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**Legacy Series** 



# Program 1 Expansion Pack a sound enhancing expansion pack for the Roland TD-12/20/20x/30 Drum Module

**Owner's Manual** 

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# Introduction

Thank you for purchasing V Expressions LTD's **Program 1 Expansion – Now part of our: Legacy Series!** 

**THE PROGRAM 1 Expansion Pack** is an all purpose pack featuring 50 modeled acoustic drum sets and cymbals, with minimal master effects. Real sounding drum sets for real world applications

Recording, rehearsing, gigging, at venues, home or playing and performing anywhere, this pack deliver excellent sound.

File compatibility for the TD12, 20, 20x, 30 included.

# Program 1 Tips, Tricks, & Essentials

The **Program 1** kits are designed to show the powerful CSOM modeling features of the TD-20 drum module. Never before has an expansion offered such a wide variety of powerful snares, hats, toms, for the electronic creative genre. In some cases, we have selected certain drum set ups to be modeled without effects. If you wish to adjust settings to work with your public address system, band or recording better, your module settings can be easily adjusted to add even more ambience and/or reverb to achieve the desired sound enhancement. Tom and cymbal separation can also be adjusted in the panning screen to widen the depth of your kit without harming the original model on your CompactFlash card.

In the live playing environment, it is suggested that the kits be played to the mixing console as they are modeled, followed by adding the desired effects to accommodate the current environment. Regardless of importing kits individually or as an entire backup, the expansion was designed with the group faders at 50% for optimal volumes. Setting your group faders to 50% before loading your backup will yield the best results to start with. From this level setting, various adjustments over the instrument selection will need tweaking via the volume faders. This will level out your volumes and represent the drum set programming as we built it.

Thank you once again for purchasing the **Program 1 Expansion Pack** from V Expressions LTD. We hope you enjoy it!

# Program 1 kit listing:

2003 GRETSCH CLASSIC BROADKASTER KIT 1979 SONOR PHONIC: SCANDANAVIAN BIRCH 1980's TAMA CONCERT: CONCERT SERIES DRUMS

1986 YAMAHA RECORDING CUSTOM: MM SERIES, STUDIO KIT 2004 PEARL MASTERWORKS: BIRCH/MAPLE MIX WITH DIE CAST HOOPS 1997 DW EXOTIC EFX: FIDDLEBACK MAPLE 25TH ANNIVERSARY 1996 DW CRAVIOTTO DRY: SATIN OIL w/ 14" CRAVIOTTO SNARE **2000 AYOTTE CUSTOM:** AYOTTE LACQUER **REMO ROTO TOM: ROTO TOMS** 1996 PREMIER XPK: XPK BASSWOOD SHELLS 1972 LUDWIG MAPLE: LUDWIG SUPER CLASSIC W/ POWER TOMS **2004 SONOR S CLASS: GRAINED MAPLE LACQUER** 1984 TAMA GRANDSTAR: MAHOG/BIRSH SHELL 1980 NOBLE & COOLEY HORIZON SERIES: MAPLE/BIRCH/MAHOG SHELLS 1970 SLINGERLAND: SLINGERLAND RECORDING KIT 1920 PREMIER OLYMPIC: OLYMPIC RETRO 1998 GMS: MAPLE LACQUER DRUM KIT **2002 PEARL MASTERS BLX: BIRCH SERIES** 1950 SLINGERLAND RADIO KING: RADIO KING 2003 24" TAMA STARCLASSIC: STARCLASSIC PERFORMER W/ 24" KICK 1999 DW TAMO ASH: DW TAMO ASH EXOTIC WOOD DRUM SET 1960'S GRETSCH: 5 PLY GRETSCH CLUB KIT 1968 FIBES DRUMS: FIBER RESIN SHELLS 1956 W. F. LUDWIG: WFL DLX CLUB DATE G.H.W. DRUM CO: (GEORGE H. WAY PIONEERED MODERN DAY TENSION LUG AND THE TRIPLE FLANGED HOOP) 1975 LUDWIG VISTALITE 1988 YAMAHA TOUR CUSTOM: BIRCH/BEECH SHELLS 2001 PREMIER GEN X SET: MAPLE/BIRCH SHELL 2002 DW BIRCH: DW SET IN ICE BIRCH FINISH 2003 GRETSCH MAPLE RENOWN **2000 YAMAHA STAGE CUSTOM SERIES** 1983 PREMIER RESONATOR: BIRCH/MAHOG SHELL 1936 LEEDY/LUDWIG SHOW BAND SET 1970 ROGERS POWER TONE: MAPLE SET 1970 LUDWIG CHROME: 70'S LUDWIG STAINLESS STEEL 1980 TAMA IMPERIALSTAR: 80'S IMPERIALSTAR DEEP SHELLS 2005 MAPEX BEBOP: CLUB KIT 2004 SPAUN MAPLE: CUSTOM KIT 1970 NORTH DRUM CO: 70'S FIBERGLASS DRUMS CONE SHELLS 1990 TRICK DRUMS: 90'S TRICK DRUM COMPANY - Aluminum Shells 1995 PEARL EXPORT SERIES 1967 LUDWIG SUPER CLASSIC: MAPLE SHELLS 1995 PREMIER SIGNIA: KELLER SHELLS 1988 SONOR HI LITE: BIRCH SHELLS 2005 BRADY JARRAH WOOD: AUSTRALIAN MADE JARRAH WOOD 2004 PORK PIE: HANDMADE CUSTOM DRUMS PEACE PARAGON: MAPLE/BIRCH MIX w/ SABIAN PARAGON CYMBALS 1989 NOBLE & COOLEY STAR SERIES: 1 PLY SHELLS 2003 PEARL MASTERS MLX: MAPLE SHELLS 2004 PACIFIC LX: Pacific Drums BY DW / CHINA MADE SHELLS

# **Loading:**

# **TD-12 Expansion Pack Instructions**

TD12 P1.svx

Transfer this file to your computer

Midi Transfer: connect your module to your computer supported midi connection. We recommend the Roland UM-one USB to midi connector.

1. V Drum Librarian (www.vdrumlib.com) Trial Version available, then after 10 days, it's \$20 to purchase it.

Win 7, 8, 8.1, 10. Mac 10.8 and up. Does not work with Win 11.

Open VDL, select Midi, then "Send Sysex file", browse for "TD12\_P1. syx" and select/open. Screen will appear and ask "send data to". You will select your midi unit. Msg delay set as 0 ms as default.

Press Send. If working properly, your TD-12 will say "bulk data receiving/ please wait."

If your module isn't responding. Check your midi connections / try switching midi in - out, and try again.

Remember: A cheap USB to midi cable will not work (Ebay/Amazon \$25 and under...) Those do not have the right chipset to handle the midi packet information the module needs. When there is a loading problem: Almost every time the problem is the midi device and not the sysex file. Purchasing the Roland UM-one and loading the driver will generally solve the issue.

#### 2. Freeware TD-12 Midi Utility Instructions: Midi -OX

#### Midi connections:

- TD-12 Midi In connects to Computer Device Midi Out
- TD-12 Midi Out connects to Computer Device Midi In

# **General Setup:**

- Open Midi-Ox on computer
- Click options and make sure "Midi Filter" and "Pass Sysex" are checked ON.
- Click "Midi Devices" and make sure your device appears and is selected for both IN AND OUT.
- Click "OK"

#### Saving Data from the TD-12 to Midi-Ox:

- In Midi-Ox, click "VIEW".
- Click "SYSEX". (the sysex view & scratchpad screen appears)
- · Click "SYSEX".
- Click "RECEIVE MANUAL DUMP". (a box appears saying "sysex receive" (wait for completion) / 0 bytes received) (this lets you know that the computer is connected to the appropriate midi device)

(note: individual saved kits will load back into the patch they came from; using the copy/exchange feature is the best choice for setting kits where you want them when mixing backups)

### **Troubleshooting:**

If you get error messages it is because Midi-Ox is not recognizing your midi device. Check your connections (Midi Connections above) and repeat the "General Setup". Check your "Midi Devices" again to ensure the correct midi device is selected. (the one the TD-12 is connected to) Receiving this error is due to the computer midi device not being recognized; not your V Expressions Expansion file or the TD-12 module. This error is a user end error due to incorrect general setup.

### Saving Data other than "BULK":

• On the TD-12, push "SET UP"

- Push (F1) MIDI.
- Push (F5) BULK., (a midi bulk dump screen appears and "ALL" is highlighted)
- Scroll using the value dial to what midi info you wish to send to Midi-Ox. (if you want to select a single drum kit, scroll
  the dial until "1 DRUM KIT" appears)
- Cursor down arrow to "DRUM KIT".
- Use the value dial to select the kit you wish to transfer.
- Push (F5) EXECUTE. (the screen on Midi-Ox will begin to fill up with byte info data)
- Once completed, go to Midi-Ox and click the "DONE" button.
- Click "DISPLAY WINDOW" on the Sysex View & Scratchpad Screen.
- Click "SAVE AS" to name and save the file. (remember the ".syx" extension)

#### Congratulations!

You are now a pro now at midi transferring!

#### Loading Data other than "BULK":

- Complete the "General Setup" above.
- Open Midi-Ox.
- Power on the TD-12.
- In Midi-Ox, Click "View".
- Click "SYSEX". (the sysex view & scratchpad screen appears)
- Click "FILE"
- Click "SEND SYSEX FILE" (the "OPEN" window appears allowing you to choose your .syx file and open them)
- Select the Sysex file and click "OPEN". (once you click on "OPEN" you will be sending the file to the TD-12)

The TD-12 will automatically receive the transfer and reset itself once complete.

You are ready to use the new file uploaded to the TD-12.

# **TD-20 Expansion Pack Instructions**

File you will use is: TD20BK01.TD0

Transfer this file to your computer

## **READ ALL OF THE FOLLWING BEFORE CONTINUING!**

All user kits in your TD-20 (flash memory) will be erased during a load of any backup file from a **CompactFlash card**. The factory reset information is not disturbed and the original version of the TD-20 can be reset at any time to return to your default purchased starting point.

We highly recommend backing up your current TD-20 memory to save any personal previous changes before loading any expansion packs from V Expressions LTD. You will also be able to load individual sets as described in Section IV.

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-20 owner's manual or email V Expressions LTD from our website at www.vexpressionsltd.com

# Loading Expansions to a CompactFlash card from a computer

**Preparation:** You must have a CompactFlash card reader connected to your computer. It can usually be found as an additional drive in "My Computer". **Important!** If your CompactFlash card contains previous backups, rename the newly supplied backup file(s) to a different back up number. (ie: TD20BK**01**.TDO to TD20BK**02**.TDO) *The only numbers the TD-20 can read are 01-08.* 

<u>Hint: Remember to click on the Roland Folder twice to open the TD Folder: The files must be put into the TD folder or the TD20 Reads: "No Data"</u>

CF card must be 64 MB to 512 MB max size only as per Roland operating system.

Step 1: Insert a TD-20 formatted CompactFlash card into a card reader connected to the computer.

**Step 2:** Extract the file TD20BK01.TD0 from the supplied expansion pack zip file to a folder on your computer.

File to transfer to the TD Folder on the CF card: TD20BK01.TD0

Step 3: Copy the expansion fil to the Roland/TD folder found on your CompactFlash card.

# Loading Backup Kits from a CompactFlash card

Hint: This procedure will not preserve trigger settings you may already have changed in your TD-20 module and/or setup. By loading an entire backup file, you may need to adjust trigger types and calibrations to achieve the best volumes, calibration and sound the programmer intended.

Step 1: Insert the CompactFlash card into the CompactFlash card slot on the TD-20's front panel.

**Step 2:** Press [CARD]. The CompactFlash indicator light and the "CARD MENU" screen appears.

**Step 3:** Press [F2 (LOAD)]. The "CARD LOAD" screen appears.

Step 4: Use [+/-] or [VALUE] to select the backup area containing the data you want to load.

Backup 01. (TD20BK01.TD0)

Step 5: Press [F5 (LOAD)]. The confirmation screen appears. To cancel, press [F1 (CANCEL)].

**Step 6:** Press [F5 (EXECUTE)] to load the data.

# Loading Individual Kits from a CompactFlash card

**Hint:** This procedure is a great way to preserve trigger settings you may already have changed in your TD-20 module and/or setup. By loading individual kits, your trigger types and calibrations will be reserved. Some minor adjustments may be needed to accommodate your playing style.

Step 1: Insert the CompactFlash card and Press [COPY]. The "COPY" screen appears.

Step 2: Press [F1 (KIT)] to select drum kit.

**Step 3:** Use [CURSOR], [+/-], or [VALUE] to select the copy-source and the copy-destination.

**Step 4:** Press [F5 (COPY)]. The previous content of the destination is overwritten by the new content of the source. The confirmation screen appears. *To cancel, press [F1 (EXIT)].* 

**Step 5:** Press [F5 (EXECUTE)] to carry out the procedure.

# **TD-20X Expansion Pack Instructions.**

File you will use is: TDW2BK11.

Transfer this file to your computer.

# Loading Expansions to a CompactFlash card from a computer

**Preparation:** You must have a CompactFlash card reader connected to your computer. It can usually be found as an additional drive in "My Computer". **Important!** If your CompactFlash card contains previous backups, rename the newly supplied backup file(s) to a different back up number. (ie: TDW2BK11.TDO to TDW2BK04.TDO/ or first avail backup) *The only numbers the TD-20X can read are 01-99.* 

<u>Hint: Remember to click on the Roland Folder twice to open the TD Folder: The files must be put into the TD folder or the TD20X Reads: "No Data"</u>

**Step 1:** Insert a TD-20 formatted CompactFlash card into a card reader connected to the computer. **Step 2:** Extract the file TDW2BK11.TD0 from the supplied expansion pack zip file to a folder on your computer.

File to transfer to the TD Folder on the CF card: TDW2BK11.TD0

Step 3: Copy the expansion file to the Roland/TD/ folder found on your CompactFlash card.

# Loading Expansions from a CompactFlash card

This procedure will not preserve trigger settings you may already have changed in your module and/or setup. By loading an entire backup file, you may need to adjust trigger types and calibrations to achieve the best volumes, calibration and sound the programmer intended. Skip to: Individual load below if necessary.

Use <u>VDrumLib</u> to quickly copy preferred "setup information" from personal backups. Visit: <u>www.vrdumlib.com</u> for more information.

Step 1: Insert the CompactFlash card into the card slot on the module's front panel.

Step 2: Press [CARD]. The CompactFlash indicator light and the "CARD MENU" screen appears.

Step 3: Press [F2 (LOAD)].

Step 4: Use [+/-] or [VALUE] to select Bank #11 - PROGRAM 1

Step 5: Press [F5 (LOAD)]. The confirmation screen appears. To cancel, press [F1 (CANCEL)].

Step 6: Press [F5 (EXECUTE)] to load the data.

Program 1 will load into Kit positions 51-66

## Loading Individual Kits from a CompactFlash card

**Hint:** This procedure is a great way to preserve trigger settings you may already have changed in your TD-20 module and/or setup. By loading individual kits, your trigger types and calibrations will be preserved. Some minor adjustments may be needed to accommodate your playing style.

- Step 1: Insert the CompactFlash card and Press [COPY]. The "COPY" screen appears.
- Step 2: Press [F1 (KIT)] to select drum kit.
- Step 3: Use [CURSOR], [+/-], or [VALUE] to select the copy-source and the copy-destination.
- Step 4: Press [F5 (COPY)]. The previous content of the destination is overwritten by the new content of the
- source. The confirmation screen appears. To cancel, press [F1 (EXIT)].
- Step 5: Press [F5 (EXECUTE)] to carry out the procedure.

# **TD-30 Expansion Pack Instructions**

File you will use is: TD30\_Backup001.TD0

Transfer this file to your computer

# Saving Your V Expressions LTD download file to your USB Drive

- Step 1: Insert your formatted USB drive into your computer.
- Step 2: From your Desktop, locate the file: TD30\_Backup001.TD0
- Step 3: Open your USB drive and locate the Roland Folder and Dbl Click
- Step 4: A TD-30 Folder will appear, DBL click that
- Step 5: A Backup Folder will appear, DBL Click that
- **Step 6:** Select and drag desired file into this folder.
- Step 7: Verify that the file is there.
- Step 8: Once verified the file is there, back out of screen and Properly EJECT the USB Drive

V Expressions LTD recommends Auditioning the Program 1 kits from the USB Drive before loading any files to your module.

Preserve your trigger settings and audition each kit from the USB thumb drive.

# Audition/Copy any drum kit in Program 1 on the TD-30 without loading manual

See pg 123 in your TD-30

Step 1: Press Setup

Step 2: Press F5 scroll to B [A↔B] button for (KIT SEL)

Step 3: Press F1 KIT SEL

Step 4: Press F3 USB

Step 5: Press F3 to scroll to bank (01)

Step 6: Use Value Dial to audition the kits (1-50)

Step 7: To Copy kit into USER section, press F5 Copy

Step 8: Use Value Dial to Select a USER kit (1-100)

Step 1: Press F5 Copy Step 1: Press F5 Execute

Use the Kit Copy function to load each kit individually.

# Copying each kit individually to the TD-30

See pages 49 & 50 in your TD-30 manual

Step 1: Connect your USB flash drive into the module's USB Memory Port.

Step 2: Press Shift and the USB MEM button together

Step 3: Press F1 Kit Step 4: Press F3 USB

Step 5: Set Bank to Program 1 bank / backup (01)

Step 6: Set USB to any VEX kit (1-50)

Step 7: Set USER to any kit of your choice (1-100)

Step 8: Press F5 (copy / execute)

Repeat this process for each kit you want to load individually.

If you have questions before attempting any of the above procedures, please refer to your TD-20 owner's manual or email V Expressions LTD from our website at <a href="https://www.vexpressionsltd.com">www.vexpressionsltd.com</a>.

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