



WOOD HOOPS

The Bearing Edge is currently the only drum company in the world producing only woodhoop drums. Yes- Many drummers think we are selling ourselves short by not producing metal hoop drums but when there are 42 well known metal hoop drum companies and 2 woodhoop manufacturers-that's a no brainer.



The bottom line here is sound. You cannot compare a conventional drum to a woodhoop drum. The physics are pretty simple. By not using a metal hoop, all the high end resonance is removed, therefore the end result is pure tone. Many engineers and soundmen have said the same thing over and over and that is in most situations including live and studio these drums require no EQ. That's a great thing! but let's not forget the beauty of a wood hoop drum. No- your not going to break a woodhoop, which is always the first answer given to non believers. We use only the finest Italian polyester combined with the shear strength of maple which results in a woodhoop that has sticks begging for mercy.

Cool! There is no question we have found our niche in producing fine woodhoop drums.

HARDWARE

Brass continues to be the metal of choice! The look, the sound, the answer! From our solid tube lug to our single post lug, throw-off, butt-plate, designer bass drum spurs, down to the claws that hold it all together, brass is the choice for The Bearing Edge. Each part is machined and finished in satin lacquer which by the way- Is a beautiful thang!



SHELLS

Maple Hands down!

Maple is here to stay. Many have tried



and many more will continue to look for alternative materials for constructing drums but Maple drums will always rule this Planet. Our maple drum shells and woodhoops are custom built in Hickory, NC and are manufactured for The Bearing Edge Only!



FINISHES

Everything is Custom! There is something about every kit that leaves our facility that makes it different from any other kit in the world. We have made an effort to produce drum kits that can't be recognized with and other manufacturers drums. Is just something we believe in. It's hard to be original these days but it does still exist. Check out some of these ideas and maybe we can design something for you.

