



# Basset Horn

Thank you for choosing an Xsample instrument!

## Features

- easy and comfortably playable instruments
- „all in one“ instruments (all playing styles clearly in one instrument)
- fully chromatically sampled and multilayer
- natural and vivid loops for all sustained notes
- seamless dynamics and timbre by xfades:  
continuous sound from ppp to fff
- Stereo and mono version (switchable in the instrument)
- Room Walker script for effects within a virtual two-dimensional space
- 61 IR Samples (room impulses)
- A variety of modulators

## Software requirements

- Full version of Native Instruments Kontakt (Version 5.5 or higher)  
With the free Kontakt Player version, the library can only be operated in demo mode for 15 minutes.

## Playing styles and articulations

playing style / articulation	dynamic layers	round robin (emulated)
senza vibrato	3	3
crescendo / decresc. (slow)	1	3
staccato	2*3	3
flutter tongue	2	3
multiphonics	1	-
slides up & down	1	3
air noises	1	-
key noises	1	-
breath noises	1	-
playing noises	1	-
undefined tones	1	-

## Fixed patches

The fixed patches have fixed built-in presets. The keyswitches or cc#0 values apply across instruments. That means that e.g. a „staccato“ of the bass flute is on the same keyswitch as the „staccato“ of the piccolo.

- Patch: **Bassethorn play.nki**

Keyswitch	cc#0 value	Preset
A0	0	senza vibrato cc#1
A#0	1	senza vibrato velocity
B0	2	staccato velocity
C1	3	flutter tongue cc#1
C#1	4	flutter tongue cc#1
D1	5	multiphonics
D#1	6	key noises velocity

- Patch: **Bassethorn score.nki**

Keyswitch	cc#0 value	Preset
A0	0	senza vibrato cc#1
A#0	1	senza vibrato cc#1
B0	2	staccato velocity
C1	3	flutter tongue cc#1
C#1	4	flutter tongue cc#1
D1	5	flutter tongue cc#1
D#1	6	multiphonics
E1	7	key noises velocity

With each keyswitch you get some information about the current preset on the message line at the bottom of Kontakt.

If you want to know more about the standard scripting please download the „standard scripting documentation.pdf“. The document can be found here:

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## Elastic patches

The elastic patches are freely configurable. But there are also factory settings for the keyswitches or cc#0 values. They furthermore contain additional playing styles and articulations that are not included in the fixed patches.

- Patch: **Basset Horn.nki**  
Factory bank preset list

- 1 Senza Vibrato MW
- 2 Staccato 1 Velocity MW Shape
- 3 Staccato 2 Velocity MW Shape
- 4 Flutter Tongue MW
- 5 Crescendo
- 6 Multiphonics + Undefined Tones Velocity
- 7 Air Noises Velocity CC4
- 8 Key Noises + Various Noises
- 9 Slides Down Velocity
- 10 Slides Up Velocity
- 11 Senza Vibrato Velocity
- 12 Flutter Tongue Velocity
- 13 Senza Vibrato Velocity + MW inverted
- 14 Triple Tongue 16T
- 15 Senza Vibrato + Flutter Tongue Velocity X MW
- 16 Staccato Velocity
- 17 With Accent Velocity
- 18 Multiphonics MW
- 19 Air Noises MW
- 20 Key Noises Velocity
- 21 Undefined Tones Velocity
- 22 Vibrato MW
- 23 Vibrato Velocity
- 24 Vibrato Velocity + MW inverted
- 25 Secco Velocity
- 26 Portato Velocity
- 27 Flutter Tongue Velocity + MW inverted

All presets with „long“ playing styles are playable with Xsample's automatic true legato, a combination of samples and scripted legato.

If you want to know more about the various functions of the elastic patches, please hold your mouse over the respective buttons or menus. The information is then displayed when the "Info Pane" of Kontakt is switched on.

If you want to design your own presets, phrases and room walker setups please download the „extended scripting documentation.pdf“. The document can be found here:

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