

*Dances of Bhimbetka*

for piano solo

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## 1. Not too fast but light

*mf*  
*alla misura* >

*Poco rit.*

*Poco meno mosso*  
*fine*

*mp legato, poco esp.*

*cresc.*

This system consists of two staves of piano accompaniment. The music is written in a key with one flat and a 3/8 time signature. The first staff contains a melodic line with eighth and sixteenth notes, while the second staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and moving lines. Dynamic markings include *f* (forte) and *ff* (fortissimo). A *cresc.* (crescendo) marking is present in the second staff. A *8vb* (8va below) marking is located at the bottom of the system.

*Rit.*

*Da Capo al fine*

This system continues the piano accompaniment. It begins with a *molto dim.* (molto decrescendo) marking. The music features sustained chords and rhythmic patterns. A *pp* (pianissimo) marking is used towards the end of the system. A *8vb* (8va below) marking is at the bottom.

**2. Fairly lively**

This section begins with a melody in the right hand and accompaniment in the left hand. The time signature is 3/8. The melody is marked *mf* (mezzo-forte). The accompaniment consists of chords and moving lines.

This system shows the first ending of the second section, enclosed in a bracket labeled "1.". The music concludes with a *dim.* (decrescendo) marking.

(after Da capo: *8va*)

This system shows the second ending of the second section, enclosed in a bracket labeled "2.". It begins with a *p* (piano) marking and ends with a *fine* marking. A *con Ped.* (con pedale) marking is present at the end of the section.

dim.

8vb

Da Capo al fine

pp

8vb

### 3. Slow dance

*p*

*sim.*

\*Treble slightly more prominent

1.

8vb

*Poco rit.*

8vb-----

*a tempo*

2.

*Rit.*

4

slow arp.

8vb-----

**4. With motion, somewhat aggressive**

*f*

*articulate, quasi-martellato*

*p.*

*p. cresc.*

*p.*

*Rit.* *(al fine)*

*mf* (sub.) *dim.* *p*

*p.* *8vb* *p.* *8vb*

*a tempo (poco meno mosso)*

*mp* *mf*

*legato*

*f*

*8vb*

*f*

*Rit.* *Da Capo*

*pp* *dim.* *ppp* *fine*