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Sunset Boulevard

CAST BREAKDOWN

PRINCIPALS

Norma Desmond

Soprano to E, Alto-lyric belter

A faded, eccentric, former silent screen star.

Joe Gillis

Low A to Top G. High Baritone-Good solid F Sharp

Film Writer. Leading young man

Max von Mayerling

Low B to Top G. Baritone with tenor range

Norma's first husband and butler.

Betty Schaefer

Belt to C, Soprano to Top A

Bright, intellectual aspiring producer, working as a Secretary to Sheldrake. Joe's love interest.

MALE ENSEMBLE

Artie Green

Low A to Top A, Tenor

Energetic, medium height, handsome, dark-haired, not too overbearing. Betty's boyfriend.

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Cecil B DeMille

Low Ab to Top G. Baritone with Tenor range

The famous director.

Sheldrake/ John

C to Top E, Light Baritone

Producer. Medium height, good comic timing, good American accent, lean physique, able to be obnoxious on demand

Manfred/Myron

Low A to High G, High Baritone

Tall, slightly menacing, quick witted.

Financeman 1

Low A to Top G, High Baritone

Tall, threatening, stocky build.

Financeman 2

Low A to Top E, Bass/Baritone

Rotund, good comic timing, late 20's-30's

Cliff/Salesman

Low A to Top A

Same as Joe with comic ability

Young Writer

Low A to Top A

Same as Joe

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Hog-Eye/Morino

Low Ab to Top G

Sammy/Jonesy

Low Ab to Top G

Choreographer

Low A to Top G, Tenor

Dancer, 30's handsome

ENSEMBLE – FEMALE

1st Harem/Beautician

Soprano with smooth chest mix

2nd Harem/Beautician

Belt to C, Soprano to E. Alto with Soprano range

Sexy, dancer, mysterious, plays Hedy Lamar.

3rd Harem/Beautician

Belt to C, Soprano to G

Sexy, showgirl dancer, Lana Turner looks

Mary/1st Masseuse

Belt Voice to Top E, Soprano to G

Funny, cherubic looks, good time girl movie star 50's quality

Heather/2nd Masseuse

Same as Norma. Older, aggressive, intelligent woman

Katherine/Psychiatrist

Same as Betty 30's

Lisa/Doctor

Belt to C, Soprano to G or A. Soprano with Alto range and sound

Intelligent, short/medium height, funny