

# PORCUPINE PANTOMIME

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## INSTRUMENTATION

Conductor Score	1
Violin I	8
Violin II	8
Viola	5
Cello	5
String Bass	5
Drumset	1

The jazzy melodies and bouncy style will make this piece an audience favorite, but directors will appreciate the often-overlooked skills that the piece teaches. Throughout this selection, beginning string players switch from “bow hand” to “pizzicato hand,” making the orchestra look like a porcupine, raising and lowering its quills! An optional drumset part adds a bossa nova beat to this charming tune.



# Porcupine Pantomime

CONDUCTOR SCORE  
Duration - 2:20

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Bossa Nova (♩ = 130-140)

Violins I

Violins II

Viola

Cello

String Bass

Drum Set

Cymbal (on the bell)  
S.D. (rim tap)

B.D. *p*

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla.

Cello

Str. Bass

Drum Set

*p*

I arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco ,

II arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco ,

Vlns. I arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco ,

Vlns. II arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco ,

Vla. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco ,

Cello arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco ,

Str. Bass arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco ,

Drum Set

9 10 11 12

13 4 4

I *f* pizz. 4

II *mp* pizz. 4

Vlns. I *f* pizz. 4

Vlns. II *mp* pizz. 4

Vla. pizz. *mp*

Cello *mp* pizz.

Str. Bass *mp*

Drum Set

13 14 15 16 17

4 21

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla.

Cello

Str. Bass

Drum Set

18 19 20 21

arco pizz. arco pizz. arco V 25 pizz.

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla.

Cello

Str. Bass

Drum Set

22 23 24 25

*mf*

I arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz.

II arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz.

Vla. 4 4

Cello arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz.

Str. Bass arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz.

Drum Set

26 27 28 29

I arco pizz. arco pizz. arco **f** 33

II arco pizz. arco pizz. arco **f**

Vla. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco **f**

Cello arco pizz. arco pizz. arco **f**

Str. Bass arco pizz. arco pizz. arco **f**

Drum Set **f**

30 31 32 33

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla.

Cello

Str. Bass

Drum Set

34 35 36 37

Vlns. I

Vlns. II

Vla.

Cello

Str. Bass

Drum Set

38 39 40 41

4

pizz.

*p*

*p*

*p*

*p*

*p*

*p*

arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. 45 arco pizz. arco pizz.

**Vlns.**  
I  
II

**Vla.**

**Cello**

**Str. Bass**

**Drum Set**

42 43 44 45 46

arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz.

**Vlns.**  
I  
II

**Vla.**

**Cello**

**Str. Bass**

**Drum Set**

47 48 49 50

53

Vlns. I arco pizz. arco , p pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz.

Vlns. II arco pizz. arco , p pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz.

Vla. arco pizz. arco , p pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz.

Cello arco pizz. arco , p pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz.

Str. Bass arco pizz. arco , p pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz.

Drum Set

51 52 53 54 55

Vlns. I arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. 4 pizz.

Vlns. II arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. pizz.

Vla. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. pizz.

Cello arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco , pizz.

Str. Bass arco pizz. arco pizz. arco pizz. arco , pizz.

Drum Set

56 57 58 59 60