

Quartet for Flute and Strings

KV 298

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

*arranged by Paul De Bra for
accordion quintet
(1, 2, 3, 4, bass)*

Mozart's quartet for Flute, Violin, Viola and Bass, KV 298, is one of many quartets with varying solo (first voice) instruments. It is arranged for accordion quintet by duplicating the fourth voice (cello) in the bass and compensating for the differences in range of notes available. In this piece it is best if the fourth voice is played by an accordion with low E but even this note can be taken over by the bass accordion.

In the arrangement many of the ornaments have been made explicit (using regular notes) so as to make the interpretation easier (to decide, not to play). Interpretation elements like slurs and staccato have been mixed and matched from different editions of the “original” score.

When playing this arrangement one should take care to make the first voice (flute) sound differently from the other parts (strings).

This work consists of three movements: 1) theme with 4 variations, 2) minuet and trio and 3) a rondeau. Each of these can also be played separately as a concert piece.

A recording of the “minuet and trio” by Professor P is available on YouTube, to illustrate the sound of this arrangement.

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in A major, KV 298

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
arr. Paul De Bra

Andante $\text{J} = 105$ (ca. 100-110)

THEMA

articulations "combined" from different editions, and some grace notes changed to normal notes

(light tremolo)

Acc. 1

Acc. 2

Acc. 3

Acc. 4

Bass

mp

7

I

II

III

IV

B

omit low E when unavailable
(bass takes over)

14

VAR. I

I

II

III

IV

B

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Musical score for Quartet for Flute and Strings, KV 298, page 2, measures 19-22. The score consists of five staves labeled I, II, III, IV, and B from top to bottom. The key signature is A major (three sharps). Measure 19 starts with a sixteenth-note pattern in staff I. Staff II has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff III has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff IV has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff B has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Measure 20 continues the sixteenth-note patterns. Measure 21 starts with a eighth-note in staff I. Staff II has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff III has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff IV has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff B has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Measure 22 starts with a eighth-note in staff I. Staff II has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff III has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff IV has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff B has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern.

Musical score for Quartet for Flute and Strings, KV 298, page 2, measures 23-26. The score consists of five staves labeled I, II, III, IV, and B from top to bottom. The key signature is A major (three sharps). Measure 23 starts with a eighth-note in staff I. Staff II has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff III has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff IV has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff B has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Measure 24 starts with a eighth-note in staff I. Staff II has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff III has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff IV has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff B has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Measure 25 starts with a eighth-note in staff I. Staff II has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff III has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff IV has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff B has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Measure 26 starts with a eighth-note in staff I. Staff II has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff III has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff IV has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff B has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern.

Musical score for Quartet for Flute and Strings, KV 298, page 2, measures 27-30. The score consists of five staves labeled I, II, III, IV, and B from top to bottom. The key signature is A major (three sharps). Measure 27 starts with a eighth-note in staff I. Staff II has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff III has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff IV has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff B has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Measure 28 starts with a eighth-note in staff I. Staff II has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff III has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff IV has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff B has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Measure 29 starts with a eighth-note in staff I. Staff II has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff III has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff IV has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff B has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Measure 30 starts with a eighth-note in staff I. Staff II has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff III has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff IV has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern. Staff B has a eighth-note followed by a sixteenth-note pattern.

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3

31

VAR. II

I

II

III

IV

B

35

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41

44

47

VAR. III

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5

50

54

58

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61

I
II
III
IV
B

VAR. IV 65

I
II
III
IV
B

69

I
II
III
IV
B

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7

73

I
II
III
IV
B

77

I
II
III
IV
B

$\text{♩} = 110$ (ca. 105-115)
MENETTO

Acc. 1
Acc. 2
Acc. 3
Acc. 4
Bass

mf
mf
mf
mf

mp

7 ♯ (# not original)

I
II
III
IV
B

mp
p
p
p

pp

To Coda
(Rondeau)

13 ♯ (# not orig.)

I
II
III
IV
B

mf
mf

tr

To Coda
(Rondeau)

Trio $\text{♩} = 115$ (ca. 110-120)

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9

19

24

29

Menuetto
D.C. al Coda
(senza rep.)

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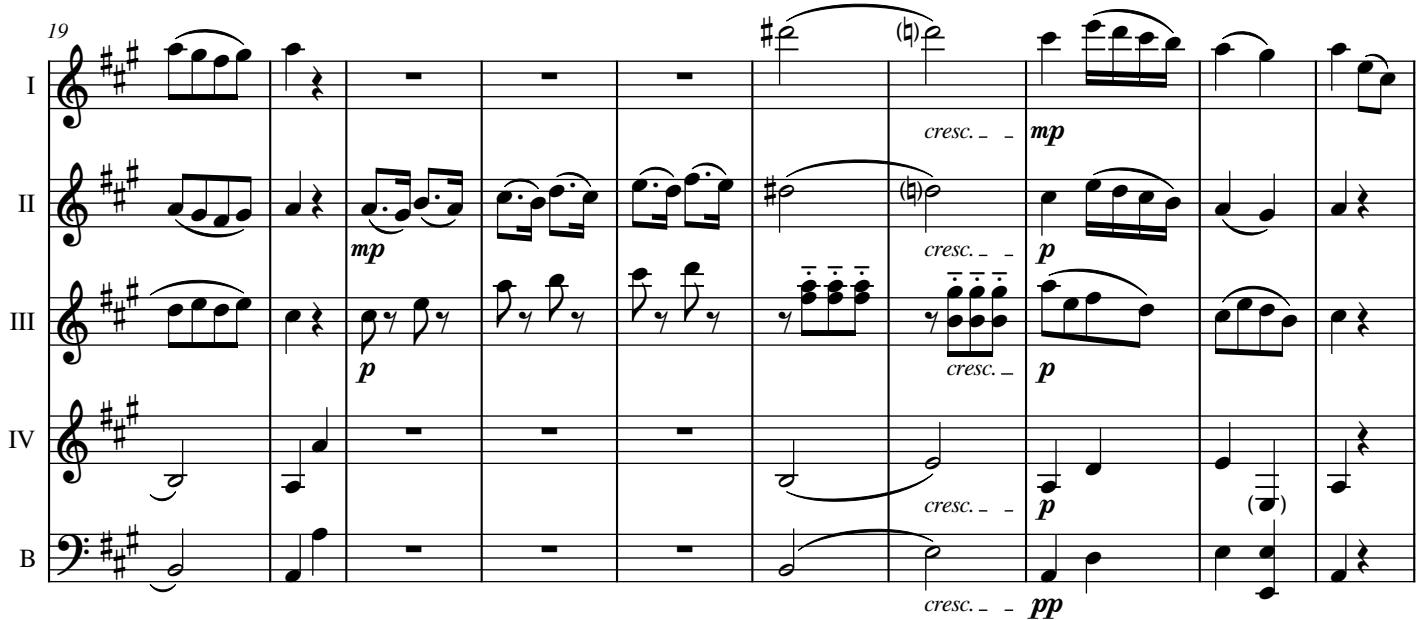
 Allegretto grazioso $\text{♩} = \text{ca. } 125$ (120-130)



Musical score for measures 1-8. The score consists of five staves: Acc. 1, Acc. 2, Acc. 3, Acc. 4, and Bass. The key signature is A major (three sharps). Measure 1 starts with eighth-note pairs in 2/4 time. Measures 2-7 show various patterns of eighth and sixteenth notes. Measure 8 concludes with a dynamic of mp .



Musical score for measures 9-18. The score consists of five staves: I, II, III, IV, and B. The key signature changes to D major (two sharps). Measures 9-10 show eighth-note pairs. Measures 11-12 feature sixteenth-note patterns. Measures 13-14 show eighth-note pairs again. Measures 15-16 feature sixteenth-note patterns. Measures 17-18 show eighth-note pairs. The dynamic pp is indicated at the beginning of measure 18.



Musical score for measures 19-28. The score consists of five staves: I, II, III, IV, and B. The key signature changes to G major (one sharp). Measures 19-20 show eighth-note pairs. Measures 21-22 feature sixteenth-note patterns. Measures 23-24 show eighth-note pairs again. Measures 25-26 feature sixteenth-note patterns. Measures 27-28 show eighth-note pairs. Dynamics include $cresc.$, mp , p , and (p) . The dynamic pp is indicated at the end of measure 28.

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11

29

38

46

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55

I
II
III
IV
B

mp *cresc.*

p

cresc.

cresc.

cresc.

p *cresc.*

63

I
II
III
IV
B

f *mp*

f *p*

mf *p*

mf *p*

mf *pp*

mp

mf

73

I
II
III
IV
B

f

cresc. mf

f

p

mp

cresc. f

cresc. f

p

p

cresc.

mf

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13

82

mp
p
pp
pp

91

(d)

100

f
mf
mf
mf

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108

I *f*
 II *mp*
 III *p*
 IV *p*
 B *pp*

117

I *mf*
 II *mf*
 III *mf*
 IV *f*
 B *mf*
mf
mp

125

I *trill*
 II *p*
 III *mp*
 IV *p*
 B *pp*

cresc. *f* *mf*

cresc. *mf* *f*

cresc. *mf* *mf*

cresc. *mf* *mf*

cresc. *mf* *mf*

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15

135

I II III IV B

f *p* *mp* *p* *p*

mf *p* *-* *-* *-*

p *-* *-* *-* *-*

p *-* *-* *-* *-*

pp

145

I II III IV B

f *mf* *mp* *p* *pp*

mf *-* *-* *-* *-*

p *-* *-* *-* *-*

pp

155

I II III IV B

mp *p* *mp* *-* *cresc. - - -*

p *-* *-* *-* *cresc. - - -*

- *-* *-* *-* *cresc. - - -*

- *-* *-* *-* *cresc. - - -*

cresc. - - -

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164

I *mp*
 II *p*
 III *p*
 IV *p* ()
 B *pp*

f
mf
mf
mf
mp

173

I
 II *mp*
 III *p*
 IV *p*
 B *pp*

f
mf
mf
mf
mp

181

(rit. if desired)

I
 II
 III
 IV
 B

mp *f*
p *mf*
p *mf*
p *mf*
pp *mp*

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