

KICKPORT[®]

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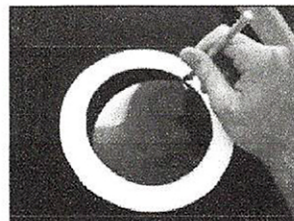
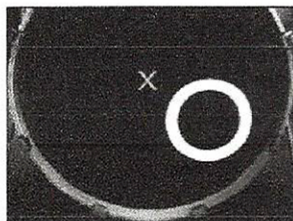
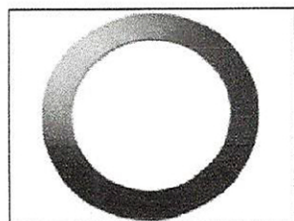
Preparation, Installation & Removal Instructions

Thank-you for purchasing a KickPort. Please follow these simple instructions to quickly install the KickPort and improve the sound of your bass drum. Visit KickPort.com to view an installation video and the FAQ page for installation and tuning tips to help you get the most out of your KickPort.

Tools required: X-ACTO knife (if starting with an unvented head) • Pen, sharpie, screw driver or similar type object

Preparation:

The KickPort is intended to fit into a 4½" to 5¼" reinforced hole in the resonant bass drum head. A 5¼" hole is ideal because the Kickport can be installed and removed without removing the drum head. For smaller holes, remove the head from the drum, separate the rubber collar from the Kickport, put the Kickport in the hole from the front of the head, reassemble the Kickport by replacing the collar on the Kickport from the back side of the head, then replace the head on the drum. For holes larger than 5¼", use 2 T-Rings, one on each side of the head, to size down the hole. **If your bass drum head already has a 5¼" reinforced hole, skip to "Installation". Otherwise, follow these instructions to add a reinforcing ring and cut the hole with the head still on the drum:**

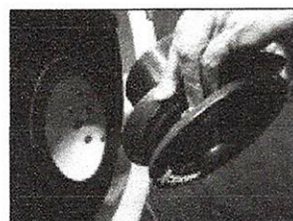


1. The KickPort package includes a 5¼" "T-Ring" template/reinforcement ring. Remove the backing from the template/ring. *Note: Once applied the reinforcement ring will remain permanently adhered to the drum head.*

2. Stick T-Ring in the desired position on the head. Halfway between the rim and the center of the drum (at the 4:00 or 8:00 position) is the recommended placement.

3. Using an X-ACTO knife, start from the center of the hole and make a 360° cut around the inside edge of the T-Ring. **Be careful not to cut yourself. You are now ready to install the KickPort!**

Installation:



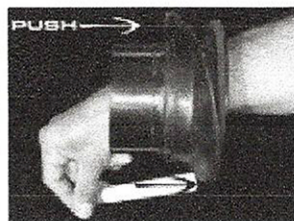
1. Using both hands, fold the collar back.



2. Insert bottom first into the hole at an angle.



3. Use fingers to work the rubber collar completely into the hole.



4A. Holding a pen or similarly shaped tool, put your hand through the KickPort and into drum.

4B. Push on the rubber collar in several places until it flips into place. You should hear a "pop" as it flips against the inside of the head.



5. Center the Kickport in the T-Ring. Installation is complete. **KickPort is now ready to go!**

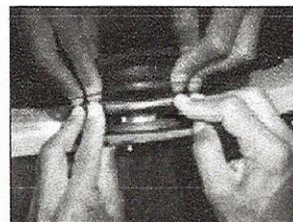
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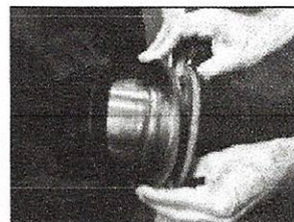
1. Pull the bottom of the KickPort away from the head.



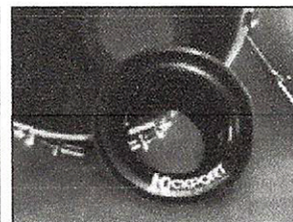
2. Pull the top away from the head to relieve pressure of the collar.



3. Use your fingers to extract the rubber collar from the hole.



4. Continue to remove collar while gently pulling and rotating the KickPort.



5. Removal is complete!

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