

Tuba Fingering Chart

These fingerings apply to BB \flat , C, F, and E \flat tubas.

Note: For tubas with a 5th valve, the 5th valve is played by the 1st finger of the left hand.
Notes regularly fingered 2¹ can be played with just the 5th valve.

	B \flat	B	C	C \sharp D \flat	D	D \sharp E \flat	E	F	F \sharp G \flat	G	G \sharp A \flat	A
Regular	0						1 2 3	1 3	2 3	1 2	1 3	2
Alternate										3		
Using 4th & 5th Valves	3 4 5	1 2 3 4	2 3 4 5	1 2 3 4 5	2 3 4 5	3 4 5	1 2 3 4	2 3 4	1 2 3 4	1 2 3 4	1 2 3 4	2 3 4
C Tuba					0	1 2 3 4	2 3 4	3 4	1 2 3	1 3	2 3	1 2
F Tuba								0	1 2	1 3 4	2 3 4	3 4
E \flat Tuba						0	1 2 3 4	1 3 4	2 3 4	3 4	1 4	1 2 3

	A \sharp B \flat	B	C	C \sharp D \flat	D	D \sharp E \flat	E	F	F \sharp G \flat	G	G \sharp A \flat	A
Regular	0	1 2 3	1 3	2 3	1 2	1	2	0	2 3	1 2	1	2
Alternate					3		1 2 3	1 3		3	1 2 3	1 3
Using 4th & 5th Valves	0 1 4	1 2 3 4	2 3 4	1 2 3 4	2 3 4	1 2 3 4	2 3 4	1 2 3 4	2 3 4	1 2 3 4	1 2 3 4	
C Tuba	1	2	0	1 2 3	1 3	2 3	1 2	1	2	0	2 3	1 2
F Tuba	1 4	1 2 3	1 3	2 3	1 2	1	2	0	1 2 3	1 3	2 3	1 2
E \flat Tuba	1 3	2 3	1 2	1	2	0	1 2 3	1 3	2 3	1 2	1	2

	A \sharp B \flat	B	C	C \sharp D \flat	D	D \sharp E \flat	E	F	F \sharp G \flat	G	G \sharp A \flat	A
Regular	0	1 2	1	2	0	1	2	0	3	1 2	1	2
Alternate	2 3	1 2 3	1 3	2 3	1 3		1 2 3	1 3	1 2 3	3	2 1 3	1 1 2 3
Using 4th & 5th Valves												
C Tuba	1	2	0	1 2	1	2	0	1	2	0	2 3	1 2
F Tuba	1	2	0	2 3	1 2	1	2	0	1 2	1	2	0
E \flat Tuba	0	2 3	1 2	1	2	0	1 2	1	2	0	1	2

	A \sharp B \flat	B	C	C \sharp D \flat	D	D \sharp E \flat	E	F	F \sharp G \flat	G	G \sharp A \flat	A
Regular	0	1 2	1	2	0	1	2	0				
Alternate	1 2 3											
Using 4th & 5th Valves												
C Tuba	1	2	0	1 2	1	2	0					
F Tuba	1	2	0	2 3	1 2	1	2	0	1 2	1	2	0