



"BACK TO THE BASICS."

Anything truly universal isn't a passing fad, a flash in the pan or an exercise in nostalgia. In the art of drumming, it has to be something that has withstood the test of time...drums that help you create music that's beyond the ordinary. Since 1994, TAMA Starclassic Drums have achieved what it means to be universal — and set new benchmarks for all other drums to meet.

Starclassic...

The Professional's Choice Since 1994

"I am so happy to be apart of the TAMA Team. They allow me the confidence and freedom to

"As a TAMA player for over 20 years, I've come to expect a certain level of quality, sound and tonality from a TAMA drum set. Starclassic drums provide all these and then some. It all starts with choosing the right wood for your specific taste, whether it's the projection and attack of a birch kit, or the warmth and resonance of a maple kit, TAMA has got it covered. Then choose any of the spectacular finishes and shell hardware selections. At the end of the day, my Starclassic kits ALWAYS deliver. It doesn't matter which type of SC kit I'm playing, because the reaction is always the same... "Wow, that's a great looking kit, and it sounds

-Jason Bittner (Shadows Fall)

"TAMA Starclassic drums are roadworthy, huge-sounding drums that inspire great music! Switchfoot lives and breathes on stage, playing over 200 live shows this year. It takes a Switchfoot lives and breatiles on stage. playing over serious drum kit to take a beating every night and still sound so good." —*Chad Butler (Switchfoot)*.

"I like to beat the s***t out of my drums and I've found that TAMA drums are the only drums that hold up to that. But it's not just the drums; the hardware is amazing as well. The speed of the Iron Cobra double pedal just cannot be matched."

-Jeremy Colson (Steve Vai)

"Upon visiting the factory in Japan, I truly got to witness first hand, the high level of craftsmanship that goes into making these drums. The people that design and create these drums from scratch are as serious and dedicated about making them as I am playing them. TAMA has moved way beyond just a rock sound, and has incorporated the hip hop and jazz sound that I need to succeed!"

-Adam Deitch (John Scofield)

"Decade by decade, the best sounding and feeling drums available!"

-John Dolmayan (System Of A Down)

"Everytime I sit down at my Starclassics, I know they're going to sound and feel great. That's how easy it should be."

"TAMA was my first choice by the time I could actually afford to get a custom set, and the first company I went to when looking for an endorsement. I think that says something about their drums. I looked at some of the legends on their roster and I realized that TAMA was their choice too, and that should mean even more. TAMA is an innovative company with the most consistently great sounding and durable drums on the market and the same goes for their

-Chris Gaylor (All-American Rejects)

"What I like best about TAMA is the quality and craftmanship of the drums. From the bubinga shells to the Omni Tune hardware, TAMA not only gives you the sound you need to be innovative, but the look to stay original."

-Keith Harris (Black Eyed Peas)

"Snow Patrol require a warm and powerful tone with hardware that can withstand our vigorous touring schedule. Starclassic and Roadpro do more than that for me!

-John Quinn (Snow Patrol)



eremy Colson -Steve Vai

Christoph Schneider -Rammstein

Graham -The Darkness

Keith Harris -Black Eyed Peas

Dominic Howard -Muse

n Quinn -Snow Patro

TAMA's Latest Innovation. The Next Level of Drum Evolution.- Starclassic

TAMA's 2006 Starclassic gives drummers a completely new way to enrich their sound and express their music.

1. TAMA's latest Star-Cast Mounting system features a newer, more sophisticated look that blends with the hoop.
The new aluminum die-cast design provides lighter weight and durability and allows greater setting flexibility and closer one-norm placement.

Bublinga will completely change your concept of how drums should sound. Starclassic Bublinga's punch, response and resonance will take your drumming to a completely new level.

Starclassic Bublinga and Starclassic Maple offer the option of exquisite Black Nickel shell hardware—and at no extra cost.

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4. The new Starclassic Bubinga imprinted insignia replaces the traditional metal emblem used on most drum sets. This follows TAMA's long-held design philosophy of allowing maximum shell resonance through minimum shell contact.

5. The double tom-holder on Starclassic Performer B/B and Starclassic Performer B/B EFX offers even more setting flexibility. The holder actually sits on a sliding connector unit that allows the drummer to move the tom toms back and forth (as well as the standard height adjustment) to achieve the preferred placement and proximity. Finding the perfect tom position has never been easier!
6. Starclassic Bublinga Ommi-Tune continues to offer the Omni-Tune lug on every drum so the entire set benefits from faster, easier and more precise tuning.





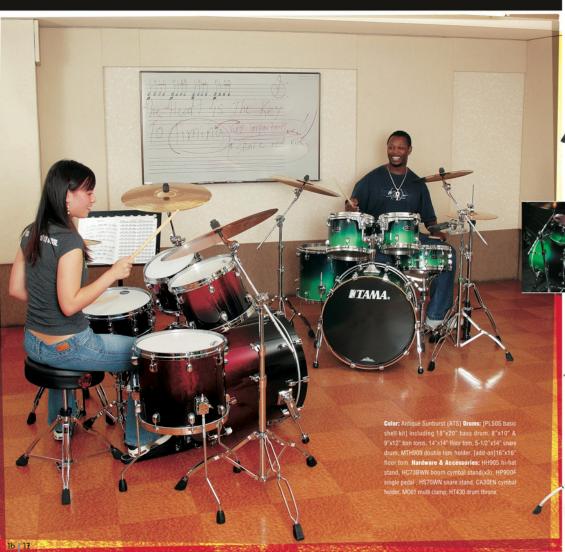


Starclassic Bubinga



A PREMIUM QUALITY HYBRID - Starclassic Performer B/B

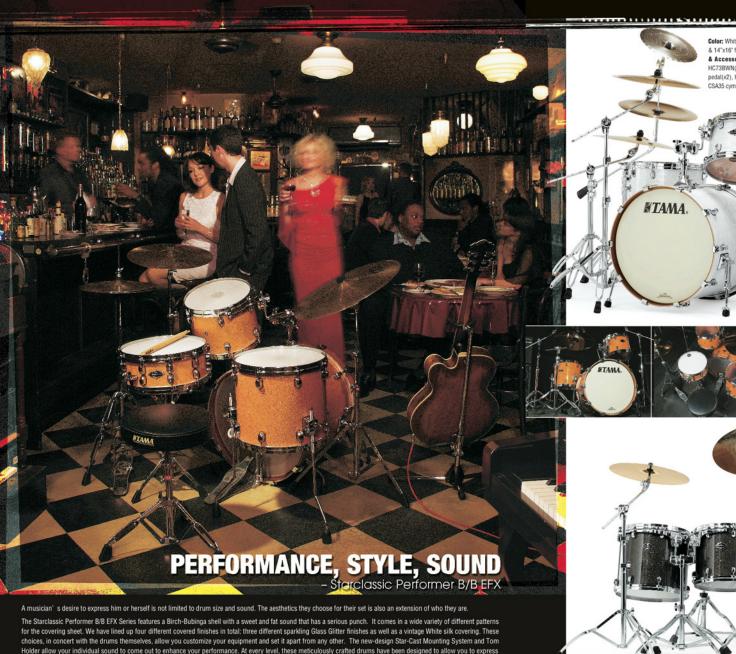
The distinct and traditional Birch sound, enjoyed for over thirty years, has reached a new plateau. By using Bubinga wood for the inner layer of the Birch shell, TAMA has created a new chapter in the Starclassic series. This mixture of Birch and Bubinga has borne a new sound with a sweeter and deeper hybrid tone, which exhibits the focused attack of Birch paired with the enhanced lows of Bubinga. TAMA's newly developed tom-holder provides you with excellent setting flexibility.







Available Colors



Color: White Silk (WHS) Drums: 18"x22" bass drum(x2), 8"x10" & 9"x12" tom toms, 12"x14" & 14"x16" floor toms, SOS1455T 5-1/2"x14" Bubinga Omni-Tune snare drum. Hardware & Accessories: MTH909 double tom holder(x2), HH905 hi-hat stand, HC73BWN(x4) & HC74BWN boom cymbal stands, HP900P single pedal(x2), HS70WN snare stand, MHA623 hi-hat attachment, CSA35 cymbal stacker, HT741 drum throne.







Color: Black Gold Glitter (BGG) Drums: 18"x22" bass drum, 9"x10", 10"x12", 12"x14" & 14"x16" tom toms, 6-1/2"x14" snare drum. Hardware & Accessories: MTH909 double tom holder, HTW749W double tom stand, HH905 hi-hat stand, HC73BWN boom cymbal stand(x2), HC72WN straight cymbal stand, HP900PTW twin pedal, HS70WN snare stand, HT530 drum throne.

Available Colors

Holder allow your individual sound to come out to enhance your performance. At every level, these meticulously crafted drums have been designed to allow you to express who you are. - Starclassic Performer B/B EFX.

Starclassic Specifications

Shells

Starclassic Bubinga Omni-Tune:

9ply Bubinga shell, (TT/FT) 7mm / (BD) 8mm

Starclassic Bubinga:

8ply Bubinga + 1 outer ply Maple (TT/FT) 7mm / (BD)8mm

Starclassic Maple:

Maple shell (TT/FT) 6ply, 5mm / (BD) 7ply, 7mm

Starclassic Performer B/B / Performer B/B EFX:

(TT/FT) 4ply Birch+inner 3ply Bubinga, 6mm / (BD) 5ply Birch +

More solid. More powerful. More of everything!

Our craftspeople are obsessed with carrying on the TAMA tradition: to continue to create the finest quality shells with the most elaborate finishes. By making a perfectly round shell, our designers allow the wood to achieve maximum resonance and full tonal range. From the softest touch to the hardest hit, the shell responds to the player's

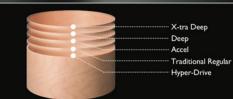




Shell Depths

Maple offer a choice of five different depths ranging from the shallow Hyper-Drive* to the cavernous X-tra Deep. Starclassic Performer / Starclassic Performer EFX offer the two most popular depths in today's music: Deep and Accel.

"Hyper-Drive sizes: 6"x8", 6-1/2"x10", 7"x12", 7-1/2"x13", 8"x14"







Star-Cast Mounting System (US.PAT.NO. 5454288)

The Star-Cast Mounting System has always provided maximum resonance and stability for TAMA's pro-drums. Now we've improved it. A new streamlined designed makes it easier to position toms closer together for greater ease and comfort than ever before. In addition, a switch to aluminum provides lighter weight and even truer tonal vibration. Last but not least, Star-Cast is now plated to match your drum's shell hardware!



Omni-Tune Lug (Starclassic Bubinga Omni-Tune) (US.PAT.NO. 5454288)

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This revolutionary system enables both top and bottom heads to be tuned from the batter side. The bass drum comes standard with a drum key and a key holder, both specially lesigned for the Omni-Tune system.



Sound Focus Rings (Starclassic Maple)

TAMA's advanced manufacturing techniques produce drum shells so strong they don't require reinforcement rings. Many players like the wide open sound of Starclassic drums without rings, while some players still prefer the vintage sound of shells with reinforcements. TAMA offers the Sound Focus Rings as one of the many Starclassic Maple options.

To order Starclassic Maple drums with Sound Focus Rings, simply add 'F' to the drum model number

Ex. SMT1210F = with Sound Focus Ring SMT1210 = without Sound Focus Rin







Shell Hardware Color Options (Starclassic Bubinga, Maple)

When selecting professional drums, you want an appearance as distinctive as the sound. Starclassic Bubinga/Maple now offers the choice of shell hardware finished in Chrome, Brushed Nickel Plated, or the new Black Nickel Plated.

To order Stanclassic Bubinga-Maple drums with Black Nickel Plated hardware simply add the letters "BN" to the drum model number. For Brushed (Hairline) Nickel hardware, add "H."

Ex.SMB2218 = Chrome plated hardware SMB2218H = Brushed Nickel plated hardware SMB2218BN = Black Nickel plated hardware

New Tom Holder (Starclassic Performer B/B, Performer B/B EFX)

Performer's completely redesigned tom-holder expands setting flexibility with a sliding connector unit that of the tom toms. Now any sized drum can be exactly positioned with ease!



Die-Cast Hoops

All Starclassic drums come standard with zinc die-cast hoops for powerful rim-shots and more consistent tuning.

Minimum Shell Contact (Starclassic Bubinga Omni-tune, Bubinga, Maple)

Our designers never stop looking for new ways to increase drum resonance. up to a significant difference in sound. Two good examples of this kind of exacting research are the replacement of the traditional metal badge with the will eventually loosen the tension rod. But the softness of Hold Tight's rubber ring new imprinted insignia and the small metal soundhole with one made of maple.

Hold Tight™ Washers (Starclassic Bubinga, Maple)

The Hold Tight washer is a totally new and unique invention: a non-loosening keeps it in contact with both the tension rod and the hoop at all times and maintains friction between them, so that tension is always preserved.





EVANS® Drum Heads

Evans drum heads are featured on all Starclassic drums (except bass drum front heads). On the rack and floor toms, Genera G2 2-ply clear batter heads and Genera G1 1-ply clear bottom heads provide both durability and solid sound. Starclassic bass drums are fitted with Genera EQ4 clear batter heads.



Claw Hooks

Starclassic's claw hooks feature rubber spacers that help protect wood hoops from damage. The hooks and hoops work as one unit and won't separate or



Floor Tom Legs

Starclassic's Air PocketTM rubber feet feature a sound) and absorbs shock for better playing.

Starclassic Snare Drums

New Material - Bubinga

Bubinga, a strong and consistent African wood has been added to the Starclassic series. Our Bubinga shells are slightly thicker than those of our Starclassic Maple. Starclassic Bubinga shells have an incredibly powerful and well-balanced sound with solid attack and rich resonant lows.

Two snare drums are available in the Bubinga series: Starclassic Bubinga Omni-Tune fitted with the Omni-Tune Lug that enables tuning from both the top and bottom heads from the batter side, and Starclassic Bubinga which features standard Starclassic lugs.

Starclassic Bubinga Omni-Tune (9ply Bubinga, 8mm)



BS148BN color: IBMG (Black Metallic with Gold Inlay) with Black Nickel hardware

Diameter	Depth	Chrome HW	Brushed Nickel HW	Black Nickel HW
	5-1/2"	BS1455	BS1455H	BS1455BN
14"	6-1/2"	BS1465	BS1465H	BS1465BN
	8"	BS148	BS148H	BS148BN



Diameter	Depth	Chrome HW	Brushed Nickel HW	Black Nickel HW
14"	6"	6" SGS146 SGS14	SGS146H	SGS146BN
14"	8"	SGS148	SGS148H	SGS148BN

Starclassic G Maple (13ply Maple, 10mm)

Available Colors: NBG (Natural Bubinga), PWH (Piano White), PBK (Piano Black)



SOS1465T color: NBG (Natural Bubinga)

Diameter	Depth	Model No.
4.4"	5-1/2"	SOS1455T
14	6-1/2" S0	SOS1465T

Starclassic Bubinga (8ply Bubinga + 1 outer ply Maple, 8mm)



BS1455BN color: UVS (Ultraviolet Sparkle) with Black Nickel hardware

Available Colors: All of the Starclassic Bubinga finishes.



SGS148H color: GSB (Gold Sunburst) with Brushed Nickel hardware Available Colors: GSB (Gold Sunburst), CBK (Cherry Black), SMP (Super Maple)

Starclassic drums are normally associated with thin shells, but Starclassic G Maple snare drums are based on a different shell concept. While Starclassic G Maple snares still feature Starclassic's signature die-cast hoops, a thick 13-ply 10mm shell provides a tight, solid sound with enough crack and power to rival the best metal snare drums.

Starclassic Maple (6ply Maple, 5mm with 6ply 5mm Sound Focus Ring



SMS1455FTH color: MBF (Marine Blue Fade) with Brushed Nickel hardware

Available Colors: All of the Starclassic Maple Finishes.

Starclassic Performer B/B (4ply Birch + inner 3ply Bubinga, 7mm)



PLS55 color: ATS (Antique Sunburst)

Available Colors: All of the Starclassic Performer B/B and Performer B/B EFX finishes.

Starclassic Copper (Copper, 1.5mm

Starclassic Copper features a 1.5mm copper shell that has a slightly darker sound than bronze or brass. While the use of die-cast hoops contributes to the drum's powerful attack the overall sound is still well-rounded and controlled. The brushed copper shell gives this great sounding drum its classic, vintage look, which is perfectly complemented by brushed nickel shell hardware.

Our Starclassic Maple snare comes with a thin 5mm shell, made from Canadian maple wood, which offers high solidity and flexibility. Increased strength is provided by Sound Focus Rings cut from the same wood as the snare drum. This snare drum combines incredible power with maple's intense and warm tone. Equipped with 10 lugs to ensure precise and balanced tuning. Zinc die-cast hoops provide superior upper end crack and response.



SMS1465FTH color: SSB (Sunset Burst) with Brushed Nickel hardware

Diameter	Depth	Chrome HW	Brushed Nickel HW	Black Nickel HW
14"	5-1/2"	SMS1455FT	SMS1455FTH	SMS1455BN
14		SMS1465FTH	SMS1465BN	

Starclassic Performer B/B combines the classic tone of thin birch for the outer layer of the shell, along with a new, heavy duty African wood Bubinga for the inner shell. The use of the thicker, harder Bubinga accentuates Birch's distinct tone and projection. The combination of the two creates a more powerful, deeply rounded sound all its own!



PXS65 color: BGG (Black Gold Glitter)

Diameter	Dept	Laquered	Wrap
14"	5-1/2"	PLS55	PXS55
	6-1/2"	PLS65	PXS65



SCS1455H 5-1/2" x 14"

Percussion & Hardware

Gong Bass Drums



Tom Holders

MTH909 Double Tom Holder

New design tom-holder increases setting flexibility with a sliding connector unit that moves back and forth up to 50mm (2 inches). Simply loosen one bolt and any size tom toms can be easily set to



Allow you to add single tom to stand with flexibility and speed of TAMA's Omni-ball / L-rod combination. It employs the 19.1mm diameter pipe which fits for FastClamp - MC61, MC62,

BG20R 14"x20" 8ply Bubinga + 1 outer ply Maple, 8mm shell

SMG20R 14"x20" 7ply Maple, 7mm shell

TAMA's Gong Bass features a variety of low and heavy sounds that are different from the standard bass drum. Our new Bubinga version provides even more aggressive and powerful low tone. The maple Gong Bass is still available for those who enjoy its classic tight tones and clear projection. Gong Bass Drums are available with chrome shell hardware only.

Available Colors: All Starclassic Bubinga and Starclassic Maple finishes (GSB and SSB Finish will feature a fade rather than a burst.)

Octobans

7850N2H (OCT280N + OCT301N + HOW29W)

OCTOBANS change pitch by using shell length instead of shell diameter. The 6" diameter shells can be tuned melodically and are available in low, high pitch 4pc set and high pitch 2pc set (new). Octobans are available with chrome shell hardware only.

7850N4H (4pc high-pitch set w/HOW49W) 7850N4L (4pc low-pitch set w/HOW49W)

	Depth
OCT280N	280mm (11")
OCT301N	301mm (11-3/4")
OCT343N	343mm (13-1/2*)
OCT390N	390mm (15-1/2*)
OCT443N	443mm (17-1/2")
OCT472N	472mm (18-1/2")
OCT536N	536mm (21°)
OCT600N	600mm (23-1/2*)



Octoban Stands

HOW29W Octoban Stand for 2pcs HOW49W Octoban Stand for 4pcs

0A29 Octoban holder for 2pcs (pipe diameter: 22.2mm)

0A49 Octoban holder for 4pcs (pipe diameter: 22.2mm) *J24 attachment is sold separately.

Tom Stands

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Snare Stands



Hi-Low Base (HS700WN, HL70WN)

TAMA's unique "Hi-Low" Base is a totally new design in snare drum stands. It allows much more flexibility in height adjustment-any snare from piccolo depth to 8" deep can be accommodated.

Ouick-Set Tilter (HS70WN, HS70PWN)



The toothless "Quick-set" tilter securely holds position with the friction of six metal disc plates instead of traditional gears so you can adjust it to any angle you desire. This mechanism also has a more durable structure than the conventional gear tilter.

Model Number & Shell Kit Configuration

Starclassic Bubinga Omni-Tune Brushed Nickel Hardware Crity available

Bass Drums

Diameter	Depth	Model No.
18"	16"	SOB1816
20*	18"	SOB2018
22*	18"	SOB2218
24"	18"	SOB2418

Floor Toms

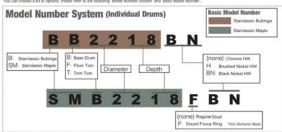
Diameter	Depth	Model No.
14"	14"	SOF1414
16"	16"	SOF1616
18"	16"	SOF1816

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Diameter	Depth	Model No.			
8"	7"	SOT0807			
10"	8"	SOT1008			
12"	9"	SOT1209			
13"	10"	SOT1310			
14"	11"	SOT1411			
15"	12"	SOT1512			
16"	13°	SOT1613			

Snare Dr	ums	
Diameter	Depth	Model No.
14°	5-1/2"	SOS1455T

Starclassic Bubinga Starclassic Maple

"You can choose a lot of options. Please refer to the following "Model Number System" and "Basic Model Number".



Basic Model Number

15*

16*

14"

15°

16*

BF1615

BF1814

BF1815

ass Drun	ıs			Tom Toms			
Diameter	Depth	Bubinga	Maple	Diameter	Depth	Bubinga	Maple
	14"	BB1814	SMB1814		6"	BT0806	SMT0806
18"	15"	BB1815	SMB1815	8*	7*	BT0807	SMT0807
10	16"	BB1816	SMB1816		8"	BT0808	SMT0808
	14"	BB2014	SMB2014	014	6-1/2*	BT1065	SMT1065
20°	16"	BB2016	SMB2016	10"	8*	BT1008	SMT1008
20	17*	BB2017	SMB2017	l " [9*	BT1009	SMT1009
	18"	BB2018	SMB2018		10"	BT1010	SMT1010
	14"	BB2214	SMB2214		7"	BT1207	SMT1207
001	16"	BB2216	SMB2216		8"	BT1208	SMT1208
22"	17*	BB2217	SMB2217	12"	9"	BT1209	SMT1209
	18*	BB2218	SMB2218		10"	BT1210	SMT1210
	14"	BB2414	SMB2414		11"	BT1211	SMT1211
	16*	BB2416	SMB2416		7-1/2"	BT1375	SMT1375
24"	17"	BB2417	SMB2417		9"	BT1309	SMT1309
	18"	BB2418	SMB2418	13"	10"	BT1310	SMT1310
001	14"	BB2614	SMB2614		11"	BT1311	SMT1311
26"	16"	BB2616	SMB2616		12"	BT1312	SMT1312
					8*	BT1408	SMT1408
					10"	BT1410	SMT1410
loor Tom	2			14"	11"	BT1411	SMT1411
Diameter	Depth	Bubinga	Maple		12"	BT1412	SMT1412
Sidifficier	12*	BF1412	SMF1412		13"	BT1413	SMT1413
14"	13"	BF1413	SMF1413		12"	BT1512	SMT1512
	14*	BF1414	SMF1414	15"	13"	BT1513	SMT1513
	13*	BF1513	SMF1513		14"	BT1514	SMT1514
15"	14*	BF1514	SMF1514		13"	BT1613	SMT1613
	15*	BF1515	SMF1515	16"	14"	BT1614	SMT1614
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Snare Drums *Please refer to P22-23 about Starclassic Bubinga / Maple Snare Drums.

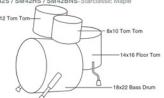


14" 6-1/2" SOS1465T

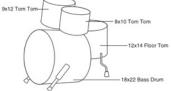


Configuration List Notice: Shell kits do not include drum mounting hardware.

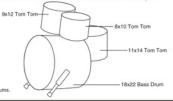
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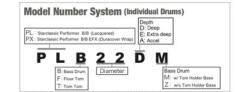
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B42FS / B42FHS / B42FBNS: Starclassic Bubinga SM42FS / SM42FHS / SM42FBNS: Starclassic Maple



Starclassic Performer B/B



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Bass Drums (w/tom holder base)

Diameter	Depth	Model No.		
Diameter	Depth	Lacquered	Duracover Wrap	
18"	16"	PLB18DM	PXB18DM	
20"	16"	PLB20DM	PXB20DM	
20	18"	PLB20EM	PXB20EM	
22"	16"	PLB22DM	PXB22DM	
22	18"	PLB22EM	PXB22EM	
0.41	16"	PLB24DM	PXB24DM	
24"	18"	PLB24EM	PXB24EM	

Floor Toms

Diameter	Depth	Model No.		
			Duracover Wrap	
14"	12"	PLF14A	PXF14A	
	14"	PLF14D	PXF14D	
16"	14"	PLF16A	PXF16A	
	16"	PLF16D	PXF16D	
18"	16"	PLF18D	PXF18D	

Tom Toms

Diameter	Depth	Model No.		
			Duracover Wrap	
8"	7"	PLT8A	PXT8A	
	8"	PLT8D	PXT8D	
10"	8"	PLT10A	PXT10A	
	9"	PLT10D	PXT10D	
12"	9"	PLT12A	PXT12A	
	10"	PLT12D	PXT12D	
13"	10"	PLT13A	PXT13A	
	11"	PLT13D	PXT13D	
14"	11"	PLT14A	PXT14A	
	12"	PLT14D	PXT14D	
15"	12"	PLT15A	PXT15A	
	13"	PLT15D	PXT15D	
16"	13"	PLT16A	PXT16A	
	14"	PLT16D	PXT16D	

Model Number System (Snare Drums)

PXS:	Starcla	Duracover Wrap)		
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Snare Drums

Diameter	Depth			
Diameter			Duracover Wrap	
14"	5-1/2"	PLS55	PXS55	
14	6-1/2"	PLS65	PXS65	

Performer Hardware Kit 'not sold separately

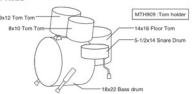
HP5WN including HS70WN snare stand, HC73BWN boom cymbal stand(x2), HH75W hi-hat stand, HP900P Iron Cobra Power Glide drum pedal.



Configuration List

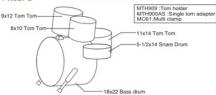
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PX52S: Starclassic Performer B/B EFX (Duracover Wrap)



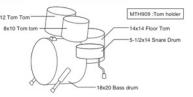
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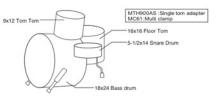
PL50S: Starclassic Performer B/B (Lacquered)

PX50S: Starclassic Performer B/B EFX (Duracover Wrap)



PL44ZS: Starclassic Performer B/B (Lacquered)

PX44ZS: Starclassic Performer B/B EFX (Duracover Wrap)





Starclassic Bubinga Omni-Tune Starclassic Bubinga Starclassic Maple Starclassic Performer B/B Starclassic Performer B/B EFX



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