

Così fan Tutte

2 Acts

Overture - 4 minutes

1 hour 30 minutes + 1 hour 30 minutes

Main characters

Fiordiligi – Lady from Ferrara, now living in Naples. Dorabella's sister. Soprano

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Guglielmo – Officer. Fiordiligi's fiancé. Bass (Baritone).

Ferrando – Officer. Dorabella's fiancé. Tenor

Don Alfonso – Philosopher. Bass (Baritone).

Despina – Fiordiligi's and Dorabella's maid. Soprano.



26 min **Don Alfonso, Dorabella, and Fiordiligi** - *Soave il vento...* The tragic farewell trio.

38 min **Despina** - *In Uomini in soldati...* There's no faithfulness in men either.

50 min **Fiordiligi** - *Come scoglio immoto resta.* Her steadfast faithfulness-aria.

60 min **Ferrando** - *Un'aura amorosa.* Despina (dressed as a Physician) cures the poisoned Albanese officials with a magnetic stone.

80 min After that, there's the difficult up tempo finale.

First Act

A farmhouse in the countryside

3 min **Despina** - *Una donna a quindici anni.* Her second aria.

11 min The two Albanese officials return with flowers and music...

21 min **Guglielmo and Dorabella** - *Il core vi dono.*

28 min **Fiordiligi** - *Ei parte... Senti... Per pietà, ben mio, perdona.*

40 min **Guglielmo** - *Donne mie la fate a tanti...* His aria about unfaithfulness among women.

52 min **Dorabella** - *L'amore è un ladroncello.* Fiordiligi gives in.

60 min **Don Alfonso, Guglielmo, and Ferrando** - *Così fan Tutte.* They finally agree about the moral of love.

80 min **Chorus** - *Bella vita militari!* From off stage announcing the return of the fiancés.

Second Act

A simple courtyard

