

Basic Detail Report



Slide trumpet or Mini trombone, B-flat

Date

1997

Primary Maker

Jupiter, Kung Hsue She Company

Description

Brass, red lacquer, no tuning slide; bell engraved in zigzag-line style with a depiction of Mount Fuji and large waves (around the circumference of the bell); the engraving reveals the brass color underneath. Jupiter calls this model 314L "mini-trombone." In the key of $4\frac{1}{2}$ -ft B-flat, it is pitched exactly one octave higher than a tenor trombone and uses a trumpet mouthpiece. The engraving was commissioned by Joe Utley and is inspired by the famous woodcut "The Great Wave" by Katsushika Hokusai (1760-1849).

Dimensions

Height: 544 mm Tube length: 1317 mm Bore diameter (initial, minimum): 10.8 mm, 9.8 mm Slide bore diameter: 11.5 mm Bell diameter: 120 mm