

CONDUCTOR SCORECatalog No: RWS-2327-01

Ostirock

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INSTRUMENTATION

Conductor Score	1	F Horn
ilute	10	Trombone
)hoe	2	Euphonium B.C.
³ Clarinet		
		Tuba
Bassoon		Mallet Percussion: Bells
Alto Saxophone	8	Timpani
^b Tenor Saxophone		Percussion 1: Snare Drum, Bass Drum
Baritone Saxophone		Percussion 2: Crash Cymbals, Cowbell, Tambourine
Drumnot .	10	

PROGRAM NOTE

The use of a continually repeating musical phrase or rhythm is called an ostinato. That ostinato in a classic 12-bar blues structure and rock style creates *Ostirock*. Listen for the melody as it is played alternatively by each section of the band. Get ready to clap your hands!

NOTES TO CONDUCTOR

From bar 5 to bar 16, the melody is presented by the trumpets and clarinets, accompanied by a single bass line. In bar 13 and 14, the band should consider the melodic line the question with the bass line being the answer. Please use this as an opportunity teach your students the concept of musical interaction.

In bar 17, the melody is played by the flutes, oboes, alto saxophones, and bells. The harmonic support is played by the clarinets, tenor saxophones, trumpets, and horns. The harmonic accompaniment should be as subtle as possible to avoid covering the main melody.

In bar 29, the melody is played by the low brass and woodwinds alternatively with the percussion section to provide responsibility and interest. Please encourage them to bring this part out. Please note the melodic line has been changed to allow trombones to play it without the low C avoiding any slide issues for younger players.

In bar 41, the melodic line is exposed with the high register instruments responding one bar later. Please encourage the students to listen to each other carefully to make this section as fluid as possible.

ABOUT THE COMPOSER



Alexandre Carlin is a French music educator, composer and band conductor. Since 1996, he has served as Director of the Société Musicale Bû, conducting concert bands at all levels as well as administrating the music school. He also serves as a music teacher at Charles de Gaulle Middle School and Rotrou High School.

Mr. Carlin is a member of the Society of Authors, Composers and Publishers of Music (SACEM), the performing rights organization in France, with original works for concert band, brass band and young band.

Mr. Carlin has won multiple awards for his compositions. In 2019, he was awarded the 2nd prize in the World Association for Symphonic Bands and Ensembles International Composition Competition for his *Concerto For Euphonium*.





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