



# Silum Leaflet

POELKA  
IMPROVPTU  
for the PIANO-FORTE  
BY  
ADAM GEIBEL.

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AUTUMN LEAFLET

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Polka Impromptu.

Allegretto grazioso.



Polka legato.



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P

*f* Ped \* Ped \*

Ped \* Ped \*

Ped \*

*f* Ped \* Ped \*

Ped \*

*f* Ped \* Ped \*

Ped \*

*f* Ped \* Ped \*

Ped \*

*s*va

Brill.

*Sva*

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The sheet music consists of five staves of musical notation for piano. The top staff is treble clef, and the bottom staff is bass clef. The key signature is three flats. Measure 1 starts with a forte dynamic (f) and a bass note. Measures 2 and 3 show eighth-note patterns. Measure 4 begins with a piano dynamic (p), followed by a forte dynamic (f). Measures 5 and 6 continue the eighth-note patterns. Measure 7 starts with a piano dynamic (p), followed by a forte dynamic (f). Measures 8 and 9 continue the eighth-note patterns. Measure 10 ends with a forte dynamic (f).

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6 . . . 8va----- 8va-----

P Ped \* Ped \* Ped \* Ped \*

Ped \* Ped \* Ped \* Ped \*

Ped \* Ped \* Ped \*

mf Ped \* Ped \* Ped \* Ped \*

Ped \* Ped \* Ped \* Ped \*

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Piano sheet music for 'Autumn Leaflet.' The music is in common time and consists of five staves. The top staff shows a treble clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a bass clef. The second staff shows a treble clef and a bass clef. The third staff shows a treble clef and a bass clef. The fourth staff shows a treble clef and a bass clef. The fifth staff shows a treble clef and a bass clef. The music features various dynamics including *mf*, *Ped*, *Piu mosso*, *mf*, *sforzando*, and *f*. The notation includes sixteenth-note patterns, eighth-note chords, and sustained notes. The page number 7 is at the top right.

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