



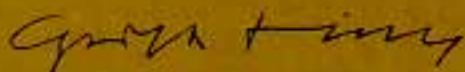
# The Drummer's Drum.



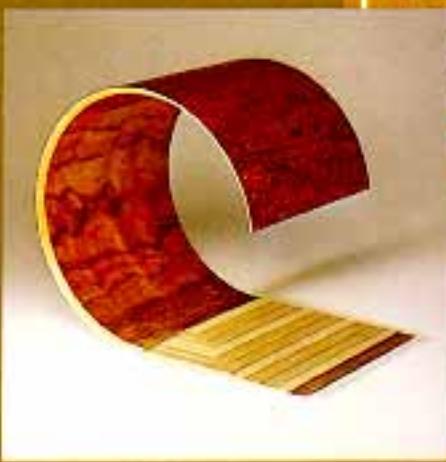
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# Signature Series

With the realization of the Signature Series drum outfits I complete an ambition I have had for many years: to manufacture the very highest quality drums available. To design and make such a drum outfit required both the combination of modern technology, and a tradition of more than 100 years of drum making. We are all extremely proud of the results. It has set a new standard for drum manufacturers on the international music scene. It is the ultimate for the perfectionist in every possible way: in sound, in design, and in quality. Because of this I am honored to place my signature on each and every one of the Signature Series products.

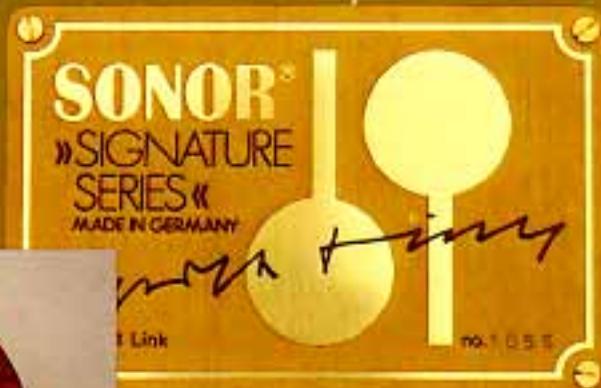


Horst Link



Deep 12-ply shells are the basis of the Signature Series sound.

Exclusivity: Each Signature Series product is supplied with a unique emblem engraved with the signature of SONOR President Horst Link.



Individuality: All Signature Series wood shells are available in two versions:  
HEAVY or LIGHT

HEAVY: Mellow and dry sound.  
LIGHT: Responsive and direct sound



HEAVY



LIGHT



## Floor Toms

Look at the features at the top of the SONOR range. There are four different sizes available, a choice of HEAVY or LIGHT shells, plus legs that we defy to slip, held securely in a no-slip prism block. And that's not all! You don't have to trust your memory using the built-in height adjustment clamps. These features have to be seen and played to be believed.

HLFT 14 14" x 16"  
HLFT 15 15" x 17"  
HLFT 16 16" x 18"  
HLFT 18 18" x 19"

### Technical features:

- 12-ply HEAVY or LIGHT shells
- BUBINGA RH or EBONY EB finish
- Seamless ferro-manganese steel rims
- "snap-lock" tension (pat. pend)
- Height adjustment clamps
- "flip-over" rubber tips to metal spikes
- "flip-on" external muffler
- REMO USA heads
- SONORCHROMED metal fittings

## Tom Toms

From 6" to 16", there are a full range of sounds, sizes and thicknesses to give you the sound you want. All of the extra deep toms are fitted with ferro-manganese steel rims. You also have a choice between HEAVY and LIGHT shells that hardly need muffling, (just a little secret we have acquired over the years). Each individual drum has that full, rich sound that only SONOR can make.

HLT 8 6" x 8"  
HLT 8 8" x 8"  
HLT 10 10" x 10"  
HLT 12 12" x 12"  
HLT 13 13" x 13"  
HLT 14 14" x 14"  
HLT 16 16" x 15"  
HLT 18 16" x 16"

### Technical features:

- 12-ply HEAVY or LIGHT shells
- BUBINGA RH or EBONY EB finish
- Tom tom bracket
- Seamless ferro-manganese steel rims
- "snap-lock" tension (pat. pend)
- "flip-on" external muffler
- REMO USA heads
- SONORCHROMED metal fittings

## Bass Drums

Every bass drum in the Signature Series range is made from solid 12-ply beechwood that eliminates any need for inside reinforcing hoops. A unique twin-upright, internal muffler system is used and fitted as standard equipment. The rugged tom tom mounting plate is bolted securely at four main points and is designed to hold 4 toms with ease. For the ultimate bass drum we have designed 2 lever arms to replace the normal tension rods where the pedal fits. This makes a drummer's life a little easier. Designed with the drummer in mind, the exclusive spurs have unique "flip over" rubber to metal tips, with king size lever arms that really grip. Like all SONOR bass drums, you never have to worry about them moving on stage or wherever used. Marble, parquet flooring, glossy surface, any surface; it just stays put.

HLC 18 18" x 16"  
HLC 20 20" x 17"  
HLC 22 22" x 18"  
HLC 24 24" x 18"

### Technical features:

- 12-ply HEAVY or LIGHT shells
- BUBINGA RH or EBONY EB finish
- Twin-upright internal muffler system
- Rugged tom tom mounting plate
- "snap-lock" tension (pat. pend)
- "flip-over" rubber tips to metal spikes
- REMO USA heads
- SONORCHROMED metal fittings







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## Bass Drums

The solid 9-ply shells are a feature of the Phonic drum line. They are formed in an exclusive oil-heated press. Reinforcement rims are not required by this method. Creeping of the bass drum is prevented by a unique spur design which includes quickly adjustable rubber tips to metal spikes, ensuring an extremely stable position.

- G 318 18" x 14"
- G 320 20" x 14"
- G 322 22" x 14"
- G 324 24" x 14"

Technical features:

- 9-ply beechwood
- Rugged tom tom mounting plate
- Quickly adjustable rubber tips to metal spikes
- Felt strip muffler
- REMO USA heads
- SONORCHROMED metal fittings

## Tom Toms

A complete range of sizes from 6" to 16", and every individual tom is fitted with an internal tone control. Check them out and compare the features.

- T 760 6" x 8"
- T 780 8" x 8"
- T 720 10" x 8"
- T 722 12" x 8"
- T 723 13" x 9"
- T 724 14" x 10"
- T 725 15" x 12"
- T 726 16" x 14"

Technical features:

- 9-ply beechwood shells
- Seamless ferro-manganese steel rims
- snap-lock® tension (pat. pend.)
- Spring loaded tom tom mounting bracket
- Internal muffler
- REMO USA heads
- SONORCHROMED metal fittings

## Concert Toms

These are the single head variety of toms that give you quite a different deep, direct sound. All the usual sizes are available from 6" to 16" and are intended to supplement the normal double headed toms on a drum outfit. With them you can add sound dimensions to your drumming.

- T 706 6" x 6"
- T 708 8" x 8"
- T 710 10" x 8"
- T 712 12" x 8"
- T 713 13" x 9"
- T 714 14" x 10"
- T 715 15" x 12"
- T 716 16" x 14"

Technical features:

- 9-ply beechwood shell
- Seamless ferro-manganese steel rims
- snap-lock® tension (pat. pend.)
- Spring loaded tom tom mounting bracket
- REMO USA heads
- SONORCHROMED metal fittings

## Floor Toms

An internal muffler is fitted to each floor tom. Also, a special prism positioning device is provided for each leg.

- T 734 14" x 14"
- T 736 16" x 16"
- T 738 18" x 16"

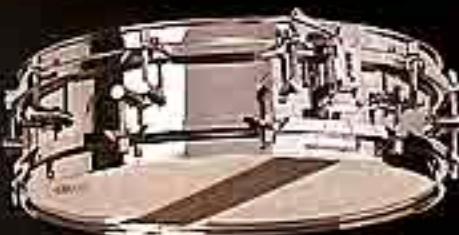
Technical features:

- 9-ply beechwood shell
- Seamless ferro-manganese steel rims
- snap-lock® tension (pat. pend.)
- Internal muffler
- REMO USA heads
- SONORCHROMED metal fittings



## Snare Drums

The Phonic snare drums are available in either ferro-manganese steel or Rosewood veneered beechwood shells. The metal shell produces a sharp responsive sound, whereas the wooden shell generates a fuller, more mellow sound. The snare action has a fine adjustment tuner fitted on both sides of the drum. The snares are supported at four points enabling them to lay perfectly flat against the bottom head. This gives the snare drum extra fast response, and any beat can be clearly heard from pianissimo to a roar. All Phonic snare drums are fitted with internal mufflers and equipped with seamless ferro-manganese steel rims. A heavy duty top rim is used to meet the needs of today's modern drummer. The snare drums in this series are the best value today in quality, durability and performance.



D 420

SONOR has done it again! This unique 14" x 3½" model gives you a sound so crisp and clear it's hard to believe.



D 515

Finished inside and out with beautifully grained Rosewood this 14" x 5¾" drum produces a warm mellow sound. The core of the shell is made of selected 10-ply beechwood. A drum that speaks the drummer's language.



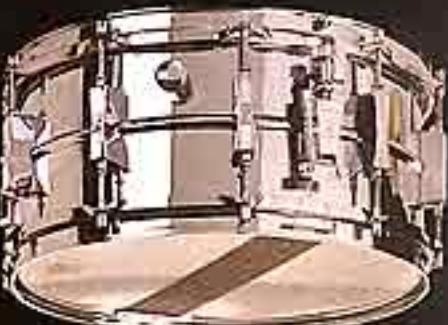
D 505

This is quite a drum! Made for good, solid, hard work; very responsive, extremely reliable; it keeps coming back for more and more. It has proved itself worldwide to be the ultimate drum in a 14" x 5¾" size, solidly built from ferro-manganese steel.



D 516

This model contains all the features of the D 515, but in a 6½" depth for those who require it.



D 506

Nothing is overlooked in this model to make a superb sounding 6½" deep drum. The big brother of D 505.

### Technical features:

- Seamless ferro-manganese steel rims
- Internal muffler
- "snap-lock" tension (pat. pend.)
- "throw off" snare action with fine adjustment tuner on both sides
- Both heads acoustically tuned
- REMO USA heads
- SONORCHROME metal fittings

## Snare Drums

If deep shells are what you are after then we offer you the best Phonic Plus snare drums are available in three versions; seamless ferro-manganese steel, mahogany finish on 9-ply beechwood, and gloss white finish on 9-ply beechwood. All Phonic Plus rims are seamless, and the heavy duty top rim on all snare drums gives you the strength where and when you need it.

When we fitted the Phonic snare action to the Phonic Plus snare drum, it made an unbeatable combination. The fine adjustment tuning is fitted to both sides for accurate tensioning. Each drum comes complete with an external "clip-on" muffler and has the "snap-lock" system fitted as standard equipment. Naturally, before leaving the factory, as with all SONOR snare drums, the final fine tuning is done with the aid of an oscillograph machine.



D 518 in MR



D 518

For the drummer who prefers wood, this is it! With a rich, warm, mellow sound, and a full 8" deep shell to lock it up, this drum is for the drummer who cares. It's available in the Phonic Plus selection of Gloss White CW or Red Mahogany MR.



D 508

Sensational in every way! There's no other word for it! An 8" seamless ferro-manganese steel shell that can penetrate with a crisp, dominant sound for the drummer who requires it.



### Technical features:

SONORCHROME is more than just a chrome. It's checked for quality at every stage of production. The use of copper and nickel plating is part of a process that gives all the products their superior chrome finish. Of course SONOR attention to detail has a lot to do with it too.

- Size: 14" x 6"
- Seamless ferro-manganese steel rims
- Throw off snare action with fine adjustment tuning on both sides
- "snap-lock" tension (pat. pend.)
- "clip-on" external muffler
- Both heads oscillographically tuned
- REMO USA heads
- SONORCHROMED metal fittings

## Snare Drums

The heart of a drum outfit is the snare drum. Your style and technique all stem from this drum. Various shell depths, thicknesses, and materials allow you to create your own personal sound. Metal snare drums produce a direct and sharp sound, while the wood shell produces a more mellow sound. The deeper the shell size the more volume you can obtain from the drum.

Signature Series snare drums are equipped with a parallel snare action. This action has a fine adjustment tuner on each side of the drum, keeping the snare flat on the entire head surface with complete uniform tensioning. The snare release mechanism assures a smooth and silent action. Signature Series snare drums feature the simplest and quickest system of snare replacement ever devised: two screws flip off and on in seconds. A SONOR exclusive: two snare choices with each Signature Series snare drum. You now have a choice of using a 24 strand normal snare or a 22 strand heavy snare. And SONOR's new external muffler! Clip it on, clip it off, it makes no difference. The Signature Series snare drums are made for use by any drummer.

### HLD 588

The drum blazing the way in setting new standards! Our first 14" x 8" seamless, ferro-manganese steel snare drum. The drum for maximum sound projection! Supplied with exclusive internal muffler.



### HLD 582

Designed for the drummer who prefers the sharp responsive attack that only a ferro-manganese steel snare drum can give. 14" x 6½".



### HLD 580

A drummer's dream! An 8" deep all wood shell, but with a difference—deep, warm, responsive and powerful. Made from selected beechwood and finished in a choice of the world's finest woods, BUBINGA or EBONY. You also have a choice of two shell weights, heavy or light.



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### Technical features:

- Parallel snare action with fine adjustment tuning on both sides
- 24 tension screws for precision tuning "snap-lock" tension (pat. pend)
- with 24 strand standard snares and 22 strand heavy snares
- "clip-on" external muffler
- Both heads cellolographically tuned
- Remo USA heads
- Heavy duty die cast zinc
- SONORCHROMED metal fittings



Pearl Plus 7-piece Set in Gloss White DR

## Tom Toms

What a sound! What a drum! There is nothing like it anywhere! A 9-ply shell giving you all that kick that puts you further ahead in sound. The external „clip-on“ muffler is supplied to give you the exact sound you want.



T 10	10" x 10"
T 12	12" x 12"
T 13	13" x 13"

Technical features: T 14 14" x 14"

## Floor Toms

The perfect complement in sound to your PHONIC PLUS toms. More volume! More rich sound! The prism clamps ensure a firm height position, but the legs are simple to adjust.

FT 15	15" x 17"
FT 16	16" x 18"
FT 18	18" x 19"

Technical features:

## Bass Drums

A brand new line of deeper shell bass drums for today's drummer who demands the best in sound and volume. Because the shells are made in an oil-heated press they do not require internal reinforcing rims. The spurs are of a superior „non-creep“ design, and have quickly adjustable rubber tips to metal spikes to stay rigid on any surface.

Technical features: G 22 22" x 18"  
G 24 24" x 18"

- 9-ply beechwood shell in Gloss White CW or Red Mahogany MR finishes
- Felt strip muffler
- Rugged tom-tom mounting plate
- Quickly adjustable rubber tips to metal spikes
- REMO USA heads
- SONORCHROMED metal fittings

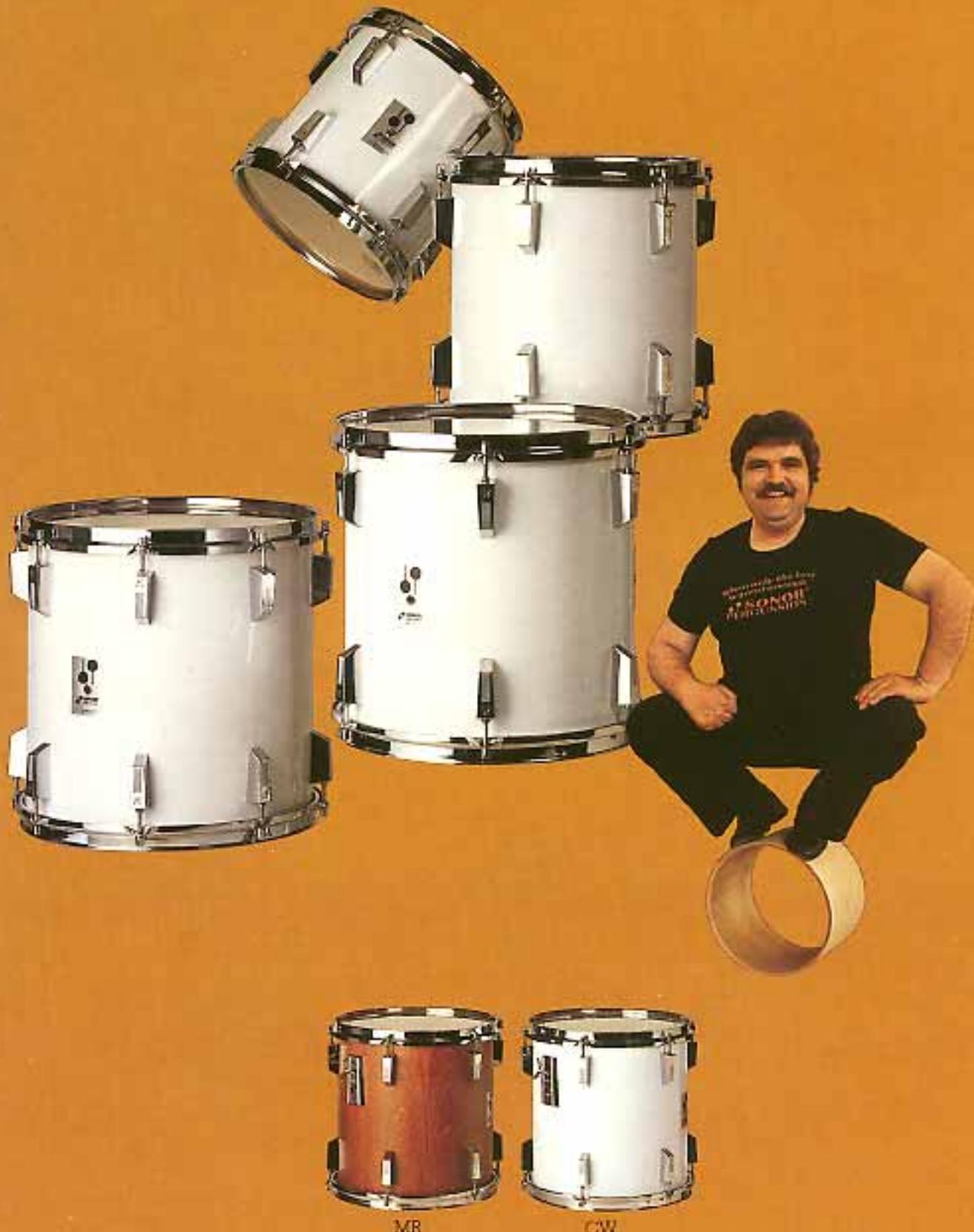
- 9-ply beechwood shell in Gloss White CW or Red Mahogany MR finishes
- Seamless ferro-manganese steel rims
- Spring-loaded tom-tom mounting bracket
- „clip-on“ external muffler
- „snap-lock“ tension (pat. pend.)
- REMO USA heads
- SONORCHROMED metal fittings

- 9-ply beechwood shell in Gloss White CW or Red Mahogany finishes
- „clip-on“ external muffler
- Prism clamp for legs
- „snap-lock“ tension (pat. pend.)
- Seamless ferro-manganese steel rims
- REMO USA heads
- SONORCHROMED metal fittings



# Phonic Plus

PLUS means „more“ in every way; more sound, more volume, more power, more drum! The core of the Phonic PLUS shells is 9-ply beechwood, shaped with a 45 degree angel on the edges. The regular features of all SONOR shells are there, including the „floating head“ system, which gives the optimum sound required. Phonic Plus is available in a Gloss White CW or Red Mahogany MR finish.



# Phonic

Versatility describes the Phonic line. From a 6" tom tom to a 24" bass drum you can design a completely personal, customized drum outfit. You have a choice of five snare drums, as shown on page 17. All other drums are available in a choice of seven wood, metallic or high gloss finishes. All concert toms, double headed toms, and hardware can be intermixed. Design your own personal outfit from a few of the suggestions we have shown you previously on page 10.

## Genuine Rosewood

One of the finest woods available today for sound and appearance, genuine rosewood is for the connoisseur. We even put the rosewood inside as well as outside to make you twice as proud of our finish. Because rosewood is a

special wood we have added a twin-upright internal muffler as standard equipment to enhance the features and sound of the bass drum. The complete range of sizes available is shown on page 26.



### Finishes:

Genuine Rosewood	PA
Natural Oak	EN
Red Mahogany	MR
Metallic Silver	KS
Metallic Bronze	KN
High Gloss Black	CB
High Gloss White	CW

SNARE DRUMS	Phonic	Genuine Rosewood	Phonic Plus	Signature Series
14" x 3½"	D 420	—	—	—
14" x 5¾"	D 505	D 515	—	—
14" x 6¾"	D 505	D 516	—	HLD 581 HLD 582
14" x 8"	—	—	D 518	HLD 580 HLD 583

### BASS DRUMS

18" x 14"	G 318	G 3018	—	—
18" x 16"	—	—	—	HLD 18
20" x 14"	G 320	G 3020	—	—
20" x 17"	—	—	—	HLD 20
22" x 14"	G 322	G 3022	—	—
22" x 18"	—	—	G 22	HLD 22
24" x 14"	G 324	G 3024	—	—
24" x 18"	—	—	G 24	HLD 24

### TOM-TOMS

6" x 8"	T 760	T 7060	—	HLT 6
6" x 8"	T 780	T 7080	—	HLT 8
10" x 8"	T 720	T 7020	—	—
10" x 10"	—	—	T 10	HLT 10
12" x 8"	T 722	T 7022	—	—
12" x 12"	—	—	T 12	HLT 12
13" x 9"	T 723	T 7023	—	—
13" x 13"	—	—	T 13	HLT 13
14" x 10"	T 724	T 7024	—	—
14" x 14"	—	—	T 14	HLT 14
15" x 12"	T 725	T 7025	—	—
15" x 15"	—	—	—	HLT 15
16" x 14"	T 726	T 7026	—	—
16" x 16"	—	—	—	HLT 16

### CONCERT TOMS

6" x 8"	T 706	T 7006	—	—
8" x 8"	T 708	T 7008	—	—
10" x 8"	T 710	T 7010	—	—
12" x 8"	T 712	T 7012	—	—
13" x 9"	T 713	T 7013	—	—
14" x 10"	T 714	T 7014	—	—
15" x 12"	T 715	T 7015	—	—
16" x 14"	T 716	T 7016	—	—

### FLOOR TOMS

14" x 14"	T 734	T 7034	—	—
14" x 16"	—	—	—	HFT 14
15" x 17"	—	—	FT 15	HFT 15
16" x 16"	T 736	T 7036	—	—
16" x 18"	—	—	FT 16	HFT 16
18" x 16"	T 738	T 7038	—	—
18" x 19"	—	—	FT 18	HFT 18

HARDWARE	Phonic Plus	Signature Series
Cymbal Stand	Z 5270	HLD 5280
Double Cymbal Stand	Z 5272	—
Double Tom Stand	Z 5278	—
Bass Drum Pedal	Z 5370	HLD 5380
Hi-Hat Stand	Z 5474 Z 5470	HLD 5480
Snare Drum Stand	Z 5570	HLD 5580
DRUMMER'S THRONES		
Drummer's Throne	Z 5803	
Drummer's Throne	Z 5810	
Drummer's Throne	Z 5812	
TOM TOM HOLDERS, ACCESSORIES		
Single Tom Holder	Z 5511 b	
Double Tom Holder	Z 5513 b	
Triple Tom Holder	Z 5516 b	
Additional Double Tom Holder	Z 5518 b	
Double Holder for Cymbal / Tom Tom	Z 5513 e	
Tom Tom Arm	Z 5508 c	
Cymbal Boom Arm	Z 5273	
Cymbal Extension Arm	Z 5277	
Cymbal Arm	Z 5274	
Prism Clamp	Z 5807 c	
Clamp for attaching Hi-Hat to Bass Drum	Z 5615	
Extension Tube for Snare Drum Stands	Z 5579	

### Signature Series Drums available in:

Bubinga	RH
Ebony	EB
HEAVY and LIGHT	
Phonic Plus Drums available in:	
High Gloss White	CW
Red Mahogany	MR
Genuine Rosewood	PA

### Phonic Drums available in:

Metallic Silver	KS
Metallic Bronze	KN
High Gloss White	CW
High Gloss Black	CB
Natural Oak	EN
Red Mahogany	MR
Genuine Rosewood	PA

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## **SONORLITE DRUMS**

### **Snare Drums**

<b>LD 547</b>	14" x 7 1/4"
<b>LD 557</b>	14" x 7 1/4"**

### **Bass Drums**

<b>LG 18</b>	18" x 15"
<b>LG 20</b>	20" x 16"
<b>LG 22</b>	22" x 17"

### **Tom Toms**

<b>LT 10</b>	10" x 9"
<b>LT 12</b>	12" x 10"
<b>LT 13</b>	13" x 11"
<b>LT 14</b>	14" x 12"

### **Stand Toms/Floor Toms**

<b>LFT 14</b>	14" x 15"
<b>LFT 15</b>	15" x 16"
<b>LFT 16</b>	16" x 17"

\* mit Parallel-Abbebevorrichtung

\*\* with parallel snare action

## **PHONIC PLUS HARDWARE**

<b>Z 5270</b>	Cymbalständer Cymbal Stand
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<b>Z 5370</b>	Fußmaschine Bass Drum Pedal
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<b>Z 5470</b>	Hi-Hat Hi Hat Stand
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<b>Z 5570</b>	Snare Drum Ständer Snare Drum Stand
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<b>Z 5275</b>	Tom Tom Ständer Double Tom Tom Stand
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<b>HLZ</b>	Doppel-Haltegelenk
<b>5513b</b>	Double Tom Tom Holder

Alle Trommeln sind mit Außendämpfern ausgestattet. Bass Drums sind mit Filzstreifendämpfern ausgestattet.

All drums are supplied with external mufflers except bass drums which come complete with felt muffler strips only.

SONORLITE Drums sind wahlweise mit PHONIC PLUS oder SIGNATURE Hardware erhältlich. Informieren Sie sich über das komplette SONOR-Programm im Hauptkatalog "THE DRUMMER'S DRUM".

SONORLITE drums can be supplied with either PHONIC PLUS or SIGNATURE hardware. For more information please refer to our complete catalog "THE DRUMMER'S DRUM".



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**SONOR/SONITE DRUMS****Square Drums**

**LD 547** 14" x 7 1/4"  
**LD 557** 14" x 7 1/4"

**Bass Drums**

**LG 18** 18" x 16"  
**LG 20** 20" x 16"  
**LG 22** 22" x 17"

**Tom Toms**

**LT 10** 10" x 5"  
**LT 12** 12" x 10"  
**LT 13** 13" x 11"  
**LT 14** 14" x 12"

**Stand Toms/Floor Toms**

**LFT 14** 14" x 12"  
**LFT 15** 15" x 16"  
**LFT 16** 16" x 17"

various finishes  
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**PHONIC PLUS HARDWARE**

**Z 8229** Cymbal Stand  
 Cymbal Stand

**Z 8329** Full Marching  
 Bass Drum Pedal

**Z 8429** Hi Hat  
 Hi Hat Stand

**Z 8529** Snare Drum Stand  
 Snare Drum Stand

**Z 8629** Tom Tom Stand  
 Double Tom Tom Stand

**H1Z** Doppel Haltungsschale  
 Double Tom Tom  
 Holder

**SS13b**

Also available and not shown: Marching Bass Drums,  
 Kick and Floor Tom stands, marching hardware.

All drums are equipped with exclusive Sonor tension  
 which gives you more with less tension when you play.

SONOR/SONITE Drums and hardware and PHONIC PLUS series

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 products SONOR/SONITE or by calling 1-800-223-2377.

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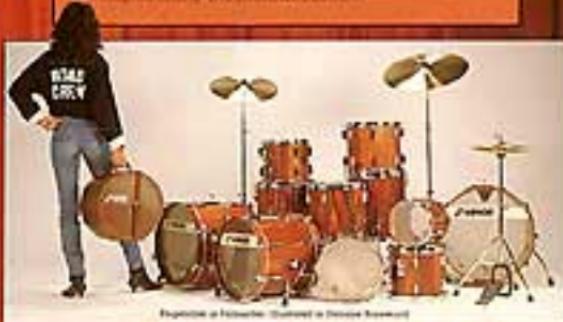


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