

National Anthems Online

GREECE: Ýmnos eis tīn Eleutherían (*Hymn to Liberty*)

Nikolaos Mantzaros (1795-1872)

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♩ = 76

The score is written for three percussion parts: Cymbals, Snare Drum (S.D.), and Bass Drum (B.D.). The time signature is 3/4. The tempo is marked as quarter note = 76. The score is divided into three systems, with measure numbers 6, 10, and 23 indicated at the beginning of each system.

- System 1 (Measures 1-5):** Cymbals play a melodic line starting with a half note followed by quarter notes. Snare and Bass Drums play a simple rhythmic accompaniment of quarter notes. Dynamics include *mf*.
- System 2 (Measures 6-9):** Similar to the first system, but with a *p* dynamic marking at the start of measure 6. A *cresc. molto* marking spans measures 7-9, leading to a *f* dynamic at the end of measure 9.
- System 3 (Measures 10-22):** The Cymbals part features a melodic line with accents. The Snare and Bass Drums play a more complex rhythmic pattern with eighth notes and accents. Dynamics include *f*.

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