Trombone slide position *chart*

Every note from E2 to F5 on a tenor trombone, with its slide position. Bass clef, concert pitch. Middle C is C4.

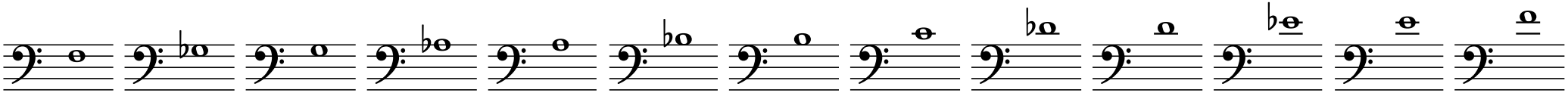
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These positions are approximate. Every trombone and every player is a little different. Always use your ears: move the slide until each note sounds centred and in tune.

Big number: the main position. **Smaller numbers:** alternates on another partial. **Short:** the slide sits a little in from the usual position, because that partial plays flat.



E2	F2	G♭2	G2	A♭2	A2	B♭2	B2	C3	D♭3	D3	E♭3	E3
7	6	5	4	3	2	1	7	6	5	4	3	2 or 7

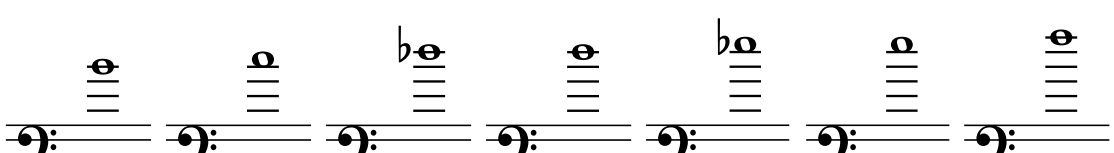


F3	G♭3	G3	A♭3	A3	B♭3	B3	C4	D♭4	D4	E♭4	E4	F4
1 or 6	5	4	3 or 7	2 or 6	1 or 5	4 or 7	3 or 6	2 or 5	1 or 4	3	2 or 7, short 5	1 or 6, short 4



G♭4	G4	A♭4	A4	B♭4
5	4	3	2	1

Upper register
For later: the slide positions repeat on higher partials.



B4	C5	D♭5	D5	E♭5	E5	F5
2 or 4, 7	1 or 3, 6	2 or 5	1 or 4	3	2	1

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