

# The Straight Alto and The Straight Soprano

The straight Alto is pitched in Eb and fingers just like the regular model. The difference is in the design, which is unlike any other member of the Saxophone family. Instead of turning back on the body, the bell is straight, curving outward slightly at the flare or extreme end. This straight air passage gives a big round tone of a beautiful sonorous quality.

An improved positive action octave mechanism; a special high F key (pearl inlaid) for the first finger of the left hand; an improved plate and roller key for G sharp and a roller key for low Bb are among the new features. The instrument is, of course, equipped with the famous Buescher Snap-on Pads.

The Bb Soprano is also supplied in a new design. Many players prefer this model to the regular straight model, because when in playing position, the bell rests comfortably on the player's knee, taking the weight of the instrument off the hands and leaving them free to manipulate keys.

## Model 121 Bb Soprano

Low Pitch. Range,  
Bb to F natural.  
Length, 27½ ins.;  
Wgt. 2 lbs. 10 ozs.

## Model 120 Eb Alto

Low Pitch. Range,  
Bb to F natural.  
Length, 41 ins.;  
Wgt. 5 lbs. 3 ozs.

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