



Clarinet, A

Date

1860-1879 ca.

Primary Maker

Georg Ottensteiner

Description

5 sections: barrel, top joint, bottom joint, bell, and extra barrel. Baermann-Ottensteiner system (German system); 18 touchepieces; 4 rings; stained boxwood; silver-plated keys, rings, ferrules. By same maker who made clarinets for Richard Muhlfield, the clarinetist for whom Brahms wrote his clarinet music. In a set: NMM 2525, 2526, 2527.

Dimensions

Measurements exclude tenons. Overall length (from tip of barrel to bottom of bell): 607 mm Barrel on clarinet: 70.1 mm; extra: 71.8 mm Upper joint: 198 mm Bottom joint: 232 mm Bell: 105 mm Bore at top of top joint: 14.3 mm Bore at bottom of top joint: 14.6 mm Bore at bottom of bottom joint: 22.0 mm