

Human

- The Killers -

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Pop ♩ = 136

A

Soprano 1

Soprano 2

Alto 1

Alto 2

Body Percussion

did did did did did did did did

de de loo de de loo de de loo de de loo de de loo de de loo de de loo de de loo

(like a long tone with small impulses on quarter notes)

mm.

B

S 1

S 2

A 1

A 2

Perc

5

did my best to no - tice when the call came down the line up to the plat - form of sur-ren -

did did did did did did did did did

de de loo de de loo de de loo de de loo de de loo de de loo de de loo de de loo de de loo

mm.

mm.

Human 3

SSAA

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S 1 on my knees___ mm an - swer_ hu-man are we___ are we hu -

S 2 on my knees___ mm an - swer_ hu-man are we___ are we hu -

A 1 on my knees___ mm an - swer_ hu-man are we___ are we hu -

A 2 my hands are cold___ and I'm on my knees___ look-ing for the an - swer_ Are we hu - man?___

Perc sl

D

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S 1 man are we danc - er?___ dahd___ dahd___ dahd___ dah dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd___ dahd___ dahd___ dah

S 2 man are we danc - er?___ hah___ hah___

A 1 man are we danc - er?___ dahd dahd dahd dah dah___ dahd___ dahd___ dahd dahd dahd dahd dah dah

A 2 Or are we danc - er?___ dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be

Perc sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl st(omp) st(omp) st(omp) st(omp) st st st st st st st st

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S 1 dahd dahd dahd dahd hah___ hah___

S 2 dahd dahd dahd dah dah___ dahd___ dahd___ dahd dahd dahd dah dah___ dahd___ dahd___ Pay my re -

A 1 dahd___ dahd___ dahd___ dahd___ dahd___ dahd___ dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd___ dahd___ dahd___ dah dahd dahd dahd dahd

A 2 dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be

Perc st

62

S 1 man? Or are we danc - er? My sign is vi - tal

S 2 dahd_ dahd_ dahd_ dahd dahd dahd dah dah_ dahd_ dahd_ dahd dahd dahd dah dah_ dahd_ dahd_ dahd

A 1 dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd_ dahd_ dahd_ dah dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd_ dahd_ dahd_ dah dahd dahd dahd dahd

A 2 dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be

Perc cl st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st

67

S 1 my hands are cold_ and I'm on my knees_ look-ing for the an - swer_

S 2 dahd dahd dahd dah dah_ dahd_ dahd_ dahd on my knees_ dahd_ dahd dahd dahd dahd dah dah_

A 1 dahd_ dahd_ dahd_ dah dahd dahd dahd dahd on my knees dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd_ dahd_ dahd_ dah

A 2 dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be

Perc cl st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st

72

S 1 Are we hu - man?_ Or are we danc - er?_ dah dahd Will your

S 2 _ dahd_ dahd_ dahd_ hu-man are we_ are we hu - man Or are we danc - er?_ dah dahd Will your

A 1 dahd dahd dahd dahd hu-man are we_ are we hu - man Or are we danc - er?_ dah dahd Will your

A 2 dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dah dahd dah

Perc cl st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st st

Human 7

SSAA

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S 1 on my knees look - ing for the an - swer (mm*)

S 2 on my knees oo - mm

A 1 And I'm on my knees oo - mm

A 2 on my knees oo - mm

Perc sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl

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S 1 oo oh ah You got to let me know

S 2 oo oh ah You got to let me know

A 1 oh ah You got to let me know

A 2 oo oh ah You got to let me know

Perc sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl sl st(omp)

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S 1 Are we hu - man? Or are we danc - er? My sign is vi -

S 2 dahd dahd dah dah dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd

A 1 dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd dahd

A 2 be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be dim dim be

Perc cl(ap) cl(ap) cl cl cl cl cl cl cl cl cl cl cl cl cl cl cl st(omp) st(omp) st(omp) st(omp) st st st st st st st st st st st st st st



Vowels, Scat and Percussive Sounds

Vowels

OO	as in	Shoe	AH	Car
OH		Show	A	Tap
OW		Cow	AI	My
E		Her	I	Dip
EE		Me	U	tongue
EH		Get	MM	humming
woah	is standard	Not wow, woa, woah		
Oh	is standard	Not Ohw etc. Diphthongs in English are not written.		

Scat

doo ba doo	Not doo b doo
doo be doo	Not doo b doo
'Dum' or 'doom'	Not 'dm'
'Dung'	Not 'dng'

Vocal Percussion

check <http://www.choronline.com/en/vocalpercussion>

b	bass drum
pf	snare drum
k	snare drum rim
tff or ff	snare drum brushed
t	closed Hi-hat
tsh	open Hi-hat
tum	toms
psh	crashing cymbals
tsah	soft cymbal
ssss(p)	reversed cymbal
tiff'e – tshiff'e	shaker (with accent)
tshiff'e - tshiff'e	shaker (no accent)
<c>	claves (horse click)
koo root	guiro
ch (k-t)	cabasa
<p>	woodblock
ting	triangle