

Overture to the Operetta  
**«La Belle Hélène»**  
**«Die schöne Helena»**

Jacques Offenbach  
arr. Howard Lorriman

Code Schwierigkeitsgrad  
code degré de difficulté  
code degree of difficulty

C / D = medium - difficult

Spieldauer  
durée  
playing time

8'21 Min.



# La Belle Hélène

Overture

Jacques Offenbach (1819-1880)  
arr. H. Lorrinan

Allegro

A

The musical score is arranged in 20 staves. The instruments and their parts are as follows:

- Soprano Eb Cornet:** Starts with a forte (*f*) dynamic, then moves to piano (*p*) and includes an *al* (allegro) section.
- Solo Bb Cornet:** Starts with *f*, then *p*, and includes an *al* section.
- Repiano Bb Cornet:** Starts with *f*, then *p*, and includes an *al* section.
- 2nd Bb Cornet:** Starts with *f*, then *p*, and includes an *al* section.
- 3rd Bb Cornet:** Starts with *f*, then *p*, and includes an *al* section.
- Flugelhorn:** Starts with *f*, then *p*.
- Solo Eb Horn:** Starts with *f*, then *p*.
- 1st Eb Horn:** Starts with *f*, then *p*.
- 2nd Eb Horn:** Starts with *f*, then *p*.
- 1st Bb Baritone:** Starts with *f*, then *p*.
- 2nd Bb Baritone:** Starts with *f*, then *p*.
- 1st Bb Trombone:** Starts with *f*, then *p*.
- 2nd Bb Trombone:** Starts with *f*, then *p*.
- Bass Trombone:** Starts with *f*, then *p*.
- Bb Euphonium:** Starts with *f*, then *p*, and includes *al* and *a2* sections.
- Eb Bass:** Starts with *f*, then *p*.
- Bb Bass:** Starts with *f*, then *p*.
- Timpani:** Starts with *f*, then *p*.
- Bass Drum:** Starts with *f*.
- Cymbals:** Starts with *f*.
- Tambourine, Snare Drum:** Starts with *f*.
- Triangle:** Starts with *f*.





Soprano Eb Cornet

Solo Bb Cornet

Repiano Bb Cornet

2nd Bb Cornet

3rd Bb Cornet

Flugelhorn

Solo Eb Horn

1st Eb Horn

2nd Eb Horn

1st Bb Baritone

2nd Bb Baritone

1st Bb Trombone

2nd Bb Trombone

Bass Trombone

Bb Euphonium

Eb Bass

Bb Bass

Cym.  
B. D.

C

75

Soprano B♭ Cornet

Solo B♭ Cornet

Repiano B♭ Cornet

2nd B♭ Cornet

3rd B♭ Cornet

Flugelhorn

Solo E♭ Horn

1st E♭ Horn

2nd E♭ Horn

1st B♭ Baritone

2nd B♭ Baritone

1st B♭ Trombone

2nd B♭ Trombone

Bass Trombone

B♭ Euphonium

E♭ Bass

B♭ Bass

Timpani

Cym.  
B. D.

84

rit.

**D** a tempo

Soprano Eb Cornet

Solo Bb Cornet

Repiano Bb Cornet

2nd Bb Cornet

3rd Bb Cornet

Flugelhorn

Solo Eb Horn

1st Eb Horn

2nd Eb Horn

1st Bb Baritone

2nd Bb Baritone

1st Bb Trombone

2nd Bb Trombone

Bass Trombone

Bb Euphonium

E♭ Bass

B♭ Bass

Timpani

Cym.  
B. D.

Bass Drum (no cym.)

*p*

*pp*





**E** Più mosso

108

Soprano Eb Cornet

Solo Bb Cornet

Repiano Bb Cornet

2nd Bb Cornet

3rd Bb Cornet

Flugelhorn

Solo Eb Horn

1st Eb Horn

2nd Eb Horn

1st Bb Baritone

2nd Bb Baritone

1st Bb Trombone

2nd Bb Trombone

Bass Trombone

Eb Euphonium

Eb Bass

Eb Bass

Timpani

Cym.  
B. D.

117

Soprano Eb Cornet *mf*

Solo Bb Cornet *f* *mf*

Repiano Bb Cornet *f*

2nd Bb Cornet *f*

3rd Bb Cornet *f*

Flugelhorn *mf*

Solo Eb Horn *mf*

1st Eb Horn *mf*

2nd Eb Horn *mf*

1st Bb Baritone *mf* *f*

2nd Bb Baritone *mf* *f*

1st Bb Trombone *f* *f*

2nd Bb Trombone *f*

Bass Trombone *f*

Bb Euphonium *f*

Eb Bass *f*

Bb Bass *f*

Timpani

Cym.  
B. D.

**F** Plus lent

130

Soprano Bb Cornet

Solo Bb Cornet

Repiano Bb Cornet

2nd Bb Cornet

3rd Bb Cornet

Flugelhorn

Solo Eb Horn

1st Eb Horn

2nd Eb Horn

1st Bb Baritone

2nd Bb Baritone

1st Bb Trombone

2nd Bb Trombone

Bass Trombone

Bb Euphonium

Eb Bass

Bb Bass

Timpani

Cym.  
B. D.





166

Soprano Eb Cornet

Solo Bb Cornet

Repiano Bb Cornet

2nd Bb Cornet

3rd Bb Cornet

Flugelhorn

Solo Eb Horn

1st Eb Horn

2nd Eb Horn

1st Bb Baritone

2nd Bb Baritone

1st Bb Trombone

2nd Bb Trombone

Bass Trombone

Eb Euphonium

Eb Bass

Bb Bass

Timpani

S. D.

178 poco rit.

Soprano Eb Cornet  
Solo Bb Cornet  
Repiano Bb Cornet  
2nd Bb Cornet  
3rd Bb Cornet  
Flugelhorn  
Solo Eb Horn  
1st Eb Horn  
2nd Eb Horn  
1st Bb Baritone  
2nd Bb Baritone  
1st Bb Trombone  
2nd Bb Trombone  
Bass Trombone  
Bb Euphonium  
Eb Bass  
Bb Bass  
Timpani

*f*





204

rit.

**J** Tempo 1

Soprano E♭ Cornet

Solo B♭ Cornet

Repiano B♭ Cornet

2nd B♭ Cornet

3rd B♭ Cornet

Flugelhorn

Solo E♭ Horn

1st E♭ Horn

2nd E♭ Horn

1st B♭ Baritone

2nd B♭ Baritone

1st B♭ Trombone

2nd B♭ Trombone

Bass Trombone

B♭ Euphonium

E♭ Bass

B♭ Bass

Timpani

Cym.  
B. D.

S. D.

Tri.

**K** Allegro

217

Soprano Eb Cornet

Solo Bb Cornet

Repiano Bb Cornet

2nd Bb Cornet

3rd Bb Cornet

Flugelhorn

Solo Eb Horn

1st Eb Horn

2nd Eb Horn

1st Bb Baritone

2nd Bb Baritone

1st Bb Trombone

2nd Bb Trombone

Bass Trombone

Bb Euphonium

Eb Bass

Bb Bass

Timpani

Cym. B. D.

S. D.

Tri.

*p* (*leggero*) *mf* *mf* *mf*

*p* (*leggero*) *mf* *mf* *mf*

*p* (*leggero*) *mf* *mf* *mf*

*p* (*leggero*) *p* *mf* *p* *mf* *p*

*p* (*leggero*) *p* *mf* *p* *mf* *p*

*p* *p* *p* *p*

*p* *p* *p* *p*

*p* *p* *p* *p*

*p* (*leggero*) *p* *mf* *p* *mf* *p*

*p* (*leggero*) *p* *mf* *p* *mf* *p*

*p* (*leggero*) *p* *mf* *p* *mf* *p*

*p* *p* *p* *p*

*p* *p* *p* *p*

*p* *p* *p* *p*

Triangle *p* *p*

L

232

Soprano Eb Cornet *mf* *sfz* *p*

Solo Bb Cornet *mf* *cresc.* *sfz* *p (molto leggero)* *p*

Repiano Bb Cornet *mf* *cresc.* *sfz* *p*

2nd Bb Cornet *mf* *cresc.* *sfz* *p (molto leggero)* *p*

3rd Bb Cornet *mf* *cresc.* *sfz* *p (molto leggero)* *p*

Flugelhorn *sfz p* *p*

Solo Eb Horn *sfz p* *p*

1st Eb Horn *sfz p*

2nd Eb Horn *sfz p*

1st Bb Baritone *sfz*

2nd Bb Baritone *sfz*

1st Bb Trombone *mf* *cresc.* *sfz*

2nd Bb Trombone *mf* *cresc.* *sfz*

Bass Trombone *mf* *cresc.* *sfz*

Bb Euphonium

Eb Bass

Bb Bass

Timpani

Cym.  
B. D.

diese Partitur ist unvollständig  
 this score is not complete  
 ce score n'est pas complet