

Basic Detail Report



Cornettino

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Primary Maker

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Description

Lowest note with all tone holes closed: d1 (Quartzink) Box wood, two halves, leather covered, silver ferrules; curved

to the right; octagonal, carved diamonds; four bindings (at receiver, end of diamonds, between the fingerhole triads, and at the bell end); leather impressed with longitudinal lines, cross lines at bindings, and impressed tree and double-flame ornaments. Six fingerholes, thumbhole. Buffalo horn mouthpiece
Copy of a sixteenth- or seventeenth-century Venetian cornettino. Shown here at top, along with NMM 7314 (middle) and NMM 10737 (bottom).

Dimensions

Height: 450 mm Tube length: 451 mm Bore diameter (initial, minimum): 9.8 mm, 7.6 mm Bell diameter (internal): 21.5 mm Thumbhole position (from receiver): 166 mm Fingerhole position (from receiver): 186 mm, 213 mm, 242 mm, 287 mm, 318 mm, 352 mm Hole diameter range: 5.5-6.0 mm