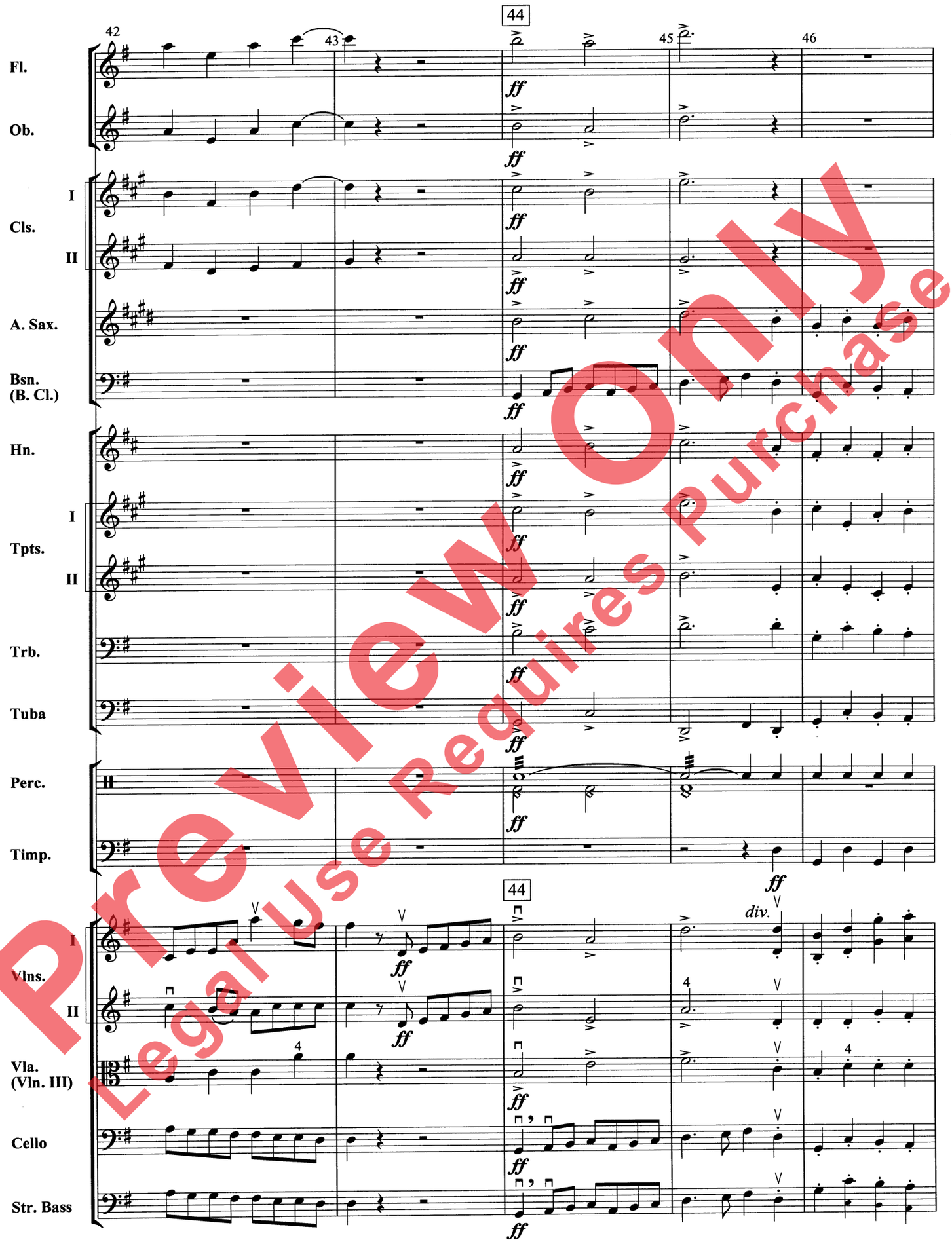

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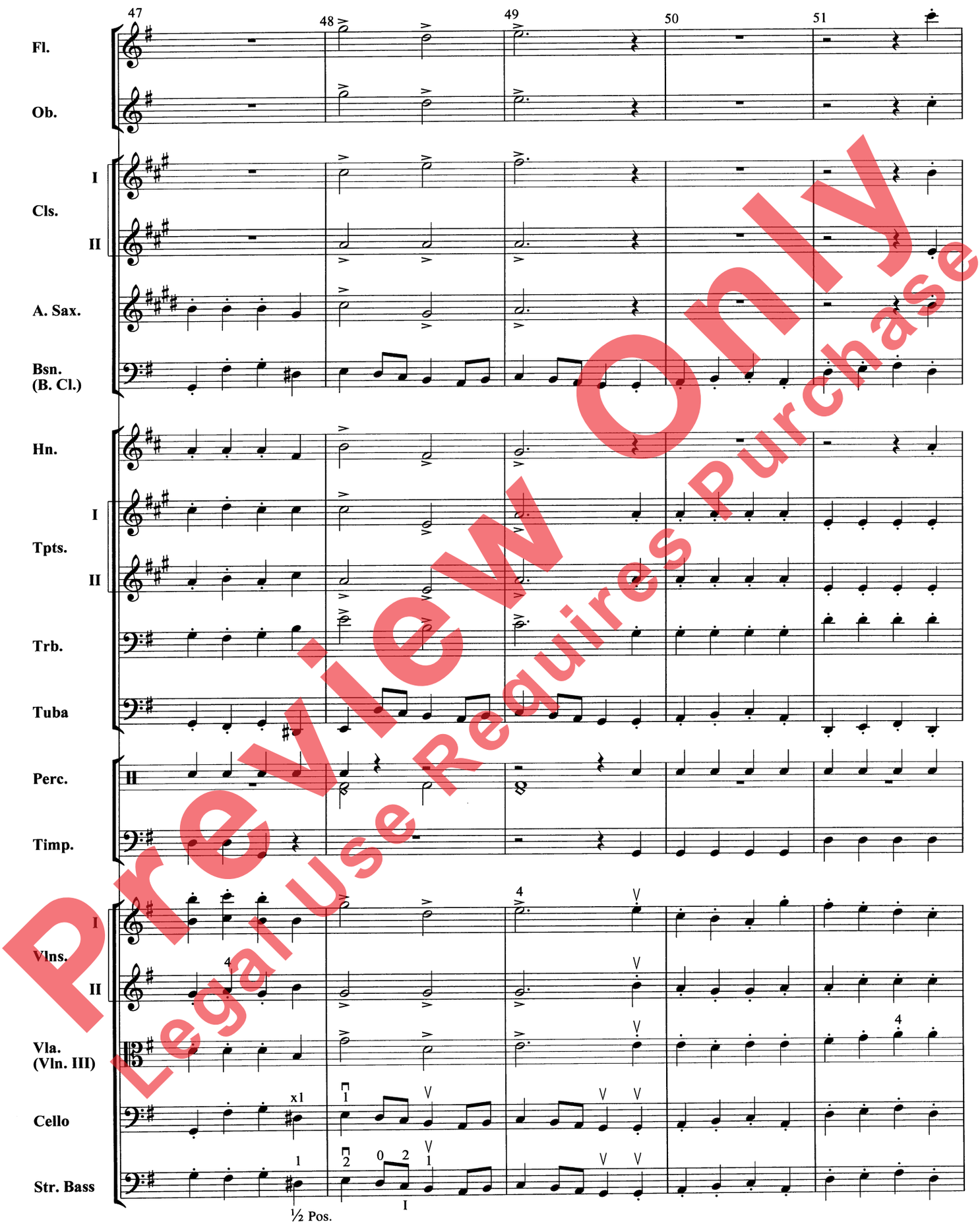

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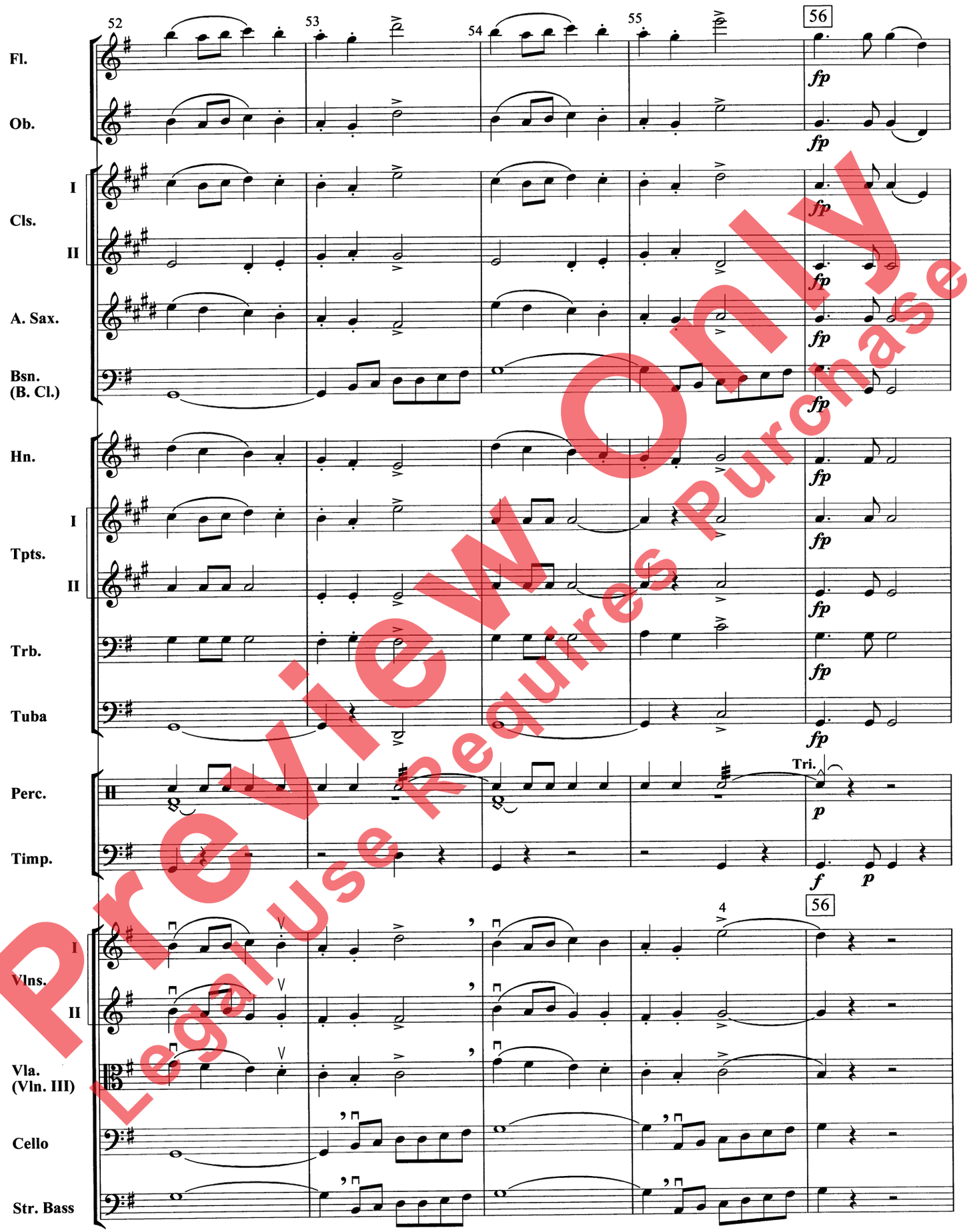

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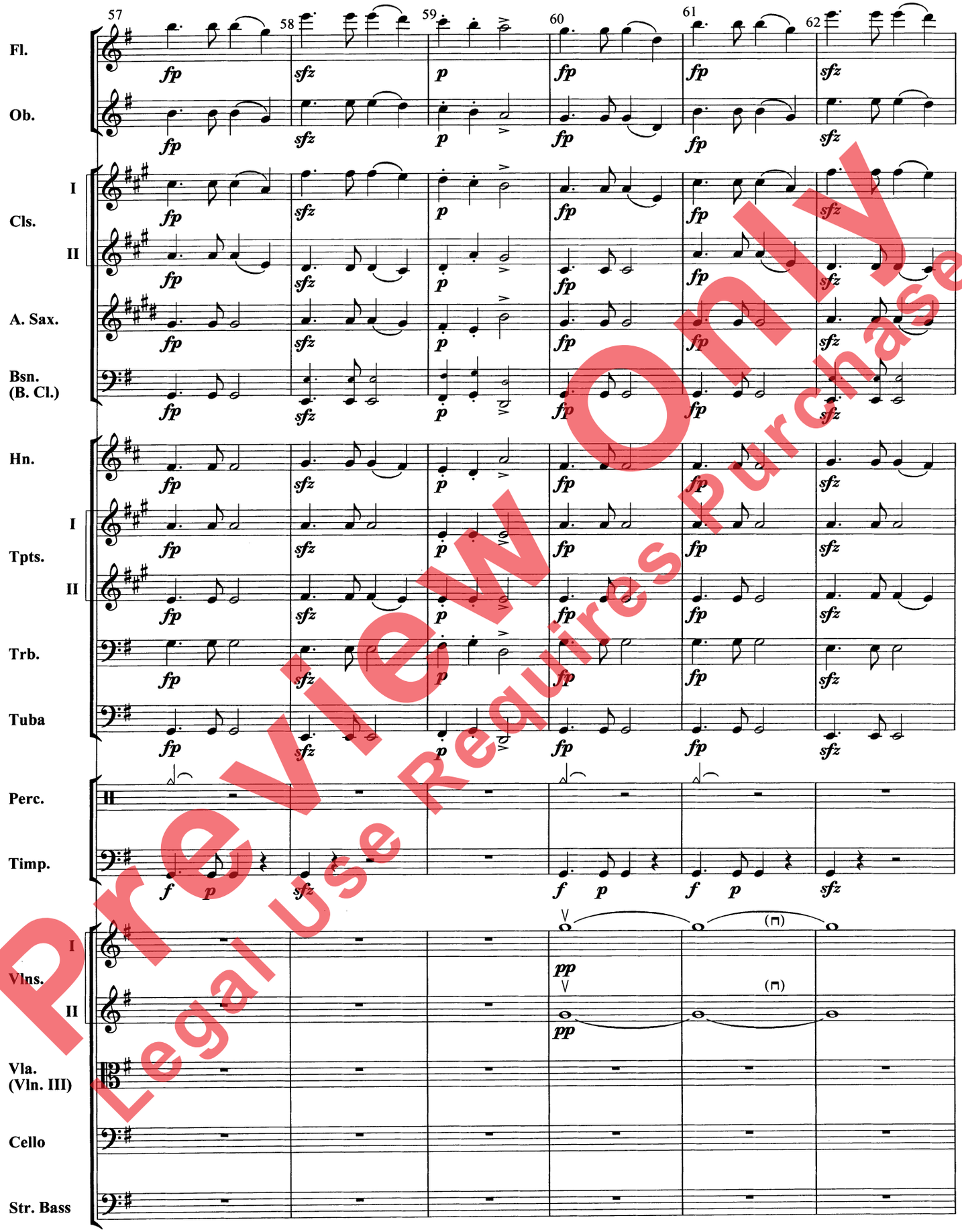

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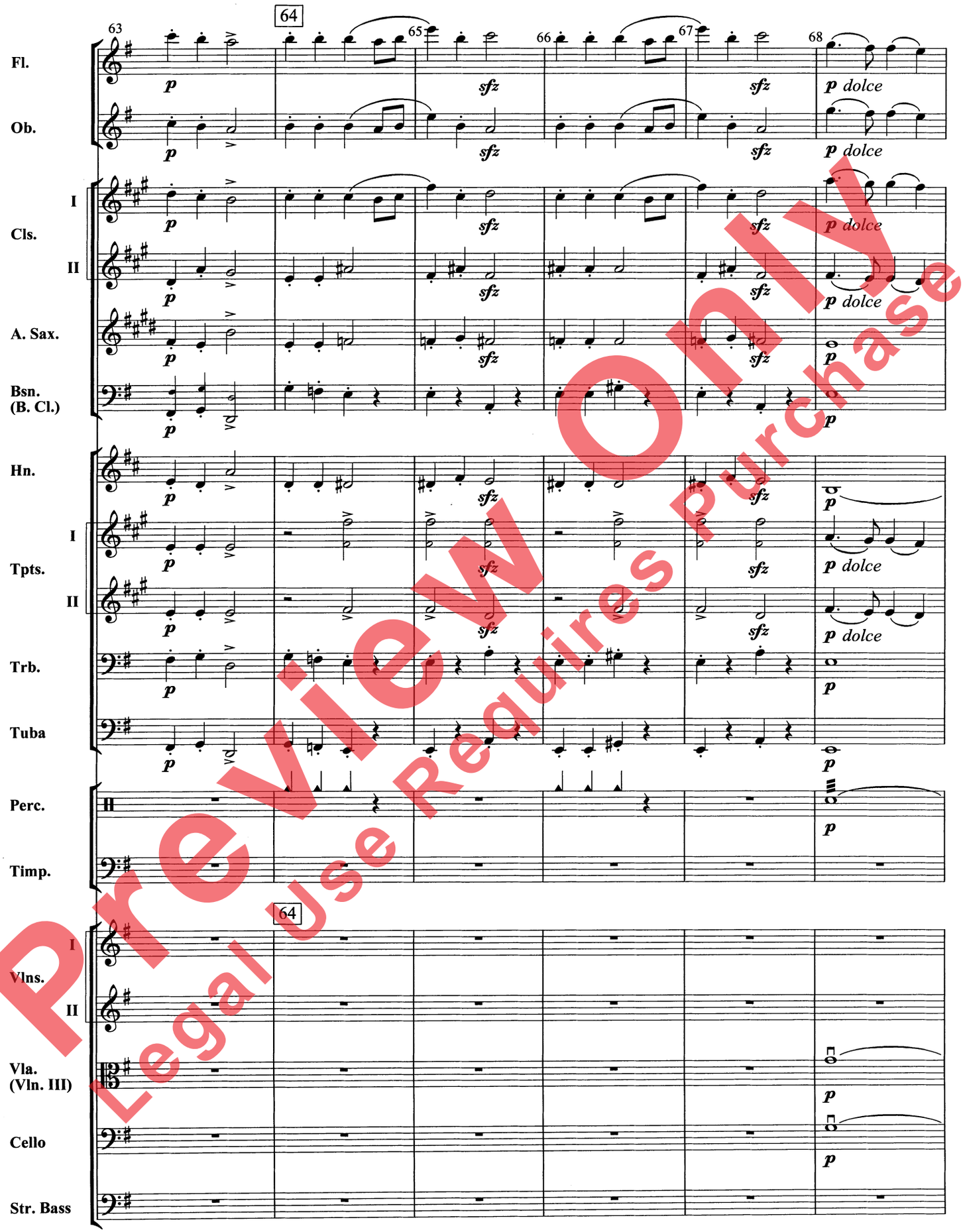

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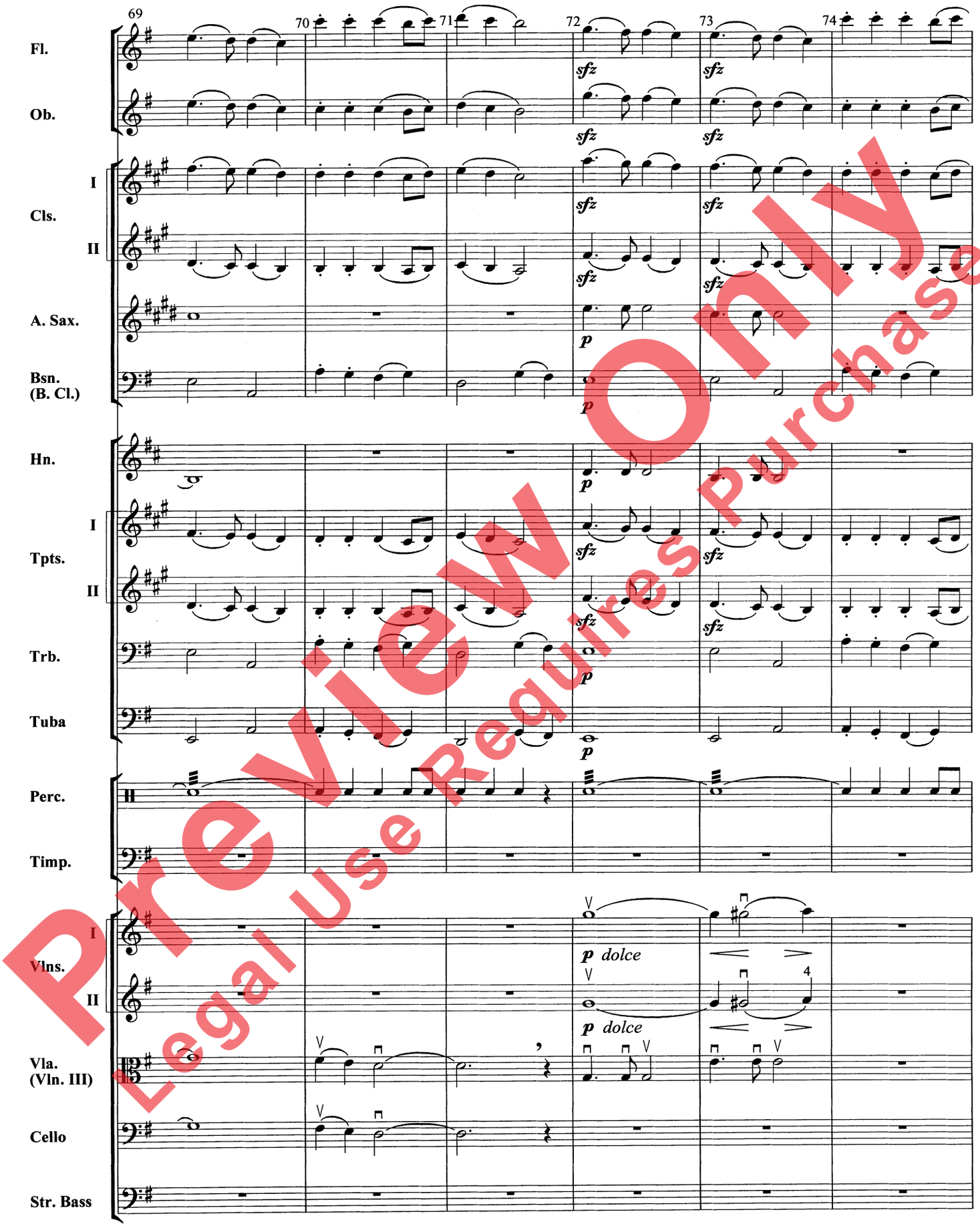

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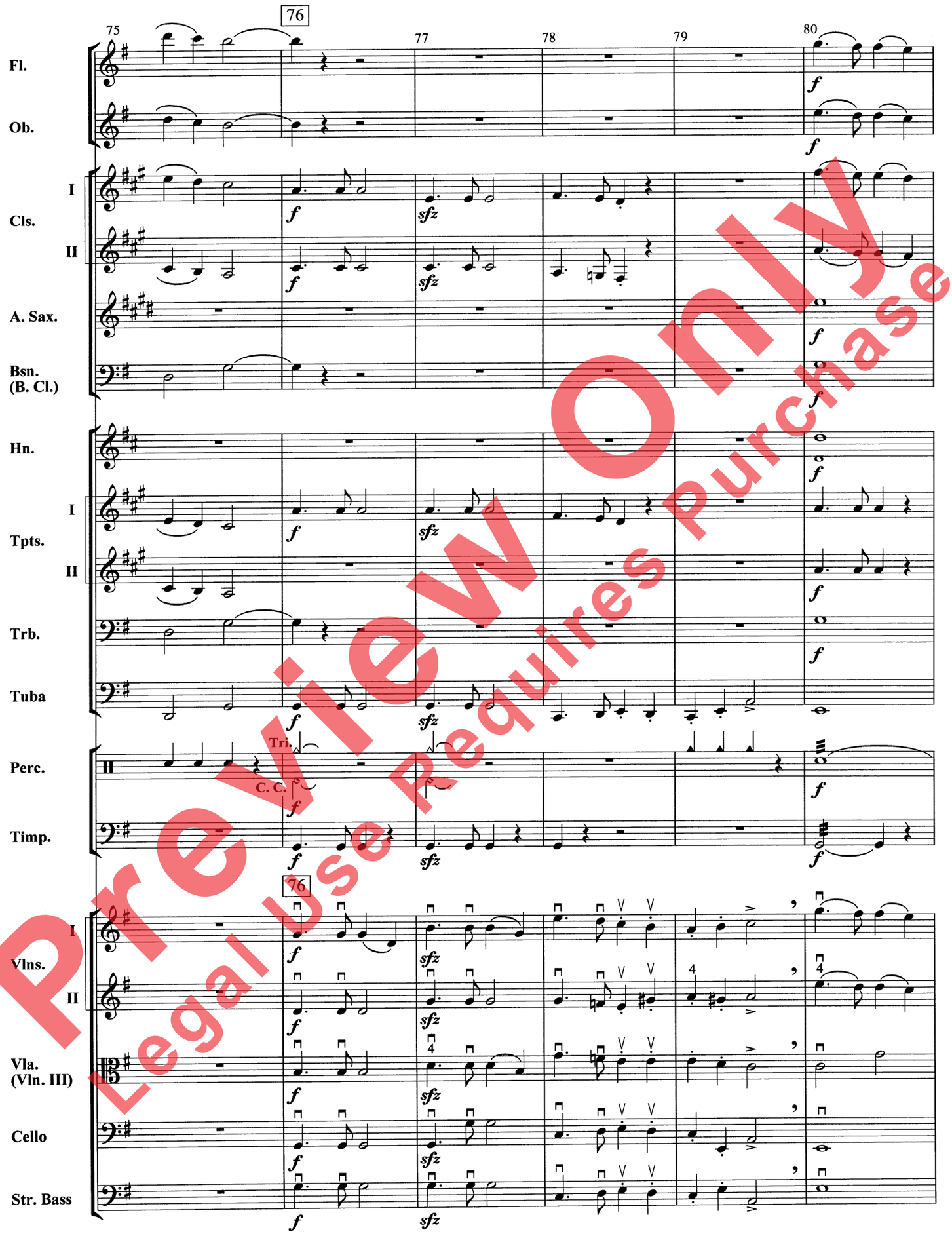

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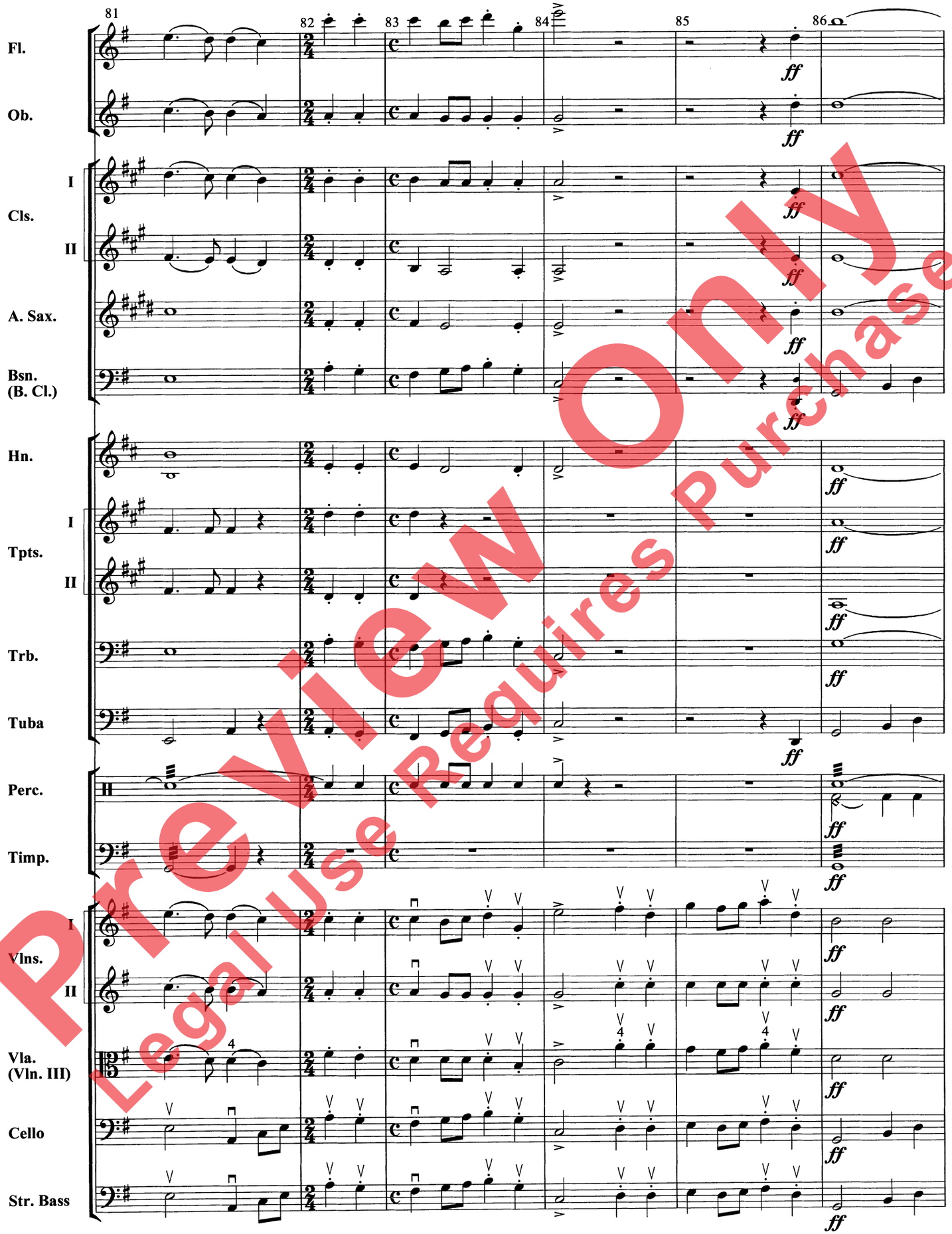

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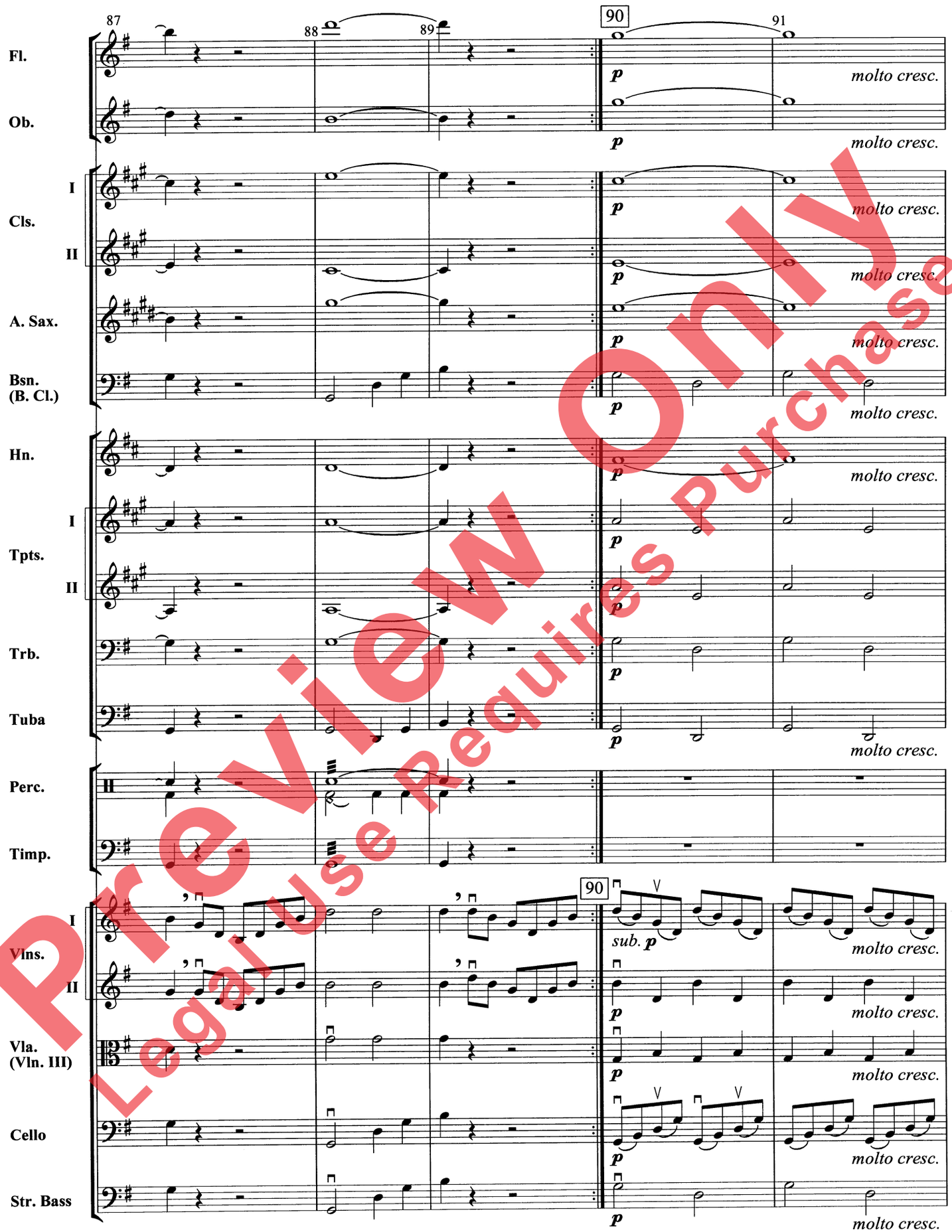

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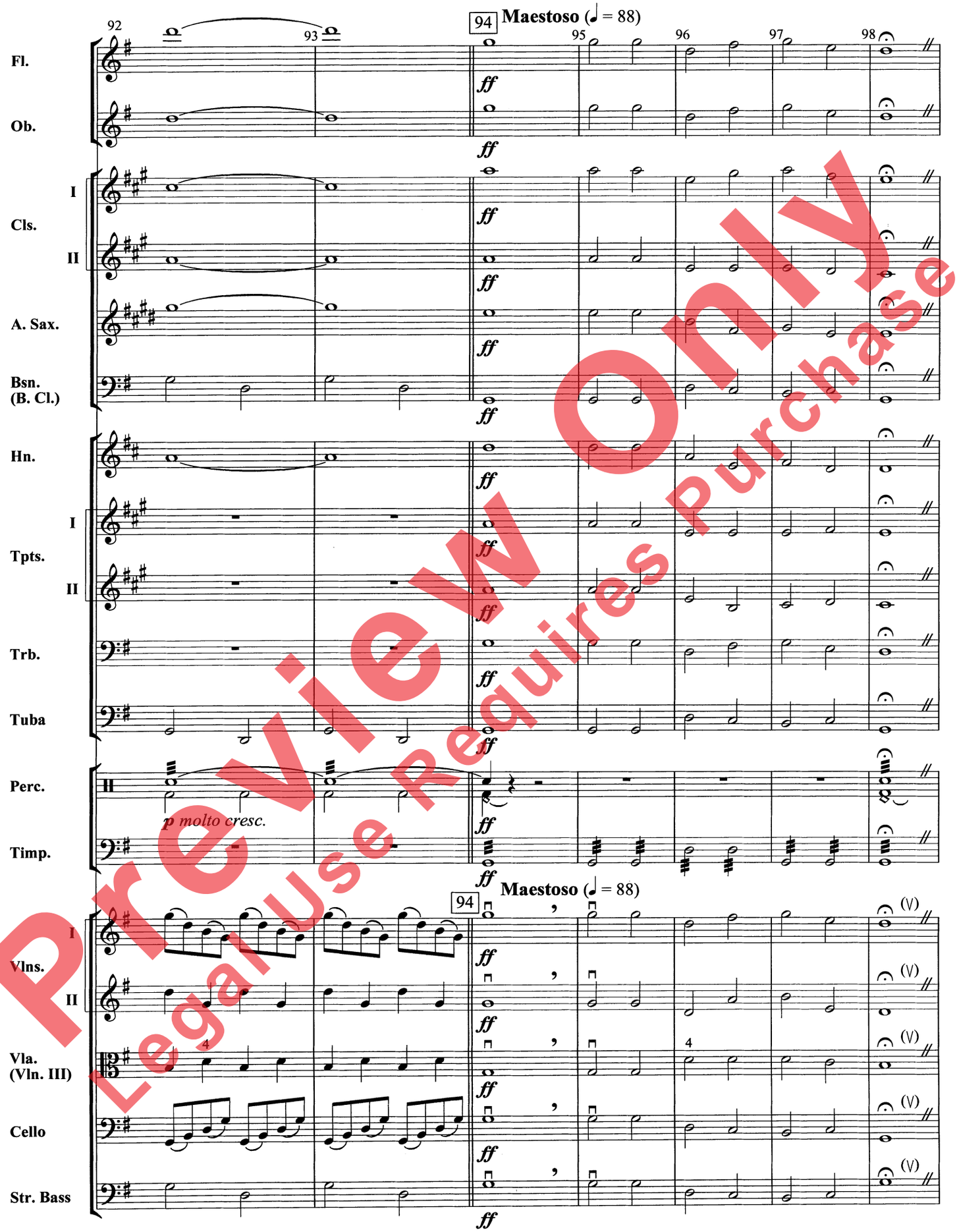

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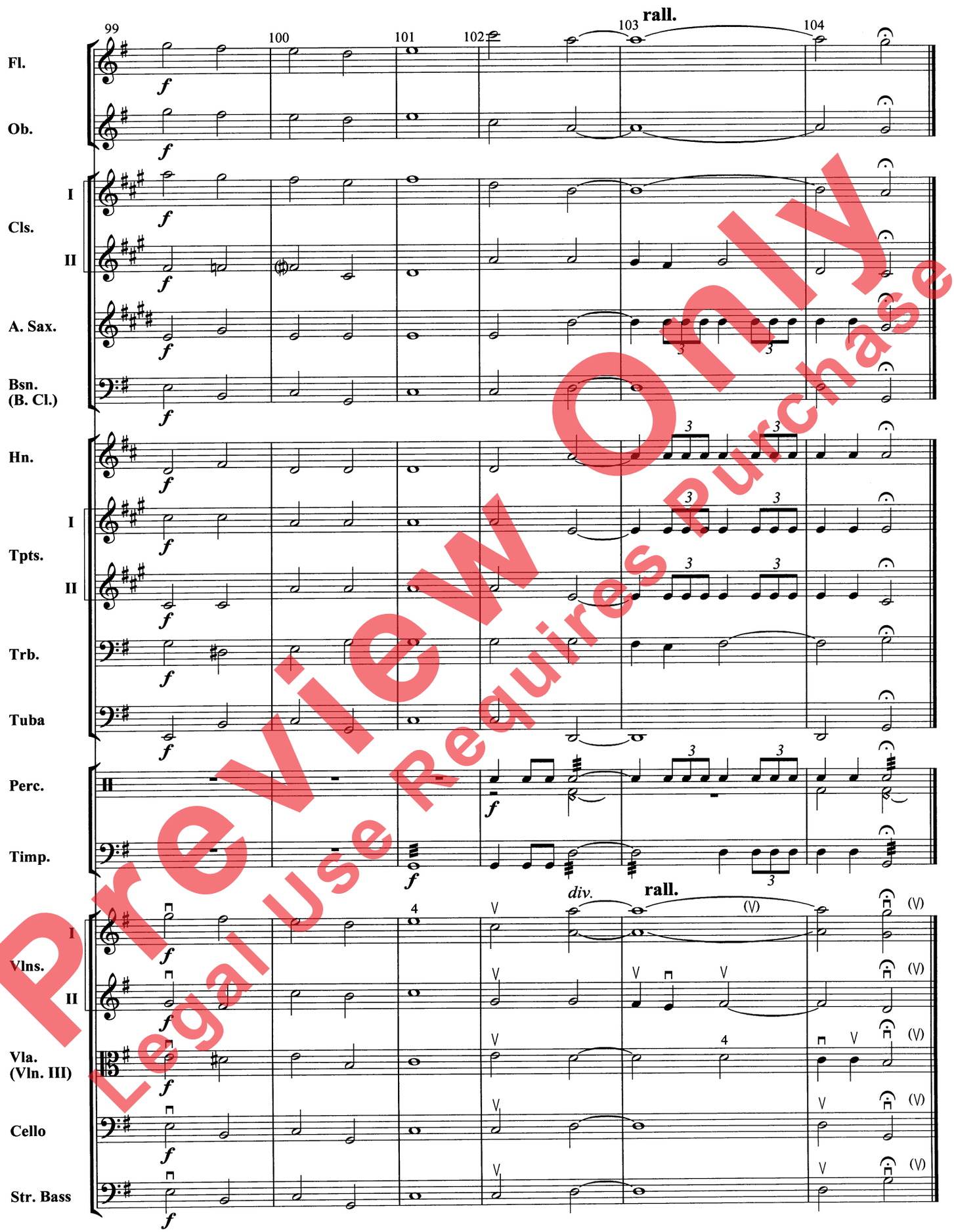

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