

Martin Handcraft Standard Trumpet

1934 - 1941

In 1934 Martin said, "The Martin Standard Trumpet has won great favor with dance band trumpeters because of its attractive trumpet tone, extremely easy playing qualities, exceptional carrying power, its full round response to the slightest attack, and its endless depth of power under easy persuasion. Three Bores: medium (#1), medium large (#2), and large (#3)."

1934 Catalog image (period mouthpiece top right)



Standard #111541 c.1935; #2 bore = 0.452"; bell = 4.675"



Standard #113197 c.1935 w/#3 bore (below & bottom right)



The mouthpiece style changed for 1936 (right).

Standard #124971 c.1938 w/#2 bore (below & 2nd on right)



Standard #125970 c.1938 w/#2 bore



Standard #131404 c.1939 w/#2 bore



Standard #137268 c.1940



Standard #141988 c.1941 w/#2 bore



Standard #143767 c.1941 (below & top right)

This was a US military example, and the "Handcraft" name is gone.



Standard #144456 c.1941 – one of the last examples found.



#1 bore = 0.445"

#2 bore = 0.452"

#3 bore = 0.465"