Grade 1½

Music for String Orchestra

Storm the Stronghold

Liam Ramsey-White

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INSTRUMENTATION

Violin I 8
Violin II 8
Violin III (Viola T.C.) 2
Viola 5
Cello 5
Bass 5
Piano (Opt.) 1

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Notes

Gather your courage as you set forth to storm the impenetrable stronghold! Written in ABA form, this action packed piece begins with driving battle music. A contrasting lyrical section offers a brief respite before the battle music returns. Every section will get a bit of the action, a great opportunity for all your performers to display their courage.
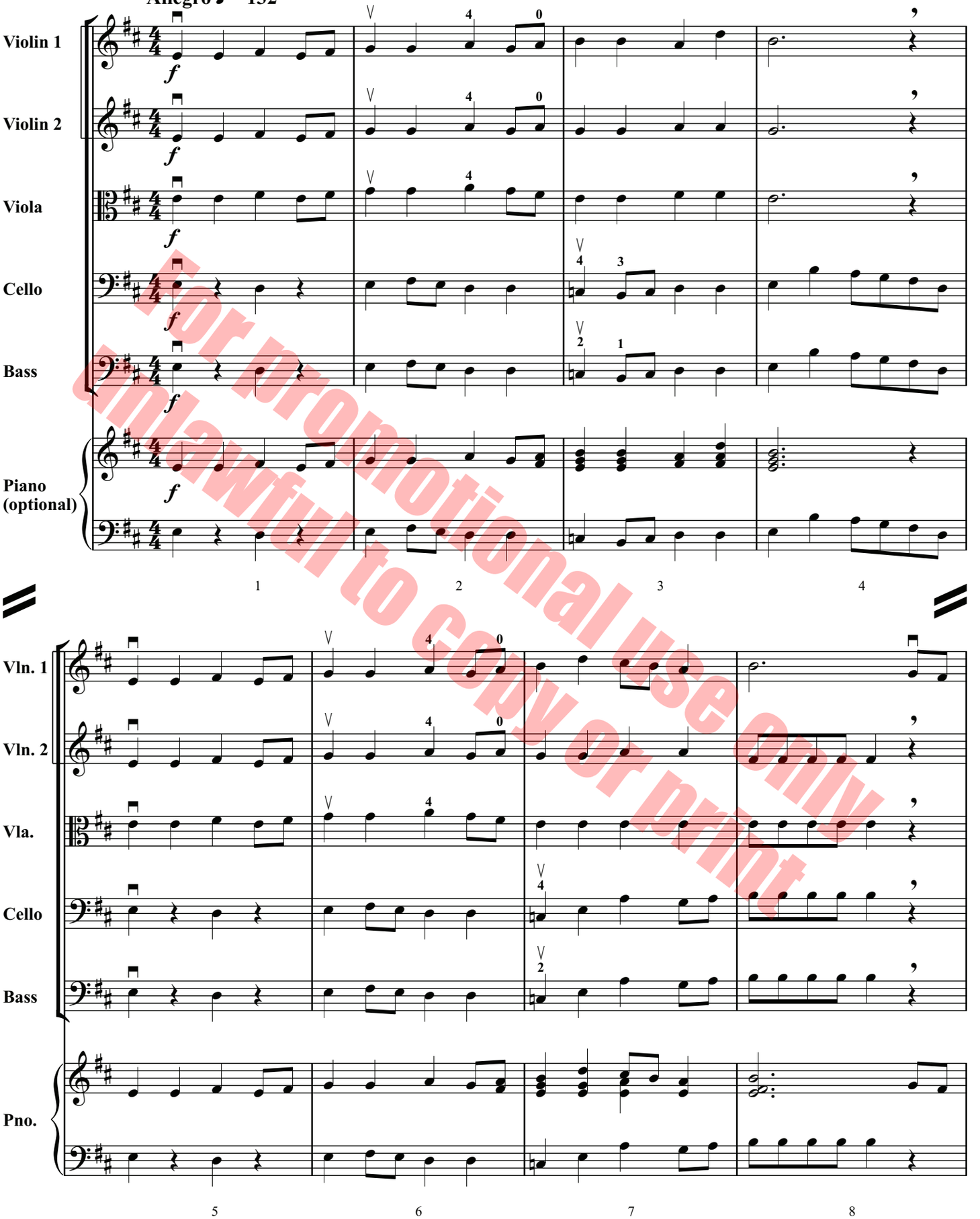
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About the Composer

Liam Ramsey-White (born 1996) started composition studies at the age of 12 when asked by his orchestra teacher to write a piece of music in lieu of a music history paper. Throughout middle and high school, he has been mostly self-taught, composing pieces that his school orchestra would play on a yearly basis. Liam graduated from the Jacobs School of Music with a double degree in composition and music education where he studied composition with Don Freund, P.Q. Phan, Claude Baker, and Aaron Travers. Currently, he is the director of orchestras at Creekside Intermediate in League City, Texas.
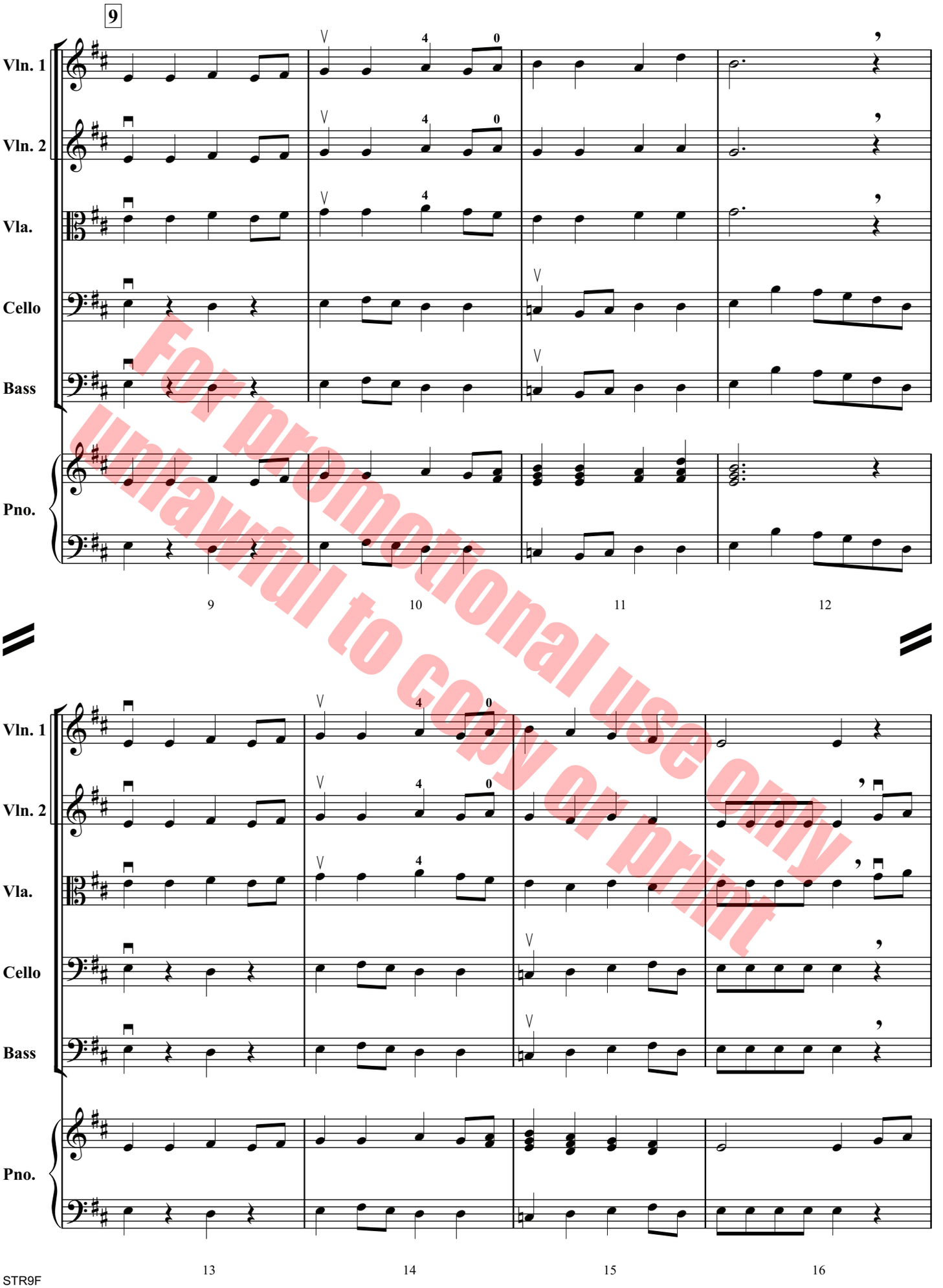
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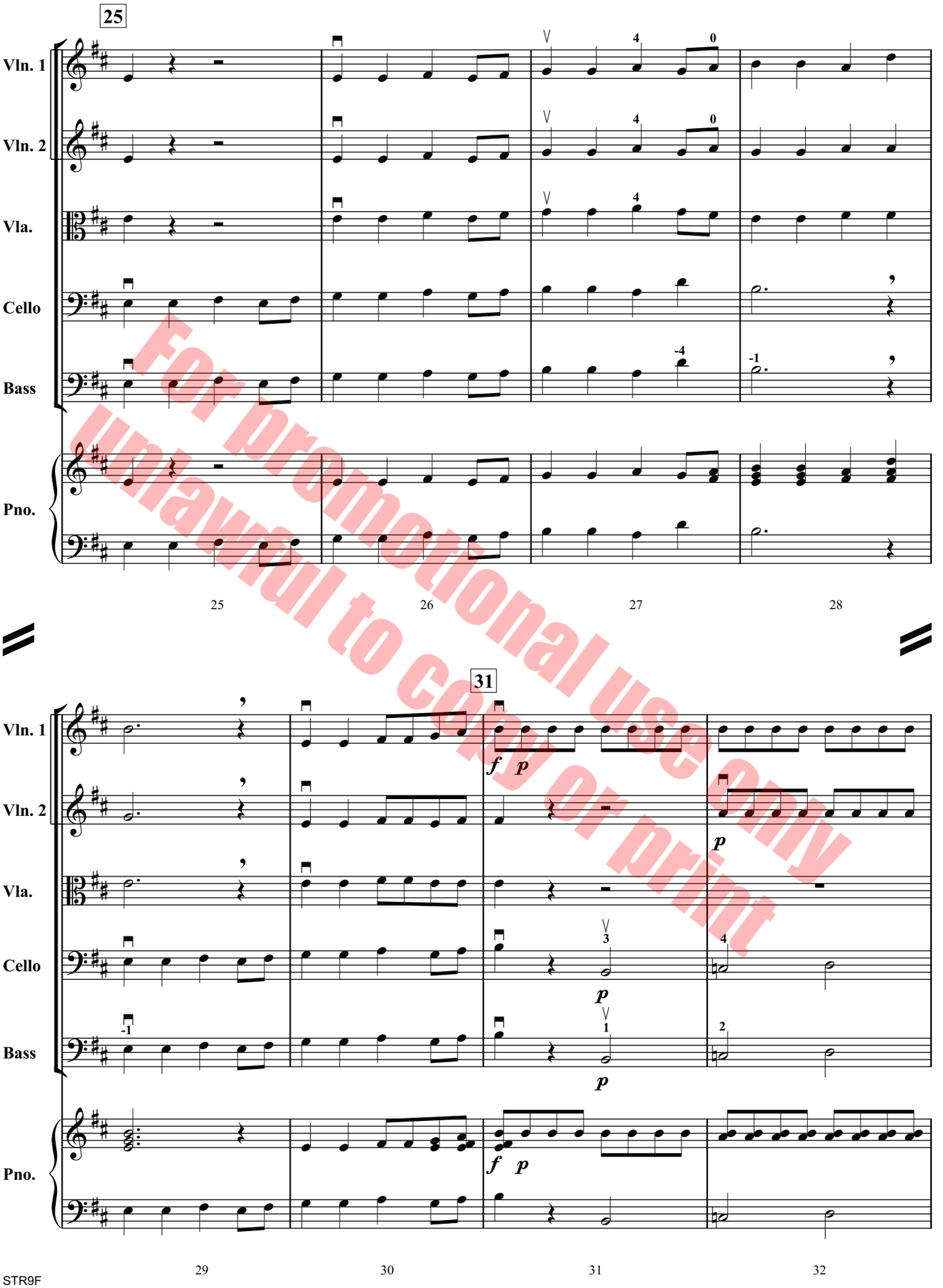


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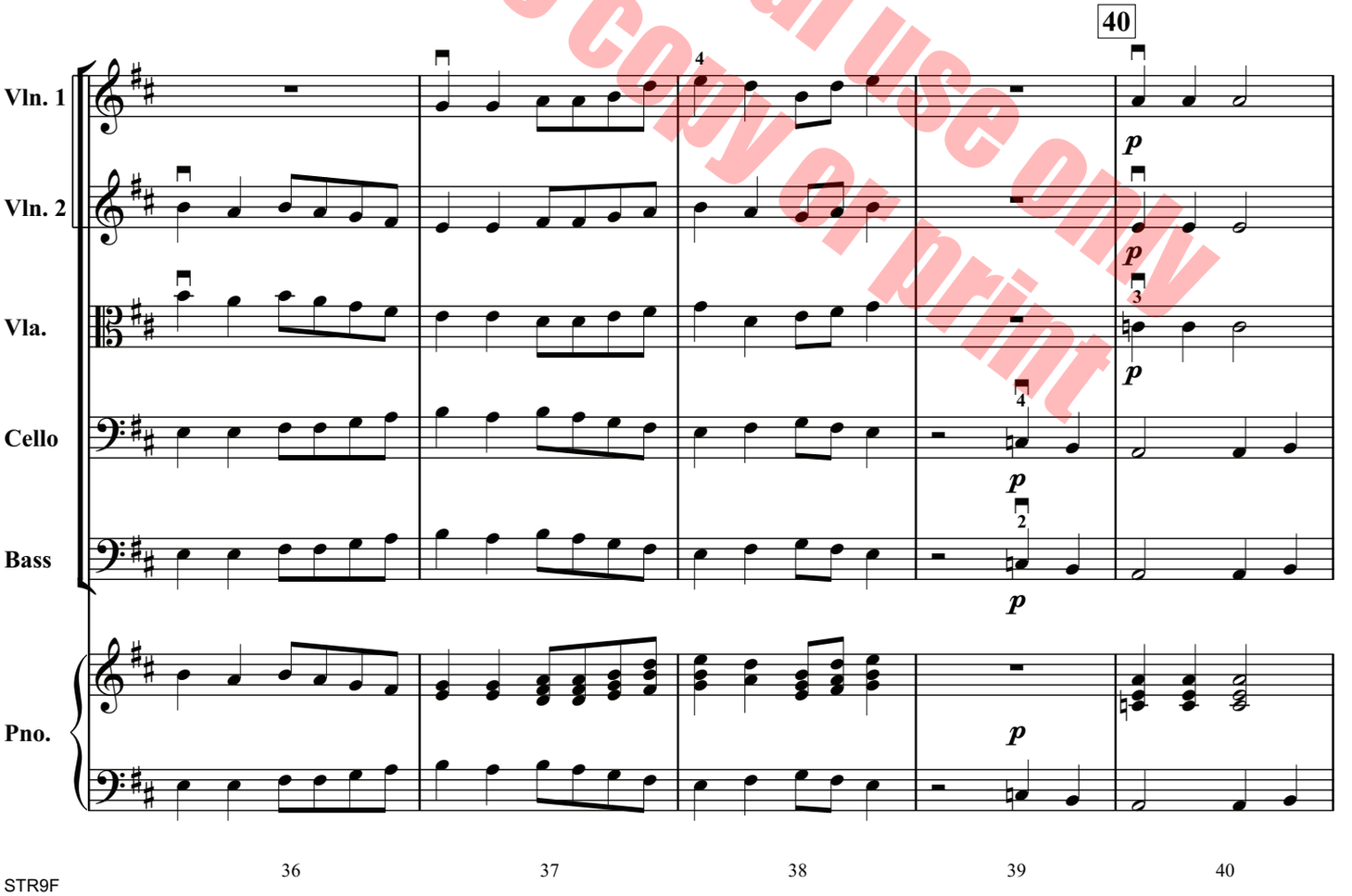


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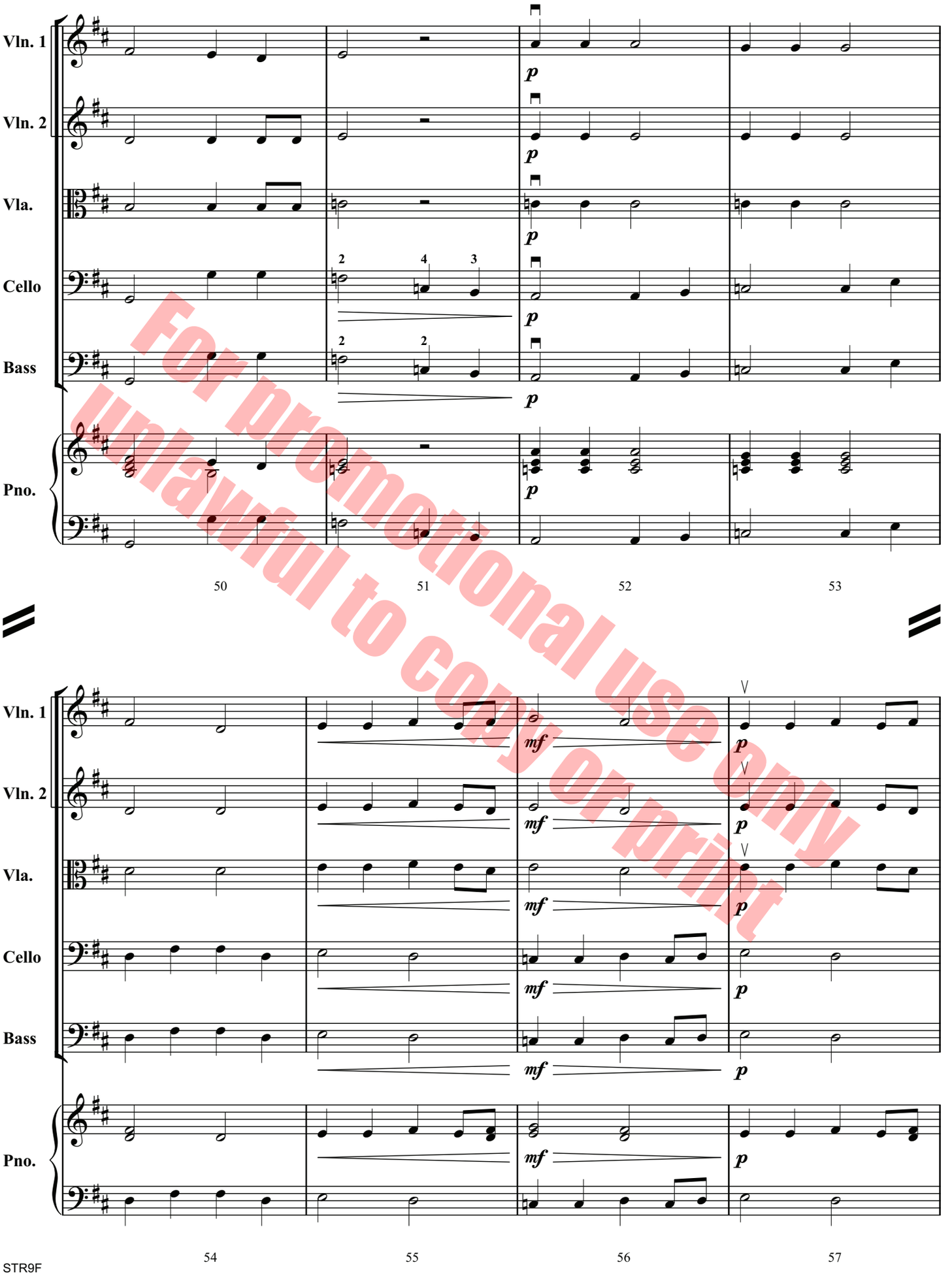




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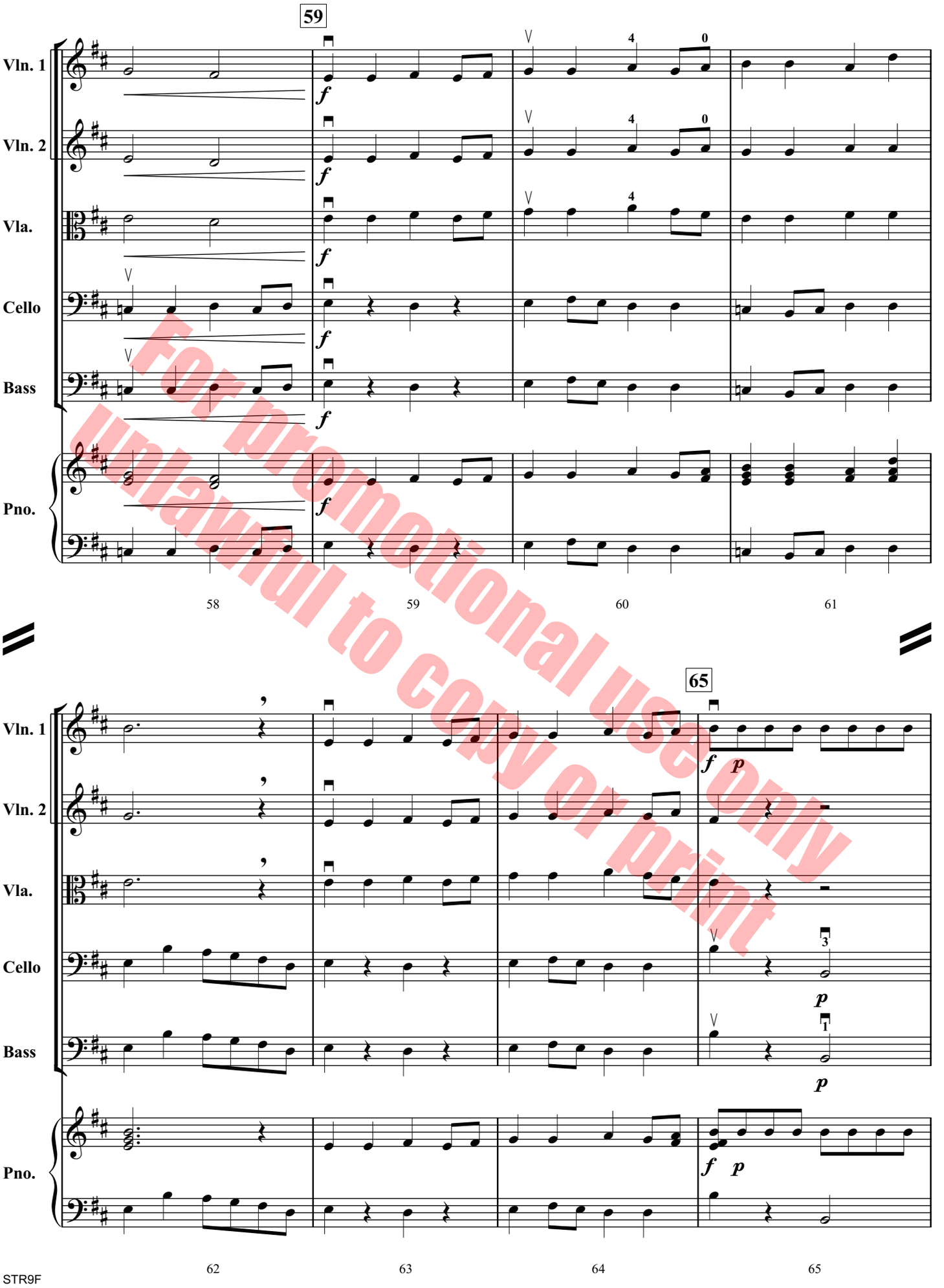




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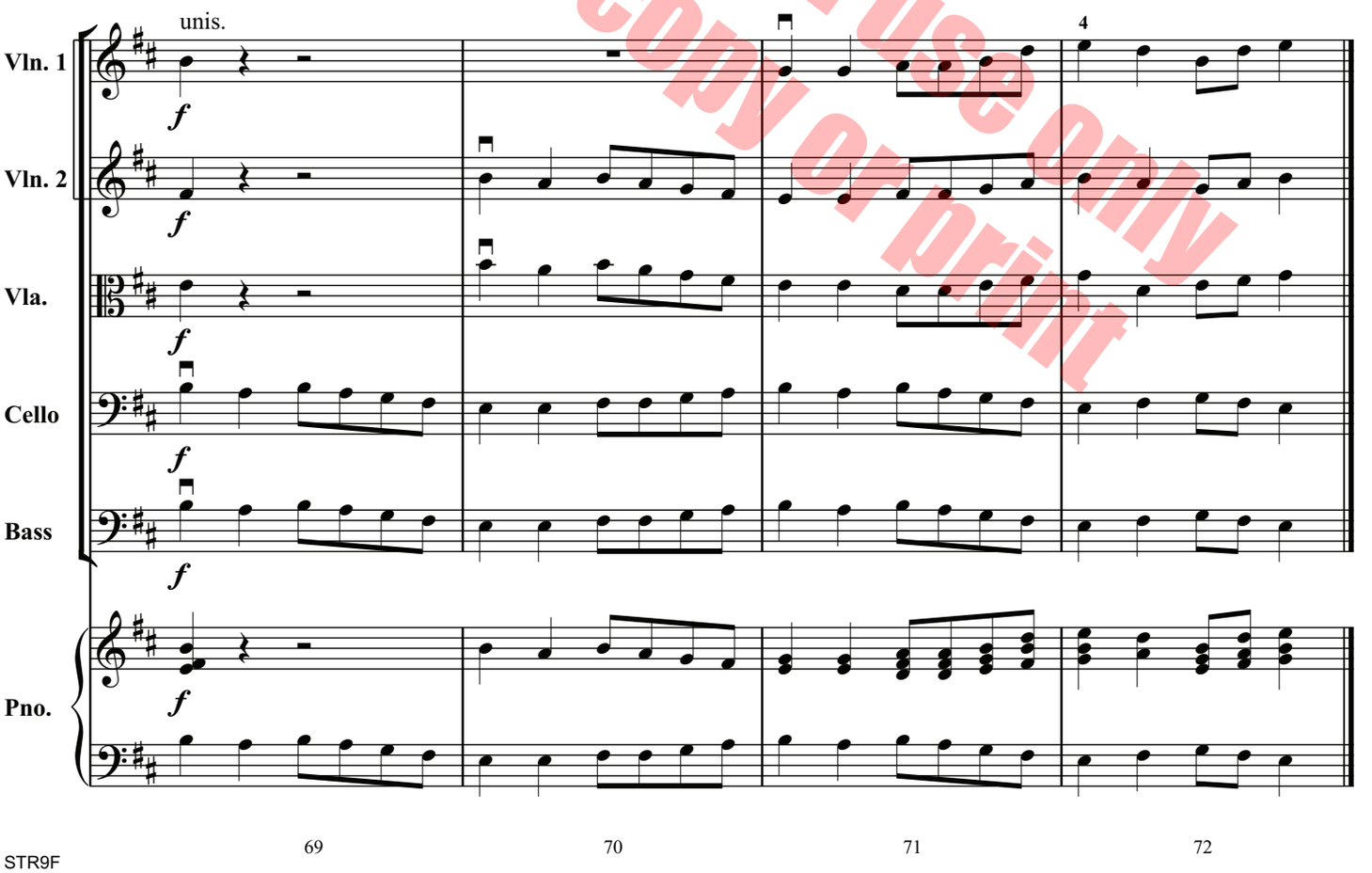


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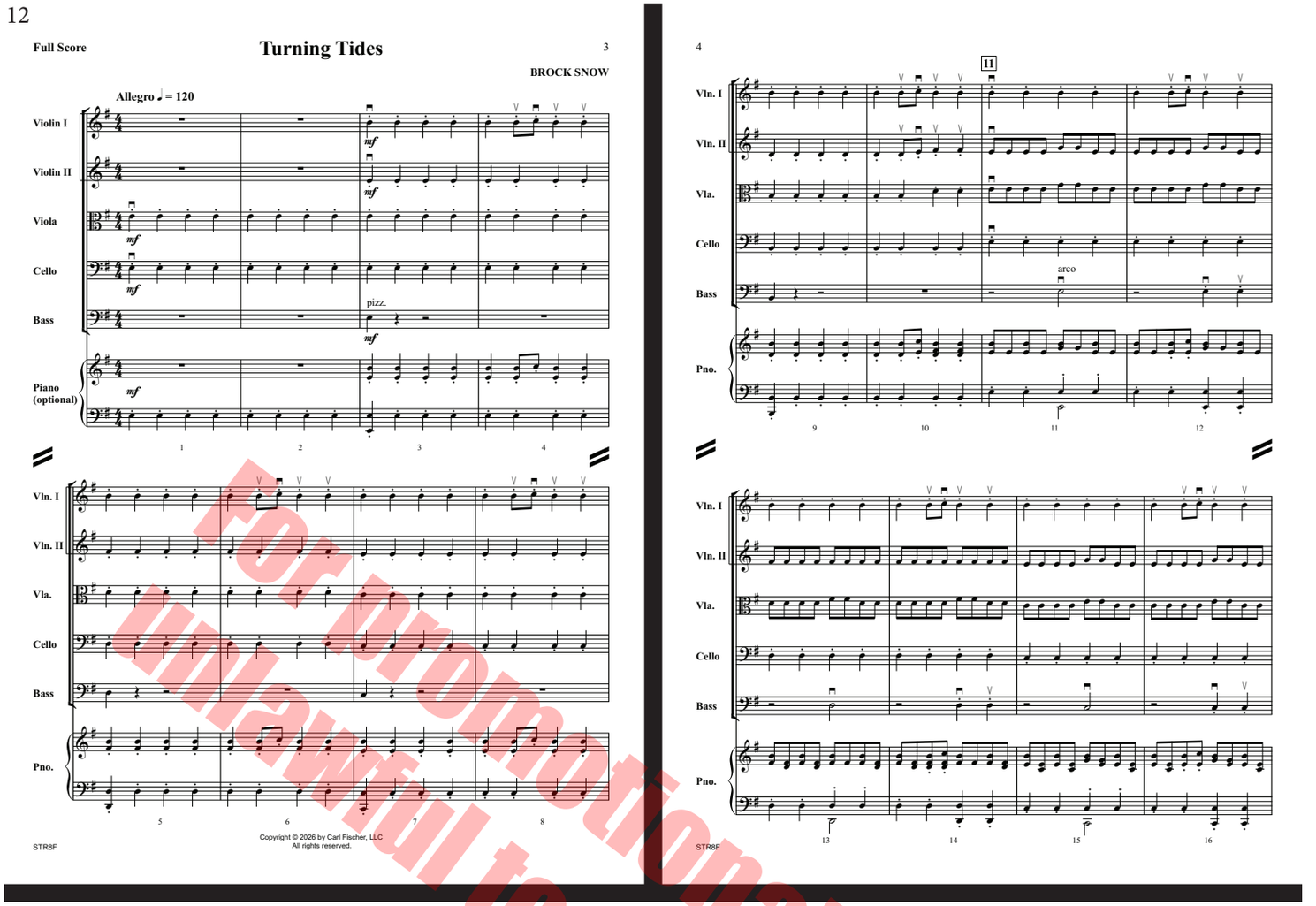


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