

Hodge Podge Expansion Pack

a sound enhancing expansion pack for the Roland TD-9 Drum Module

Owner's Manual

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Introduction

Thank you for purchasing V Expressions LTD's **Hodge Podge**!

Our first expansion for the TD-9! This expansion is **based on our customer favorites in the TD-20 series - Master Picks and Studio Kits!**

Hodge Podge supplies the drummer with **15 incredibly realistic acoustic kits modeled after our TD-20 Master Picks collection**. These are kits **designed to sound like lightly mixed real acoustics in the studio environment**. The kits are **designed for recording realistic sounds; allowing the drummer or engineer complete post production control at the DAW**. Not only do these kits sound incredible for all types of music right out of the box, they **provide an incredible foundation for studio recording!**

Also included in **Hodge Podge** are **15 studio sets modeled after our TD-20 Studio Kits pack!** These kits are **plug n' play ready for on the go recording, gigging or just plain jamming!** The 15 studio sets **provide very similar realistic acoustic drums like our Master Picks with slight product effects added**. These are not the same kits, but the **favorite instruments are scattered throughout these awesome kits!**

Finally, we've **included three alternative cymbal patches modeled after Zildjian K's, A's and more!** The alternative cymbal patches provide **bright, dark and effects cymbals** - including **crashes, rides, splashes, swishes and chinas!** Use the user spaces to build your own custom kits from any of the Master Picks, Studio Kits and Alt Cymbal patches!

Hodge Podge is an expansion pack that can be used by hobbyists, weekend warriors and professionals alike. With these kits, the professional gigging drummer can expand his or her library of custom kits to accommodate many variations of song lists as well as musical genres and eras. The expansion is fully customizable allowing the user to continue adjusting the kits, triggers and calibrations to best match his or her playing style.

Hodge Podge Tips & Tricks

The **Hodge Podge** expansion kits are programmed to match the original sounds as closely as possible by the TD-9 drum module. In order to achieve modeled accuracy, some kits may not require the ambience levels of other kits in the expansion. This modeling technique was needed to reach maximum precision.

Some kits require ambience or lack of to achieve the original accuracy. If you wish to adjust settings to work with your public address system or band better, your model settings can be easily adjusted to add even more ambience. Tom and cymbal separation can also be adjusted in the panning screen to widen the depth of your kit without harming the model.

In the live playing environment, it is suggested that the kits be played to the mixing console as they are modeled and then adding the desired effects to accommodate the current environment. Thank you once again for purchasing the **Hodge Podge** Expansion Pack from V Expressions LTD. We hope you enjoy it!

Hodge Podge Expansion Pack Kit Listing

Kits are modeled to sound like:

Master Picks 1 - Pearl Birch Drums w/ Coated
Master Picks 2 - Ludwig Drums w/ CS Dots
Master Picks 3 - Spaun Toms, Earth Ride, Zildjian A's
Master Picks 4 - Camco Snare & BD, Zildjian A's
Master Picks 5 - DW 24" BD, Maple Piccolo Snare
Master Picks 6 - 70's Tama Swingstar & Zildjian K's
Master Picks 7 - Ludwig Black Beauty & Maple BD
Master Picks 8 - Coated Pearl SN & Reference BD
Master Picks 9 - 18" GMS BD & GMS Toms
Master Picks 10 - Pearl Export BD w/ Single-Ply Toms
Master Picks 11 - Radio King SN w/ Pearl Export BD
Master Picks 12 - Tight Camco SN w/ Pearl Export BD
Master Picks 13 - 22" Ludwig BD w/Camco Snare
Master Picks 14 - Pearl Birch SN w/ Coated GMS Toms
Master Picks 15 - Pearl Export Toms & 24" Export BD

Cymbal Notes - MP Kits host Zildjian A's, K's, Earth Rides and K/Z Hi-Hats.

Studio Kits 1 - Trick Snare w/ 24" Ludwig Classic BD
Studio Kits 2 - 22" Pearl Birch BD & 21" Earth Ride
Studio Kits 3 - Tama Rockstar Toms & 21" Earth Ride
Studio Kits 4 - 20" Zildjian Ride w/ 8" Birch Snare
Studio Kits 5 - 22" Tama Rockstar BD w/ 21" Earth Ride
Studio Kits 6 - Tama 5" Maple SN
Studio Kits 7 - Pearl Export Toms & BD
Studio Kits 8 - Pearl 6" Maple SN w/ 24" Masterworks BD
Studio Kits 9 - 20" Maple BD
Studio Kits 10 - Premier Signia Kit w/ Zildjians
Studio Kits 11 - Ludwig Rocker Kit with Zildjian A's
Studio Kits 12 - Peter Criss SN w/ Coated Birch Toms
Studio Kits 13 - 22" Pearl Export BD w/ Power Toms
Studio Kits 14 - Earth Ride w/ Birch SN and Maple BD
Studio Kits 15 - 22" Pearl Export BD w/ Trick Alum SN

Alternate Cymbals Bright - K/Z Hats, A's, Earth Ride
Alternate Cymbals Dark - 22" Jazz Ride, 14" K Hats
Alternate Cymbals Other - 8" Splash, Swish & Wuhan

Hodge Podge includes the 4 following setup styles:

BackUp 1 = Cym on Aux - Set up for dual trigger pad/cym (CY12r/c or CY15r)
BackUp 2 = Cym on Aux - Set up for CY8 or equiv ride(dual trigger pad/cym)
BackUp 3 = Tom 4 on Aux - set up for CY8 or equiv ride(dual trigger pad/cym)
BackUp 4 = Tom 4 on Aux - set up for CY12r/c (three way triggering)

V Expressions Limited: TD-9 Expansion Pack Instructions

READ ALL OF THE FOLLOWING BEFORE CONTINUING!

All user kits in your TD-9 (flash memory) **will be erased during a load of any backup file**. The factory reset information is not disturbed and the original version of the TD-9 can be reset at any time to return to your default purchased starting point.

We highly recommend backing up your current TD-9 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-9 owner's manual or email V Expressions LTD from our website at www.vexpressionsltd.com.

Section I: Saving Data to an external USB Device

- Step 1:** Insert your USB key/card into the module.
- Step 2:** In the "USB UTILITY" screen, press [F1] (SAVE).
- Step 3:** Press [F1] (BACKUP).
- Step 4:** Use [+/-] or [VALUE] to specify the save-destination number.
- Step 5:** Press [F3] (SAVE).
- Step 6:** Press [F3] (EXEC).

For more detailed instruction, please see page 56 of your Roland TD-9 Owners Manual.

Section II: Loading Data from an external USB Device

Note: All the TD-9's current user data is overwritten. Make sure you have made a backup. The factory reset information will not be disturbed.

- Step 1:** Insert your USB key/card into the module.
- Step 2:** In the "USB UTILITY" screen, press [F2] (LOAD).
- Step 3:** Press [F1] (BACKUP).
- Step 4:** Use CURSOR [] [] to move the cursor to "Load Data."
- Step 5:** Use [+/-] or [VALUE] to select the specific data that will be loaded into the TD-9.
- Step 6:** Use CURSOR [] [] to move the cursor to "Number."
- Step 7:** Use [+/-] or [VALUE] to select the specific data that will be loaded into the TD-9.
- Step 8:** Press [F3] (LOAD).
- Step 9:** To load the data, press [F3] (EXEC).

For more detailed instruction, please see page 58 of your Roland TD-9 Owners Manual.

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