

VENUS

START HERE, ARRIVE ANYWHERE



The Venus Series presents an all-inclusive setup for the first-time player ready to start the "Drummer for Life" adventure. The 100% poplar shells appointed with Mapex SONIClear™ bearing edges produce rich tones from the toms, a robust crack from the snare drum and a punchy low thump from the bass drum. Outfitted with a complete set of stands and pedals, cymbals, a drummer's throne and even a first pair of drumsticks the Venus Series is the perfect kit to have fun starting a meaningful drumming experience.

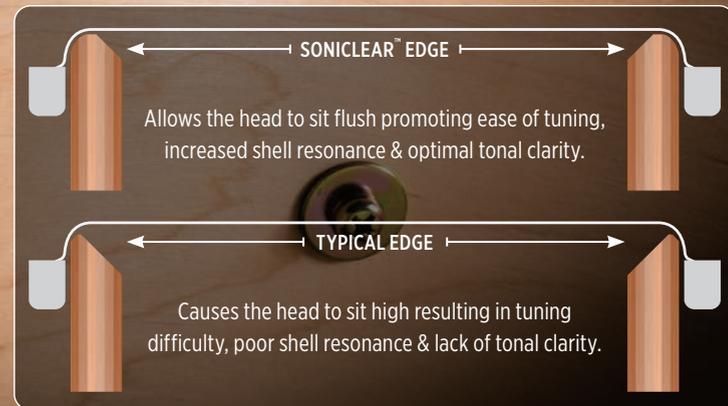
DRUMMER FOR LIFE

Your Drummer for life story begins with Venus, starting with a complete package for beginners of any age. Once you're hooked you'll be looking to Mars for the next step. Practicing, listening, hearing, becoming.....a Drummer For Life.

SONICLEAR™

BEARING EDGE

The **SONIClear™ Bearing Edge** is standard on all Mapex 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.

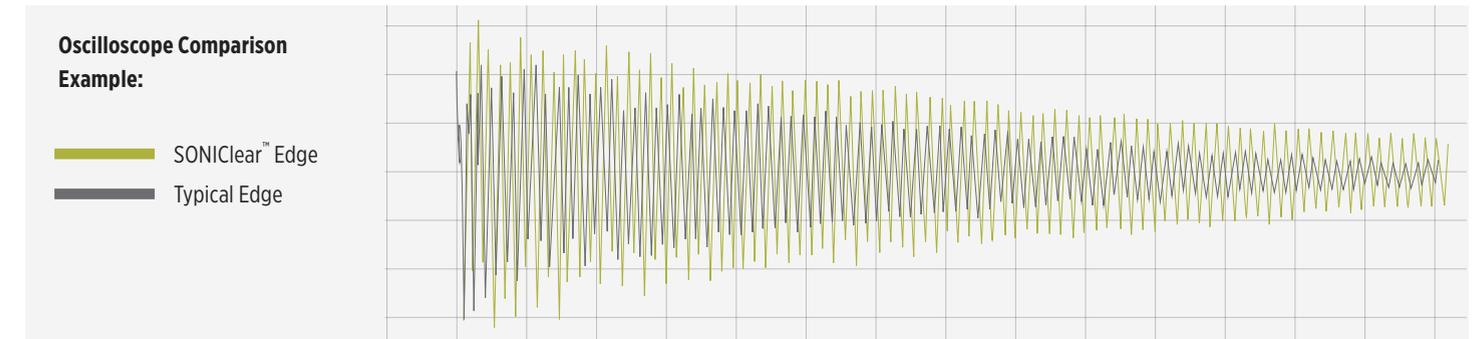


SONICLEAR™ EDGE AUDIO TEST SESSIONS

SOUND

The increased drumhead to shell contact achieved by the SONIClear™ Edge enhances shell vibration, resulting in the "biggest" sound possible from the drum.

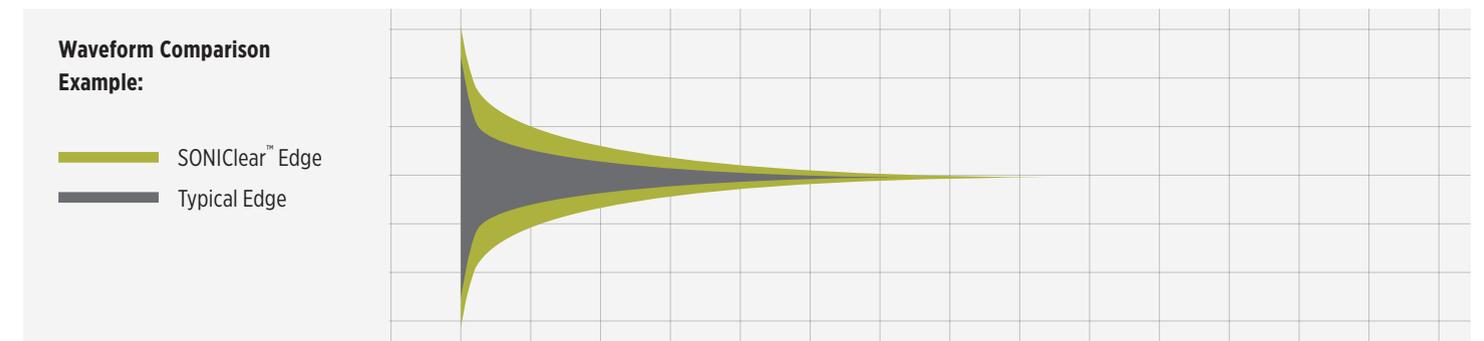
Oscilloscope Example: The green waveform is a recording of a drum with the SONIClear™ edge. The dark grey waveform is a drum with a typical edge. Tuned to the same pitch and recorded identically, it's clear that the drum with the SONIClear™ Edge produces a much larger waveform from the initial strike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



FEATURES & BENEFITS



Poplar Shell

9-Ply, 7.2mm Poplar shell offers a full, warm sound.

REMO® Drumheads

Venus series is equipped with REMO drumheads ensuring a pure tone from every drumshell with every stroke.

Mini B-Lug

Inspired by the style of B lugs from Saturn Evolution Series, the new Mini B-Lug makes tuning smooth and easy.

TH652 Double Tom Holder

Offers easy positioning, multi-angle adjustment, and user-friendly experience to get your toms set up quickly and securely.



Mapex Hammerd Brass Cymbals

The 14" hammered brass hi-hat pair and the 18" hammered brass crash/ride produce a warm cymbal sound rich with harmonics fitting perfectly with most genres of music.



P410 Single Bass Drum Pedal

Features solid base plate construction for both durability and a secure comfortable performance outpacing most pedals in its class. Single chain drive with adjustable spurs, a reversible and angle adjustable beater and a full sized footboard all for a performance worthy feel.



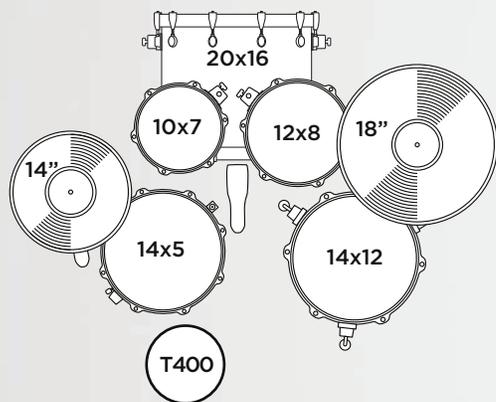
H410 Hi-Hat Stand

The direct-pull-chain-drive mechanism creates a smooth and responsive feel while the simple and strong hi-hat clutch keeps the top cymbal in place. The angle adjustable seat cup gives authentic hi-hat function and sound.

CONFIGURATIONS

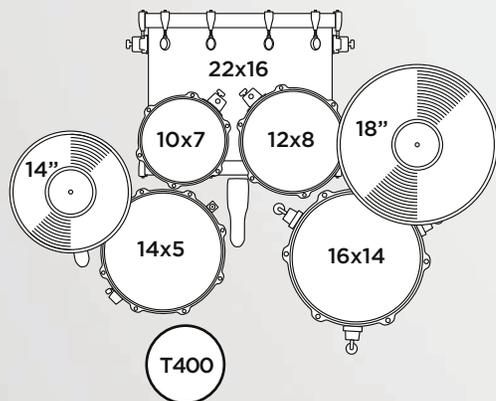
5044FTC 5-Piece Fusion Drum Set

(with Cymbals)



5294FTC 5-Piece Rock Drum Set

(with Cymbals)



ALL ABOUT **FINISHES**



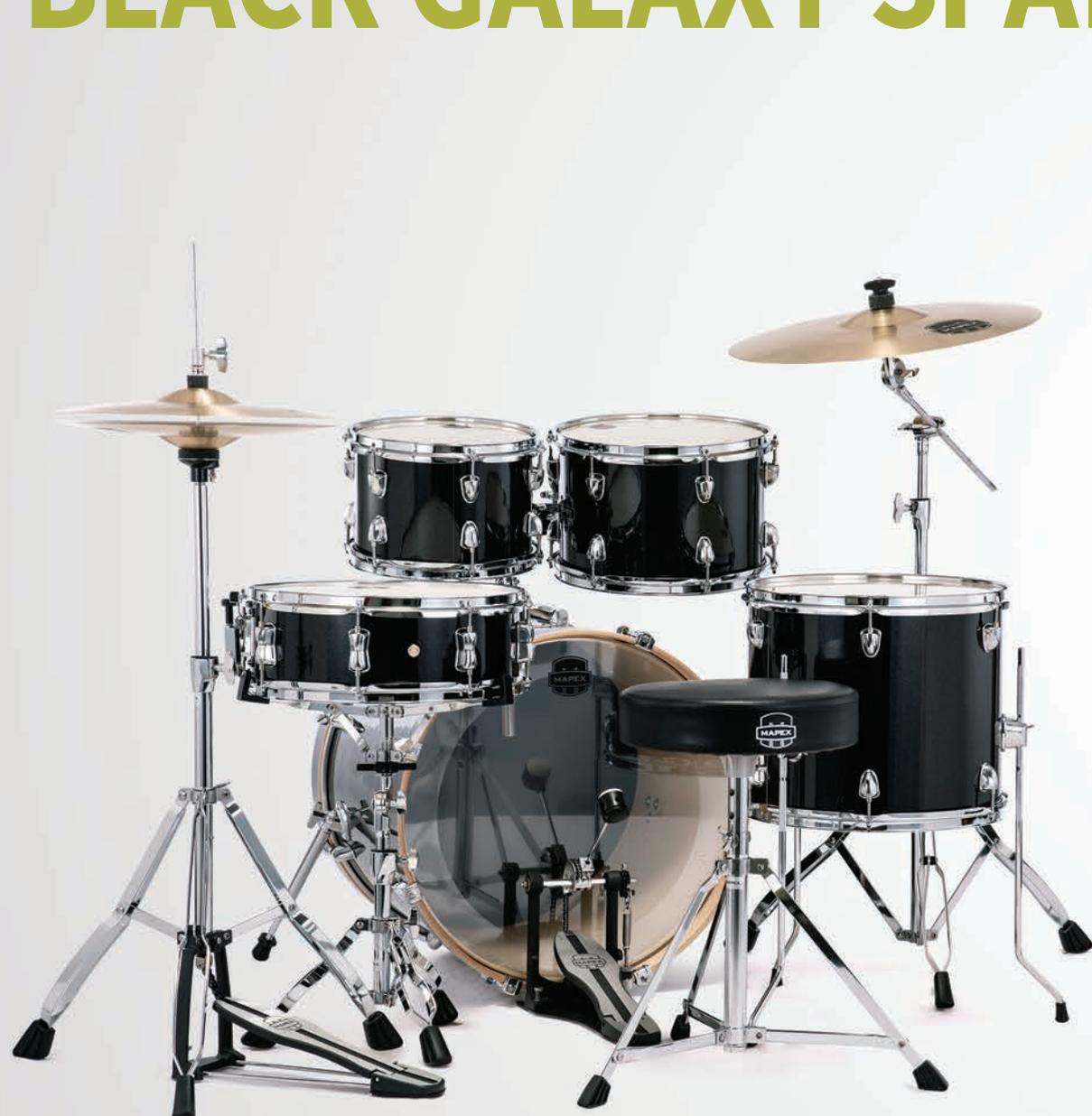
AQUA BLUE SPARKLE



Featured Model: VE5044FTCVJ



BLACK GALAXY SPARKLE



Featured Model: VE5044FTCVH



BLUE SKY SPARKLE



Featured Model: VE5294FTCVI



CRIMSON RED SPARKLE



Featured Model: VE5294FTCVM





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