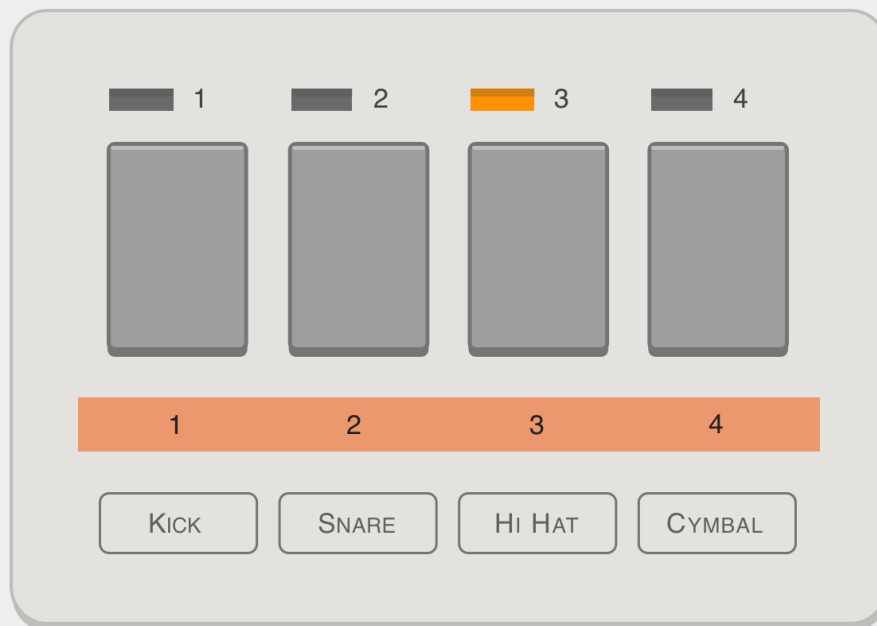# 707

The Sound Of A Classic Drum Machine

GETTING STARTED GUIDE

707 is a faithful recreation of the classic Roland TR-707 drum machine used by artists such as Aphex Twin, Daft Punk, Plastikman and more.

The Ableton Drum Rack takes it one step further by presenting you with simple to use Macro controls to transform the sound well beyond the possibilities of the original hardware.

INSTALLATION

Installing 707 is fairly straightforward and shouldn't take you more than a few minutes.

707 comes in two formats, as raw .wav file samples and as an Ableton Drum Rack (.adg file) plus 13 individual Drum Hits (.adg files). The .wav samples require no additional installation and can be used with any software that supports .wav files.

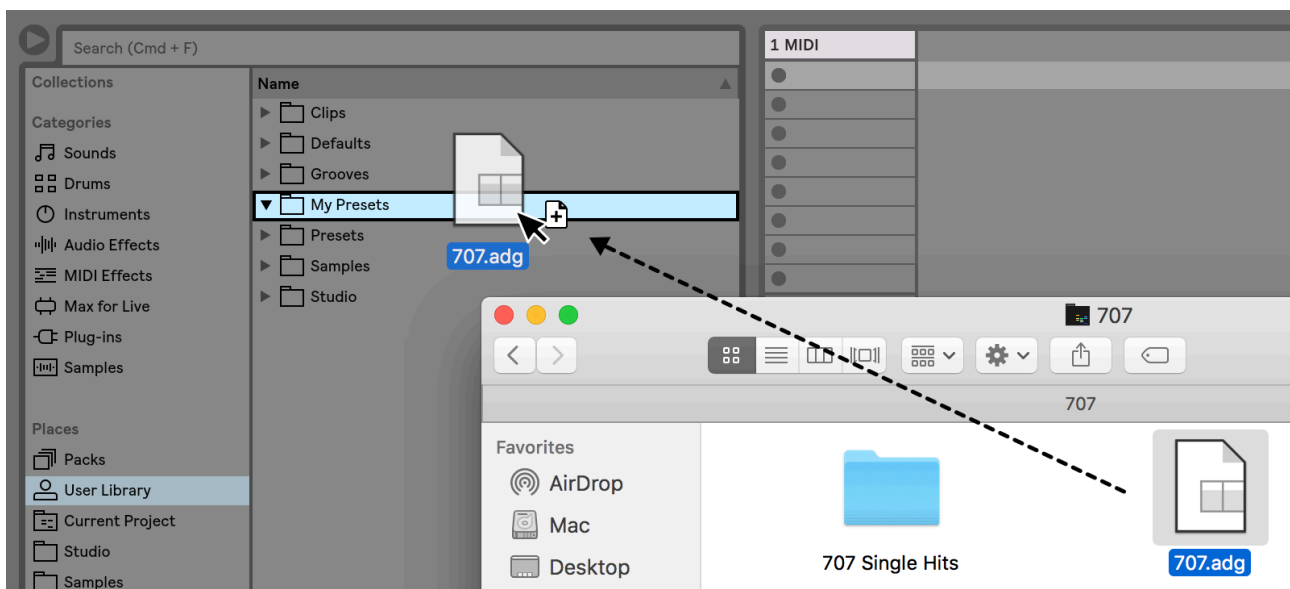## USING THE ABLETON DRUM RACK AND SINGLE HITS

Inside the folder you've downloaded you will find an Ableton Project Folder named 707. Inside this folder will be a 707.adg file and a folder called 707 Single Hits. Use the following steps to install 707.

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1. Open Ableton Live
2. In The Browser, navigate to the Places section and find the User Library. This is a place allocated for storing custom presets and files. You should see folders for Clips, Defaults, etc. **DO NOT** delete these as they are used for certain system settings.

3. If you don't already have a custom folder setup for your presets you can right-click in the User Library and choose New Folder. Call this folder whatever you'd like, for example 'My Presets', or 'My Custom Sounds'.

4. Drag the 707.adg file into this newly created folder. This will add 707 to your User Library as well as copy over all the necessary samples. 707 will also now appear in the Drums Category of The Browser.

5. Repeat Step 4 for the entire folder of '707 Single Hits'. You can drag the whole folder at once, you don't have to drag each hit separately.

Drag and drop the 707.adg file into your User Library

You can now use 707 and any of the Single Hits simply by dragging the corresponding .adg file into your session from The Browser.

USING 707

707 works just like any other Ableton Drum Rack. Each hit has 8 Macro Controls for adjusting the sound.

- **Decay:** adjusts the decay of the selected drum hit

- **Pitch:** adjusts the pitch of the selected drum hit

- **Filter Morph:** morphs the filter between various modes (hipass, bandpass, lowpass). The filter is controlled by the Cutoff control.

- **Cutoff:** adjusts the filter's cutoff point

- **Res:** adjusts the filter's resonance

- **Drive:** adjusts the filter's drive

- **Vel Sens:** adjusts the Velocity Sensitivity of the selected drum hit. This is controlled by a Global Macro control so that you can adjust the Velocity Sensitivities of all the hits at once.

- **Volume:** adjusts the volume of the selected drum hit

The Single Hits are intended to be added to existing Drum Racks so you can mix and match the 707 sounds with other samples and drums. These should be dragged onto an empty Drum Rack pad.

If you have any questions or issues please get in touch at **elphnt.io/contact**

707 is made by Ableton Certified Trainer Tom Glendinning, also known as ELPHNT. For more devices, tutorials and free music production resources visit **elphnt.io**

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