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SONICLEAR BEARINGEDGE (patent pending)

The **SONIClear** Bearing Edge is standard on all Armory shells and allows the drumhead to sit flatter and make better contact with the shell. The result is a stronger and deeper fundamental pitch, effortless and consistent tuning, and a significantly expanded tuning range. For the serious player, the increased head to edge contact increases shell vibration, allowing the sonic nuances of the Hybrid shell to stand out.

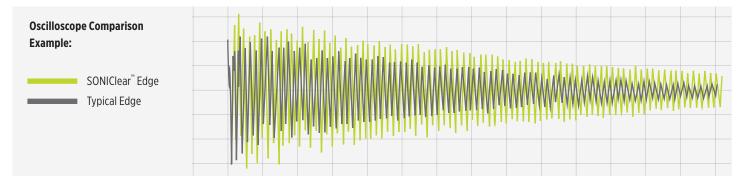


SONICLEAR™ EDGE AUDIO TEST SESSIONS

SOUND ___

The increased drumhead to shell contact acheived by the $SONIClear^{**}$ Edge enhances shell vibration, resulting in the "biggest" sound possible from the drum.

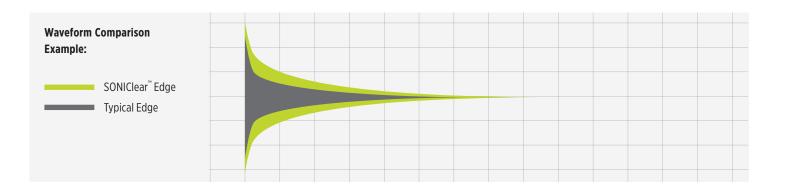
Oscilloscope Example: The green waveform is a recording of a drum with the SONIClear[™] edge. The dark grey waveform is a drum with a typical edge. Tuned to the same pitch and recorded identically, it's clear that the drum with the SONIClear Edge produces a much larger waveform from the initial strike through the full sustain of the note.



SUSTAIN _

Because the drumhead sits flat on the SONIClear[™] Edge, the tension applied during tuning is more balanced and stress-free. This allows the drumhead to vibrate freely and fully.

Waveform Comparison Example: The green waveform is a recording of a drum with the SONIClear[™] edge. The dark grey waveform is a drum with a typical edge. The size of the SONIClear[™] waveform indicates a lower and stronger fundamental pitch while the length indicates a longer sustain compared to a typical edge.



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PREMIUM FEATURES

Armory Series drums include a number of premium features borrowed from the Mapex Saturn V line that will provide pro-level performance to players looking for an a gig-worthy yet affordable kit.



Armory Snare Drums are designed to complement any style of playing. Although **The Tomahawk** comes standard with all Armory kits, it can be traded in for the player's weapon of choice. See pg.19 for all the Armory Snare options available.



Straight from the Saturn V Series, the **SONIClear** Suspension System on the rack toms increases overall resonance by preserving vibration in the drumheads and shell and preventing energy transfer to the hardware.



The **SONIClear** Floor Tom Feet provide stable support while increasing overall punch and body, preserving vibration in the drumheads and shell and preventing energy transfer to the floor.



The **Insulated Bass Drum Claws** include rubber gaskets that protect the hoop from damage and prevent rattling or buzzing during periods of extended play.



The beautiful **Olive Wood Veneers** with sophisticated lacquered finishes makes the kits stand out on every stage.



The **6ply 7.2mm Birch/Maple/Birch Hybrid Shells** deliver the ultimate in tone, resonance, and punch. They allow the drums to speak quickly and project clearly in the manner of old-world drum craftsmanship.



Virgin Bass Drums are standard with all configurations in this series, giving the kick sound increased body and low-end. **Soniclear Tom Holders** are included for all rack toms, lending ultimate set-up flexibility to the player.

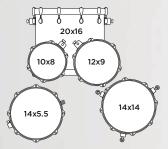
CONFIGURATIONS

What's Your Setup?

The Armory Series offers a variety of configurations designed to fit diverse musical applications. Whether the preference is fast and focused or big and booming, every drummer can find a setup to suit their style.

504S Fusion Shell Pack

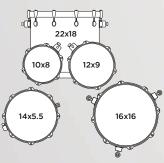
The Armory Series "Fusion" Shell Pack is a mix of smaller sizes and are equally suited for the performing drummer needing a highly portable, great sounding kit, or the Jazz drummer needing some versatility.



*Component Drums Available

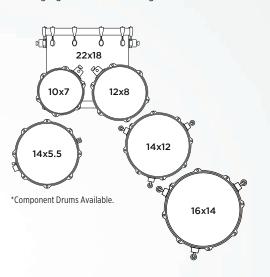
529S Rock Shell Pack

The Armory Series "Rock" Shell Pack features sizes that can span a wide range of playing styles, offering a blend of power and versatility wellsuited for the drummer needing a all around, great sounding kit.



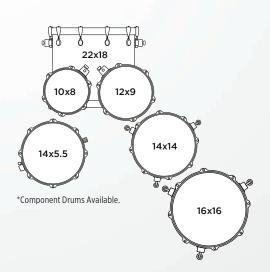
628SF Studioease Shell Pack (Short Toms)

The Armory Series "Studioease" Shell Pack includes short depth rack and floor toms that can span a wide range of playing styles. The shorter depths quicken the stick response and are easier to tune higher without sacrificing body or power. They're well-suited for the drummer needing a great kit for all music genres.



628S Studioease Shell Pack

The Armory Series "Studioease" Shell Pack features sizes that can span a wide range of playing styles. This shell pack offers a blend of power and tone well-suited for the drummer needing a full spectrum of sound for all musical challenges.





REDWOOD BURST FIRE IN THE SKY

Like fleeting color in the sky at nightfall, scarlet lingers in emerging darkness with pronounced wood grain that suggests the passage of time over distant sands. Watch with awe as the infinite beauty unfolds.



Featured Configuration: AR628SFURA



EMERALD BURST

MYSTIC FORCE

An emerald in the darkness; its seductive beauty shines as an embodiment of energy and good fortune. It exudes legendary power, the life force of the rhythm section.



Featured Configuration: AR628SFG

BLACK DAWN

The Hour Is Darkest Before Dawn

The olive wood veneer of the shell breaks from a ink-black fade, tempering menace with elegance.

Afraid of the dark? Beat it until it bleeds daylight.



Featured Configuration: AR628SFUBTK



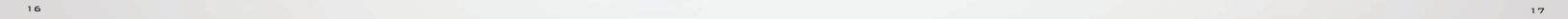
PURPLE HAZE

EXPAND YOUR MIND

There is mystery, allure and a touch of he forbidden in this dark satin purple that shows just enough of the exotic veneer underneath to entice you. They're not just drums...they're a state of consciousness.



Featured Configuration: AR628SBUP



ULTRAMARINE

Shooting the Curl

The olive wood pattern under cool, aquatic burst perfectly mimics the breaking wave, while the chrome fittings add brilliance. If it swells, ride it.



Featured Configuration: AR628SFUUM



DESERT DUNE

Footprints In the Sand A subtle, natural matte finish allows the pronounced grain patterns to take center stage.

This kit's classic good looks are immune to the erosion of time.



Featured Configuration: AR628SFUDW



ARMORY SNARE DRUMS

A Great Addition To Your Arsenal

Armory Snares are a line of drums designed to complement any style of playing. This arsenal contains drums that can blow the roof off any venue when fired properly. Handle with care.



TOMAHAWK

ARST4551CEB

Made with a 1mm steel shell, the TOMAHAWK has penetrating accuracy and long range projection. The focused power of its rim shot is devastating.

- Size: 14" x 5.5"
- 1mm High Polished Steel
- Rounded 45 Degree Bearing Edge
- Bright, Focused, and Loud



DILLINGER

ARML4550KCWT

Fast, articulate, and responsive, the DILLINGER will handle the most intense of musical assaults. The 8-ply Maple Shell will open up with just a flick of the finger.

- Size: 14" x 5.5"
- 8ply Maple
- SONIClear[™] 45 Degree Bearing Edge
- Bright, Balanced, and Responsive



SABRE

ARMW4550KCTB

The pop and crack of this Maple/Walnut Hybrid shell penetrates with each shot. The SABRE will cut thru any disputes as to who keeps the best time in the band.

- Size: 14" x 5.5"
- 7ply Maple/Walnut Hybrid
- SONIClear[™] 45 Degree Bearing Edge
- · Warn, Dynamic, and Open



DAISY CUTTER

ARST465HCEB

With its 1mm hammered steel shell, the DAISY CUTTER is a cannon that will rattle the walls. It's a high caliber drum that can be heard for miles around with its explosive sound.

- Size: 14" x 6.5"
- 1mm High Polished Hammered Steel
- Rounded 45 Degree Bearing Edge
- Dark, Broad, and Loud



EXTERMINATOR

ARBW4650RCTK

This drum is all about mass impact. With a Birch/Walnut Hybrid Shell, the EXTERMINATOR has a broad spread and a powerful attack that your bandmates will feel in their gut.

- Size: 14" x 6.5
- 7ply Birch/Walnut Hybrid
- SONIClear[™] 45 Degree Bearing Edge
- · Dark, Focused, and Balanced

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ARMORY HARDWARE

Built To Hold Up The Fort

Armory is a complete line of Gig-Quality hardware featuring heavy-duty tubes, double-braced legs, memory locks, and the adjustability needed by the serious player. To suit each drummer's unique style and kit finish, Armory Hardware comes in chrome and black-plated (See next page).

MEET THE FAMILY

HI-HAT H800

The **Tru-Direct-Pull Drive System** and **10-Position Tension Adjustment** ensure a resistance-free feel at every tension setting.

Double-Braced Swivel Tripod Legs allow close positioning of a double pedal.

Detachable Solid Steel Base increases stability.

The Falcon Series Quick Release Cymbal Lock secures top cymbal during play and speeds up setup and breakdown.

SNARE STAND S800

An Offset Multi-Step Adjuster and Universal Ball-in-Socket Snare Basket Tilter enable limitless snare drum positions.

The **Die-Cast Snare Basket Adjuster** and a **Clamp-Style Memory Lock** ensure the drum remains securely in position.

Double-Braced Legs and **Die-Cast Memory Locks** provide stability during aggressive play.

BOOM STAND B800

A **Knurled Hideaway Boom Arm** provides compact stand storage.

Concave Double-Braced Leg Shape allows for better stand positioning and compact storage.

Multi-Step Boom and Super-Glide Stepless Cymbal Tilter allow for quick and unlimited cymbal positioning.

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PEDAL P800

A **Double Chain Drive** ensures long-lasting durability and a smooth feel.

A **Self-Adjusting Hoop Clamp** with **Side-Mounted Adjuster** accomodates all bass drum angles while keeping the pedal flat.

The Falcon Series Beater comes with both 10g and 20g weights to customize feel.

The Extended Length Footboard increases torque, speed, and gives the player room to find their ideal foot placement.



ARMORY HARDWARE

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Armory Hardware also comes in black-plated.

Choose the color which fits your style the most.

MEET THE FAMILY

HI-HAT H800EB

The **Tru-Direct-Pull Drive System** and **10-Position Tension Adjustment** ensure a resistance-free feel at every tension setting.

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