

NEW



SNARE DRUM REVOLUTION

FREE FLOATING SYSTEM SNARE DRUM

Pure natural sounds of the individual shells' resonating properties produce outstanding snare effects.

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"Free Floating System"

Pearl developed this completely new concept of construction only after intensive study and engineering breakthroughs. The Free Floating System allows the sound of the shell to join and reinforce the sound of the head by not having any lugs attached to the shell. By eliminating the negative factors that reduce the resonance of the shell, projection and snare response is exceptionally advanced, and the individual tone color peculiar to the shell is allowed to contribute to the sound.



"Shell"

The shell materials were chosen to allow the drummer to select from Copper, Brass, Steel, or Maple to fit every playing situation and to benefit most effectively from the Free Floating System. Free Floating System enables you to exchange shells of identical sizes easily.



"S-011 Bridge Type Single-side Action Strainer"

The S-011 strainer has been designed and developed to maximize the snare sensitivity of Pearl's exclusive "Free Floating System Snare Drums". The snares, extended beyond the head diameter, are controlled and fully adjustable at both ends of the

bridge. Critical snare tension adjustments may also be made at each end.

(Snare tension is adjustable from the throw off side of the S-011E strainer as featured on the Steel shell models.)

For finishes on Maple shells, please select from the three lacquer finishes offered.

No. 100 Wine Red Lacquer No. 101 Walnut Lacquer No. 102 Natural Maple



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The shell material determines the character of the snare drums.

Copper Shell

Another innovation from Pearl! The optional use of a copper shell further enhances the extraordinary sensitivity and projection of Pearl's exclusive free floating shell principle. Copper is the metal most preferred for its inherent resonating property in the manufacture of tympani bowls. A copper shell provides the same versatility of tonal colors and responsiveness to the full spectrum of dynamics in Pearl's innovative approach to snare drum design.

Brass Shell

Brass is known to contain the best resonating properties among metals as proven in its use on many types of musical instruments. Brass snare drums produce the unique beauty of blend of tone color and powerful projection. From a sensitive response to the most powerful back beat, your mood is faithfully expressed.

Steel Shell

The seamless steel snare drum shell is roll-formed

to a perfect radius and maintains even head-to-shell fit. Steel withstands the intense power-attack impact. The character of a steel shell reproduces your expression from sensitive rolling, sharp cuts, or powerful attacks to meet any style of music.

Maple Shell

Pearl's precision molded, selected hard maple shell projects power, yet retains the traditional color and warm wood sound. This special quality is indispensable to the many drummers who prefer the acoustic snare drum sound.

Model	Size	Shell Material	Lugs	Hoops	Strainer
C-914D	6½" × 14"	Copper	10 double	Die-cast Hoops	S-011
C-914	5" × 14"	Copper	10 double	Die-cast Hoops	S-011
B-914D	6½" × 14"	Brass	10 double	Die-cast Hoops	S-011
B-914	5" × 14"	Brass	10 double	Die-cast Hoops	S-011
S-814D	6½" × 14"	Steel	10 double	Super Hoops	S-011E
S-814	5" × 14"	Steel	10 double	Super Hoops	S-011E
G-914ED	8" × 14"	Maple	10 double	Die-cast Hoops	S-011
G-914D	6½" × 14"	Maple	10 double	Die-cast Hoops	S-011
G-914	5" × 14"	Maple	10 double	Die-cast Hoops	S-011

Specifications are subject to change without notice.

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