



VISCOUNT SIDE DRUM

Code VCT1412TS

A standard sized 14" x 12" wooden 4 ply birch shell (overall height including the hoops 14.5" or 367mm).

The overall weight is 6.1kg (13.3lb) (double snare version)

The shell is specially bonded and reinforced with 45° optimized bearing edge hoops.

Fitted with eight high tension aluminium and steel tension lugs, sixteen square head tension rod bolts and sixteen die cast tensioning claws (eight top and eight bottom) make this drum fully tunable. All of the metal hardware is chrome plated to a mirror finish.

Fitted with the latest model throw on/off internal top snare mechanism (ultra smooth action combined with a new secure stop system). Both the height and length adjustment of the top snare are on the snare lever side for ease of adjustment. This helps to make the drum lighter and improves the overall look and feel.

The snare bed of the shell is fashioned to offer the maximum contact by the bottom snare wires on the snare head.

Fitted with a Remo Smooth White Emperor (two ply) batter (top) head.

Fitted with a Pearl Clear ST Hazy snare (bottom) head.

The counter hoops are made from 8 ply maple and finished in regulation Royal Colours of military blue ground, banded top and bottom in military red and superimposed with traditional white wave. Blue wave on white ground on inside of counter hoop. (Other colours available are White and Black)

The batter counter hoop is fitted with a reinforced carriage hook fashioned for carriage security.

The batter counter hoop furniture includes three protective ball feet (these can be moved) which protect the drum from damage when the drum is placed on the ground.

The shell is finished in a military blue ground (3 panels of blue at the front of the Drum) and military red nail board apron (5 panels of red at the back of the Drum) with an inserted chrome air vent. (Other colours available are White and Black)

Code VCS1412SS

Specifications as above but without the internal (top) snare mechanism.

The overall weight is 5.1kg (11.2lb) (single snare version)

(Other colours available are White and Black)



VISCOUNT TENOR DRUM

Code VCT1612

16" x 12" wooden 4 ply birch shell (overall height including the hoops 14.5" or 367mm).

The overall weight is 4.95kg (10.9lb)

The shell is specially bonded and reinforced with 45° optimized bearing edge hoops.

Fitted with eight high tension aluminium and steel tension lugs, sixteen square head tension rod bolts and sixteen die cast tensioning claws (eight top and eight bottom) make this drum fully tunable. All of the metal hardware is chrome plated to a mirror finish.

Fitted with a Remo Powermax, pre-dampened, ultra white head on the top.

Fitted with a Remo Hazy (transparent) head on the bottom.

The counter hoops are 8 ply maple and finished in regulation Royal Colours of military blue ground, banded top and bottom in military red and superimposed with traditional white wave. (Other colours available are White and Black)

The batter counter hoop is fitted with a reinforced carriage hook fashioned for carriage security.

The batter counter hoop furniture includes three protective ball feet (these can be moved) which protect the drum from damage when being placed on the ground.

The shell is finished in a military blue ground (3 panels of Blue at the front of the Drum) and military red nail board apron (5 panels of red at the back of the Drum) with an inserted chrome air vent. (Other colours available are White and Black)



VISCOUNT BASS DRUM

Code VCN2610

26" x 10" wooden 4 ply birch shell.

The overall weight is 7.15kg (15.7lb)

The shell is specially bonded and reinforced with 45° optimized bearing edge hoops.

Fitted with eight high tension aluminium and steel tension lugs, sixteen square head tension rod bolts and sixteen die cast tensioning claws (eight either side) make this drum fully tunable. All of the metal hardware is chrome plated to a mirror finish.

Fitted with Remo Powermax, pre-dampened, ultra white bass drum heads.

The counter hoops are 8 ply maple and finished in regulation Royal Colours of military blue ground, banded top and bottom in military red and superimposed with traditional white wave. (Other colours available are White and Black)

Three carriage rings are fitted to accommodate a choice of bass drum carriages.

The hoop furniture includes three protective ball feet (only on one side of the bass drum and can be moved) which protects the drum from damage when it is placed on its side, on the ground.

The shell is finished in a military blue ground (5 panels of Blue at the front of the Drum) and military red nail board apron (5 panels of red at the back of the Drum) with an inserted chrome air vent. (Other colours available are White and Black)



Code VCN2612

As above but with 26" x 12" 4 ply birch shell fitted and equipped to match.

The overall weight is 7.95kg (17.5lb)

(Other colours available are White and Black)

Code VCN2812

As above but with 28" x 12" 4 ply birch shell fitted and equipped to match.

The overall weight is 8.35kg (18.4lb)

(Other colours available are White and Black)

Code VCN2814

As above but with 28" x 14" 4 ply birch shell fitted and equipped to match.

The overall weight is 9.2kg (20.2lb)

(Other colours available are White and Black)

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THE PEARL IN THE CROWN

We have been working closely with the musical institutions in the Armed Forces in the design and development of new drums for parade use. Consultations were made with The Royal Marines Band Service, the Army at the Headquarters of the Corps of Army Musicians and the Royal Air Force at their Headquarters at Northolt. Other competing manufacturing companies were invited to put forward their proposals at the same time. We worked very closely with The Royal Marines Band Service in the design and development of these new drums in concert with the manufacturers, The Pearl Percussion Company. The other manufacturing companies were also invited to put forward their proposals. Following extensive consultations, we produced a set of new drums for user-trials with the Corps of Drums. These trials lasted over a year during which time, adjustments and modifications were made.



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Our finished product was selected to be taken on board for further evaluation. The conclusion - "fit for purpose". Negotiations commenced and we were contracted to supply the complete marching percussion instruments for The Royal Marines Band Service. The first delivery of side drums was made in December 2011 and received with enthusiasm by its new owners. The balance of tenor and bass drums were completed and delivered in February 2012. The contract was fulfilled on time and on budget. The drums made their first major public performance on the occasion of the Mountbatten Festival of Music at the Royal Albert Hall in April 2012 – in anticipation of an opening tribute to Her Majesty The Queen's Diamond Jubilee. For All Arms Marketing & Manufacturing Organisation it became a combination of the setting of the Diamond and the Pearl.



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