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Vienna Instruments Elements

Mapping Documentation

Glass harmonica

Verrophone

Musical glasses A, B, C

Bottles

Lithophone

Tam-Tam XXL

Bass Waterphone



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Introduction

This document contains the mapping list for the Elements Collection of Vienna Instruments, which consists of glass harmonica, verrophone, three sets of musical glasses, blown bottles, large lithophone, an extra-large tam-tam, and the bass waterphone. You will find here a comprehensive survey of the articulations/patches for the Standard and the Extended Libraries of each instrument, a listing of abbreviations, and the mapping list proper which gives details for every Patch, Matrix, and Preset in the collection.

Patch information

The Patch information includes articulation type, playing range, number of samples used, RAM requirements, the number of velocity layers and alternations, AB switching possibilities, etc., as well as Patch specific information if necessary.

Where the type of articulation requires a special mapping, the mapping layout will be shown in a detailed graphic.

The velocity layer switches generally are the same for patches with the same number of layers but may occasionally be adapted to the instrument's requirements. In some cases where the velocity mapping differs considerably from the normal layout, this will be noted in the mapping information.

Layers	Layer 1	Layer 2	Layer 3
2	0–88	89–127	
3	0–55	56–108	109–127

Matrix information

Each Matrix listing contains information regarding the Patches used for the Matrix, the number of horizontal and vertical dimensions, and switching properties. A mapping table shows the Cell positions for each of the Matrix' Patches.

A/B switching for this Collection only is applied to release durations, and is set to A0 for longer releases, and B0 for shorter ones.

In order to facilitate working with **MIDI controller switches** like the Modulation wheel, the switching positions are not distributed equally across the controller range if they control more than two Matrix rows or columns; generally, the switching range will be narrower at the extreme positions because they are easy to set, and wider in the middle where it is harder to find the desired setting. If you want to try out other settings, you can change this as well as any other controller at the **Control edit** page, and save the result in your Custom Matrix folder.

Preset information

The Preset information lists the Matrices used in the Preset as well as its keyswitches. All other information can be gathered from the Matrix and Patch listings, so there's not really much to say here.

Articulations

Instrument/Group	Level 1 (Standard) content	Level 2 (Extended) content
01 GLASS HARMONICA	Portato Sustained	Half tone trills Mallet hits normal and secco Mallet glissandos
02 VERROPHONE	Staccato Sustained	Portato, tremolo, half tone trills, mallet hits normal and secco, chromatic mallet trills, mallet glissandos
03 MUSICAL GLASSES - A		Staccato Portato Sustained Tremolo Half tone trills
04 MUSICAL GLASSES - B	Staccato Sustained	Portato Tremolo Half tone trills Single hits with soft, medium, and hard mallets Mallet glissandos
05 MUSICAL GLASSES - C		Staccato fast and slow Portato fast and slow Sustained Tremolo Mallet single hits
06 BOTTLES	Staccato Sustained Flutter tonguing	Portato Sforzato
11 LITHOPHONE	Single notes with soft and hard mallets Small and large stones on slabs Bowed	Soft mallets: Single hits secco Rolls Chord tremolos Sul ponticello normal and secco Glissandos Medium mallets: Single notes normal and secco Chord tremolos Hard mallets: Single notes secco Chord tremolos Effects: Finger strokes normal and secco Nail strokes normal and accented 3mm needle center strokes and plucked 5mm needle side strokes and ponticello "Shattering" tremolo portato and accented

Instrument/Group	Level 1 (Standard) content	Level 2 (Extended) content
21 TAM XXL	Basic articulations: Singe hits, rim and middle Tremolo dynamics, muted Tremolo normal and dynamics, open Long tremolo Effects: Paperbox Miscellaneous 1 and 2	Effects: Flexatone Metal Cardboard tube Plastic Fretsaw and egg cutter
31 BASS WATERPHONE	Staccato A Sustained Tremolo crescendo Arpeggio Glissando	Staccato B Portato A and B Repetitions Crescendo forte and fortissimo Hotrods Wood Strokes

Abbreviations

Instruments

Abbreviation	English	German
Glass Harm	Glass harmonica	Glasharmonika
VER	Verrophone	Verrophon
Mu Glasses	Musical glasses	Gläserspiel
LI	Lithophone	Lithophon
Tam	Tam-Tam	Tamtam
BWPH	Bass waterphone	Bass-Waterphon

Articulations and other abbreviations

Abbreviation	Meaning	Abbreviation	Meaning
acc	accelerando	me	medium (mallet)
all	combination of all the instruments of a type	mute	muted or damped
bow	played with a bow	nail	finger nail
cent	center	pont	bridge
chrom	chromatic	port	portato
cres	crescendo	RS	release samples
fing	finger	sec	secco
flutter	flutter tonguing	so	soft (mallet)
FX	effect	stac	staccato
gliss	glissando	pont	sul ponticello (played near the bridge)
ha	hard (mallet)	sus	sustained

Pitch

For designating pitch, the Vienna Symphonic Library uses International Pitch Notation (IPN), which was agreed upon internationally under the auspices of the Acoustical Society of America. In this system the international standard of A=440 Hz is called A4 and middle C is C4. All pitches are written as capital letters, their respective octave being indicated by a number next to it. The lowest C on the piano is C1 (the A below that is A0), etc.

You can tune your Vienna Instruments to other players, or adjust it to tunings of earlier musical periods by setting the Perform page's Master Tune option within a range of 420 to 460 Hz.

Elements

Patches

01 GLASS HARMONICA

Range: G3–F#6

The glass harmonica was invented in 1761; Mozart wrote several pieces for this instrument. However, the ethereal, crystalline and subtle sound of the glass harmonica was too fragile for the ever growing orchestra, and the instrument fell into oblivion. The hemispherical glass bowls which rotate around a horizontal axis driven by a pedal were rediscovered only in the last decades of the 19th century. The sound is produced by touching the rotating glasses with moistened fingertips. Today, the glass harmonica is an absolute rarity, with roughly 10 professional players world-wide.

All glass instruments were played by Chris and Gerald Schoenfeldinger. The musician couple discovered the world of glass sounds after they had studied music in Vienna (both are accomplished violinists), inspired by a sound experience in Richard Strauss' opera "Die Frau ohne Schatten", in which the voices of unborn children are underscored by the spheric sounds of the glass harmonica. In the beginning of the 1990s, they founded the "Viennese Glass Harmonica Duo"; today, they count among the world-wide leading interpreters on glass harmonica and verrophone. Apart from that, they investigate the psychical and physical effects of the glassy tones in hearing seminars.

Level 1: Portato, sustained

Level 2: Half tone trills, mallet hits normal and secco, mallet glissandos

01 Glass Harm - port		Samples: 64	RAM: 4 MB	Level 1
Single notes: Portato 2 velocity layers 2 Alternations				
02 Glass Harm - sus		Samples: 64	RAM: 4 MB	Level 1
Single notes: Sustained 1 velocity layer Release samples				
03 Glass Harm - trills	Range: G3–F6	Samples: 62	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
Phrases: Trills, half tone 1 velocity layer Release samples				
11 Glass Harm - Mallet		Samples: 128	RAM: 8 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Mallet hits, normal 2 velocity layers 2 Alternations				
12 Glass Harm - Mallet sec		Samples: 64	RAM: 4 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Mallet hits, secco 1 velocity layer 2 Alternations				

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13 Glass Harm - Mallet gliss	Range: C3–C4	Samples: 5	RAM: 1 MB	Level 2
Phrases: Mallet glissandos, low, middle var. 1 and 2, high, and full range 1 velocity layer				

Mapping:

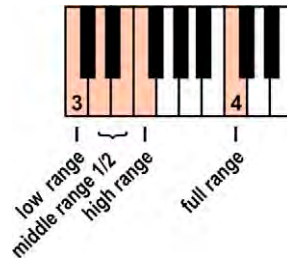
C3: low range

D3: middle range, var. 1

E3: middle range, var. 2

F3: high range

C4: full range



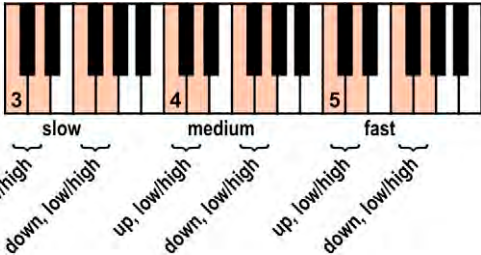
02 VERROPHONE	Range: G3–E6
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Another rather rarely encountered jewel is the verrophone (from French “la verre” – the glass). It is the youngest of the glass instruments, having been developed only 20 years ago in Germany. It consists of chromatically tuned glass tubes, which in their shape and arrangement remind one a bit of the resonating tubes of mallet instruments. Verrophones are rubbed with moistened fingers like the musical glasses, but are also struck with mallets. The lingering, atmospheric sound is highly esteemed by modern composers due to its extraordinary intensity – an “Eldorado” for sound designers!

Level 1: Staccato, sustained

Level 2: Portato, tremolo, half tone trills, mallet hits normal and secco, chromatic mallet trills, mallet glissandos

01 Verrophone - stac		Samples: 120	RAM: 7 MB	Level 1
Single notes: Staccato 2 velocity layers 2 Alternations				
02 Verrophone - port		Samples: 120	RAM: 7 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Portato 2 velocity layers 2 Alternations				
03 Verrophone - sus		Samples: 120	RAM: 7 MB	Level 1
Single notes: Sustained 2 velocity layers Release samples				
04 Verrophone - roll		Samples: 60	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
Phrases: Tremolo, sustained 1 velocity layer Release samples				
05 Verrophone - trill	Range: G3–D#6	Samples: 58	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
Phrases: Trills, half tone 1 velocity layer Release samples				

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11 Verrophone - Mallet		Samples: 120	RAM: 7 MB	Level 2	
Single notes: Mallet hits, normal					
2 velocity layers					
2 Alternations					
12 Verrophone - Mallet sec		Samples: 60	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2	
Single notes: Mallet hits, secco					
1 velocity layer					
2 Alternations					
13 Verrophone - Mallet trill-chrom		Samples: 72	RAM: 4 MB	Level 2	
Phrases: Mallet trills, chromatic					
2 velocity layers					
Release samples					
14 Verrophone - Mallet gliss		Range: C3–F5	Samples: 12	RAM: 1 MB	Level 2
Phrases: Mallet glissandos, slow, medium, and fast					
Low and high range					
1 velocity layer					
Mapping: C–D – up, F–G – down					
C3–F3: Slow, low/high range					
C4–F4: Medium, low/high range					
C5–F5: Fast, low/high range					
					

03 MUSICAL GLASSES - A

Range: G5–C7

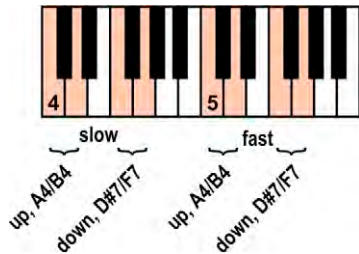
The musical glasses present one of the oldest forms of making music with glasses. The instrument consists of several wine glasses. By rubbing the rim of a glass with a moistened finger it produces ethereal sounds. In order to get different pitches with traditional musical glasses, they are filled with varying amounts of water. In earlier times, “nobler” liquids like wine were also used for this purpose, as is evidenced in an instruction manual for “wine music” preserved from the Baroque era.

The musical glasses sampled by the Vienna Symphonic Library have a chromatic range from G3 to G6 and were custom designed: the pitch of each glass was pre-determined in the glass-blowing workshop using an intricate production process, and no liquid is necessary.

Level 2: Staccato, portato, sustained, tremolo, and half tone trills

01 Mu Glasses - A stac		Samples: 52	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Staccato 2 velocity layers 2 Alternations				
02 Mu Glasses - A port		Samples: 26	RAM: 1 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Portato 2 velocity layers 2 Alternations				

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03 Mu Glasses - A sus Single notes: Sustained 2 velocity layers Release samples	Samples: 52	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2	
04 Mu Glasses - A roll Phrases: Tremolo, sustained 1 velocity layer Release samples	Samples: 26	RAM: 1 MB	Level 2	
05 Mu Glasses - A trill Phrases: Trills, half tone 1 velocity layer Release samples	Samples: 24	RAM: 1 MB	Level 2	
04 MUSICAL GLASSES - B				
Range: F4–G7				
Level 1: Staccato, sustained				
Level 2: Portato, tremolo, half tone trills, single hits with soft, medium, and hard mallets, mallet glissandos				
01 Mu Glasses - B stac Single notes: Staccato 3 velocity layers 2 Alternations	Samples: 210	RAM: 13 MB	Level 1	
02 Mu Glasses - B port Single notes: Portato 3 velocity layers 2 Alternations	Samples: 210	RAM: 13 MB	Level 2	
03 Mu Glasses - B sus Single notes: Sustained 3 velocity layers Release samples	Samples: 210	RAM: 13 MB	Level 1	
04 Mu Glasses - B roll Phrases: Tremolo, sustained 2 velocity layers Release samples	Samples: 140	RAM: 8 MB	Level 2	
05 Mu Glasses - B trill Phrases: Trills, half tone 1 velocity layer Release samples	Range: F4–F#7	Samples: 68	RAM: 4 MB	Level 2
11 Mu Glasses - B Mallet so Single notes: Soft mallet 1 velocity layer 2 Alternations	Samples: 70	RAM: 4 MB	Level 2	
12 Mu Glasses - B Mallet me Single notes: Medium mallet 1 velocity layer 2 Alternations	Samples: 70	RAM: 4 MB	Level 2	

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13 Mu Glasses - B Mallet ha		Samples: 70	RAM: 4 MB	Level 2	
Single notes: Hard mallet 1 velocity layer 2 Alternations					
14 Mu Glasses - B Mallet gliss		Range: C4–G5	Samples: 8	RAM: 1 MB	Level 2
Phrases: Mallet glissandos, diminished 7th Up and down, slow and fast 1 velocity layer					
<div>Mapping: C4–D4: Up, slow, A4/B4 F4–G4: Down, slow, D#7/F7 C5–D5: Up, fast, A4/B4 F5–G5: Down, fast, D#7/F7</div>					
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05 MUSICAL GLASSES - C		Range: E3–D7			
Level 2: Staccato fast and slow, portato fast and slow, sustained, tremolo, mallet single hits					
01 Mu Glasses - C stac-fast		Samples: 180	RAM: 11 MB	Level 2	
Single notes: Staccato, fast 2 velocity layers 2 Alternations					
02 Mu Glasses - C stac-slow		Samples: 180	RAM: 11 MB	Level 2	
Single notes: Staccato, slow 2 velocity layers 2 Alternations					
03 Mu Glasses - C port-fast		Samples: 180	RAM: 11 MB	Level 2	
Single notes: Portato, fast 2 velocity layers 2 Alternations					
04 Mu Glasses - C port-slow		Samples: 180	RAM: 11 MB	Level 2	
Single notes: Portato, slow 2 velocity layers					
05 Mu Glasses - C sus		Samples: 270	RAM: 16 MB	Level 2	
Single notes: Sustained 2 velocity layers Release samples AB switch: release duration long/short					
06 Mu Glasses - C roll		Samples: 135	RAM: 8 MB	Level 2	
Phrases: Tremolo, sustained 1 velocity layer Release samples					

AB switch: release duration long/short

11 Mu Glasses - C Mallet	Samples: 160	RAM: 10 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Mallet hits			
2 velocity layers			
2 Alternations			

06 BOTTLES	Range: C2–F4
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Level 1: Staccato, sustained, flutter tonguing

Level 2: Portato, sforzato

01 Bottles stac	Samples: 100	RAM: 6 MB	Level 1
Single notes: Staccato			
2 velocity layers			
2 Alternations			

02 Bottles port	Samples: 50	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Portato			
2 velocity layers			

03 Bottles sus	Samples: 100	RAM: 6 MB	Level 1
Single notes: Sustained			
2 velocity layers			
Release samples			

04 Bottles sfz	Samples: 25	RAM: 1 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Sforzato			
1 velocity layer			

05 Bottles flutter	Samples: 50	RAM: 3 MB	Level 1
Single notes: Flutter tonguing			
1 velocity layer			
Release samples			

11 LITHOPHONE**Range: F2–D7**

Sounding stones made of basalt, granite, marble and other minerals were used in many ancient cultures for ceremonial and religious purposes. These days, the lithophone is the most commonly known stone instrument, which Carl Orff introduced to orchestral arrangements. There are 15 small round slabs of limestone chromatically arranged on rubber pegs. The lithophone recorded by the Vienna Symphonic Library was newly developed at the Technical University of Zurich, and modelled after the marimba. Unlike to common lithophones, it consists of deeply resonant slabs of serpentine (ranging in size from 17 to 84 cm!) which are equipped with resonating tubes. The unmistakable, round stone sound remains prominent over the instrument's nearly 5 octave range.

The musician

The lithophone was played by the percussionist Felix Perret. Perret, who was born in Switzerland, after his studies entered deeply into the world of jazz and improvised music. He plays in various formations, solo projects, and orchestras, and he is committed to several festivals for New Music, as well as to jazz and improvised music.

Since 1999, Felix Perret has been working with the lithophone, which was developed by Prof. W.A. Meier and his team in Zurich, and is unique in the world for its maturity of sound and technical design. Since then, several pieces have been composed for the stone instrument which draws lots of attention at international symposia and festivals.

Level 1: Single notes with soft and hard mallets, small and large stones on slabs, and bowed

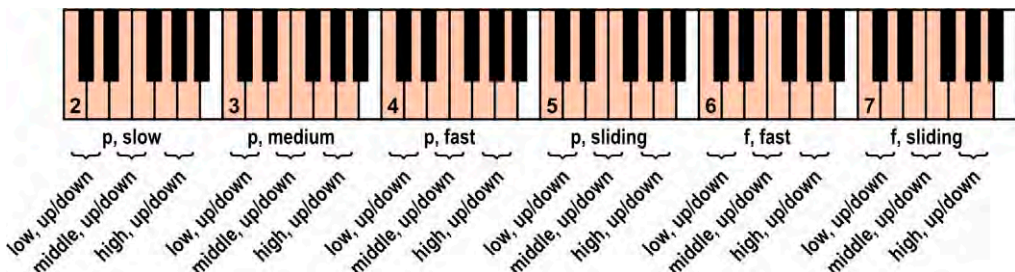
Level 2: Soft mallets: single notes secco, rolls, chord tremolos; sul ponticello, normal and secco; glissandos

Medium mallets: single notes normal and secco, chord tremolos

Hard mallets: Single notes secco, chord tremolos

Effects: finger strokes normal and secco, nail strokes normal and accented, 3mm needle center strokes and plucked, 5mm needle side strokes and ponticello, "shattering" tremolo portato and accented

01 LI Soft Mallet - all Single notes: Soft mallet, normal, full range 3 velocity layers 2 Alternations	Samples: 324	RAM: 20 MB	Level 1
02 LI Soft Mallet - all secco Single notes: Soft mallet, secco, full range 2 velocity layers	Samples: 108	RAM: 6 MB	Level 2
03 LI Soft Mallet - all roll Phrases: Soft mallet rolls, full range 2 velocity layers Release samples	Samples: 216	RAM: 13 MB	Level 2
04 LI Soft Mallet - all roll-chords Phrases: Soft mallet rolls for chord tremolos, full range 2 velocity layers Release samples	Samples: 216	RAM: 13 MB	Level 2
05 LI Hard Mallet - all Single notes: Hard mallet, normal, full range 3 velocity layers 2 Alternations	Samples: 324	RAM: 20 MB	Level 1
06 LI sul-ponticello - all Single notes: Sul ponticello, normal, full range 2 velocity layers	Samples: 108	RAM: 6 MB	Level 2

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07 LI sul-ponticello - all secco		Samples: 108	RAM: 6 MB	Level 2	
Single notes: Sul ponticello, secco, full range 2 velocity layers					
08 LI glissandi		Range: C2–A7	Samples: 36	RAM: 2 MB	Level 2
Phrases: Glissandos, p and f Slow, medium, and fast, up and down 1 velocity layer					
<p>Mapping:</p> <p>C, D: low range, up/down; E, F: medium range, up/down; G, A: high range, up/down C2–A2: piano, slow C3–A3: piano, medium C4–A4: piano, fast C5–A5: piano, sliding glissando C6–A6: forte, fast C7–A7: forte, sliding glissando</p>					
					
11 LI Soft Mallet - low		Range: F2–D4	Samples: 108	RAM: 6 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Soft mallet, normal, lower range 3 velocity layers 2 Alternations					
12 LI Soft Mallet - low secco		Range: F2–D4	Samples: 36	RAM: 2 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Soft mallet, secco, lower range 2 velocity layers					
13 LI Medium Mallet - low		Range: F2–D4	Samples: 72	RAM: 4 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Medium mallet, normal, lower range 2 velocity layers 2 Alternations					
14 LI Medium Mallet - low secco		Range: F2–D4	Samples: 36	RAM: 2 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Medium mallet, secco, lower range 2 velocity layers					
15 LI Medium Mallet - low roll-chords		Range: G2–C4	Samples: 72	RAM: 4 MB	Level 2
Phrases: Medium mallet rolls for chord tremolos, lower range 2 velocity layers Release samples					
16 LI Hard Mallet - high		Range: A#3–D7	Samples: 148	RAM: 9 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Hard mallet, normal, higher range 2 velocity layers 2 Alternations					
17 LI Hard Mallet - high secco		Range: A#3–D7	Samples: 74	RAM: 4 MB	Level 2
Single notes: Hard mallet, secco, higher range 2 velocity layers					

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18 LI Hard Mallet - high roll-chords Phrases: Hard mallet rolls for chord tremolos, higher range 2 velocity layers Release samples	Range: C4–C7	Samples: 148	RAM: 9 MB	Level 2
21 LI finger Single notes: Finger strokes, normal 1 velocity layer		Samples: 54	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
22 LI finger secco Single notes: Finger strokes, secco 1 velocity layer		Samples: 54	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
23 LI nail Single notes: Nail strokes, normal 1 velocity layer		Samples: 54	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
24 LI nail accent Single notes: Nail strokes, accented 1 velocity layer		Samples: 54	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
25 LI stone small Single notes, with small stones placed on the Lithophone slabs 1 velocity layer		Samples: 54	RAM: 3 MB	Level 1
26 LI stone big Single notes, with larger stones placed on the Lithophone slabs 1 velocity layer		Samples: 54	RAM: 3 MB	Level 1
27 LI Needle 3mm-cent Single notes: 3 mm needle, center strokes 1 velocity layer		Samples: 54	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
28 LI Needle 3mm-FX Effects: 3 mm needle, placed on the slab and plucked to create a singing sound 1 velocity layer		Samples: 54	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
29 LI Needle 5mm-side Single notes: 5 mm needle, side strokes 1 velocity layer		Samples: 54	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
30 LI Needle 5mm-pont Single notes: 5 mm needle, sul ponticello 1 velocity layer		Samples: 54	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
31 LI Shatter port Phrases: "Shattering" tremolo, portato 1 velocity layer		Samples: 54	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2
32 LI Shatter accent Phrases: "Shattering" tremolo, accented 1 velocity layer		Samples: 54	RAM: 3 MB	Level 2

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33 LI Bow piano	Range: F2–C7	Samples: 106	RAM: 6 MB	Level 1
Single notes: Bowed, piano 1 velocity layer Release samples				
34 LI Bow forte		Samples: 106	RAM: 6 MB	Level 1
Single notes: Bowed, forte 1 velocity layer Release samples				

21 TAM XXL

Level 1: Basic articulations, effects: paperbox, miscellaneous 1 and 2

Level 2: Effects: Flexatone, metal, cardboard tube, plastic, fretsaw and egg cutter

01 Tam XXL Basic	Range: C4–A#6	Samples: 69	RAM: 4 MB	Level 1
Single hits, rim and middle Tremolo dynamics, muted, 2 to 16 sec. Tremolo normal and dynamics, open, 2 to 16 sec. Long tremolo, pp–ff, 60 sec. Velocity mapping: Single hits, 8 layers: 0–15 ppp, 16–35 pp, 36–55 p, 56–70 mp, 71–88 mf, 89–108 f, 109–118 ff, 119–127 fff Rolls, 4 layers: 0–55 ppp, 56–88 p, 89–108 mf, 109–127 ff Release samples AB switch: release duration long/short				

Mapping:

C4–D4: Single hits, rim, var. 1/2

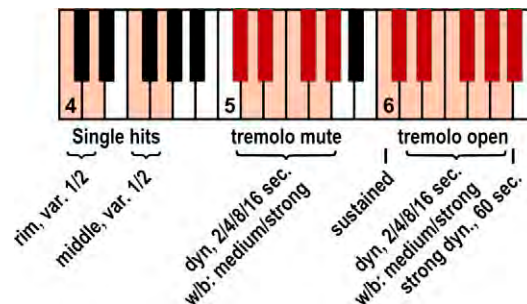
F4–G4: Single hits, middle, var. 1/2

C#5–G#5: Medium and strong tremolo dynamics, muted, 2/4/8/16 sec. (Medium dynamics on white keys, strong dynamics on black keys)

C6: Tremolo sustained, open

C#6–G#6: Medium and strong tremolo dynamics, open, 2/4/8/16 sec. (Medium dynamics on white keys, strong dynamics on black keys)

A#6: Strong tremolo dynamics, 60 sec.

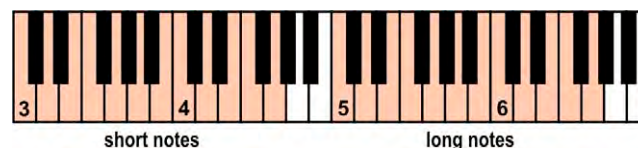


11 Tam XXL FX-1 Flexatone	Range: C3–G6	Samples: 32	RAM: 2 MB	Level 2
Effects: Flexatone, short and long notes 1 velocity layer				

Mapping:

C3–G4: short notes

C5–G6: long notes



12 Tam XXL FX-2 Metal

Range: C2–F7

Samples: 44

RAM: 2 MB

Level 2

Effects: Played with a chain, metal rod, grid, fork, wrench, and can

Various articulations according to beater

Velocity mapping:

Wrench, 3 layers: 0–55 p, 56–108 mf, 109–127 f

Release samples

AB switch: release duration long/short

Mapping:

Chain: C2–A2

C–E: drawn over the rim, short/medium/long

F: Shuffling

G–A: Single stroke, normal/with accent

Metal rod: C3–G3

C–D: scratching, open, short/long

E–F: scratching, damped, short/long

G: single hit with rod pressed against tam-tam

Grid: C4–F4

C–D: drawn over the rim, slow, up/down

E–F: drawn over the rim, fast, up/down

Fork: G4–A4

G: horizontal scratching

A: vertical scratching (AB switch release duration)

Wrench: C5–F5

C: middle hits

D: middle to rim

E: rim hits

F: rim hits from the side

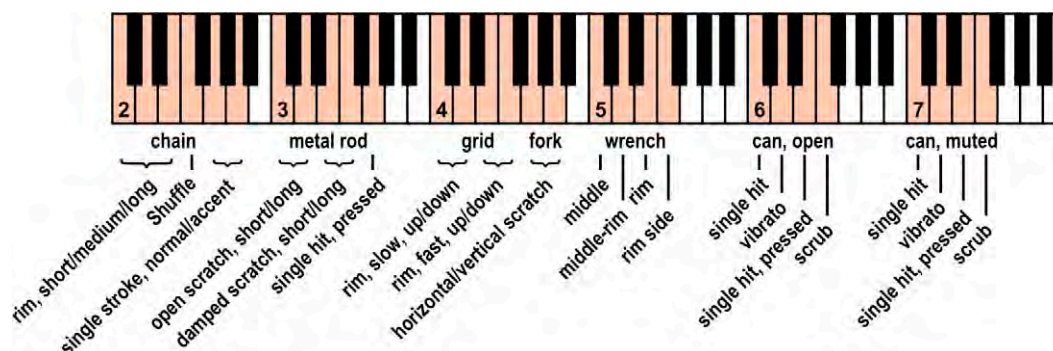
Metal can: C6–F6 (open), C7–F7 (muted)

C: single hit

D: vibrato

E: single hit with can pressed against tam-tam

F: scrubbed (open: AB switch release duration)



13 Tam XXL FX-3 Paperbox

Range: C3–G#6

Samples: 67

RAM: 4 MB

Level 1

Effects: Supersize, extra large, large, medium, small, very small, extra small, and supersmall paperboxes

Long and short tones (AB on long tones)

1 velocity layer

Release samples

AB switch: release duration long/short

Mapping:

C3–D#3: supersize

F3–A3: extra large

C4–D#4: large

F4–G#4: very small

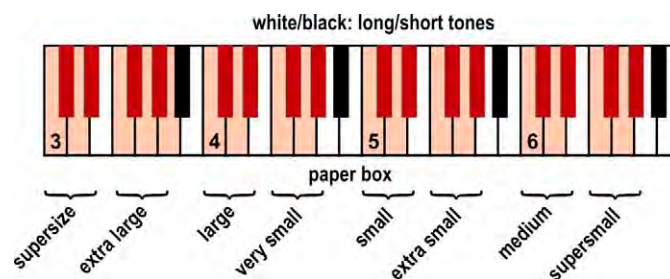
C5–D#5: small

F5–G#5: extra small

C6–D#6: medium

F6–G#6: supersmall

Long tones on white keys, short tones on black keys

**14 Tam XXL FX-4 Boardtube**

Range: C3–F#6

Samples: 26

RAM: 1 MB

Level 2

Effects: Extra large, large, medium, small, and extra small cardboard tubes

Long and short tones (AB on long tones)

Glass scratches, high and very high, Long and short

1 velocity layer

Release samples

AB switch: release duration long/short

Mapping:

Cardboard tubes

C3–C#3: extra large

F3–F#3: large

C4–C#4: medium

F4–F#4: small

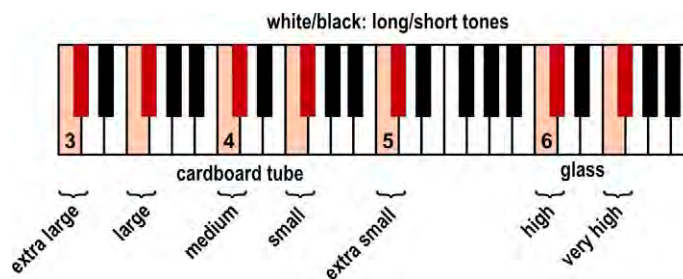
C5–C#5: extra small

Glass

C6–C#6: high

F6–F#6: very high

Long tones on white keys, short tones on black keys



15 Tam XXL FX-5 Plastic

Range: C3–G5

Samples: 30

RAM: 1 MB

Level 2

Effects: Extra large, large, medium, small, extra small, and supersmall plastic pieces

Long, medium, and short tones (AB on long tones)

1 velocity layer

Release samples

Mapping:

C/F – long; C#/F# – short; D/G – medium

C3–D3: extra large

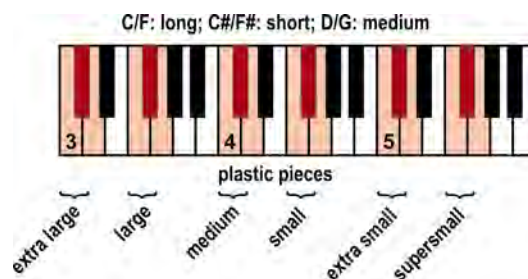
F3–G3: large

C4–D4: medium

F4–G4: small

C5–D5: extra small

F5–G5: supersmall

**16 Tam XXL FX-6 Fretsaw**

Range: F2–F6

Samples: 17

RAM: 1 MB

Level 2

Effects: "Bowed" with fretsaw blades, and plucked with an egg cutter

Mapped to create a chromatic scale

1 velocity layer

17 Tam XXL FX-7 Misc1

Range: C2–A5

Samples: 21

RAM: 1 MB

Level 1

Effects: Played with a massage rod, large, medium, and small rolls, bowed, and played with styrofoam and an ice spoon

1 velocity layer

Mapping:

C2–E2: massage rod, very long/short/long/medium

C3–C#3: large roll, long/short

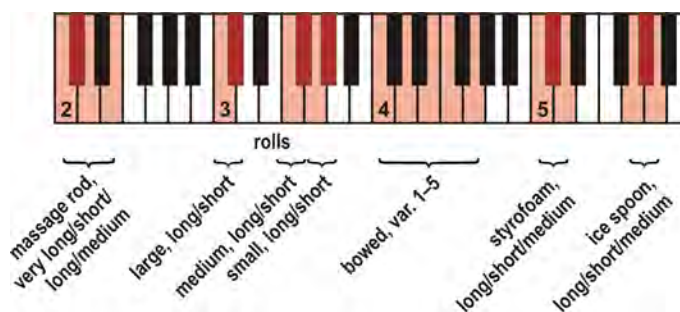
F3–F#3: medium roll, long/short

G3–G#3: small roll, long/short

C4–G4: bowed, var. 1–5

C5–D5: styrofoam, long/short/medium

G5–A5: ice spoon, long/short/medium



18 Tam XXL FX-8 Misc2

Range: C2–G5

Samples: 19

RAM: 1 MB

[Level 1](#)

Effects: Single hits, played with extra large cardboard, a plunger, a flyswatter; with wood, tam-tam and marimba mallets, a glass and a glass bowl

2 velocity layers

Mapping:

C2–E2: cardboard, middle/between middle and rim/rim

G2: plunger

C3–E3: flyswatter, var. 1–3

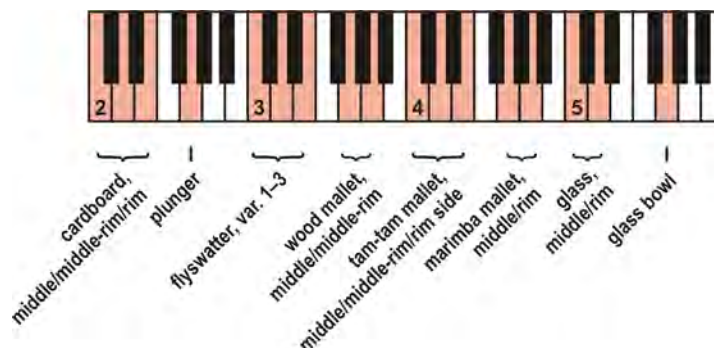
G3–A3: wood mallet, middle/between middle and rim (p and f)

C4–E4: tam-tam mallet, middle/between middle and rim/rim side

G4–A4: marimba mallet, middle/rim

C5–D5: glass, middle/rim

G5: glass bowl

**31 BASS WATERPHONE**

[Level 1](#): Staccato A., sustained, tremolo crescendo, arpeggios, glissando

[Level 2](#): Staccato B, portato A and B, repetitions, crescendo forte and fortissimo, hotrods, wood, strokes

01 BWPH stac A

Range: G3–G#6

Samples: 16

RAM: 1 MB

[Level 1](#)

Single notes: Staccato, var. A

1 velocity layer

02 BWPH stac B

Range: G3–C7

Samples: 11

RAM: 1 MB

[Level 2](#)

Single notes: Staccato, var. B

1 velocity layer

03 BWPH port A

Range: E3–A6

Samples: 23

RAM: 1 MB

[Level 2](#)

Single notes: Portato, var. A

1 velocity layer

04 BWPH port B

Range: E3–E6

Samples: 13

RAM: 1 MB

[Level 2](#)

Single notes: Portato, var. B

1 velocity layer

11 BWPH sus

Range: E3–D6

Samples: 75

RAM: 4 MB

[Level 1](#)

Single notes: Sustained

1 velocity layer

Release samples

AB switch: release duration long/short

12 BWPH repetitions

Range: G1–F7

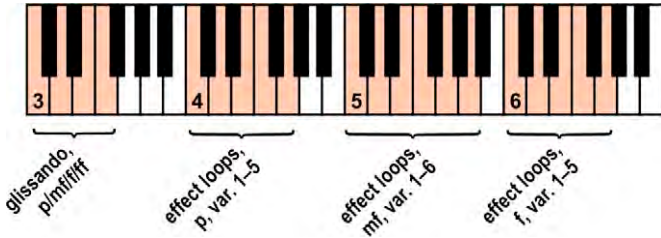
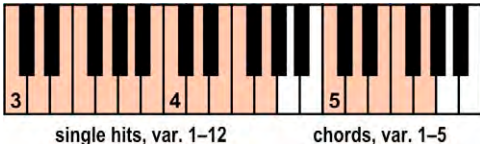
Samples: 175

RAM: 10 MB

[Level 2](#)

Repetitions: Normal, 4ths at 60 BPM

1 velocity layer

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13 BWPH crescendo f Single notes: Crescendo, forte 1 velocity layer	Range: E3–D6	Samples: 21	RAM: 1 MB	Level 2
14 BWPH crescendo ff Single notes: Crescendo, fortissimo 1 velocity layer	Range: E3–G6	Samples: 15	RAM: 1 MB	Level 2
15 BWPH tremolo-cres Phrases: Tremolo, crescendo 1 velocity layer	Range: A3–D#6	Samples: 7	RAM: 1 MB	Level 1
21 BWPH arpeggios Phrases: Arpeggios, with vibrato, soft attack, var. 1–26 Mapped to white keys 1 velocity layer	Range: C3–G6	Samples: 26	RAM: 1 MB	Level 1
22 BWPH FX loops Effects: Glissando, p/mf/f/ff effects loops p/mf/f with variations 1 velocity layer Release samples AB switch: release duration long/short Mapping: C3–F3: glissando, p/mf/f/ff C4–G4: effect loops, piano, var. 1–5 C5–A5: effect loops, mezzoforte, var. 1–6 C6–G6: effect loops, forte, var. 1–5	Range: C3–G6	Samples: 60	RAM: 3 MB	Level 1
				
23 BWPH hotrods Effects: Hotrods, single hits, var. 1–31 Mapped to white keys 1 velocity layer	Range: C3–E7	Samples: 31	RAM: 1 MB	Level 2
24 BWPH wood Effects: Wood mallet, single hits and chords 1 velocity layer Mapping: C3–G4: single hits, var. 1–12 C5–G5: chords, var. 1–5	Range: C3–G5	Samples: 17	RAM: 1 MB	Level 2
				

25 BWPH strokes

Range: C3–C6

Samples: 31

RAM: 1 MB

Level 2

Effects: Light strokes, piano

Normal strokes, piano and forte

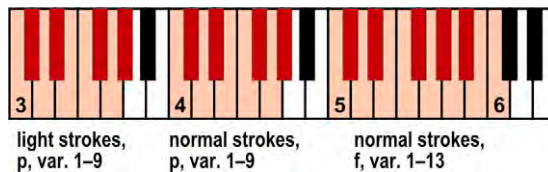
1 velocity layer

Mapping:

C3–G#3: light strokes, p, var. 1–9

C4–G#4: normal strokes, p, var. 1–9

C5–C6: normal strokes, f, var. 1–13

**99 RELEASE**

This section contains release samples for various patches of the other sections. Please do not try to load them into a Vienna Instruments matrix – you will not be able to hear anything when you try to play them.

Matrices

Matrix - LEVEL 1

L1 01 Glass Harmonica

Samples: 128

RAM: 8 MB

[Level 1](#)

Single notes: Portato and sustained

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–C#1

	C1	C#1
V1	portato	sustained

L1 02 Verrophone

Samples: 240

RAM: 15 MB

[Level 1](#)

Single notes: Staccato and sustained

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–C#1

	C1	C#1
V1	staccato	sustained

L1 03 Musical Glasses - B

Samples: 420

RAM: 26 MB

[Level 1](#)

Single notes: Staccato and sustained

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–C#1

	C1	C#1
V1	staccato	sustained

L1 04 Bottles

Samples: 250

RAM: 15 MB

[Level 1](#)

Single notes: Staccato, sustained, and flutter tonguing

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–D1

	C1	C#1	D1
V1	staccato	sustained	flutter tonguing

L1 05 Lithophone

Samples: 968

RAM: 60 MB

[Level 1](#)

Single notes

Played with soft and hard mallets, small and large stones, and bowed piano and forte

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–F1

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1	E1	F1
V1	soft mallets	hard mallets	small stone	large stone	bowed piano	bowed forte

L1 06 Tam-Tam XXL

Samples: 176

RAM: 11 MB

[Level 1](#)

Patches: 01 Tam XXL Basic, 13 Tam XXL FX-3 Paperbox, 17 Tam XXL FX-7 Misc1, 18 Tam XXL FX-7 Misc2

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–D#1

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1
V1	01 Tam Basic	13 Tam Paperbox	17 Tam Misc1	18 Tam Misc2

L1 07 Bass Waterphone

Samples: 184

RAM: 11 MB

[Level 1](#)

Staccato A, sustained, tremolo crescendo, arpeggios, and effect loops

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–E1

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1	E1
V1	staccato A	sustained	tremolo crescendo	arpeggios	FX loops

Matrix - LEVEL 2**01 Glass Harmonica**

Samples: 387

RAM: 24 MB

Level 2

Portato, sustained, and trills, played with the hand

Played with mallets normal, secco, and glissando

	C1	C#1	D1
hand	staccato	sustained	trills
mallet	normal	secco	glissando

02 Verrophone

Samples: 742

RAM: 46 MB

Level 2

Played with the hand: Staccato, portato, sustained, rolls and trills

Played with mallets: Normal, secco, chromatic trills, and glissando

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–E1 Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1	E1
hand	staccato	portato	sustained	rolls	trills
mallet	normal	secco	chromatic trills	glissando	glissando

03 Musical Glasses - A

Samples: 180

RAM: 11 MB

Level 2

Musical glasses A

Staccato, portato, sustained, rolls and trills

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–E1

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1	E1
V1	staccato	portato	sustained	rolls	trills

04 Musical Glasses - B

Samples: 1056

RAM: 66 MB

Level 2

Musical glasses B

Played with the hand: Staccato, portato, sustained, rolls and trills

Played with mallets: soft, medium, hard, and glissando

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–E1 Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1	E1
hand	staccato	portato	sustained	rolls	trills
mallet	soft	medium	hard	glissando	glissando

05 Musical Glasses - C

Samples: 1285

RAM: 80 MB

Level 2

Musical glasses C

Played with the hand: Staccato and portato fast and slow, sustained, and rolls

Played with mallets: single strokes

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–F1 Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1	E1	F1
hand	staccato fast	staccato slow	portato fast	portato slow	sustained	rolls
mallet	%	%	%	%	%	%

06 Bottles

Samples: 325

RAM: 20 MB

Level 2

Single notes: Staccato, portato, sustained, sforzato, and flutter tonguing

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–E1

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1	E1
V1	staccato	portato	sustained	sforzato	flutter tonguing

07 Lithophone Mallets

Samples: 1414

RAM: 88 MB

Level 2

Soft mallets, full range: single notes normal and secco, rolls and chord tremolos

Medium mallets, low range: single notes normal and secco, chord tremolos

Hard mallets, high range: single notes normal and secco, chord tremolos

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–D#1 Vertical: Modwheel, 3 zones

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1
soft mallet, full range	normal	secco	rolls	chord tremolo
medium mallet, low range	normal	secco	chord tremolo	chord tremolo
hard mallet, high range	normal	secco	chord tremolo	chord tremolo

08 Lithophone FX

Samples: 860

RAM: 53 MB

Level 2

Effect sounds: Fingers normal and secco, nail normal and accent, small and large stone, 3mm needle center and effect, 5mm needle side and ponticello, shatter portato and accented, bowed piano and forte

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–F#1 Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1	E1	F1	F#1
V1	finger norm	nail norm	stone small	3mm needle center	5mm needle side	shatter portato	bowed piano
V2	finger secco	nail accent	stone large	3mm needle effect	5mm needle ponticello	shatter accent	bowed forte

09 Tam-Tam XXL

Samples: 325

RAM: 20 MB

Level 2

Basic articulations, and effects: Flexatone, metal, paper box, cardboard tube, plastic, fretsaw, miscellaneous 1 and 2

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–E1 Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1	E1
V1	basic	flexatone	metal	paperbox	cardboard tube
V2	basic	plastic	fretsaw	misc. 1	misc. 2

10 Bass Waterphone Basic

Samples: 356

RAM: 22 MB

Level 2

Basic articulations: Staccato A and B, portato A and B, sustained, repetitions, crescendo forte and fortissimo, and tremolo crescendo

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–F1 Vertical: Modwheel, 2 zones

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1	E1	F1
V1	staccato A	portato A	sustained	repetitions	crescendo f	tremolo cres.
V2	staccato B	portato B	sustained	repetitions	crescendo ff	tremolo cres.

11 Bass Waterphone FX

Samples: 165

RAM: 10 MB

Level 2

Effect sounds: Arpeggios, effect loops, hotrods, wood, and strokes

Matrix switches: Horizontal: Keyswitches, C1–E1

	C1	C#1	D1	D#1	E1
V1	arpeggio	FX loops	hotrods	wood	strokes

Presets

Elements VSL Preset Level 1 L1 01 Glass Harmonica L1 02 Verrophone L1 03 Musical Glasses - B L1 04 Bottles L1 05 Lithophone L1 06 Tam-Tam XXL L1 07 Bass Waterphone Keyswitches: G1–C#2	Samples: 2366	RAM: 147 MB	Level 1
Elements VSL Preset Level 2 Glass 01 Glass Harmonica 02 Verrophone 03 musical glasses A 04 musical glasses B 05 musical glasses C 06 Bottles Keyswitches: G1–C2	Samples: 3975	RAM: 248 MB	Level 2
Elements VSL Preset Level 2 Stone+Co 07 Lithophone Mallets 08 Lithophone FX 09 Tam-Tam XXL 10 Bass Waterphone basic 11 Bass Waterphone FX Keyswitches: G1–B1	Samples: 3120	RAM: 195 MB	Level 2