

Yamaha Clarinets Always Evolving

Yamaha has unique resources which just aren't available to any other instrument makers. One of these is an R&D network with full-time staff stationed around the world. These designers are in constant contact with many of the world's greatest musicians, who share their talent, experience and dreams with us. It is those artists who inspire Yamaha designers and craftspeople to keep reaching higher and higher. Together they have formed a team which continually challenges the traditional limits in clarinet design. Working together they have succeeded in creating a completely new standard of clarinet excellence.



CSG Series Reinventing the Clarinet

The CSG is an entirely new kind of clarinet. Yamaha reanalyzed and reevaluated literally every single design specification until they had created an instrument that harks back to the tonal purity and natural resonance of aged grenadilla wood. There's less metal used on the CSG, so the whole body reverberates with sound, while the new bore, barrel, and bell shapes offer a tone of breathtaking richness and depth. The sound is warm yet has a clear focused center surrounded by a wealth of overtones, resulting in extraordinary beauty and expressivity. And the tone projects with remarkable ease in even the largest concert halls.

There's never been a clarinet like this before.

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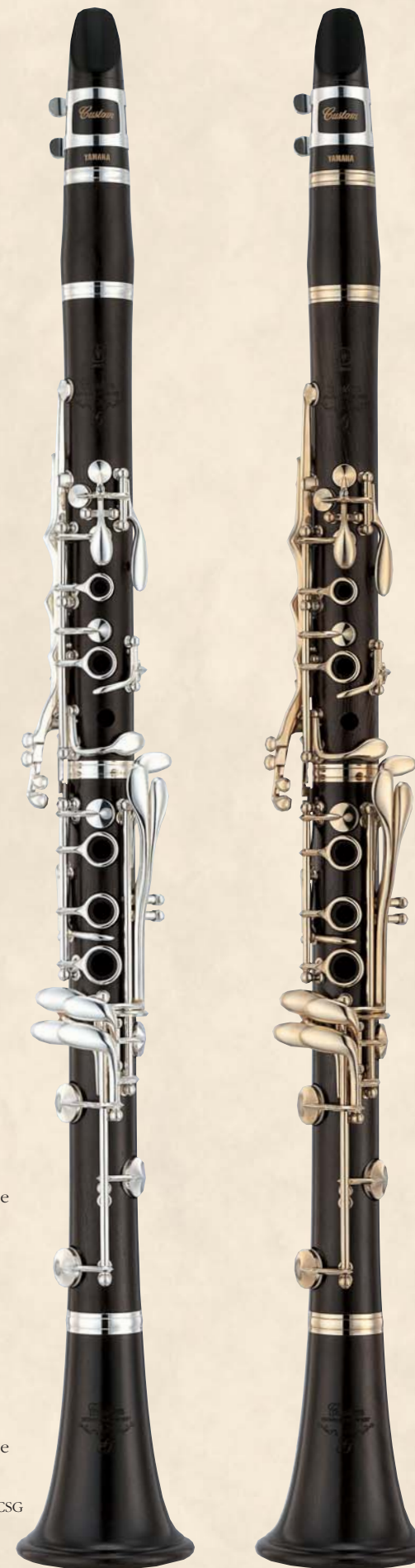
B^b CLARINET YCL-CSG

56.5 mm barrel
Grenadilla body
Silver-plated keys
Silver-plated ligature
and mouthpiece cap
Custom ebonite 5CM mouthpiece
Single case with cover

A CLARINET YCL-CSG-A

56.5 mm barrel
Grenadilla body
Silver-plated keys
Silver-plated ligature
and mouthpiece cap
Custom ebonite 5CM mouthpiece
Double case

YCL-CSG



■ The Upper Joint

The barrel is shorter than on conventional clarinets allowing a longer upper joint (approximately 10 mm longer). This gives a more balanced, natural feeling response, and helps add focus to its colorful tone.

■ The Body

The CSG features a body of the highest grade. Each piece of African grenadilla is individually test selected and carefully seasoned using Yamaha's vast experience with fine woods. The natural finish is attractive and actually contributes to the tonal richness.

■ The Bell

The solid Grenadilla bell has no metal ring on the rim to enhance the natural warmth and resonance of the sound, and improve the playing flexibility.

■ Special Pads

Pad resonators add clarity to the tone when the key is closed.



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B^b CLARINET YCL-CSG-H

56.5 mm barrel
Grenadilla body
Hamilton-plated keys
Silver-plated ligature
and mouthpiece cap
Custom ebonite 5CM mouthpiece
Single case with cover

A CLARINET YCL-CSG-AH

56.5 mm barrel
Grenadilla body
Hamilton-plated keys
Silver-plated ligature
and mouthpiece cap
Custom ebonite 5CM mouthpiece
Double case

YCL-CSG-H