

TD-6 Hot Picks Expansion Pack

a sound enhancing expansion pack for the Roland TD-6 & 6V Drum Module

Owner's Manual

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Introduction

Thank you for purchasing V Expressions LTD's **TD-6 Hot Picks Expansion Pack!**

Introducing the Hot Picks expansion for the TD-6/6V module. 15 awesome acoustic drum kits modeled from top of the line manufacturers. For TD-6/6V e-drummers on a budget, this sampler pack will get you introduced to the quality and programming capabilities of V Expressions Ltd.

Whether you are new to V-Drums or just want to try us out before you buy any of the other TD-6/6v expansion packs offered, these highly tweaked and custom designed drum kits will get you started and give you a taste of V Expressions.

Set in a live ambient environment with all volumes designed for live playing, these set ups are part of The Collective pack, with the exception that the Collective set ups are designed for recording and their volumes, pitches and certain instruments have been changed for Hot Picks.

Thank you once again for purchasing the **TD-6 Hot Picks Expansion Pack** from V Expressions LTD. We hope you enjoy it!

V Expressions LTD: TD-6 Hot Picks Expansion Pack Instructions

READ ALL OF THE FOLLOWING BEFORE CONTINUING

All user kits in your TD-6 (kits1-50) **will be erased during a load of any kits from your computer.** The factory reset information is not disturbed and the original version of the TD-6 can be reset at any time to return to your default purchased starting point.

We highly recommend backing up your current TD-6 memory to save any personal previous changes before loading any expansion packs from V Expressions LTD. Please take a moment to read all of our procedures below before attempting them.

If you have questions before attempting any of the procedures below, please refer to your TD-6 owner's manual or email V Expressions LTD from our website at www.vexpressionsltd.com.

Backup Instructions

First you must download and install a midi utility to transfer and receive your sysex files to and from the TD-6 via your computer. A list of utilities can be found at our website. **V Expressions highly recommends [VDrumLib](http://www.vdrumlib.com) as the premiere librarian and transfer tool.**

1. Connect your **TD6 / TD6-V** module to your computer via midi. Open your Midi transfer program and follow to "receive midi dump"
2. At your TD6 / TD6-V module – Press and Hold the **SHIFT** key, and press **SETUP**
3. Scroll using the cursor arrows to "**BULK DUMP**"
4. Press **ENTER**
5. Using the (+) or (-) keys, select **ALL**
6. Press **ENTER**
7. Screen will say: "Are you Sure?"
8. Press **ENTER**
9. Your module will send the Midi information to the computer
10. Once complete, you will save the file as a (.syx) midi file to recall at any time. Place in a folder you can easily retrieve.

Installation Instructions

NOTE: Backup the TD-6 before continuing! V Expressions LTD cannot be held responsible for loss of drum kits if you neglect this step.

1. Connect the TD6 / TD-6V to your computer via midi.
2. Make sure your TD6 / TD-6V is set to Midi Device ID #17: It is a Roland standard default setting. If you have changed this, please restore to ID #17. Please refer to your owner's manual for this procedure.
3. Using a standard midi transfer program, send the included sysex file to the TD6 / TD-6V drum module.
4. The module will receive the bulk dump automatically.
5. The screen should say: "Please Wait, Receiving Data"
6. If your screen is not showing that, you have to repair your midi connection and start the procedure again.

TD-6 Elite Expansion Pack Kit Listing

1993 Mapex Orion
2005 Sonor Delite
1977 Ludwig Super Classics
1999 Yamaha Stage Custom
1962 Gretsch RB Maple
2007 Tama Starclassic
2007 Remo Gold Crown
1999 Noble & Cooley Drumsmith
1958 Trixon
2006 Pearl Masterworks
2003 Tama Swingstar Jazz
1998 DW Collector Keller Shell Series
1966 Slingerland Maple
2004 Pearl Masters BLX
2005 Premier Cabria

Additional Information

The Hot Picks expansion pack was designed on a Roland V Tour drum kit setup using a Roland TD-6V Sound module.

The file you have loaded is a "Drum kits" only file. Your personal Trigger SETUP section should not be affected. Support for Tom 3/4 is programmed on inputs 7 / 8 with a Rim / PD Type pad Bank Entry.

V Cymbal Positional Control is not supported on the **TD6 or TD6-V**, but is accepted as a Bank Trigger Type pad. So you can use all the CY series pads with the **TD6 / TD6-V**. You have limited choices for pad selection with the TD6.

Update: New file types "RIDEcyTYPE.syx" now support new KX and SX Series modules. These additionally updated files should be used when utilizing CY-15R and/or CY-12R/C components to make use of the bow/edge trigger input.

TD-6V only:

Tom 1 has rim support as: # 697 Cowbell1 - All kits 1-50
Tom 2 has rim support as: #708 Tambrn 1 - All kits 1-50

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