

Basic Detail Report

Clarinet, C

Date

1814-1821 ca.

Primary Maker

John Willis

Description

4 sections: barrel, top joint, bottom joint, and bell. Boxwood body with ivory ferrules and brass keywork. Simple system of 5 keys with flat, square covers, mounted in blocks and lower bulge, with springs attached to keys; F-sharp/C-sharp is "cranked" in English style.

Dimensions

Overall length (from top of barrel to bottom of bell): 526mm Barrel: 52mm Top joint: 163mm Bottom joint: 206mm Bell: 105mm Bell diameter: 73mm Bore at top of top joint: 13.2mm Bore at bottom of top joint: 13.2mm Bore at bottom of bottom joint: 17mm (all length measurements exclude tenons)