
Eighth Note Publications

Mexican Hat Dance

Traditional
Arranged by David Marlatt

The famous Mexican Hat Dance is a traditional melody that has been used extensively in movie scores. This arrangement has used several creative compositional devices to make it more rhythmically and melodically interesting. The use of 3/4 interspersed occasionally throughout the piece breaks up the 6/8 feel. The form is simple - a short introduction, the melody [A] repeats several times as both a trumpet duet and as a horn/trombone duet; the [B] section starts slowly and dramatically (with clapping at the appropriate moments) accelerating, leading back to the [A] melody. What is interesting in this recap is that the two major themes are played simultaneously.

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B♭ Trumpet 1

B♭ Trumpet 2

F Horn

Trombone

Tuba

Xylophone (optional)

1 2 3 4 5 6

7 8 10 11 12 13

14 16 17 18 19 20

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21 22 23 24 25 26 27

28 29 30 31 32 33 34

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35 36 37 38 39 40

Musical score for measures 42 through 48. The score consists of six staves, each with a different instrument's part. Measures 42-47 show complex rhythmic patterns with eighth and sixteenth notes. Measure 48 begins with a single eighth note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern.

Musical score for measures 49 through 54. The score continues with six staves of music, maintaining the complex rhythmic patterns established in the previous section.

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Musical score for measures 55 through 61. The score includes six staves. Measures 55-57 show eighth-note patterns. Measure 58 is marked "Slowly and dramatically" and includes the instruction "clap!" above the vocal line. Measures 59-61 continue the eighth-note patterns, with measure 61 marked "mf".

62

63 rit.

a Tempo

66 accel. e cresc.

68

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71

72 $\text{♩} = 144$

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84 85 86 87 88 89 90

91 92 93 94 95 96 = 160

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105 106 107 108 109

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