

26 Standard American Drum Rudiments

ALL RUDIMENTS SHOULD BE PERFORMED OPEN (SLOW) TO CLOSED (FAST) TO OPEN (SLOW).

I. Roll Rudiments

OPEN

CLOSED

Single Stroke Roll

R L R L R L R L
L R L R L R L R



Long Roll

R R L L R R L L
L L R R L L R R



5 Stroke Roll

R R L L R
L L R R L

R R L L

7 Stroke Roll

R R L L R R L
L L R R L L R

R L R L R L

9 Stroke Roll

R R L L R R L L R
L L R R L L R R L

R R L L

10 Stroke Roll

R R L L R R L L R L
L L R R L L R R L R

R R L R R L L R

11 Stroke Roll

R R L L R R L L R R L
L L R R L L R R L L R

R L R L R L

13 Stroke Roll

R R L L R R L L R R L L R
L L R R L L R R L L R R L

R R L L

15 Stroke Roll

R R L L R R L L R R L L R R L
L L R R L L R R L L R R L L R

R L L R L R

II. Flam Rudiments

Flam

L R R L

Flam Tap

L R R R L L

Flam Accent

L R L R R L R L

Flam Paradiddle

L R L R R R L R L L

Flamacue

L R L R L L R R L R L R R L

Flam paradiddle-diddle

L R L R R L L R L R L L R R

III. Diddle Rudiments

Single Paradiddle

R L R R L R L L

Double Paradiddle

R L R L R R L R L L

Drag Paradiddle

R L L R L R L L R R L L R L L L

IV. Drag Rudiments

Ruff

L L R R L L R R

Single Drag

L L R R L L R R L R

Double Drag

L L R R L L R R L L R R L R R L R R L R

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L L R R L L R R L L R R L R

Drag Paradiddle #2

R L L R L L R R L R L L R L L R L L

Single Ratamacue

L L R L R L R L L L R L R L R R L R L R

Double Ratamacue

L L R L L L R L R L R L L L R L R L R R L R R L R L R

Triple Ratamacue

L L R L L L R L R L R L L L R L R L R R L R R L R L R