

SAXOPHONE FINGERING CHART

○ = open

● = pressed down

When more than one fingering is shown, the first is the most commonly used. Additional fingerings, known as "alternate" fingerings, are used in certain situations to allow for better technique.

The chart consists of five horizontal staves, each representing a different pitch range. Each staff contains 12 boxes, one for each note from A# up to F. Within each box, there are fingerings represented by circles (open) and dots (pressed down). Some boxes contain multiple sets of fingerings separated by 'or'. A small 'b' with an arrow points to a specific fingering in the middle section of the chart.

- Staff 1:** A#, Bb, B, Cb, B#, C, C#, Db, D, D#, Eb, E, Fb
- Staff 2:** E#, F, F#, Gb, G, G#, Ab, A, A#, Bb
- Staff 3:** B, Cb, B#, C, C#, Db, D, D#, Eb, E, Fb, E#, F
- Staff 4:** F#, Gb, G, G#, Ab, A, A#, Bb, B, Cb
- Staff 5:** B#, C, C#, Db, D, D#, Eb, E, Fb, E#, F