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*Looped Multiphonics*

*Slap Tongue*

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## DID YOU KNOW?

### Multiphonics

The term multiphonics refers to contemporary wind instrument playing techniques that produce multiple pitches simultaneously. A common technique is "blowing" and "humming" at the same time. The different pitches of the played and hummed tones create additional harmonics with different volumes and may even result in chords. Jazz trombone player Albert Mangelsdorff was a pioneer of these techniques. Ian Anderson, leader of the British rock band "Jethro Tull", was not only famous for playing the flute while standing on one leg, but also for his extensive use of flutter tongue, growling and humming.

Other techniques to create multiphonics include the use of special fingerings and changing the force of attack at the same time – or by using conventional fingerings with a radically altered embouchure. Multiphonics range from harmonic multiphonics (sounds that develop from the fundamental pitch and harmonic partials) to sounds with inharmonic partials and even complex sounds consisting predominantly of noise components. Our new [Clarinet \(Bb\) 2](#) features an extensive set of almost 300 looped multiphonics, based on methods described in the book "[Multiphonics](#)" by Gerhard Krassnitzer.



Best wishes from Vienna,

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