

# Jack Sprat

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Intro  $\text{♩} = 79$   
Straight Funk

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of two flats (Bb and Eb). It features five staves:

- Voice:** The first staff shows a vocal line with three measures of slanted lines, indicating a vocal melody that is not fully written out.
- Leadsheet:** The second staff contains the lead melody. It begins with a drum fill, followed by a bass line. The melody starts on a Bb note and moves through several eighth and quarter notes. A Bb instrument part is indicated above the staff.
- Tenor Sax:** The third staff shows a tenor saxophone part with eighth and quarter notes, including accents and slurs.
- Trumpet in Bb:** The fourth staff shows a trumpet part in Bb, which is mostly silent (indicated by a whole rest) in this section.
- Trombone:** The fifth staff shows a trombone part with eighth and quarter notes, including accents and slurs.

Jack Sprat

drum fill

Verse 1

3

Vox (4) Jack Sprat could eat no fat and his Bb

L.S. Sprat could eat no fat and his

T. Sx. *f*

Tpt in Bb *f*

Tbn. *f*

6

Vox wife could eat no lean. Jack Sprat could eat no fat and his Bb

L.S. wife could eat no lean. Jack Sprat could eat no fat and his

T. Sx.

Tpt in Bb

Tbn.

8

Vox  
wife could eat\_ no lean. Jack Sprat, it's a fact.  
Ab Eb

L.S.  
wife could eat\_ no lean. Jack Sprat, it's a fact.

T. Sx.

Tpt in Bb

Tbn.

10

Vox  
Jack Sprat, it's a fact.

L.S.  
Jack Sprat, it's a fact.

T. Sx.

Tpt in Bb

Tbn.

Jack Sprat

13 break drum fill

Vox Jack Sprat, it's a fact. —

L.S. Ab Eb Bb Bb

T. Sx. *sfz* *mf*

Tpt in Bb *sfz* *mf*

Tbn. *sfz* *mf*

Verse 2

16

Vox Jack Sprat could eat\_ no fat and his wife could eat\_ no lean.

L.S. Bb Jack Sprat could eat\_ no fat and his wife could eat\_ no lean.

T. Sx.

Tpt in Bb

Tbn.

18

Vox

Jack Sprat could eat no fat and his wife could eat no lean.

L.S.

Jack Sprat could eat no fat and his wife could eat no lean.

T. Sx.

Tpt in Bb

Tbn.

20

Vox

Jack Sprat, it's a fact. Jack Sprat, it's a fact.

Ab Eb Bb Ab Eb

L.S.

Jack Sprat, it's a fact. Jack Sprat, it's a fact.

T. Sx.

Tpt in Bb

Tbn.

Jack Sprat

23 break drum fill

Vox Jack Sprat, it's a fact. —

L.S. Bb Ab Eb Bb

T. Sx. *sfz* *fp*

Tpt in Bb *sfz* *fp*

Tbn. *sfz* *fp*

Instrumental

26

Vox

L.S. Bb Bb

T. Sx. *mf*

Tpt in Bb Solo *mf*

Tbn. *mf*

29

Vox

(4)

L.S.

(4)

T. Sx.

Tpt in Bb

Tbn.

32

Vox

Jack Sprat, it's a fact.

Bb Ab Eb Bb

L.S.

Jack Sprat, it's a fact.

T. Sx.

*sfz*

Tpt in Bb

*sfz*

Tbn.

*sfz*

35

Vox

Jack Sprat, it's a fact. Jack ate the lean and she ate the fat.

Ab Eb Bb

L.S.

Jack Sprat, it's a fact. Jack ate the lean and she ate the fat.

T. Sx.

*f*

Tpt in Bb

*f*

Tbn.

*f*

37

break drum fill

Outro

Vox

Jack Sprat, it's a fact.\_\_\_\_

Ab Eb Bb

L.S.

T. Sx.

Tpt in Bb

Tbn.

39

Vox

L.S.

T. Sx.

Tpt in Bb

Tbn.

42

Vox

L.S.

T. Sx.

Tpt in Bb

Tbn.