

## Shell Design

The Cartagena Drum Company is responsible for the development of the "advanced design acrylic shell".

It is a high-density hand casted material that is 100% U.V. stabilized. It will never fade. It is very durable, resists scratches and is extremely resonant. Each shell is individually hand formed by skilled craftsmen.

Undoubtedly the most notable feature of this material is the patterned designs and colors that are actually part of the shell. Where as most other drums have applied finishes such as plastic wraps, lacquered paints and stains that can affect sound. Our finish goes entirely through the shell inside and out giving them vibrance and depth never seen before. Our shells also have luminescent qualities meaning the entire drum can be lit up like fine stained glass. A feature that is sure to enhance any live audience or video performance. It is quite simply amazing to see. The sound is powerful and cutting yet tonal and warm with a sensitivity and response that will delight the most discerning player.

