

Original keys of D Minor & F Major:  
Version for  
2 Horns in F

# Duetto Buffo de due Gatti

Comic Duet for Two Cats

Gioachino Rossini  
(1792 - 1868)

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Adagio ♩ = 96

Pianoforte

The first system of the musical score consists of two staves. The upper staff is for the piano accompaniment, featuring a 4/4 time signature and a key signature of one flat (F major). It begins with a piano (*mp*) dynamic and the instruction *sempre legato*. The lower staff is for the vocal line, with lyrics: "Mia - u, mi - au, mia". The vocal line starts with a piano (*mp*) dynamic. The piano accompaniment provides a harmonic background with chords and melodic lines.

The second system of the musical score continues the first system. It begins with a piano (*mp*) dynamic. The vocal line continues with lyrics: "Mia - u, mi - au, mia". The piano accompaniment continues with chords and melodic lines. The system ends with a fermata over the final note of the vocal line.

The third system of the musical score begins with a piano (*mf*) dynamic and the instruction *Poco più mosso*. The vocal line continues with lyrics: "u, miau, miau, mia - u,". The piano accompaniment continues with chords and melodic lines. The system ends with a fermata over the final note of the vocal line.



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mi - au, mia - u,

- u, mia - u, mi - au, mia -

48

mi - au, mi - au, mia

- u, mia - u, mia

*cresc.*

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52

- u, rit. mia

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1. *a tempo* au. *mf*

2. au. *ff*

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2. mia - au. *p* *ff*