

Holton *Farkas* Mouthpieces

The master's legacy lives on in these superbly crafted French Horn mouthpieces

“Farkas mouthpieces offer the extra range, power and tonal colour that have made them the single most popular French Horn Mouthpiece in the world. Whether for intricately played symphonic work – or beginner development – there’s a Farkas to meet the challenge. Every Farkas mouthpiece is available with either silver– or – gold-plated finishes”

Model Suffix	Cup Depth	Rim Shape	Cup Diameter		Throat Diameter	Remarks
			Inside	Outside		
SC	shallow	medium-wide	16.87mm (.664")	24.80mm (.977")	4.32mm (.170")	Extremely clear high register with clean attacks. Ringing tone but not shrill. Excellent for high baroque music or extremely high technical passages.
MC	medium	medium-wide	16.81mm (.662")	25.20mm (.992")	4.62mm (.182")	No extreme features. Round, ringing tone with a touch of velvet in all registers. Well suited for all-round symphony or solo playing. A very popular model.
MDC	medium-deep	medium-wide	16.21mm (.638")	24.33mm (.958")	4.62mm (.182")	Sensitive yet comfortable. Good response in entire range. For players who desire a slightly darker tone than that of the SC or MC models. Slightly narrower rim than SC or MC models.
DC	deep	medium	17.07mm (.672")	24.64mm (.970")	4.83mm (.190")	Produces very clean attacks and a large resonant but velvety tone. Popular with both high and low horn players because it plays well in all registers.
VDC	very deep	narrow	16.71mm (.658")	23.16mm (.912")	5.23mm (.206")	Large teutonic tone. This basically dark tone is very helpful for the player who has a too-bright tone since it mellows the tone significantly. For the robust mature player.
XDC	extra-deep	medium narrow	16.94mm (.667")	24.20mm (.953")	5.23mm (.206")	Extremely deep cup and very large bore produces a rich, heroic tone. Superior mouthpiece for the player who wishes to play in the grand manner of the “Helden” horn player. Also produces a soft and mellow tone for the player who might have a naturally bright or shrill tone. The depth of this cup will mellow even the hardest, overly brilliant tone.