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New: Vienna Smart Orchestra Expansion Pack

Vienna Symphonic Library adds a variety of instruments to their All-in-One Orchestral Package

Vienna, November 5, 2019 – The Vienna Symphonic Library expands their entry-level orchestra package *Vienna Smart Orchestra* with new string ensembles and solo instruments, such as piccolo, English horn, bass clarinet, bassoon, harp, celesta, and timpani. The *VSO Expansion Pack* is available at an introductory price of €60 (reg. €85). What's more, all *Vienna MIR* products are now available at a 30% discount through December 2, 2019.

Live on Stage, in the Studio, on the Road

Vienna Smart Orchestra is a powerful, yet resource-saving and reasonably priced symphonic package that provides a large, 140 piece orchestra, ready to play over the entire range of the keyboard. The included *Vienna Synchron Player* makes it the perfect all-in-one tool for sketching symphonic ideas, delivering scores on deadlines, or playing live on stage. A host of presets delivers ready-to-play set-ups for traditional orchestral applications as well as for experimental soundscapes. The convolution reverb, featuring the acoustics of *Synchron Stage Vienna*, is integrated in the player's full-blown mixer, resulting in a perfectly balanced sound right out of the box.

Additional Instruments

The new *VSO Expansion Pack* adds a variety of new instruments, such as piccolo, English horn, bass clarinet, bassoon, harp, celesta, and timpani to the previously included lead instruments (violin ensemble, flute, oboe, clarinet, French horn, trumpet). The new wind instruments add even more colors to any arrangement, and offer more options to create variations and combinations, e.g., by playing clarinet and bassoon or flute and piccolo in unison or in octaves. Further new instruments include harp and celesta. The timpani provide a high level of detail with eight velocity layers from ppp to fff and four variants per note and velocity layer. Adding the new viola and cello ensembles, you can even create full-fledged polyphonic string arrangements by instantiating the expanded *Vienna Smart Orchestra* on several tracks of your DAW.

Large Orchestration on the Fly

In addition to playing the entire orchestra at once, all of the included instruments and ensembles can be played separately over the entire range of the keyboard in “Full Range Mode”. The “Pad + Solo” mode provides the complete orchestra in its full dynamic range to be played with the left hand, while at the same time the right hand may add lyrical melodies with various lead instruments in the upper register. When playing the full orchestra, the levels of the main sections – strings, woodwinds, brass, mallets, drums and percussion – can be adjusted in real-time in the internal mixer. By doing so, users may create large orchestrations on the fly, without worrying about fine-tuning the instrumentation.

About the Vienna Symphonic Library

The Vienna Symphonic Library is an innovative, research-driven music software and sample library developer based in Vienna, Austria. The team continually strives to improve virtual orchestral music production with a special emphasis on authenticity and ease-of-use. **Vienna Instruments**, the company's multi-award-winning virtual instruments in the formats AU, VST, and AAX Native, encompass an exhaustive range of solo instruments and ensembles, from their flagship *Symphonic Cube* to special instruments such as the *Vienna Konzerthaus Organ*, the *Vienna Imperial* grand piano, saxophones, upright bass, and even distorted guitar. Acclaimed software products include **Vienna Instruments Pro**, **Vienna Ensemble Pro**, **Vienna MIR Pro** and **Vienna Suite Pro**. In 2016, the company launched an entirely new venture: **Synchron Stage Vienna**, a unique scoring stage in Austria's capital that accommodates orchestras of up to 130 musicians, merges proprietary software innovations and revolutionary approaches with traditional recording technologies and procedures.

More information on Vienna Symphonic Library's products can be found at www.vsl.co.at.

A screenshot is available for download here:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1-blkyXXTrbRnIC39oC3SmxS32A5YvJV>

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