
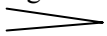



Band Vocabulary

Set 1:

Allegro: fast
Accelerando (accel.): gradually faster
Andante: walking speed
a tempo: return to speed
Adagio: slowly
Andantino: moderately
Allegretto: moderately fast
Ad libitum (ad lib.): at liberty
Animato: animated
Allargando: slower and louder

Set 2:

Cantabile: singing style
Crescendo (cresc.) (): Gradually stronger
Coda: ending section
Dolce: Sweetly
Dal Segno (D.S.): to the sign
Diminuendo (dim.) (): Gradually softer
Da Capo (D.C.): to the beginning
Decrescendo (decresc.) (): Gradually softer
Chromatic: moving by half-steps
Con Brio: with life
Con Moto: with motion

Set 3:

Fine: the end
Forte (*f*): strong
Fortissimo (*ff*): very strong
Forzando (*ffz*): strong accent
Giocoso: humorously
Largo: slowly
Leggiero: light and swift
Legato: smoothly
Lento: slowly
L'istesso tempo: keep the same speed

Set 4:

Piano (*p*): soft
Pianissimo (*pp*): very soft
Mezzo Piano (*mp*): medium soft
Mezzo Forte (*mf*): medium strong
Morendo: dying away
Meno Mosso: less motion
Moderato: moderately
Poco a poco: little by little
Marcato: marked and separated
Maestoso: Majestically
Molto: very
Marcia: march

Set 5:

Tutti: all play
Ritardando (rit.): gradually slower
Presto: very fast
Sostenuto (sost.): sustained
Rallentando (rall.): gradually slower
Piu mosso: more motion
Tenuto (ten.): hold full value
Staccato (stacc.): separated
Subito (sub.): suddenly
Simile (sim.): continue the same style
Sforzando (*sfz*): strong accent
Vivace: spirited