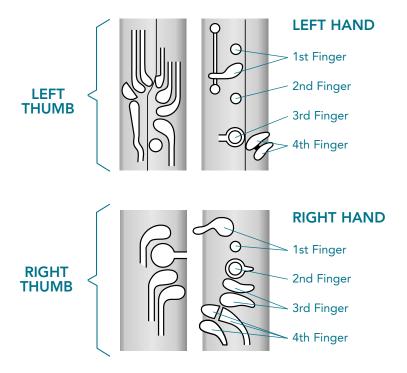
## FINGERING CHARTS

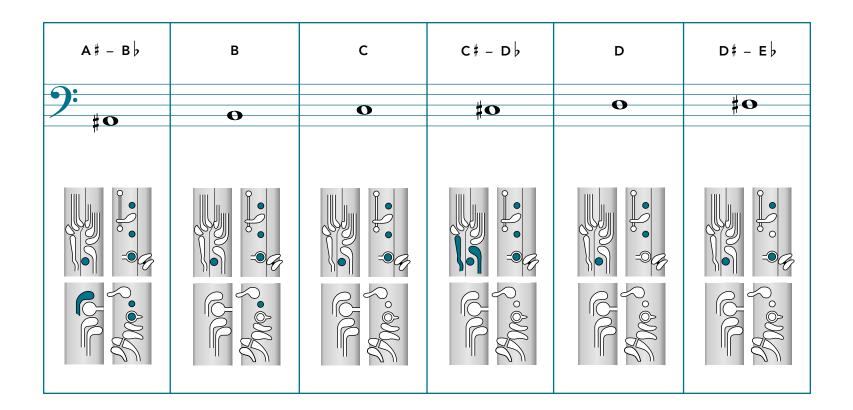
In the following fingering chart, all the keys on the bassoon are shown in the diagrams under each note. To finger any note **depress** the keys, levers or cover the holes shown in **teal**. Special attention should be given to the hole covered by the first finger of the left hand. If the **lower half** of the hole is shown covered, then this hole should be only **half covered** by this finger. A group of important alternate fingerings are included at the end of this chart.

This illustration shows the correct fingering of a bassoon. The thumb of the left hand operates nine keys and the thumb of the right hand operates four keys. The keys on the front of the bassoon are operated by the fingers of both hands.



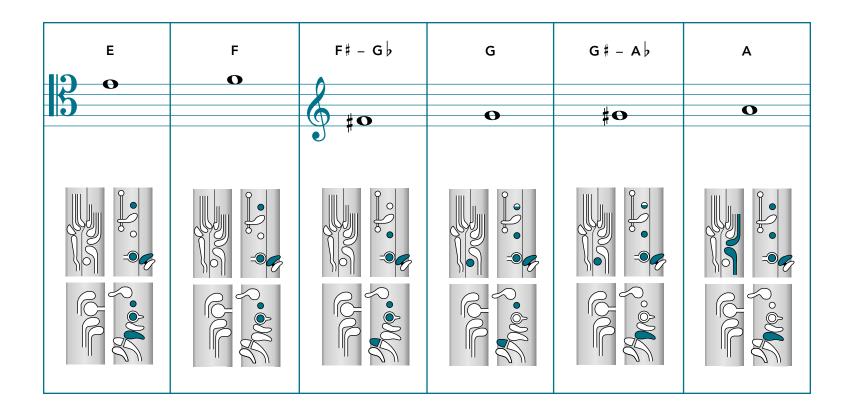
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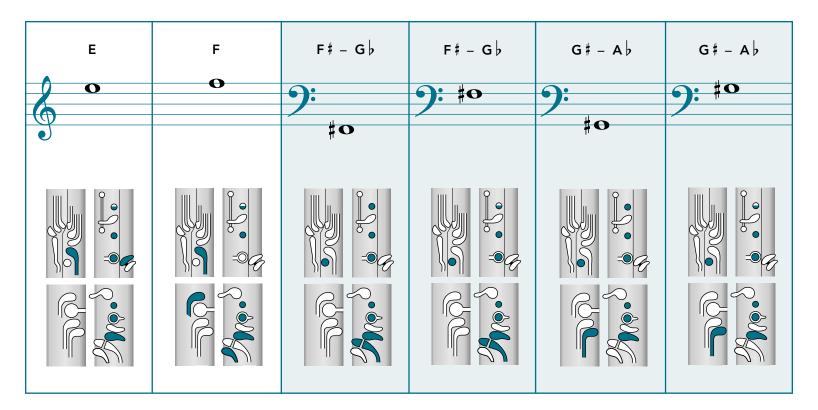


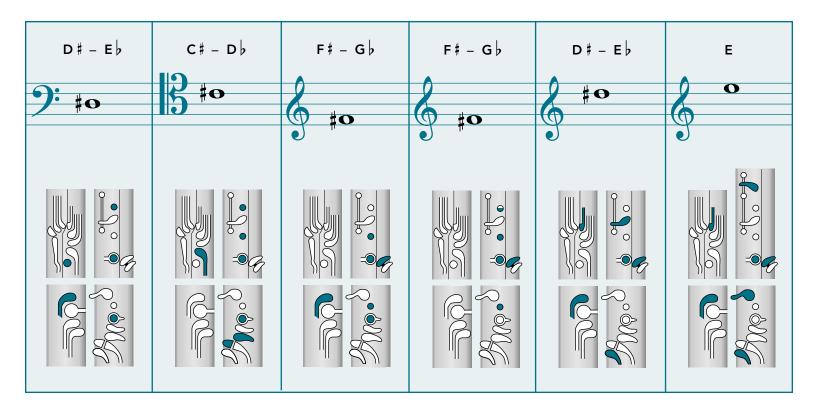
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A# – B♭	В	с	C# – D♭	D	D# – E♭
# <b>o</b>	•	0	<b>‡</b> 0	0	<b>•</b>





= alternate fingerings