

Trombone Position Chart

Notes on gray background are pedal tones.

	F	F# Gb	G	G# Ab	A	A# Bb
Bass Clef						
	6	5	4	3	2	1

	B	C	C# Db	D	D# Eb	E	F
Bass Clef							
	Tb7 (lip down)	T 7	T 6	Tb4	Tb3	7 or T 2	6 or T 1

	F# Gb	G	G# Ab	A	A# Bb	B	C
Bass Clef							
	5	4 or Tb6	3 or T 6	2 or Tb4	1 or Tb3	7 or Tb2	6 or T 1

	C# Db	D	D# Eb	E	F	F# Gb	G
Bass Clef							
	5	4	3	2 or 7	1 or 6	5	4

	G# Ab	A	A# Bb	B	C	C# Db
Bass Clef						
	3 or 7	2 or 6	1 or #5	4 or b7	3 or b6	2 or b5

	D	D# Eb	E	F	F# Gb	G
Bass Clef						
	1 or b4	3 or #6	2 or #5	1 or #4 or 6	#3 or 5 or 7	#2 or 4 or 6

	G# Ab	A	A# Bb	B	C	D
Bass Clef						
	3 or 5 or 7	2 or 4 or 6	1 or 3 or 5	2 or 4	3 or b1 or 6	1 or b4

(When more than one position is shown, the first is the most common.)

Trombone

Full Range Scales

In All Twelve Major Key Signatures

B \flat 

F 

C 



G 

D 

A 

E 

B  Musical staff for Trombone B, showing a chromatic scale in the bass clef with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#) and a common time signature (C). The scale starts on G# and descends to G.

F#  Musical staff for Trombone F#, showing a chromatic scale in the bass clef with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#) and a common time signature (C). The scale starts on F# and descends to F.

Gb  Musical staff for Trombone Gb, showing a chromatic scale in the bass clef with a key signature of three flats (Bb, Eb, Ab) and a common time signature (C). The scale starts on Gb and descends to G.


Db  Musical staff for Trombone Db, showing a chromatic scale in the bass clef with a key signature of three flats (Bb, Eb, Ab) and a common time signature (C). The scale starts on Db and descends to D.

Ab  Musical staff for Trombone Ab, showing a chromatic scale in the bass clef with a key signature of three flats (Bb, Eb, Ab) and a common time signature (C). The scale starts on Ab and descends to A.

Eb  Musical staff for Trombone Eb, showing a chromatic scale in the bass clef with a key signature of three flats (Bb, Eb, Ab) and a common time signature (C). The scale starts on Eb and descends to E.

Full Range Chromatic - Trombones Only

 Musical staff for Full Range Chromatic, measures 1-3. Measure 1: G#4, A4, B4, C5. Measure 2: B4, A4, G#4, G4. Measure 3: F#4, E4, D4, C4. Fingerings: 1, 2, 3.

 Musical staff for Full Range Chromatic, measures 4-6. Measure 4: B3, A3, G3, F3. Measure 5: E3, D3, C3, B2. Measure 6: A2, G2, F2, E2. Fingerings: 4, 5, 6.

 Musical staff for Full Range Chromatic, measures 7-8. Measure 7: D2, C2, B1. Measure 8: A1, G1, F1, E1. Fingerings: 7, 8.