

TAMA SIZZLE TOUCH DROP CLUTCH

INSTRUCTION MANUAL

■ Please read through this manual before beginning use.

Thank you purchasing this TAMA Hi-hat Clutch. To ensure safe and efficient use, please read this manual completely before beginning assembly. Please store this manual in a convenient place for future reference.

When playing double bass, the hi-hat cymbals can be closed by hitting the lever on the drop clutch.

While in the dropped position, TAMA's Sizzle Touch Drop Clutch allows you to adjust the gap between the top and bottom cymbals, allowing for fine adjustments to achieve the desired open sound.

To resume normal hi-hat function, push down on the footboard of the hi-hat stand to secure the clutch in place.

Install the top cymbal

- Slide the RED side of the switch to the OFF position (Fig.2). Remove the stopper (B) & felt washer (C).
- Place the Top Cymbal of the Hi-hat between the adjusting nut (E) and the felt washer (C).
- While pressing the bottom of the stopper, slide the BLACK side of the switch back over, as shown in Fig.3.
- Position the clutch & Top Hi-hat cymbal on the pull rod. Tighten the T-nut (A) to set the desired height and playing position (Fig.4).
- Adjust the tightness of the Top cymbal using the Adjusting nut (E) and the Lock nut (F).
In order for the cymbal to swing more naturally, the position mark (E1) should face the tip of the drumstick

Note

- Tightening the top cymbal too tight makes the Stopper Switch difficult to operate.
- The protection sleeve (SLC085) can be replaced when it becomes worn or stripped. To avoid damage to the cymbal, periodically check the condition of the sleeve (D).

Adjusting the sound of the hi-hats while in dropped position:

In the dropped position, the gap of between the top and bottom cymbals can be adjusted to achieve any desired sound (Fig.5).

- Push the lever (G), releasing the clutch and dropping the top cymbal onto the bottom cymbal.
- Loosen the lock nut (I) by turning it clockwise.
- By turning the adjusting bolt (H) clockwise, the top cymbal moves upwards, widening the gap between the bottom cymbal. Once the desired sound is achieved, tighten the lock nut (I) to secure its position.
- To resume normal hi-hat function, lock the clutch in place by pushing down on the footboard of the hi-hat stand.

