





# FRIEND to FRIEND

## Garage Bands Unite

hen most people hear the word "garage," they immediately think of that place where they park the car, store their camping gear and do the laundry. For musicians, however, the garage has an entirely different mission. Along with the basement, it's a room that most musically inclined people are happy to sacrifice in order to pursue their craft. Nearly all of us have jammed in someone's garage at some point, and know the familiar tap of a local police officer's Maglite on the door informing us that the neighbors have had enough.

The garage isn't just for kids honing their chops in their first band either. Dave Grohl of the Foo Fighters famously converted the garage of his Encino home to a makeshift studio to record 2011's Wasting Light. The Red Hot Chili Peppers still gather in Flea's garage to jam on ideas before hitting the studio to record. Which says that there's a magic surrounding that space, something inherently familiar to most of us that makes the garage a special place for playing music. For those of you still bashing it out in your own garages, this catalog is for you—be sure to check out all the great gear inside as well as articles that will help you make the most of your garage jams!

## On the Cover:

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**Deal Center Spotlight** 

Drums

#### **CHRIS SHIFLETT & NATE MENDEL**

Our June catalog features Foo Fighters guitarist Chris Shiflett and his bandmate, bassist Nate Mendel, along with their signature Fender instruments. Read our interview with them **on page 16** to learn about these outstanding instruments and much more.

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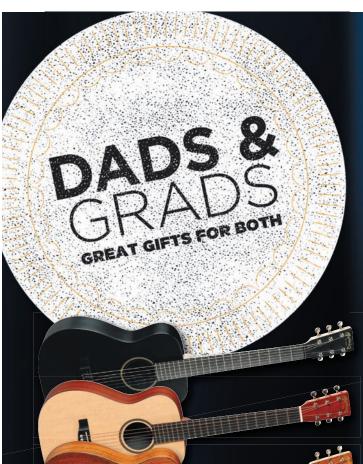
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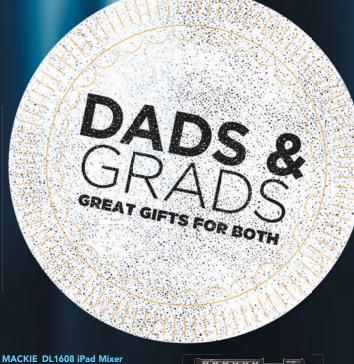


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#### A. 1957 LES PAUL GOLDTOP 2013 VOS AG

The first year with the PAF humbucker. A solid, lightweight mahogany body with carved maple top and a glued-in, quarter-sawn mahogany neck benefits from plenty of Gibson Custom's 20th Anniversary Specifications. These include a one-piece rosewood fingerboard, hot-hide neck glue, Historic Truss Rod assembly, proprietary VOS finish and more.

#### B. LES PAUL CUSTOM

The ultimate in style and sophistication. Features a one-piece mahogany neck, carved maple top, and warm-toned mahogany body. An ebony fingerboard gives it a bright attack. 490R and 498T humbuckers deliver warm rhythm and hot, solid lead sounds. Appointments include a bound body, neck, and headstock with gold hardware. Black finish shown; see more finishes online.

C. PETER FRAMPTON LES PAUL CUSTOM
The "Frampton Comes Alive" guitar. This
elegant recreation has a mahogany back with
weight-relief chambers, a custom slim neck and 3
humbuckers wired to a 3-way switch. The middle
pickup has its own Volume and Tone. Comes
with a 22-fret ebony fingerboard, single-ply white
binding on top and back, kidney bean tuners and
gold hardware.

#### D. LES PAUL CUSTOM - FROST BLUE

Cool looking with deluxe features. Enhanced appointments over the Les Paul Standard include a 7-ply body binding on the top and 5-ply body binding on the back. Other improvements are a bound ebony fingerboard with mother of pearl block inlays and a 5-ply bound mother of pearl split diamond headstock. Frost blue.

#### E. ALEX LIFESON LES PAUL AXCESS Versatile electric and acoustic tones.

Specially designed output circuitry brings unprecedented signal routing (via "Regular" output jack and/or "Life-O-Sound" output jack) and tonal shaping flexibility (via push/pull pots) that make full use of the guitar's piezo pickup and 496R ceramic-magnet neck and 498T Alnico V bridge humbuckers.

F. 1959 LES PAUL REISSUE 2013 VOS
A highly-prized instrument in every detail.
Here's a perfect recreation of one of 1959's
best Les Pauls. It has a top that displays highlyfigured grains and a slightly thinner, though still
comfortably rounded, neck profile that many
players consider the sweetest neck of all time.
New Custom Buckers deliver the original PAF's
warm, singing tone.

## G. ES-339 TRAD PRO FIGURED TOP HOLLOWBODY

The best of both a hollowbody and solidbody. Sized like a Les Paul it features a gently arched, figured-maple top and has a solid maple center block to further reduce feedback and enhance sustain. Classic '57 neck and Super '57 bridge pickups are wired to push/push volume pots that enable coil-splits, plus a push/push tone pot enables a 10dB user-adjustable boost.

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#### A. LES PAUL STUDIO DELUXE II '60s

A palette of powerful sounds. Mounted on a carved maple top with a mahogany back, the 490R and Burstbucker Pro pickups offer coiltapping via their push/push volume pots and a boost circuit with user-adjustable 10-dB boost is activated by rhythm tone control. It comes with Grover tuners and a tune-o-matic bridge. Heritage cherry sunburst finish shown; see more finishes online. Includes hardshell case.

#### B. LES PAUL TRADITIONAL PRO II '60s NECK ICED TEA

The gigging musician's tool box of tone. It has a non-chambered mahogany body with thick maple cap and Super '57 bridge and '57 Classic neck pickups. Features include antique binding. period-correct pickguard and top hat knobs. Get real coil-splitting and an active boost switch that make this Les Paul an icy cool tool box of tone.

#### C. LES PAUL J

A lot of tone in one affordable package. It features a mahogany back with "traditional" weight relief and a maple top. The maple neck has a rounded '50s profile for smooth play. A pair of Modern Classics humbuckers are designed to meet the needs of today's guitarist. It comes with a tune-o-matic bridge and vintage-style tuners. Cherry finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### D. SGJ

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Classic tonewoods and innovative hardware. Here's a stripped-down, no-nonsense package with a cool, worn look. The body is solid mahogany with a slim '60s profile maple neck. It comes with 490R and 498T humbucking pickups in the neck and bridge and vintage-style tuners. All finishes feature a grain-textured nitrocellulose lacquer. Chocolate finish shown; see more fin-

#### ishes online. E. SG STANDARD

A revamped classic. It has all of the classic SG appointments including a double-cutaway mahogany body, slim mahogany neck, bound rosewood fretboard, trapezoid inlays and Gibson's '57 Classic humbucking pickups, plus the original, smaller pickguard with tenon cover for the ultimate vintage-inspired look. Ebony finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### F. LES PAUL '50s TRIBUTE MIN-ETUNE A classic that's always in tune. This one starts with the classic tonewood combination of a mahogany body with solid carved maple top. It has a pair of PAF-style BurstBucker humbucking pickups and a '50s profile mahogany neck. The Min-ETune system is hardly noticeable and tunes your guitar in just 3 seconds and 1 strum. Vintage sunburst finish shown; see more

finishes online. G. LES PAUL STANDARD 2013

Meet the new standard of versatility. Sporting a choice of maple tops, this year's model has a new neck profile, a compound-radius fingerboard, and stealth wiring for the BurstBucker Pro 1 & 2 pickups that provides individual coilsplitting, phase reversal, and pure bypass switching—all without changing its timeless beauty and vibe.

#### H. LES PAUL STANDARD PREMIUM PLUS

Choice woods and modern electronics. Here's a classic in your choice of a carved AAA figured maple top or a plain maple top (for solid colors) all on a mahogany back. It comes with Burstbucker Pro pickups fitted with coil-split capability, locking tuners, neck and body binding, and a '60s slim-taper neck with compound-radius





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**E** Les Paul Special II

518334 MSRP \$282.00 **\$149**00

#### A. LES PAUL CUSTOM PRO

Professionally upgraded. This "tuxedo" Les Paul features a mahogany body with a carved top and set-in mahogany neck. Gold appointments, fully bound body, neck and headstock, and mother-of-pearl inlays give it a "dressed-to-kill" appearance. Comes with ProBucker-2 and ProBucker-3 pickups as well as tune-o-matic bridge. Silverburst shown; see more finishes online.

#### B. LES PAUL STANDARD PLAIN TOP

Gorgeous Les Paul tone and looks. The mahogany body provides superb resonance, while Alnico Classic humbuckers produce loads of fat, thick tones. Set mahogany slim-tapered neck and rosewood fretboard provide familiar feel and fast action. Comes with a LockTone tune-o-matic bridge, stopbar tailpiece and Grover tuners. Ebony finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### C. WILDKAT LTD

Kat kosmetics on a small semi-hollowbody. This wild guitar has a lot to catch the fancy of all kinds of players: chrome Vibratone tailpiece for vintage detail, flamed maple top for gorgeous looks, and 2 Alnico V P-90s for hot-rodded tone. Maple neck, rosewood fretboard, mahogany sides and back, and body and neck binding complete the bill. Antique natural with chrome.

#### D. ES-339 PRO

The size and feel of a Les Paul. It has a laminated maple, archtop body with reduced size and weight and a solid center block. ProBucker pickups have push/pull coil-splitting for single-coil tones. Features include SlimTaper D-profile mahogany neck, neck and body binding, Wilkinson vintage tuners, and tune-o-matic bridge. Vintage sunburst finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### E. LES PAUL SPECIAL II

Luscious looks, powerful Paul tone, perfect price. It's crafted with a bolt-on mahogany neck; mahogany body; and smooth, 22-fret rosewood fingerboard for sweet play. 700T/650R open-coil humbuckers along with the LockTone tune-o-matic bridge and stopbar tailpiece deliver long, singing sustain and true Les Paul tones. Black finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### F. LES PAUL TRIBUTE PLUS

Gibson's '57 pickups with modern electonics. This one has a mahogany body with a hard maple cap. Electronics include 4-conductor pickup wiring and two push/pull tone pots that offer series/parallel pickup switching for a huge palette of tonal possibilities. Other features are a mahogany set neck, StrapLocks and premium Grover locking tuners. Black cherry finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### G. SG-SPECIAL

A gutsy rock machine. Now you can enjoy the classic style and killer performance of the famous SG without murdering your budget. Features include 2 open-coil humbuckers, an innovative integrated killswitch/tone pot, LockTone tuneo-matic bridge and stopbar tailpiece for more sustain, chrome hardware, and rosewood fingerboard. Cherry finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### H. LES PAUL ELECTRIC GUITAR PLAYER PACK

A full setup for the budding guitarist. The pack features Epiphone's best-selling Les Paul Special II, a solidbody guitar with a mahogany body and neck, and two humbucking pickups. It comes with the Electar 10 amp with overdrive, gig bag, pinch-on tuner, strap, cable, guitar picks and free eMedia guitar lessons on-line.

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#### A. G5435T ELECTROMATIC PRO JET WITH RIGSRY

More twang and less hum for fewer bucks. This model takes on a new identity with a Bigsby B50 tailpiece, hump-block fretboard inlays, and

"Black Top" Filter'Tron pickups. Classic appointments such as the Adjusto-Matic bridge, threaded knurled strap buttons, G-Arrow knobs, and Gretsch logo on pickguard are proudly featured. Gold finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### B. G5420T ELECTROMATIC

Elegant looks and rockin' sounds. This one has it all with vintage-sounding Filter'Tron pickups, a maple neck with bound rosewood fingerboard, silver plexi pickquard, classic "G" arrow control knobs, rosewood-based Adjusto-Matic bridge with Bigsby tremolo, vintage-style open-back tuners and chrome-plated hardware. Aspen green finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### C. G6128T DUO JET WITH BIGSBY.

From the early days of rock-and-roll. Similar to models of the late '50s that featured a chambered mahogany body and laminated maple top, today's Duo Jet has dual High Sensitive Filter'Tron pickups, tone switch circuitry, ebony fingerboard with thumbnail inlays, Space Control bridge, and a Gretsch by Bigsby B3C vibrato tailpiece. Black finish. Includes Gretsch deluxe hardshell case.

#### D. SE CUSTOM 24

PRS design and quality. This racy flattop features a beautiful curly maple veneer. The 24-fret, wide-thin maple neck is smooth and responsive. Includes a PRS-designed tremolo and humbuckers that provide a wide range of tones. Vintage sunburst finish shown; see more finishes online. Gig bag only available for the Grey/black color.

#### E. SE MIKAEL AKERFELDT

Distinctive design from the metal master. He chose a flamed maple top over an extra-thick mahogany body with open-coil HFS and Vintage Bass humbuckers to crank out brutal tones. The wide-fat set mahogany neck with 24 jumbo frets plays fast and smooth. Ebony fretboard, PRSdesigned tremolo and gold hardware complete Mikael's design. Black cherry.

#### F. ARMADA ELECTRIC

A triumphant venture into neck-through design. With a mahogany neck running through its mahogany body, this innovative guitar gains in both tone and sustain. It's topped by a V-shaped layer of figured maple that highlights two custom humbucking pickups. The headstock sports an inset Armado logo to cap off the list of breakthrough features. Black/gold finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### G. JOHN PETRUCCI JPXI-6

The perfect mix of features. The mahogany neck has a flatter 20" radius, medium-jumbo stainless steel frets and an ebony fingerboard. Combined with the solid mahogany body and maple top, this is the ultimate rock machine. It comes with Custom DiMarzio LiquiFire and Crunch Lab humbuckers, as well as a piezo bridge pickup. Onyx finish.

#### H. 360/12 12-STRING

The world's most popular 12-string. Solid maple semi-hollowbody construction with a through-body neck provides mesmerizing sustain and resonance. The fast-playing neck features double truss rods and a thick bound rosewood fretboard with triangular inlays. Dual single-coils and dual stereo outs for studio and stage versatility. Midnight blue finish shown. Includes Rickenbacker standard case.

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#### A. AMERICAN DELUXE STRATOCASTER HSS

Even more knockout tonal options. Its compound-radius fretboard offers effortless string bending while 2 Fender N3 Noiseless pickups and a DH-1 humbucking bridge pickup supercharge your sound without hum. It comes with locking tuners, an LSR roller nut, 2-point synchronized tremolo bridge with pop-in arm, and a beveled neck heel. Amber maple finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### **B. AMERICAN STANDARD STRATOCASTER**

Tradition redesigned. This bestseller got some key upgrades. These include hand-rolled finger-board edges, Custom Shop Fat '50s pickups, an improved bridge with bent steel saddles and a copper-infused high-mass block for increased resonance. The finish has a thinner undercoat that lets the body breathe better. 3-tone sunburst finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### C. AMERICAN STANDARD TELECASTER

The best of yesterday and today. This Tele has signature sound and some new features. It comes with hand-rolled fingerboard edges, a comfortable new body contour, a satin-finished neck, an improved bridge and classic-sounding Custom Shop Twisted Tele (neck) and Broadcaster (bridge) pickups with Delta-tone no-load circuit. Natural maple finish shown (add \$150); see more finishes online.

#### D. SELECT CHAMBERED TELECASTER HH

Powerful, beautiful and light. This one has a potent pair of Wide Range Special Humbuckers, a chambered alder body and a gorgeous Malaysian blackwood top. Features include a C-shaped birdseye maple neck with Bi-Flex truss rod system, three-way pickup switching and a tone-knob S-1 switch for greater tonal versatility.

#### E. PAWN SHOP SUPER-SONIC

An abundance of character. Apart from highly distinctive looks, this one has a short scale (24") and dual canted Atomic humbucking pickups. Two Jazz Bass volume controls are reverse-wired like the Squier original. Other features include a C-shaped maple neck, synchronized tremolo bridge and vintage-style tuners. Apple red flake finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### F. SELECT STRATOCASTER HSS

It's all about the neck. This model has a "channel-bound" rosewood fingerboard with an amazingly natural feel. The neck has a hand-rubbed oil finish and contoured heel. Features include Twin-Head humbucking bridge pickup, Bi-Flex truss rod, synchronized tremolo bridge and staggered locking tuners.

#### G. AMERICAN VINTAGE '52 TELECASTER

The iconic guitar that started it all. This faithful reissue takes you back in time with its premium ash body, one-piece U-shaped maple neck and 7.25"-radius fingerboard. It has 2 American Vintage Tele single-coil pickups, the original Tele circuit with three-position switch, a host of vintage appointments and a modern wiring kit.

#### H. AMERICAN VINTAGE '59 STRATOCASTER

An evolutionary year with its slimmer neck. 1959 was the first year to offer the slim-profile D-shaped maple neck. This reproduction comes with all-new pickups that are wound to period-correct specs and sound; vintage-accurate bridge saddles and tuner spacing; a lightweight alder body and aged plastic knobs.

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#### A. MODERN PLAYER TELECASTER PLUS

A rare bird among Telecasters. This triple-pickup model has a mini-toggle coil-split switch for the Modern Player humbucking bridge pickup and comes with a Modern Player single-coil Telecaster in the neck and Modern Player Stratocaster in the middle. Other features include 5-way pickup switching and C-shaped maple neck. Honey burst shown; see more finishes online.

#### **B. STANDARD STRATOCASTER**

Setting the standard for electric guitars. It has a select alder body and C-shaped, one-piece, gloss maple neck. A trio of standard single-coil Strat pickups provides the tones you know and love. Other appointments include a vintage-style tremolo and a thicker bridge block to increase sustain and improve contact with the strings. Candy apple red shown; see more finishes online.

#### C. STANDARD TELECASTER

The Telecaster tradition starts here. It features the best of the old and the new: a fast-action gloss maple neck, cast/sealed machine heads, 2 classic single-coil pickups, and a 6-saddle string-thru-body bridge. Guitarists in all musical genres rely on the Fender Telecaster guitar for its powerful tone and smooth playability. Lake placid blue shown; see more finishes online.

#### D. CLASSIC PLAYER JAZZMASTER® SPECIAL

A modern take on a classic. Improvements include hotter pickups, a redesigned Adjusto-Matic bridge with floating tremolo tailpiece, a 9-1/2" fingerboard radius, and a neck pocket with increased back-angle for more stability and sustain. A screw-in tremolo arm enhances stability and control of vibrato effects. 3-color sunburst finish shown; see more finishes online. Includes Fender deluxe gig bag.

#### E. BULLET STRAT WITH TREMOLO

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#### F. VINTAGE MODIFIED JAGUAR

All the circuitry and fun at an amazing price. The authentically styled Jaguar features present-day touches like sharp, clear Duncan Designed pickups and a modern fingerboard radius. It rocks the model's distinctive hallmarks, too - the 24" scale, dual-circuit switching and controls and floating-vibrato bridge. Surf green shown; see more finishes online.

#### G. CLASSIC VIBE TELECASTER '50s $\,$

Old-school looks meet modern playability. Cherished '50s Tele features include a pine body and vintage-tint gloss maple neck that offers modern playability with a 9-1/2" radius, C-shaped profile, and medium-jumbo frets. Custom Alnico III single-coils produce clear note definition even in distorted modes and are dynamically responsive. Vintage blonde shown; see more finishes online.

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#### A. PRESTIGE RG2228 8-STRING

A vehicle of the gods. Made in Japan, it features Prestige finishing and advanced hardware. It comes with a 27" scale 5-piece maple/wenge Wizard Prestige neck and EMG 808 humbuckers that deliver massive tones. The double-locking-style fixed FX Edge III bridge offers maximum control in a sleek low-profile design. White finish. Includes hardshell case.

#### B. PRESTIGE RGD2127FX 7-STRING

#### Crafted with specially designed pickups.

The guitar comes equipped with a lighting-fast Prestige Wizard HP neck and custom pickups for down tuning. The V87 bridge humbucker uses alnico magnets to produce a rich harmonic tone with clarity in the low end. The V77 neck pickup's ceramic magnets produce a smooth and dynamic tone with warm midrange. Invisible shadow finish. Includes hardshell case.

#### C. RG3250MZ PRESTIGE

An all-Japanese metal machine. The DiMarzio HSH pickup array consists of an Air Norton in the neck, True Velvet middle and Tone Zone in the bridge. An Edge Zero bridge with ZPS3 spring system allows for the most radical of trem effects while the Super Wizard neck is ultrathin and reinforced with titanium bars for extra strength. Flourescent orange finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### D. IRON LABEL RGIR20FE

A sleek solidbody with EMG pickups. It features a comfortable basswood body and an Ibanez Nitro Wizard neck. Its bound rosewood fingerboard and jumbo frets offer effortless fingering the full length of the fretboard. EMG 60 and 81 pickups put out plenty of sonic diversity and power and come with a killswitch for some cool effects. Black finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### E. IRON LABEL S70FD SERIES ELECTRIC

Musically responsive in a lightweight package. With its signature body shape this sleek guitar has a Nitro Wizard Neck and DiMarzio pickups. Made in the US, these pickups offer deep, warm & rich dynamics. The Gibraltar Standard is a simple fixed bridge designed to optimally transfer string vibration with a smooth surface for playing comfort. Black.

#### F. ARTSTAR AF155 HOLLOWBODY

A full-bodied archtop. Here's the ticket for the jazz player. Crafted from specially selected tone woods, this beautiful f-hole guitar features a bone nut, ebony fingerboard, hand-rolled frets and Ibanez's famous Super 58 pickups—capable of tone magic any place between "jazz-clean" all the way to "blues dirty." Aged whisky burst. Includes hardshell case.

#### G. ARTSTAR AS153 SEMI-HOLLOW

All flamed-maple body and dual humbuckers. To answer the reel needs of the working professional player this one is crafted from specially selected tonewoods and features a bone nut, set neck, bound ebony fingerboard, hand-rolled frets and Ibanez's famous Super 58 pickups for everything form "jazz-clean" to "blues dirty." Antique yellow sunburst. Includes hardshell case.

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#### A. RG8 8-STRING

Impressive sounds, breakthrough price. This one benefits from Ibanez R&D with its fast and slim, ultraplayable Wizard neck. The basswood body has a string-through design and a fixed bridge for maximum sustain. Ibanez AH-18 and AH-28 humbuckers faithfully deliver all of the sublimely wide frequencies of this affordable 8-string. Black finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### B. RG350DX

A sonic demon unleashed. Infinity humbuckers at the neck and bridge combine with an Infinity single-coil in the mid position for total sonic domination. Stunning sharktooth inlays complete the sinister look. White finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### C. RG370QMSP

The gigmaster. This exclusive quilted maple top beauty features the Edge III tremolo, providing killer trem effects and total tuning stability. Lightning-fast fretboard work is easy with the Wizard III neck and jumbo frets. It comes with a coil-tap switch on all 3 pickups for invaluable sonic control. Transparent red burst shown; see more finishes online.

#### D. AG95 ARTCORE

Full-hollow beauty at a lovely price. Ibanez Artcore full-acoustic models are truly full-hollow – no soundblock. Features a 3-piece mahogany neck for additional stability and strength with abalone inlays. Medium output Artcore pickups produce clear tones and work well with effects. Figured bubinga top, back, and sides. Bound rosewood fingerboard. Gold hardware. Dark brown sunburst.

#### E. AR325 ELECTRIC

With a unique switching system. Made of mahogany, this one's symmetrical double-cut-away body is an Ibanez original. It features the tri-tone switching system that opens up the number of pickup/tone possibilities. The Super 58s pack this axe with a rich tonal palette while old school pearl/abalone block inlays add an elegant touch. Dark brown sunburst.

#### F. JEM/UV STEVE VAI SIGNATURE

Designed to break boundaries. It has a contoured basswood body and sleek 5-piece maple and walnut bolt-on neck with the high-speed JEM Prestige profile. Featuring the Edge Tremolo, it comes loaded with a DiMarzio Evolution DP158 humbucker at the neck, an Evolution DPS1 single-coil in the middle and an Evo2 DP159 at the bridge. Sea foam green. Includes hardshell case.

#### G. S5470 PRESTIGE

A gutsy rock machine. Hot Grinder neck/bridge humbuckers and a Short Tracer mid single-coil pickup combine for a rich roster of sounds. The ZR2 (Zero Resistance) bridge with ZPS3 spring system returns to center point after mad whammy excursions. Transparent black sunburst finish shown; see more finishes online. Includes Ibanez deluxe hardshell case.

#### H. RGD2127Z PRESTIGE 7-STRING

Built for heavy rocking. The extra-long, lightning-fast, 26-1/2" Prestige Wizard HP neck is ultrasmooth, thin, and strong, and is reinforced with KTS Titanium. V77/V87 humbuckers are designed for down-tuning with more low end. The Edge Zero 7 trem offers Zero Resistance, an onboard intonation screw and arm torque adjustment. Invisible shadow finish. Includes Ibanez hardshell case.

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#### **B. DAMIEN PLATINUM**

A set neck and EMG pickups. Its mahogany body sports a set maple neck and active EMG pickups. Grover tuning machines with a Floyd Rose Special double-locking tremolo bridge provide massive tremolo effects, as well as tuning stability and tonal sustain. Features include bat inlays, body binding and satin chrome hardware. Satin black.

#### C. DAMIEN ELITE-8

Drop-dead looks and killer sound. The 26-1/2" scale accommodates the added F# and B  $\,$ strings and is fitted with a Schecter CTM-8 fixed bridge for stability and sustain. Dual EMG-808 active humbuckers give you a clear, fat low end. Stained cross fretboard inlays deliver the vibe. Crimson red.

#### D. SYNYSTER GATES CUSTOM

This one has a secret weapon. The Sustainiac neck driver/pickup produces beautiful humbucker tones or infinite feedback sustain at the flick of a switch. The Seymour Duncan Invader at the bridge is designed for the heaviest passive tones. Features Synyster's iconic ebony fretboard with Deathbat and "SYN" inlays. Black.

#### E. HELLRAISER C-1

A metal monster to shake the underworld.

The mahogany body has abalone binding with 3-piece set Ultra-Access mahogany neck and 24 extra-jumbo frets. Active EMG-81TW/89 humbuckers with push/pull volume knobs for single-coil tones offer plenty of versatility. It comes with a TonePros tune-o-matic bridge and Schecter locking tuners. White shown; see more finishes online.

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A fast-playing, affordable shredder. This one has 2 high-output Jackson CVR2 humbucking pickups, string-through body design and a JT390 adjustable bridge for razor-sharp tone. It comes with a bolt-on maple neck; a Graphite nut; a 24-fret, compound-radius neck; and shark fin inlays that are beloved by Jackson shredders worldwide. Inferno red finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### C. SLATTXMG3-7 SOLOIST 7-STRING

A heavy-sounding shredder. This tone-monster has an arched body, a three-piece through-body maple neck with graphite reinforcement, EMG 707 neck and bridge pickups, a bound compound-radius rosewood fingerboard with Piranha Pearloid inlays, 24 jumbo frets, 26.5" scale and a string-through-body tune-o-matic bridge. Slime green shown; see more finishes online.

#### D. SL1 USA SOLOIST

Celebrated for its playability and sustain. The combination of thru-body neck, heel-less construction, fast neck profile and bound ebony compound-radius fretboard gives it a feel and sound like no other. Seymour Duncan pickups and Floyd Rose Original tremolo come standard. Features alder body wings and maple neck. Gunmetal gray shown; see more finishes online. Includes Jackson/SKB deluxe molded case.

#### E. PRO X MOCKINGBIRD

Neck-through design. This one will drop jaws wherever you take it. A Shadow complexion contrasts with a gold TonePros and Grover Super Rotomatic tuners. EMG 81 (bridge) and 60 (neck) pickups provide the voice while a 24-5/8" scale, 24 jumbo frets on an ebony fingerboard, and Floyd Rose tremolo provide the touch. Setallic silver shown; see more finishes online.

#### F. STRIPED SERIES ELECTRIC

An ode to Eddie. With recognizable artwork, it has a basswood body with a quartersawn maple neck. EVH features include a compound-radius maple fingerboard with 22 jumbo frets, a single ferocious direct-mount Wolfgang humbucking pickup, bar string retainer, Floyd Rose locking nut and EVH-branded Floyd Rose locking tremolo. Red with black stripes shown; see more finishes online.

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#### H. DESOLATION DOUBLE-CUTAWAY 2

An entirely new design. Here's a mahogany body with a carved top and a bound mahogany set neck with scalloped heel. Features include a compound radius rosewood fingerboard with 24 jumbo frets and pearloid inlays, pearloid body and headstock binding, dual Charvel active humbucking pickups with three-way toggle switching. Flat black shown; see more finishes online

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#### Musician's Friend: Tell us a little bit about your relationship with Fender and how your signature P Bass and Tele Deluxe came to be?

Nate Mendel: The P Bass that this signature model is based on was my first real instrument after the gear that I had when I was first starting out—a 1971 P Bass. It has a weird neck that Fender did for six months or so in '71, which is halfway between a Jazz Bass and a P Bass neck. It's really fast, but it wasn't as thin as a Jazz neck so it was easier for me to play than a P Bass neck. I figured out pretty quickly that I just stumbled on the right combination for playing punk rock bass, and used it almost exclusively up until the 2000s.

I got the idea to approach Fender and say, "Hey, maybe we could do one that other people could buy that would be based on this."

Chris Shiflett: Well, it's a long tale, but I traded somebody for an old Tele Deluxe. I think it's a '72. I made a record a few years ago called *Chris Shiflett and the Dead Peasants*, and I used it a ton on that. But that music was a lot more jangly, not like Foo Fighters.

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For Foo Fighters I really need humbuckers. So I got some parts and just assembled a version of a Deluxe with humbuckers in it. I used that when we made the last Foo Fighters record and when we were touring. I actually loved it so much I made another one.

Then I got a call one day from Nate White over at Fender and he said, "Hey, I notice that you've been using the parts guitar. Would you want to just make a signature model?" So of course I jumped at the chance.

# MF: What are some of the key features aside from the humbuckers in the Tele and the special neck in the P Bass?

**CS:** I think the main differences between, say, an old '72 Deluxe and mine are the humbuckers, a four-bolt neck, rosewood fretboard, the jumbo frets, and the color.

**NM:** The neck is going to be the main thing but there's the Badass Bass Bridge and Quarter Pounder pickups. I used a swamp ash body, which is not what was on the original. I don't really like the look of new instruments so we found a way to distress the hardware, lacquer and paint in a way so it looks like an older instrument, but without the artificial feel. I wanted it to be an instrument that people could pick up and make their own.

# MF: Chris, you're involved in a number of projects. What are some of the gear adjustments you make between those different projects?

**CS**: With Foo Fighters, I pretty much just play my signature model now because I designed that guitar to be exactly what I needed.

For Chevy Metal (Shiflett's side project with fellow Foo Fighter Taylor Hawkins), I got an EVH 5150 combo, one of the small ones. And I have a Strat with a humbucker in it and a Floyd Rose. You kind of don't want anybody to see you playing it [laughter], but it's perfect for that. Because we were doing all these Van Halen songs, I had to get something with a Floyd Rose. But I could not figure out how to work that thing for so long. [laughs] I couldn't even figure out how to tune it. I had to watch somebody on YouTube explain it.

For the Dead Peasants, we've been doing old honky-tonk covers for the last year or so. It's all Buck Owens and Merle Haggard and stuff like that. I use an old-fashioned Tele with a single coil pickup in it through an old Deluxe Reverb. There's something about a Tele through a Deluxe Reverb. They're just made for each other.

# MF: Is there any new gear in that you guys are really into?

NM: I've played Ashdown amps for a long time—the AMB 400, which was a solid-state/tube combo. On the last tour I switched over to their all-tube head, and it's great. It's the closest thing I've found to an early-'70s (Ampeg) SVT.

# MF: Those vintage SVTs are hard to take on the road, huh?

**NM:** Impossible. You switch one tube and oh—now it's just a modern amp.

**CS:** Probably the newest thing that I've added to my rig is a Friedman Brown Eye.

I just love that amp; I can't rave enough about it. It's just outstanding. It's bold and it gives you a little more leeway. Plus there's a lot of definition.

MF: When you go into the studio to make a Foo Fighters record, do you experiment with different amps and sounds, or just dial in a few tones and say, "This is what I want for this record?"

**CS:** I think we experimented more on the last album than I really remember doing before. We always have a bunch of amps and pedals and different guitars. And from song to song it's going to call for different things.

We made that last record on tape, and I hadn't made a record on tape in a long time. The only records I ever made on tape were back in the days when you had half a day to do all your guitar tracks, so there was no experimentation. It was just getting something that works, and going as fast as you can. So it's nice to be able to have the time to enjoy it.

# MF: Nate, when you record in the studio do you use a combination of direct and miking your amp?

NM: It's funny, I'm putting a studio in my house now and recording some stuff on my own, so for the first time in my life I'm paying attention to that stuff. I never did before. It was like, you write the songs with your friends in a practice space or whatever and then you go into a studio and you let professionals handle how it's recorded.

Nine times out of 10 the bass sound that I heard in the control room I didn't like, but I trusted these guys. I've come to realize that it's not the instrument solo that's really important, it's how it fits in the mix.

# MF: How is your home studio coming together?

NM: I'm trying to figure out whether the room's going to be able to get drum sounds that can work. So at the very least I'm using it for demoing, and then hopefully something that's releasable. I want to be able to have people come over and hang out and have a barbecue and





then go make a song. That's what I want it to be. Who cares what happens to it? Let's just make music and record it.

**CS:** I have a Digi 002 at home, a drum set, some amps, mics and a little mic pre. It's funny, I was just thinking about this on the drive in. I have never spent enough time really getting to know how to operate Pro Tools, and every time I do, which is pretty infrequently, it just gets in the way of being creative. The thing that I use more than anything else is the Voice Memo on my iPhone.

MF: Chris, you've been with Foo Fighters since '99 and Nate, you've been with the band since the beginning. What are some of the ways your playing has evolved?

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CS: The longer you play with the same group of people, the more comfortable you get and the more you all know each other. If you want to see something funny, watch us playing "Learn to Fly" on Saturday Night Live. It's right when I joined the band. It's the most horrendous thing you've ever heard. I didn't know what to do with myself on stage. A few years ago I made the conscious decision that I can't really play very well if I'm jumping around, so maybe I should just chill out and try to actually play the song the best I can. I'd like to think that I maybe settled down a little bit.

NM: I came in from Sunny Day Real Estate, where I had a lot of free reign to write whatever kind of bass line I wanted, because the guitar players were just layering these kind of soundscape guitar bits that weren't very riffy. So a lot of times the drummer and I could lay down the foundation, almost like you

would with a different genre of music, like R&B or something like that. But not at all like that. [laughs] I liked trying to make things interesting and melodic. So I would concentrate on making a melody rather than a rhythmic foundation.

I came into Foo Fighters with that mentality. I remember hearing the first album and my thought was "I can do a lot with this," because the bass was just all root notes. So I thought it'd be this wide-open thing.

Then the next eight years or so was basically a process of me figuring out that that was not at all the approach in this band. So I just concentrated on really locking in with Taylor and being more of a propulsion kind of bass player.

# MF: Do you guys have any advice to bands that are still trying to make a



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# name for themselves, hammering it out in the garage?

NM: Not to get mired in recording—after talking about making my own home studio that seems hypocritical. [laughs] I've spent time playing with other people and working on songs and every time somebody has just the germ of an idea, it's like, "Let's record that." And then what you have is this huge backlog of recordings. I think that can turn into a real mess pretty quickly. Write the song. Remember what it is. Use a dry-erase board if you have to, and play it. Have the song sorted out so it sounds good, and then record it.

It's a pretty small piece of advice, but from what I've seen it could be something that people need to hear.

**CS:** I wish somebody had given this advice when I was in high school and playing in garages, although we probably wouldn't have listened. [laughs] I wish my band had been a cover band in high school. That's the smartest thing you could do. I have so much fun learning other people's songs now. You learn so much from actually sitting down and playing your favorite songs. You can see how they're constructed. You learn the craft and what the mechanics are behind it.

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A beauty in looks and tone. The basswood body hosts a bolt-on maple neck that gives upper-fret access and a fuller tone. The thin U-shaped neck with 24 extra-jumbo frets deliver comfort and speed. Mix your favorite tones with the ESP humbucker and 2 single-coils. The double-locking bridge lets you dive-bomb with confidence. See thru blue finish.

#### C. LTD EC-330

A beautiful top and active electronics. Here's a mahogany body with a flame maple top in a gorgeous see-thru finish. The bolt-on mahogany neck has a rosewood fingerboard with 24 extrajumbo frets and a thin U neck contour. Special ESP active pickups produce plenty of power. Comes with tune-o-matic bridge, ESP tuners and black hardware. See-thru purple sunburst finish shown; see more finishes online.

#### D. LTD LH208 8 STRING

When 7 strings just won't do. Based on their H-style body shape, this sleek beauty is a very affordable 8-string with a basswood body, bolton neck, chrome hardware, and passive ESP LH-308 pickups. It's perfect for achieving epic low end, and it offers players a huge expansion of range over a standard 6-string guitar. Black.

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#### G. VENDETTA XM

Naked dual-humbucker tone and natural wood. The lightweight paulownia body is incredibly resonant and looks fabulous while dual naked humbuckers crank out huge chunk and molten sustain. Its rosewood fretboard on a bolt-on maple neck with 24-fret access is sweet and fleet. It comes with a tune-o-matic bridge and string-thru design. Natural finish shown; see more finishes online.

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magine your group or family's musical equipment, always plugged in and ready to jam. Anytime inspiration strikes or the team is available, you just turn on and rock out. That sounds nice, but most of us can't devote a whole room in our homes for band rehearsals. If you have a garage though, there might be an opportunity to arrange a convenient practice space there. The problem is that the garage will probably already be full of everyone's stuff, if not a car or two.

One of the pleasures of being a musician is the pursuit of the perfect sound and setup. When you're onstage, you have your carefully chosen live rig and hopefully a decent house PA If you handle your own sound reinforcement, then you've certainly put a lot of research and effort into finding the right features, convenience and value.

Shopping for rehearsal space gear can be just as fun, albeit with a different list of requirements. What you choose depends on your budget, how much space you have, the noise-level you should respect and whether you're able to leave everything set up. Fortunately, technology is on our side. The trend in musical equipment is to squeeze more and more features into eversmaller and even less expensive packages.

As we say goodbye to the days of tall stacks, high volumes and noise complaints, let's consider some new and impressive gear that will make sharing the garage to make music an achievable dream.

## Or Not To E-Kit

#### Ludwig Breakbeats by Questlove 4-Piece Shell Pack

Here's a garage-friendly kit designed by Ahmir "Questlove" Thompson that stores easily and delivers a rough-and-ready sound despite its sub-compact size. Created for sonic punch and portability it includes 4 pieces: a 16  $\times$  14" bass drum, a 13  $\times$ 13" floor tom, a 10 x 7" tom and a matching 14 x 5" snare, all in Azure Sparkle that'll brighten your windowless garage. It comes with a bass drum lift that gets the kit to full-size playable height or that can be left off for younger players H91063...MSRP \$619.00  $\$399^{99}$ 

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# Shell-size Bass and Guitar Amps

#### TC Electronic BG250 Combo

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#### Fender Blues Junior™ NOS Combo

The Blues Jr. pushed through a 12" Jensen speaker. A warm-toned favorite, this version of the vintage 15W all-tube amp features a 12" Jensen speaker and that sound that comes from of a pair of EL84 Groove Tube output tubes and three 12AX7 preamp tubes. Add renowned Fender reverb, flexible controls and footswitchable (with optional switch) FAT circuit for golden tones, and you're in the blues business. Lacquer tweed with pinstripe grille cloth. 483711....MSRP \$789.99



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#### Roland KC-60 Keyboard Amp

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Keyboards require a full-frequency amp. This garage-friendly model is the most compact in Roland's KC series, yet still has enough power to compete with a small drum kit. Its 40W power section drives a 10" speaker with 3 separate channels that include 1/4" line, XLR mic, and aux inputs so you can easily mix different sound sources. Rotary controls adjust channel and headphone outputs plus low and hi EQ. Also, there's even a subwoofer output that offers big bottom-end potential if needed

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### **Electric & Acoustic Strings**

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In 2005, Dunlop decided to pour their extensive experience into crafting strings. They wanted to give players a new option—a better option. But what does that mean, exactly? How and why are Dunlop strings different from all of the other brands out there? Les O'Connor, the 20+ year veteran string designer Dunlop hired to helm their strings

operation, explains what makes Dunlop's strings unique.

"Our strings are different because our outlook is different," he says. "We are driven by the feeling that guitarists deserve a set of strings that are thoughtfully designed and meticulously crafted. To that end, we devised new formulas to overcome many of the issues that players have been putting up with for more than a half century."

It all starts with the raw materials. Dunlop went to great lengths to find a high carbon steel alloy that's specifically optimized for instrument strings. This alloy provided the solid foundation O'Connor needed to perfect his formulas and methods.

"We experimented with each element of the string making process," explains O'Connor. "From the combination of materials to winding techniques as well as core-to-wrap ratios, we worked hard to mitigate issues like having to stretch the strings and tune up for several minutes, or wearing out your fretting hand because of unbalanced tension. Guitarists shouldn't have to worry about that stuff, and they should never be held back by their strings."

But how does all of this talk measure up when it comes down to actually playing? To find out, I auditioned three different Dunlop strings sets: Nickel Wound Electric Guitar, Heavy Core Electric Guitar, and Acoustic Phosphor Bronze.

#### **Electric Nickel Wound Strings 10-46**

I typically spend 20 to 30 minutes breaking in strings just so they'll hold their tuning. Thankfully, this is not the case with the Dunlops. I put a set of .10s on my Strat, and after a couple of light tugs, I tuned up, played for a minute or two, and that was that! I finally said goodbye to the endless drudgery of strumming, tuning, strumming, tuning, strumming, tuning. Another bonus is the fact that the Dunlops are very easy to play, as the low tension allowed my fretting hand a greater level of control, which drew me into the playing experience in a way that's never happened before. The difference these strings made wasn't simply relegated to the feel, however. Their tone is amazingly balanced, with punchy lows, rich midrange, and crystal clear high-end response. In short, these strings sound how I need strings to sound.

#### **Heavy Core Electric Strings 10-48**

Dunlop's Heavy Cores are standard gauge strings that sport a thicker core wire, allowing you to tune down and still play with a normal feel. With a set of .10s on a Strat that I keep tuned down a whole step to D Standard, I was rewarded with the same level of awesomeness as the Nickel sets. Once again, tuning was a breeze—I was able to get lost in my playing rather than having to stretch the strings for hours on end. I dropped



the low D down to C for even more sonic brutality, and the low C never felt like a loose rubber band flopping around under my fingers. Even with the most intricate riffs I could muster, the Heavy Cores stayed stable and true, and their growling punch made my riffs rage out of the guitar like a pit bull on steroids.

# Acoustic Phosphor Bronze Strings 12-54

Finally, I put a set of Phosphor Bronze .12s on my Martin and was quickly greeted with gushing, dynamic tones. Like its electric brethren, the Phosphor Bronze strings exhibit a comfortable tension that offers the perfect combination of sturdiness and easy playability. Sonically, the lows are rich and powerful with a bounty of clear bass response, while the mids and the highs unify to create a very full, vibrant palette of sound.



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#### **Bottom Line**

I left each set of strings on for a few weeks and played them on several rehearsals and gigs. The Dunlops held their "sweet spot"—that broken-in period between fresh, super-bright harshness and flat-sounding deadness—much longer than any strings I've used before.

Even more impressive is the fact that, although each set I played was designed for a different application, they're all very obviously from the same family, as Dunlop strings sport their own consistent character.

For me, strings were always an unexciting link in the signal chain. Strings are strings, right? Well, reviewing the Dunlop strings changed that way of thinking quick. Not only do they sound great, they feel great. In fact, they elevated my entire guitar playing experience. I felt closer to my music—what could be better than that?

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#### C. TS808 VINTAGE TUBE SCREAMER REISSUE

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Clean boost and distortion in one box! It gives you the "everything-on-10" sound of a classic Marshall amp and an extremely high-headroom, unity-50X gain booster. Boost can be used alone or in conjunction with the distortion circuit.



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#### E. VEXTER FUZZ FACTORY

Massive fuzz in a hand-silkscreened aluminum chassis. Shape your own personalized fuzz with its 5 knobs. It uses 2 NOS '60s germanium transistors and its own unique fuzz circuit for tones straight out of the golden age of fuzz!

#### F. ECSTACY RED OVERDRIVE/BOOST

The Ecstasy amp's Red Channel in a compact pedal. The Ecstasy Red captures the Red-Channel of the Ecstasy amp, famous for its incendiary, higher-gain crunch and lead tones. Using interactive controls to adjust gain and EQ settings, the pedal delivers a wide range of expressive tones. Designed with five discrete Class A gain stages.

Vexter Box of Rock Distortion 580621 **\$199**00

Vexter Fuzz Factory
580616 \$17900





**F** Ecstacy Red Overdrive/Boost \$299<sup>99</sup> H85887 MSRP \$349.99



G Ecstacy Blue Overdrive/Boost H85889 MSRP \$349.99 **\$299**99 G. ECSTACY BLUE OVERDRIVE/BOOST

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**F** SP Compressor H89770 MSRP \$165.00 \$13200



**G** EP Booster H83019 MSRP \$145.00 \$11699





H 4-Knob Compressor 423445 MSRP \$329.00 **\$259**00

#### A. ALIEN ECHO

Mulder and Skully will be proud. Designed to achieve vintage analog and worn out tape delay sounds. The modulation is random and unpredictable similar to a tape delay. Modulation is also foot switchable for on-the-fly effect changes. If you mess with the modulation you can get some pretty crazy sounds which is where the name came from.

#### B. ALLAN HOLDSWORTH OVERDRIVE/BOOST

From the mind of Allan Holdsworth. Designed along side Allan to create a very versatile tool. This pedal gives you a very mild OD and a very tweakable boost section that allows for different EQ emphasis. Hit the OD with the boost and get some pretty scorching gain. It's a pedal to combat backlines yet still achieve Allan's signature sound and feel.

#### C. HAND WIRED DEEP BLUE DELAY

Hand wired vintage tone and quality. The Hand Wired Deep Blue Delay is a classic delay and has the same bandwidth as classic tape echo units. It can be used anywhere in your chain because it's specially designed to work with distorted or clean sounds. There are no noise reduction circuits keeping the decay of the echo natural. The echo signal has tuned filtering for extreme settings without interference.

#### D. HAND WIRED FIRE RED FUZZ

Tons of tone variation and fuzzy goodness. The pedal has a compressed, deep effect to

allow equal sustain throughout the fretboard. Tone control was specifically designed to allow tones from mellow fuzz, to thin bright fuzz. The FRF is not another variation of a classic fuzz design but a unique pedal with its own character and extremely versatile Tone control.

#### E. ANALOG FLANGER

A faithful reproduction with modern components for superior sonic fidelity offering true-bypass switching and LED indicator. Problems with Volume-drop, crosstalk, clock-noise, and oscillator bleed-thru that plaqued originals have been minimized or eliminated.

#### F. SP COMPRESSOR

Based on one of the best compressors of all time. The SP Compressor offers the same OTA (operational transconductance amplifier) technology used in the Ross Compressor. It has superb tone quality featuring a wide variety of compressor tones from vintage to modern and more. Features a dry blend knob, up to +15dB of boost and an internal dip switch for attack control.

#### G. EP BOOSTER

Boost. Pure and simple. Provides up to +20dB of boost. The DIP switches let you choose the boost frequencies and EQ settings.

#### H. 4-KNOB COMPRESSOR

Great for the stage or studio. A studio-grade compressor with an internal attack control and sensitivity control to dial in the perfect compression in the studio. The Sustain control is extremely responsive, allowing you to limit sudden volume peaks, add presence to your overall sound, boost solos or enhance playing dynamics.

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#### A. 1 DISTORTION AND REVERB

Two effects in one amazing pedal. The new "1" pedal is a combined distortion/reverb pedal designed to provide the sought after "brownsound" of the late '70s/early '80s guitar. With intense drive, high definition and a built-in reverb to add ambience and depth, this is the one.

#### **B. GOLDEN CELLO COMBINED DELAY** AND OVERDRIVE

Singing overdrive combined with luscious tape delay. Mad Professor developed this pedal to give players a lead tone that combines dynamic, vintage overdrive with the warmth of a tapestyle delay. Shape your sound with Delay, Drive, Volume and Tone controls. Use the delay and overdrive independently, or use them together to discover real sonic gold.

#### C. M69 PRIME DISTORTION

The MXR Prime Distortion conjures up the big, powerful tones of '80s arena rock. This pedal delivers raw, punchy sustain and rich distortion while allowing the character of your guitar and amp to shine through.

#### D SOVEREIGN DISTORTION

For those who refuse to settle when it comes to tone. Handle any distortion with one pedal. The mid control is borrowed from other great Wampler pedals, but refined. Cut through the din of the bass and drums in an instant. Smooth, creamy highs with a tight bottom end and the right amount of sag to simulate a good tube amp. Made in the U.S.A.

#### E. GRAVY TRI-CHORUS AND VIBRATO

Pour some serious gravy on your sound. Get deep, shimmering TriChorus and fat vibrato that goes from waves to swirling organ tones. The Speed, Depth, FX Level and Tone knobs give you total control. Plus it's TonePrint-enabled for expansive tonal possibilities and features true bypass, high-quality components and a small rugged body.

#### F. ARENA REVERB

One pedal, ten reverbs. This pedal features 4 exclusive TonePrints that were modeled after classic reverbs including TC's Cathedral, Hall, Room and Spring Reverbs. Decay, Tone and Level controls are easy to use, and offer expansive tonal possibilities. Feature stereo in and out, true bypass and high-quality components.

#### G. TRANSITION DELAY

Ten lush presets and a TonePrint setting for endless possibilities. A customized take on the super popular Flashback Delay. It features four presets that were custom modeled after classic delays including TC's 2290, an analog delay, tape delay and delay with modulation. The Transition Delay offers the same presets as the Flashback for Lofi, Dynamic, Ping Pong and Reverse.

#### H. TAP TONE DELAY

Tap tempo meets T-Rex tone in the ultimate delay pedal for guitarists. Adjust tempo to fit any song and get awesome tone that you can fine tune via the Tap Tone BITE control. Deliver tubey warmth, amazing analog sound, and mimic the funky tape delays of the '60s and '70s with one pedal. 4 delay controls, Delay, Feedback, Time and Bite, plus the TAP tempo button.

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H Full-Drive 2 MOSFET Overdrive/Clean Boost 475963 MSRP \$179.00 \$143<sup>20</sup>

#### A. FLASHBACK X4 DELAY & LOOPER

16 delay types and Toneprint-enabled. Building on the success of the Flashback pedal by providing 16 delay types in pristine TC Electronic quality and adding tap tempo plus three presets for an instantly classic delay. Flashback X4 is TonePrint enabled, allowing you to load up to 3 signature Flashback delay settings.

#### B. HARMONY SINGER

The guitar pedal for your voice. An all-in-one, vocal processor pedal featuring Vocal Harmony, Tone and Reverb that's no bigger than a stomp box. You can utilize up to two harmony voices guided automatically by the guitar via the In/ Thru connection. The Adaptive Tone "sweetens" overall vocal quality and 3 high-quality Reverb styles with adjustable level.

#### C. CARBON COPY ANALOG DELAY

Time-tested tone and flexible settings. Takes you from crisp "bathroom" slap echoes to epic, Gilmour-esque delays at the twist of a knob. 600ms of delay time with modulation and useradjustable internal trim pots for width and rate control

#### D. CUSTOM BADASS '78 DISTORTION

Huge amp-stack tones and old-school distortion. Delivers over-the-top soaring leads and rich, saturated rhythms. 3 knobs make dialing in badass tone a cinch. CRUNCH button boosts the harmonic content of the distortion. Under the hood are topnotch circuitry and hardware meant for a lifetime of use.

#### E. SILICON FUZZ FACE MINI

Classic pedalboard-friendly fuzz. It's spec'd from a 1970 Fuzz Face prized for its bright and aggressive sound delivered by matched BC108 silicon transistors. The pedal features legendary Fuzz Face tones in a more pedalboard-friendly housing with several modern appointments: true bypass switching, a status LED, an AC power jack and battery door.

#### F. ORIGINAL CRYBABY WAH

A true rock classic. This is the original - the one that created some of the most timeless sounds in rock. Relied on by Hendrix, Clapton, Gilmour and many other greats, it features heavy die-cast steel construction for years of reliability and a 100kOhm Hot Potz potentiometer for totally smooth, silent, consistent control.

#### G. OCD (OBSESSIVE COMPULSIVE DRIVE)

Creamy overdrive and touch-sensitive response. Classic OD tones in a compact pedal with simple, no-fuss operation. Along with standard Volume, Drive and Tone controls, the High Peak/Low Peak switch goes from a spanky clean boost to manic, sustain-laden distortion. Truebypass switching.

#### H. FULL-DRIVE 2 MOSFET OVERDRIVE/ **CLEAN BOOST**

A history of overdriven tones in one enclosure. Housed in a powdercoated 16-gauge steel enclosure, capable of everything from clean boost to uncompressed overdrive via 2 switchable channels. Volume, Tone, Overdrive and Boost knobs along with toggle switches for Vintage/CompCut modes and MOSFET/Standard overdrive styles.

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stomps. Provides 8 isolated 9V outputs that will quietly power any type of battery-operated effects without ground loops or noisy pedal interaction, and it powers both types of BOSS pedals. 2 special outlets power Line 6 effects, and 2 others have adjustable voltage "sag" to simulate dying batteries for raunchier distortion from some effects. A rear AC receptacle accepts wall warts.

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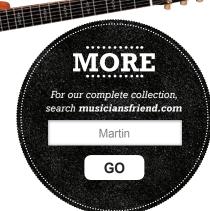


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Strikingly state of the art. The solid rosewood back and sides naturally resonate bass, while the solid Sitka spruce top has a clear and powerful tone. A two-ring pearl rosette, arrows and squares inlay, gloss finish and pickguard add distinguished touches. Fishman F1 Aura+ electronics amplify this Grand performer's tone. Natural finish. includes Martin Deluxe Hardshell case.

# B. D-28 DREADNOUGHT

The standard in steel-string guitars. A classic since its 1931 debut, it has a solid Sitka spruce top with glossy finish, special East Indian rose-wood for the back and sides, and ebony for the fingerboard and bridge. With its resonant warmth and punchy volume, it's well-suited to music styles requiring loud, powerful rhythm accompaniment. Natural finish shown; sunburst add \$200. Includes Martin deluxe hardshell case.

# C. 000-15SM

An instant classic. This small-bodied guitar harkens back to a time before the invasion of the dreadnought. It has an all-mahogany body with slotted headstock, a real rosette, improved inlays and nickel tuners with butterbean knobs. Its 12-fret body design delivers plenty of woody tone and volume, in spite of its size. Includes Martin deluxe hardshell case.

# D. CUSTOM X SERIES D12X1AE 12-STRING ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Spectacular 12-string articulation. This one has high pressure laminate (HPL) mahogany back and sides with a solid Sitka spruce top with custom rosette and factory installed Fishman electronics. Easy access volume and tone controls are conveniently and strategically located just inside the sound hole. Natural with solid sitka spruce top.

# E. DRS1 ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

For working guitarists on a budget. This dreadnought has a top, back and sides of solid sapele and is braced for resonance and projection. It features a multilaminate Stratabond neck and Richlite belly bridge and fingerboard. It comes with the Fishman Sonitone sound reinforcement system discreetly mounted in the soundhole. Natural finish. Includes Martin hardshell case.

# F. 000X1AE CUSTOM X SERIES ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Medium-sized and low-priced. Pairing a solid Sitka spruce top with a custom rosette and mahogany-grained high pressure laminate (HPL) back and sides, this one has a surprisingly robust sound in spite of its compact body. Stage-ready, it's equipped with out-of-view Fishman electronics that maintain the look of a veritable and elegant Martin. Natural finish.

# G. LX1E LITTLE MARTIN ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC Comfortable, portable and distinctively Mar-

tin. This small travel and student guitar has a solid Sitka spruce soundboard atop the small, modified 0-14 body. Fishman Isys T electronics let you electrify your sound. Includes Morado fretboard and bridge, 23" scale, low-oval neck and Martin's mortise/tenon neck joint. Gotoh nickel tuners. Natural finish. Includes Martin gig bag.





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Unrivaled beauty and singular tone. Crafted entirely in Hawaiian koa, this beauty has a sweet tone. The koa is complemented by a rosewood and maple rosette, while Indian rosewood binds the body, fingerboard, peghead and heelcap. The Island Vine fingerboard inlay adds a delicate touch. Performance-ready with Taylor's ES electronics. Natural finish. Includes Taylor deluxe hardshell case.

# B. 814CE ROSEWOOD/SPRUCE ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

The complex timbre of solid woods. This exquisite grand auditorium has solid Indian rosewood back and sides that sharpen the rich overtones of the solid Sitka spruce top. Details include an ebony fingerboard, abalone rosette and inlays, and gold-plated tuners. Expression System electronics offer peerless stage performance. Natural finish. Includes Taylor deluxe hardshell case.

# C. 518E SPRUCE/MAHOGANY ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Power, warmth and complexity. The rich midrange of mahogany, together with the enhanced lows and highs that the Grand Orchestra shape produces, creates a big, round voice. It features premium-grade tropical mahogany back & sides, a Sitka spruce top, side bracing, Deco Diamond headstock inlay and Expression System electronics. Natural finish. Includes Taylor Deluxe Hardshell Case.

### D. 214CE ROSEWOOD/SPRUCE ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Premium woods and design. Here's a grand auditorium body shape topped with solid Sitka spruce for balanced, clear tone. The Indian rosewood body produces rich sound with powerfully focused projection. It boosts comfortable fingering on its ebony fingerboard and integrated electronics perfect for live or studio work. Tobacco sunburst. Includes Taylor gig bag.

# E. 110CE SAPELE/SPRUCE DREADNOUGHT Beauty and stage-ready sound. Sapele back

and sides with a solid spruce top make for a crisp and well-defined sound in this versatile guitar. The ES-T Under-Saddle Transducer takes piezo technology to another level. Onboard Bass, Treble and Volume controls, as well as custom-voiced EQ and dynamic response. Natural finish. Includes Taylor gig bag.

# F. BIG BABY TAYLOR

A perfect travel companion. This 15/16-scale dreadnought is perfect for travel, yet big enough to be a trusty performer with a surprisingly full voice. Sapele back and sides and a solid spruce top make for crisp and well-defined sound, making it a trusty companion wherever you go — even if it's just to the couch. Natural finish. Includes Taylor gig bag.

# G. GS MINI MAHOGANY

The ultimate musical companion. Its bluesy-sounding mahogany body is inspired by the big, bold sound of Taylor's GS shape. The tone is enhanced by a deep body, big top, full-sized soundhole and a braceless arched back. It has an inlaid rosette, inlaid purfling lines and fits in the overhead compartment of a plane. Mahogany finish. Includes Taylor gig bag.

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# A. EXOTIC WOOD SERIES EW20ASE 12-STRING ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Striking looks and rich tone. The first 12-string in the Ibanez Exotic Wood series, its striking figured-ash top and body, abalone rosette, and rich sound make it a great buy. It's also fully equipped for your amplified live gigs with a B-Band UST pickup and SRTn preamp with notch filter and tuner. Natural gloss.

# B. AEG20II FLAMED SYCAMORE TOP CUTAWAY ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

An upgraded top and stage-ready electronics. Easy playability, a mahogany body and a flame maple top create a quality, workhorse acoustic guitar that will rise to any occasion. The Ibanez SST Shape Shifter preamp with 3-band EQ, phase reverse and onboard tuner makes it easy to sound great on stage. Comes with both 1/4" and balanced XLR jacks. Transparent red sunburst finish.

# C. ARTWOOD SERIES AC300

Balancing craftsmanship and technology. This grand concert is a descendant of the old

orchestral acoustic quitars that were designed to be audible over large instrumental ensembles. It has a solid spruce top, mahogany body and neck, and a bone nut and saddle for ringing tone. It comes with Grover tuners and advantage bridge pins.

# D. SGE220VS ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Vintage vibe and modern electronics. Here's a full-size dreadnought with a spruce top, mahogany back & sides, pearloid block inlay on the fingerboard and a large, classic pickguard. The AEQ200MT preamp with 2-band tone control and onboard tuner works perfectly with the AP3 magnetic pickup to produce a full, warm sound.

# E. ARTWOOD SERIES AW50 SOLID TOP

Both traditional and modern. This dreadnought benefits from some modern appointments. It's constructed of sapele back and sides with a solid Sitka spruce top, giving it a clear tone. It features the more durable Ivorex II for the nut and saddle. Comes with a mahogany neck, rosewood fingerboard, multi rosette and die-cast tuners.



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**B** B50 5-String Banjo H89519 MSRP \$374.99 \$24999

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G A-Style Acoustic-Electric Mandolin 620443 MSRP \$299.99 \$19999

# F. B50 5-STRING BANJO

Return to your roots with this Ibanez banjo.

The B-50 delivers a sweet 5-string closed-back banjo at a price that won't break the bank. It features a 24-lug configuration and mahogany back and sides. The mahogany neck has a rosewood fingerboard with dot position markers. Open gear tuners lend a vintage note while keeping things in tune.

# G. A-STYLE ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC MANDOLIN

The bittersweet sounds of Appalachia. Built in the teardrop A-style with a mahogany neck and body for rich sustain ideal for rhythm. The spruce top adds crispness for shimmering solos that will cut through in band settings. The magnetic pickup has volume and tone controls to dial in vour sound. Dark violin sunburst.



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A Hummingbird Acoustic-Electric 517522 MSRP \$3,997.00 **\*3099**00





**B** Songwriter Deluxe Studio Acoustic/ Electric Cutaway H85816 MSRP \$3,366.00 **\$2599**00

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**C** J-45 Standard Acoustic-Electric 580333 MSRP \$2,836.00 **\$2199**00

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J-35 Acoustic-Electric H94886 MSRP \$2,190.00 \$169900



# **E** DR-212 12-String 518377 MSRP \$282.00 **\$169**00



AJ-100CE Acoustic-Electric 518364 MSRP \$248.00 **\$149**00



G DR-100 Acoustic 518569 MSRP \$182.00 **\*99**00

# A. HUMMINGBIRD ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Peerless vocal accompaniment. Built with a Sitka spruce top and mahogany back and sides, it has a 24-3/4" scale length, dovetail neck-tobody joint, scalloped bracing, and an authentic Hummingbird pickguard. The active pickup has a soundhole-mounted volume control and reproduces the singer-friendly tone to perfection. Heritage cherry sunburst finish with nickel hardware. Heritage cherry sunburst with nickel Includes Gibson Hardshell case.

### B. SONGWRITER DELUXE STUDIO ACOUSTIC/ **ELECTRIC CUTAWAY**

An affordable square-shoulder dreadnought. It combines bracing patterns of the '30s with Gibson's classic square-shoulder shape. The top is AA-grade Sitka spruce, while the back and sides are rosewood, giving it a balanced, warm tone with clear lows and solid treble registers. It comes with Fishman's Prefix Plus-T acoustic pickup system. Natural with gold hardware. Includes Gibson Hardshell case.

### C. J-45 STANDARD ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Excellent expression and projection. The J-45 remains Gibson's most popular acoustic. Premium materials include an AA Sitka spruce top with Honduran mahogany back and sides, and fine rosewood fingerboard with mother-ofpearl dots. The L.R. Baggs Element pickup adds performance not previously attainable from an undersaddle pickup. Vintage sunburst shown. Add \$250 for Antique natural. Includes Gibson Hardshell case.

# D. J-35 ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

The original round-shoulder flat-top reborn. The 2013 update of the 1936 original roundshoulder flattop J-35 features a handcrafted spruce top and mahogany back and sides for a warm expressive tone. It has a unique fire stripe pickguard and beautiful soundhole rosette. An L.R. Baggs Element pickup gives you the kick when plugged in. Antique natural. Includes Gibson Hardshell case.

# E. DR-212 12-STRING

Big-toned, super-playable and remarkably priced. This select spruce top dreadnought 12-string with a mahogany body delivers the tones and warmth you want, while the set mahogany neck and rosewood fingerboard deliver great feel. Chrome die-cast machine heads provide tuning stability. Chrome hardware. Natural finish.

# F. AJ-100CE ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Warm, woody tones for a tiny price. This Advanced Jumbo features a select spruce top. mahogany body and a rosewood fingerboard. The Nanoflex pickup senses the vibrations of the strings as well as the vibrations of the guitar body. With a solo-friendly cutaway and chrome hardware this is a great buy in a gig-ready guitar. Natural finish.

# G. DR-100 ACQUSTIC

Sweet looks and sound with a price to match. This is the perfect gift for the beginning guitarist or for a knockaround guitar. It's a nicely crafted acoustic that sports a laminated spruce top for durability and mahogany body and neck for warmth. Other features include chrome hardware and rosewood fingerboard with dot inlays. Black finish shown; see more finishes online.

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A Coastline Cedar 12-String QI Acoustic-Electric 516927 MSRP \$769.00 \$62900



**B** S6 Entourage 512366 MSRP \$477.00 **\*359**00

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**E** EW20ASE Acoustic-Electric 512118 MSRP \$599.99 **\*399**99

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G APX50011 Thinline Cutaway Acoustic-Electric H75594 MSRP \$460.00 \$29999

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H FG700S Folk

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# A. COASTLINE CEDAR 12-STRING QI ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Rich sound and Quantum electronics. The S12's neck offers stability with a tapered headstock that keeps it in tune. An ultrathin, semi-gloss finish over a select pressure-tested solid cedar top is matched sonically to a 3-layer lamination of wild cherry body woods. Built-in Godin QI electronics with saddle transducer and chromatic tuner let you hit the stage fully loaded. Natural finish.

# B. S6 ENTOURAGE

A solid-top acoustic at a great price. Boasts a super comfortable slim neck, cherry back and sides, and a solid cedar top, with a deep, rustic burst finish-honey toward the center, almost chocolate at the edges, with rich red cedar shining through it all. The finish is thin enough to allow your tonewood to naturally age, getting better over time. Rustic burst finish.

# C. CELEBRITY MID-DEPTH

Well-balanced for stage or home. Ovation's classic Mid-Depth composite body with flamed maple top delivers balanced acoustic tone and is comfortable to hold and play. The OP-4BT preamp features 3-band EQ with an accurate and easy-to-use onboard chromatic tuner that works equally well for standard, open, and altered tunings. Trans black burst flame.

D. G JUMBO EG523SC ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC Big volume and stunning appearance.  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{A}}$ spalted maple top, back and sides offer balanced tone and eye-catching good looks. An asymmetrical neck and 1-5/8" nut width provide comfort for intricate fingering. The TK40 preamp comes with volume control, 3-band EQ, EQ bypass, a notch filter, tuner and a mid-contour switch. Spalted maple.

E. AEF37E CUTAWAY ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC Warm, resonant tone and an eye-catching appearance. Quality craftsmanship plus a Fishman Sonicore pickup and Ibanez SST preamp system means it sounds great plugged in or not. Quilted maple top, back, and sides; gold Grover tuners; and pearl block abalone inlays on the rosewood fretboard deliver stunning looks. Onboard tuner. Cherry sunburst finish shown; see

# **EW20ASE ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC**

Figured ash for exotic looks and powerful sound. Striking grain patterns and vivid tone make this a treat. The B-Band UST pickup is paired with the Ibanez SRTn preamp with notch filter and tuner. Balanced 1/4" and XLR outputs are compatible with varied sound systems. Appointments include abalone rosette, chrome die-cast tuners and natural high-gloss finish.

# G. APX500II THINLINE CUTAWAY ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

With a neck electric guitarists will love. This one has a stylishly thin profile that fits the performer perfectly. It's built with a spruce top and Eastern mahogany for the neck, back and sides that project through the unique APX soundhole. The System-65 preamp with chromatic tuner offers controls for optimum sound tailoring.

An incredibly affordable solid-top. This entrylevel quitar has deluxe features like die-cast tuners, solid Sitka spruce top, nato back and sides, and a rosewood fingerboard. Black and white body binding and a tortoise pickguard offer sumptuous looks belying the tiny price tag. Sandburst finish shown; see more finishes online.



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WG 16SCE Grand Auditorium Acoustic-Electric
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**WD100DL Dreadnought Mahogany**H71608 MSRP \$349.90 \*149°0

A. SONORAN SCE ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Ready for good times and the stage. Built for sun-and-fun with a 3-ply pickguard, bone nut and bridge saddle and vintage-style Fender "Viking" bridge, it features a resonant solid spruce top for great sound and body cutaway for easy soloing. A Fishman Isys III pickup system is onboard with active preamp and tuner when plugged-in. Candy apple red shown; see more finishes online.

### B. ALKALINE TRIO MALIBU MAHOGANY ACOUSTIC.

Striking one-of-a-kind design. This unique guitar has a classic '60s-era sun-and-fun Malibu folkstyle acoustic dressed up with a band-designed heart-shaped rosette. Features a resonant all-mahogany body, scalloped X bracing, C-shape maple Strat neck, rosewood bridge with synthetic bone compensated saddle, and chrome hardware. Natural finish.

### C. FA-100 DREADNOUGHT.

A quality Fender at an affordable price. Here's a full-bodied guitar that has everything from the exclusive Fender headstock, bridge and pickguard shape, to the forward mounted strap button. This budget conscious acoustic delivers the tone of more expensive instruments and features internal block reinforcement, dot position inlays and multiple body bindings. Natural finish. Includes gig bag.

# D. PASSPORT C250/CM ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Highly versatile and comfortable. Inspired by the Breedlove Custom Shop C25 shape and voice, it delivers amazing tone, sustain and complexity in each note. A solid red cedar top and mahogany back and sides generate a warm sound with bold projection. Passport Active VTC pickup lets you be heard in any venue. Natural finish. Includes Breedlove gig bag.

# E. ATLAS SERIES STAGE D25/SR ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Sweet dreadnought tone with powerful projection. Beautiful aesthetics and sound are combine to meet the demands of discerning performers. A solid spruce top, solid rosewood back and laminate rosewood sided is paired with an L.R. Baggs LR-T CV Tuner Preamp with chromatic tuner and in-line mute, phase, EQ and volume controls that help dial in your sound. Natural finish. Includes Breedlove hardshell case.

# F. WG 16SCE GRAND AUDITORIUM ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Sweet-sounding cedar. Slightly smaller than a dreadnought with a solid cedar top and mahogany back and sides for warm tone, it also features a mahogany neck, rosewood fingerboard and bridge, and Fishman Isys+ Tuner/Preamp System. Other accoutrements include quartersawn scalloped bracing and bone nut and saddle. Natural finish.

# G. WD100DL DREADNOUGHT MAHOGANY

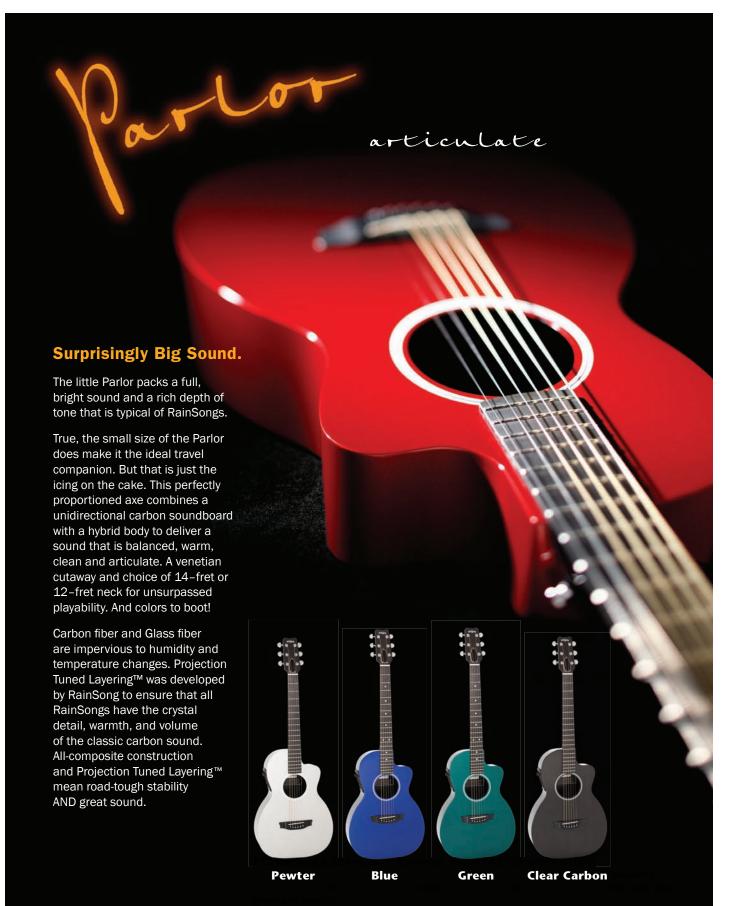
Warm tone and strong volume. This one has a mahogany top and body that create a warm, full tone that helps to balance out the powerful low- and high-end inherent to the dreadnought body shape. It comes with a mahogany neck, a rosewood fingerboard, a rosewood bridge, vintage style headstock and diecast tuners. Includes gig bag.

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# A. HYBRID SERIES H-DR1100N2

A high-tech fusion of materials. The body combines carbon and glass fibers for powerful sound and road-tough stability. Strong bass and ringing treble make it a great rhythmic guitar with crystalline clarity and articulation. The ergonomic N2 neck has a substantial feel and results in better string vibration transfer to the soundboard. Natural finish. Includes RainSong hardshell case.

# B. L-03R ROSEWOOD STANDARD SERIES

An original design for all types of music. Its gentle, sloping shoulders and lower bout produce a powerful, yet well-balanced sound. The tonewood combination of Canadian Sitka spruce top and rosewood back and sides offers a robust tone that's perfectly balanced. It also features Larrivee symetrical bracing and a hand-fit dovetail neck joint. Natural with rosewood.

### C. FAUNA PHOENIX ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

Captures the spirit of the phoenix. The soaring abalone-inlaid bird is stunning against the cutaway guitar's black lacquer finish. Constructed of select spruce and mahogany, this folk-style guitar is comfortable and equipped with Luna's 4-band preamp with built-in tuner. It's a distinctive guitar for players who celebrate the timeless joy of music. Includes gig bag.

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**B** L-03R Rosewood Standard Series H81638 MSRP \$1,828.00 \$137100





Fauna Phoenix Acoustic-Electric 516106 MSRP \$702.25 \$42900

# D. ARTIST SERIES ABT60 BARITONE

Great baritone sounds on a budget. Handselected solid Sitka spruce top and mahogany back and sides give you a warm, open and powerful sound. Both treble and bass registers are clear, present and balanced. Also features mother-of-pearl and abalone inlays, real bone saddles and nuts and rosewood appointments. Natural finish.

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Artist Series ABT60 Baritone H78608Ø MSRP \$539.00 \$35900



Dave Mustaine Mako Glory Acoustic-Electric \$49900 H88011 MSRP \$792.50

# E. DAVE MUSTAINE MAKO GLORY ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

The sonic marks of the metal master. Dave Mustaine named this signature guitar "Mako" after its shark gill-shaped soundhole, dorsal-finshaped bridge and shark's teeth pearl inlays. This mahogany and spruce guitar features a sharp Florentine cutaway for shredding and a one-of-akind American flag graphic. Flag graphic.

# F. MD100CE ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC

A value-priced guitar for all situations. It has a spruce top and mahogany back and sides with a cutaway for complete fingerboard access. Appointments include a dovetail neck joint, compensated saddle, abalone rosette and scalloped bracing. The onboard AT3000 active preamp lets you plug in and play with confidence in any venue. Natural finish.

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MD100CE Acoustic-Electricc 518971 MSRP \$399.99 **\$199.9**9 **\$179**99



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# G. RA-100D

A worthy starter guitar. A marvel for its price, the traditional dreadnought design makes for one very playable guitar with a great, full tone. Perfect for strumming or fingerpicking any style of music. Features a genuine spruce top, diecast tuning machines, 25-1/2" scale nato neck, and bound rosewood fretboard. Sunburst finish shown; see more finishes online.

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A. FA-130 ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC GUITAR PACK A sleek setup for the young performer. A concert-style body with a sleek, modern design and a bright, punchy tone ideal for playing leads. It has a built-in Fishman lon-T preamp with tuner and comes with a practice amp, cable, strap, instructional DVD, truss rod key, extra strings, string winder, 3 guitar picks and a gig bag. Black finish.

# B. C40 GIGMAKER CLASSICAL PACK

An ideal beginner's classical. This traditional nylon-string has a rosewood fingerboard and bridge; Nato neck; spruce top; and Indonesian mahogany back and sides. In addition to the C40 guitar, the package also includes a gig bag, instructional DVD, digital tuner and a limited lifetime warranty. Natural finish.

# C. IJV50 JAMPACK QUICK START

Our best value steel-string acoustic pack. The V50 natural-finish acoustic guitar is made of agathis wood for the back and sides with a spruce top, producing a bright tone. The mahogany neck features a rosewood fingerboard for smooth fingering, while the Ivorex II nut and saddle guarantee improved sustain. Includes an electronic tuner, gig bag, guitar strap and accessory pouch. Natural finish.



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D. PR-4E ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC PLAYER PACK
For the acoustic player who wants to rock out.
Features an Epiphone PR-4E, an easy-playing,
attractively appointed acoustic-electric guitar
with a select spruce top and mahogany back and
sides. Also includes the Acoustic-15 amp with
15W, 3-band EQ and chorus. Comes with a gig
bag, guitar lesson DVD, strap, pitch pipe, picks
and cable. Natural finish.

# ..... E. KINGMAN ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC BASS

Rich tones and vintage looks. A cool vibe emanates from its cutaway body, three-ply gold pickguard, rosewood "Viking" bridge and Jazz bass headstock. Features include solid spruce top and mahogany back & sides, along with a bone nut and saddle, maple neck, rosewood fingerboard and Fishman Presys preamp with tuner. Natural finish.



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# F. AEB5E ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC BASS

The best of both worlds at an unbeatable price. It delivers punchy low end, whether unplugged or amplified through the Ibanez piezo pickup and 2-band AEQ-202T preamp. Its agathis body gives it a warm tone. Crafted with a rosewood fingerboard and bridge and Ivorex II nut and saddle that produce brilliant highs and more pronounced lows. Black finish.



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# G. EAB ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC BASS A phenomenal value on a sweet-toned, easy-

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# A. 4NE CLASSICAL

Classical perfection. Boasting beautiful, resonant tonewoods and remarkable craftsmanship. this 6-string has unmistakable beauty, substance and style. The red cedar top paired with Indian rosewood body produces a punch attack and balanced tone, while a scarf neck joint adds strength to its cedar neck. Natural finish. Includes humicase protégé.

B. 000C NYLON STRING ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC Classic look and nylon sound with a steel string feel. Featuring a wide neck, slotted headstock and classical style bridge. The solid sapele back and sides have a similar tone to that of rosewood but with a little more treble accentuation. The solid Sitka spruce top with a gloss finish offers the tone a high velocity, as well as power and clarity when played forcefully. Onboard Fishman F1 Analog electronics make it stage ready. Natural finish. Includes Martin hardshell case.

### C. MULTIAC NYLON ENCORE ACOUSTIC-**ELECTRIC**

A solid top with custom-voiced electronics. This has a 2-chambered maple body with poplar wings and a solid cedar top. The neck is 1-7/8" wide, perfect for most guitarists. The electronics combine a sound imaging mic and an undersaddle transducer. A dual-source preamp with EQ, feedback control and blend permits an infinite range of nylon tones. Natural semi-gloss finish. Includes Godin gig bag.

D. SLG130NW CLASSICAL STYLE SILENT Designer looks, but true classical feel. It offers a real classical guitar experience with its conventional neck construction and nut width of 52mm (2.04"). It has an ebony fingerboard and rosewood/maple frames for woody feel. The onboard preamp houses digital effects taken from the class-leading SPX studio effects and a headphone out. Light amber burst finish. Includes gig bag.

# E. CGS STUDENT CLASSICAL

A value-packed instrument in a choice of sizes. The guitar features a spruce top, meranti back and sides, a nato neck, and a rosewood bridge and fingerboard. Yamaha is famous for producing great-sounding, budget classical guitars, and the CGS model will reward the learner with years of musical pleasure. 3/4 size with natural finish.

# F. C5 CLASSICAL

A handcrafted student model at a great price. Perfect for any aspiring classical guitarist or steelstring/electric wizard looking to take a walk on the wild nylon-string side. The solid cedar top and mahogany body produce amazingly rich tone while the wide string placement, easy string tension and low action make it a breeze to play. Natural finish.

# G. LC100CE ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC CUTAWAY CLASSICAL

Perfect for performance. A pleasure to look at and play, this full-scale guitar features a laminated spruce top and mahogany back and sides. The cutaway offers complete fingerboard access while built-in electronics with volume and tone controls make it a very versatile and affordable guitar for beginners. Natural finish.

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**B** 000C Nylon String Acoustic-Electric

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**■** SLG130NW Classical Style Silent H71291 MSRP \$1,075.00 \$65999



**E** CGS Student Classical H75955 MSRP \$211.00 \$12999



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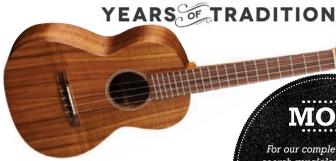


**E** C5 Classical 518773 MSRP \$380.00 **\$299**99



G LC100CE Acoustic-Electric Cutaway Classical H64930 MSRP \$399.99 \$199.99 \$1**79<sup>99</sup>** 





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# A. TENOR UKULELE KOA

Martin craftsmanship. This beauty features top, back and sides crafted of solid Hawaiian koa, a wood native to Hawaii and a favorite of island players. The entire body is finished in high quality satin lacquer. It has an applied dovetail neck joint, a solid morado fingerboard with a 17" scale and 20 frets. Satin finish. Includes Martin bag.

# B. CURLY KOA SERIES CK-TEK TENOR UKULELE WITH FISHMAN KULA ELECTRONICS

Ready for the beach or the stage. This acoustic-electric uke is made of rare curly Hawaiian koa which helps it produces a beautiful, crisp tone. Fishman Kula Electronics with a 3-band EQ helps you project even more when you're not just sitting around a fire at the beach. Its cutaway style gives you easier access to all 19 frets. Natural finish.

C. ROOT SERIES G9121 TENOR A.C.E. UKULELE Vintage vibe with modern features. This uke features a solid mahogany top, tenor-sized body and 1-piece mahogany neck for excellent tone. With a larger body than a concert ukelele, you get more volume and a deeper bass tone. The easy-to-play rosewood fingerboard has 19 frets with deluxe inlays and Grover geared tuners. Mahogany finish.

# D. TATTOO CONCERT UKULELE WITH PREAMP Traditional style and modern performance. It takes its design from traditional Hawaiian body ornamentation. These designs were monochromatic with strongly geometric patterns. The ukulele body and neck are all-mahogany with a

rosewood fingerboard and bridge. The onboard pickup and preamp make this one not only ready to be admired, but to be heard. Mahogany with tattoo laser etch and satin finish

# E. 15CM CONCERT UKULELE

A great entry into the ukulele universe. This completely handmade, concert-size ukulele has an all mahogany top, back, and sides. The fingerboard and body are bound with ivoroid binding, giving this entry-level uke an elegant, Old World appearance. Unlike most instruments in this category, the Cordoba 15CM features an authentic abalone rosette and satin natural finish that make this an exceptional ukulele for both beginners and enthusiasts alike. Natural finish.

# F. MU70 12-FRET CONCERT UKELELE

Beautifully crafted for excellent value. This ukulele has a laminated spruce top with rosewood back and sides. It features a rosewood fingerboard and bridge with mother-of-pearl mini-dot inlays and traditional button tuners. Its sweet sound is complemented by an intricate abalone rosette and body purfling. Natural finish.

### G. TEACH YOURSELF TO PLAY UKULELE COM-PLETE STARTER PACK

Everything you need to start playing the uke. This award-winning, best-selling, starter pack includes a high-quality Firebrand wood ukelele with nylon strings, custom-fit lightweight gig bag with carrying handle, an extra set of nylon strings, and Alfred's Teach Yourself to Play Ukulele Course (Book/CD/DVD). Pack.

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**B** Curly Koa Series CK-TEK Tenor Ukulele with Fishman Kula Electronics

H87000 MSRP \$600.00 \$38900





**■** Tattoo Concert Ukulele with Preamp H74415 MSRP \$207.85 \$13900

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Keep the Peace, While Practicing Anytime You Wish.

by Mark Merlino, Musician's Friend Staff Writer

e all know the feeling; the best time to practice may not be the most courteous time for playing music. The next thing you know your neighbor is banging on your garage door or even worse, they've called the cops. Luckily there are options. You could move to a remote location with no neighbors, pay for long hours at expensive rehearsal halls, or simply get a JamHub.

By integrating the JamHub into your practice sessions, not only are you going to please all of your neighbors, you'll also be making the most of your busy schedule. Gone are the days of needing a loud practice PA to blast out the band's sound while you rehearse. You're entire practice will only be as loud as the acoustic instruments you use and if your drummer has an electronic drum kit, then all of the external sound is reduced to just some tapping and a few singing voices. Lets face it, not all musicians even have a garage to practice in. Imagine the ability to practice at any hour with neighbors above, below, or on all sides of your apartment.

The process is simple, all you need to do is plug your instruments and mics into the JamHub, and assign each band member their own channel number. Then all they have to do is just plug-in a pair of headphones and dial-in a personal mix of the rest of the band and you'll be able to keep practicing all night or until you get it right!





# JamHub BedRoom

The JamHub BedRoom edition gives you 15 audio channels for up to a total of five musicians, with 5 XLR and 5 TRS jacks for inputs. This is a great option for any band with 5 or less members that's looking to practice quietly without disturbing the neighbors.

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# Sennheiser HD 280 Pro

You're going to need headphones if you want to keep the practice quiet, and the HD 280 Pro are a good choice. Their solid construction and around ear design make for a great practice pair of cans.

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for up to seven musicians to practice together. There's a total of seven XLR and TRS inputs, and the GreenRoom adds in both phantom power for studio condensers and a USB out so you can record your practice sessions on a computer.

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# JamHub GreenRoom

JamHub's GreenRoom edition offers the ability

# Jam Hub Tour Bus.

The JamHub TourBus edition is the maxed out version and features a built-in SD RAM card slot and recording system with metrnonome for capturing practices on the road. It has support for up o seven musicians with a total of seven XLR and TRS inputs, USB output, and phantom power.

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# Audio-Technica ATH-M50

The ATH-M50's offer great isolation and comfort, making them another wise choice for practicing. They provide outstanding high-frequency response and excellent low-end response so you can hear all the details of the band. Add \$10 for white.

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# Lwe Wire Headphone Extension – 10ft

Give the band some space; add a headphone extension to your JamHub rig.

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# A. CHROME GOLD RESONATOR

Beautifully crafted with advanced electronics. This beauty has an engraved chrome body with mahogany neck, "F" soundholes, slotted headstock, and rosewood fingerboard with split block inlays. It also has a magnetic "lipstick" pickup and a piezo electric pickup for both electric and acoustic tones. Grover tuners make it easy to stay in tune. Chrome/gold.

# B. TRAVEL/STARTER BANJO

Great sound and fine feel within budget. 18 brackets; high-quality, vintage-style head; open back; satin finish; and first-rate string tuning machines make this a hot little instrument for fancy pickin' on the go or in the office. It's lightweight and super sturdy, perfect if you're just starting out and don't want to spend a lot.

# C. GOODTIME BANJO

Easy traveling and very affordable! Light enough for traveling, the slender, fast-playing rock maple neck and birch and maple rim create a sparkling, sweet banjo sound with easy adjustability to keep it sounding and playing great. Geared tuners make tuning easy. Standard 11" head. Handmade by Deering in the USA.

# D. B17 5-STRING BANJO

Handcrafted for ringing tone. This well-crafted beauty will broaden your sonic pallet and add a new dimension to your music. Its features include a bell brass tone ring, 24 tension brackets, a rock maple neck, flat construction, a tension tailpiece, a flamed maple resonator, gold hardware and a sweet sunburst finish. Includes hardshell case.

### E. M118SW F-STYLE MANDOLIN

Distressed for a classic look. This one has a carved solid spruce top for warm, balanced tone. The back and sides are bookmatched carved solid flamed maple. The ebony fingerboard over the maple neck offers a warm sustain, while the F-style mandolin design keeps your attack punchy and quick—ideal for bluegrass settings. Vintage natural. Includes MC92 case.

### F. G9220 BOBTAIL ROUND NECK ACOUSTIC-ELECTRIC RESONATOR

Perfect for the blues with Fishman electronics. It has the round neck that's preferable for bluesbased music and a bound mahogany body. The Ampli-Sonic resonator cone is hand-spun in Eastern Europe from 99-percent pure aluminum. The onboard Fishman pickup features a split saddle piezo-ceramic pickup and offers accurate sound reproduction.

# G. MM-50E ELECTRIC MANDOLIN

Perfectly balanced sound. A solid spruce top and stunning flamed maple body provide solid acoustic fundamentals. Volume for each string pair can be set via 4 trim pots accessible from the top of the pickguard. A NanoMAG pickup and preamp with 2-band EQ capture the full harmonic range of this beautifully made mandolin. Natural finish.

# H. A-STYLE ACQUSTIC-ELECTRIC MANDOLIN

The bittersweet sounds of Appalachia. Built in the teardrop A-style with a mahogany neck and body for rich sustain ideal for rhythm. The spruce top adds crispness for shimmering solos that will cut through in band settings. The magnetic pickup has volume and tone controls to dial in your sound. Dark violin sunburst.

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# A. AMERICAN VINTAGE '58 PRECISION BASS Classic American craftsmanship and design.

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This revitalized classic features an alder body, thick C-shaped maple neck, 20 vintage-style frets, gold anodized aluminum pickguard with lacquer finish, a new American Vintage '58 split single-coil pickup. Also includes lower-mounted finger rest, vintage-style bridge, flat-top knurled chrome knobs, reverse tuners, and chrome pickup and bridge covers.

B. AMERICAN DELUXE JAZZ BASS 5-STRING
Updated electronics and other great features
enhance one of the best Fender Jazz basses
yet. The American Deluxe offers an alder body
with maple neck and either rosewood or maple
fretboard. A newly designed 3-band preamp
circuit with a mini toggle let you switch between
active and passive tones. N3 Noiseless pickups
create more clean headroom and extended EQ
range, and a pan pot allows blending of both.
Black finish shown; see more finishes online.
Includes Fender/SKB case.

# C. AMERICAN STANDARD JAZZ BASS WITH ROSEWOOD FINGERBOARD

The standard in bass since 1960. The American Standard is today's interpretation of a classic built for modern players. Features a high-mass vintage bridge, thinner finish undercoat improving resonance, graphite-reinforced C-shape maple neck with satin back, gloss rosewood or maple fingerboard, Fender Custom Shop '60s Jazz Bass single-coil pickups and lighter tuners. Mystic red finish shown; see more finishes online. Includes Fender/SKB case.

### D. AMERICAN STANDARD PRECISION BASS WITH ROSEWOOD FINGERBOARD

A modernized classic with all the right moves. The American Standard is the refined interpretation of Fender's classic instrument. It has a highmass vintage bridge, Fender Custom Shop '60s P-Bass split single-coil pickup, thinner finish undercoat improving resonance, graphite-reinforced C-shape maple neck with satin back, gloss maple or rosewood fingerboard and lighter tuners. Charcoal frost metallic finish shown; see more finishes online. Includes Fender/SKB case.

# E. AERODYNE JAZZ BASS®

High-performance, lightweight, and a look all its own. This special-edition no-nonsense Jazz Bass has a bound basswood body with a unique carved top, a maple neck with matching headstock and a P/J pickup combination. Black finish.

# F. BLACKTOP PRECISION BASS

Loaded with raw humbucking power! Sleek and supercharged, this bass has 2 pummeling Blacktop Bass humbucking pickups that make it one of the most powerful basses Fender has ever offered. Distinctive touches include 3 Jazz Bass control knobs and a Blacktop HiMass bridge. Features an alder body, C-shape maple neck, rosewood fretboard, and chrome hardware. White chrome pearl finish shown; see more finishes online.

# G. MODERN PLAYER JAGUAR BASS

An affordable bass with powerful pickups and vintage style. A lean, mean and stripped-down version of the Jaguar Bass with a Modern Player P Bass middle pickup and J Bass bridge pickup- and streamlined controls. Features include a koto body, C-shaped maple neck, maple fretboard with 9.5" radius and 20 jumbo frets, vintage-style four-saddle bridge with brass saddles and opengear tuners. Black with maple fretboard.



**C** Vintage Modified Jazz Bass

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### A. VINTAGE MODIFIED JAZZ BASS V

Superior sound and feel with unbeatable value. With a handsome natural finish, maple body and one-piece maple neck and 20-fret maple fingerboard, this bass is quality wood at a great price. Other features include dual Duncan Designed single-coil Jazz Bass pickups, three-ply pickguard and five-saddle bridge. Natural finish.

# B. MIKEY WAY SIGNATURE MUSTANG An easy-playing and strong-sounding bass.

This signature instrument has a number of flashy features. Mustang basses have a short scale, or neck length, that's ideal for younger players or guitarists who want to adapt quickly to the bass. This unique version features a black-painted headstock, a black/white/black pickguard and a powerful humbucking pickup. Rosewood fretboard. Special silver-sparkle finish with black racing stripe.

# C. VINTAGE MODIFIED JAZZ BASS

A retro-inspired funk machine anybody can afford. The one-piece hard maple neck, maple body, and Duncan Designed pickups deliver punchy tone for fingerstyle or slap 'n' pop. Black binding and block inlays, black pickguard, and chrome hardware give it true-to-the-'70s visual style. 3 tone sunburst finish shown; see more finishes online.

# D. VINTAGE MODIFIED JAGUAR BASS SPECIAL Precision and Jazz pickups give you the best of both worlds! Here's a bass that puts classic Fender looks into a distinctively sharp-looking, great-sounding and super-versatile Squier bass model. It features a sleek offset-waist body and an ultra-slim fast-action neck, with the added one-two punch of a booming split single-coil Precision Bass middle pickup paired with a growling Jazz Bass single-coil bridge pickup and an active bass-boost circuit that adds additional low-end power. Crimson red transparent finish shown; see more finishes online.



# E. VINTAGE MODIFIED JAGUAR BASS

A short-scale Jaguar Bass with classic Fender style. This one has a sleek offset-waist body and ultra-slim 30" scale maple neck. It features a split single coil P Bass middle pickup paired with a Jazz Bass single-coil bridge pickup. The Jaguar Bass Special SS is perfect for players of all kinds. See online to choose from a variety of finishes. Silver with black shown; see more finishes online.



# F. AFFINITY SERIES J BASS

A value-priced version of the world-famous Fender Jazz Bass. This super-affordable Squier will astound you with the fabulous feel and tone of the original. Genuine rosewood fretboard, maple neck, sculpted alder body, 2 vintage-style single-coil J Bass pickups, and a top-loaded bridge are all the essentials you need to get it right. Rosewood fretboard. Metallic blue finish shown; see more finishes online.



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# A. 4003

The classic Rickenbacker bass. Famous for its ringing sustain; treble punch; and solid, underlying bottom end, its distinctive shape is accentuated by subtle binding. All-pro features include deluxe triangular inlays; stereo output; maple neck-thru-body construction; double truss rods; and high-output, single-coil pickups with a wide response range and brilliant clarity. The Vintage Tone Selector adds an instant high-end boost. Choose fireglo, jetglo, midnight blue or mapleglo finish. Includes Rickenbacker standard case.

### **B. STINGRAY SLO SPECIAL HH**

The StingRay armed with dual humbuckers and an ultrafast Sterling neck. Constructed with a select hardwood body, select maple neck, Schaller BM tuners, and a 3-band active EQ, this StingRay offers dual Music Man humbucking pickups with 5-way switching for an even greater range of sound. The Sterling neck is a thinner profile than the standard StingRay, so you can fly up and down the fretboard at lightning speed. Choose maple or rosewood fretboard in black cherry burst or rosewood fretboard in black or white finish. Includes Music Man hardshell case.

# C. LTD B-206 6-STRING

Get your kicks on this good-looking 6.  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{A}}$ spalted maple top and ash body combine for beauty and tone. EMG pickups at the neck and bridge with volume and balance controls are complemented by active 3-band EQ for maximum tonal range. Maple-walnut neck has a 35" scale, rosewood fingerboard, 24 XJ frets, and abalone dot inlays.

# D. CLASSIC SABRE

Back after 20 years. This classic design has all of Music Man's modern goodies to bring it up to speed in the 21st century like an ash body, birdseye or flamed maple neck, top loading chrome plated hardened steel bridge plate, humbucker pickups, 2-band active preamp, controls for vol, treble, bass and a 5-way lever pickup selector.

# E. S.U.B. RAY4

A solid 4-string with amazing tone shaping, a loud humbucking pickup and quality construction. The Ray4 is a classic, iconic instruments that continues to define generations of bassists today. Active electronics, low-noise humbucking pickups and rock-solid hardware. The solid hardwood body is attached to a slim, full-scale maple neck with medium jumbo frets that allow for effortless fretting. Includes Music Man hardshell case.

# F. THUNDERBIRD IV

Rock 'n' roll-approved body style. This streamlined design is based on Gibson's original reversed body shape - a classic that has stood the test of time. 2 humbuckers and volume and tone controls. Alder body, maple neck, and rosewood fingerboard. Choose vintage sunburst, silverburst or ebony finish.

# G. IGNITION VIOLIN BASS

Authentic details inspired by the original. This affordably priced violin bass from the maker of the original features a rosewood fretboard, real spruce top, and beautiful flamed maple back and sides. The semi-hollowbody and set neck give you the same warm, round tones that made the original famous. Choose black or sunburst finish





# A. SR700

Slim, gorgeous and powerful! The thinner design of the SR700 combined with its convenient cutaway makes it easy for those with smaller hands to access all the strings and frets along its beautiful 5-piece jatoba/bubinga neck. The mahogany body is comfort contoured and features a beautiful figured maple top. Bartolini MK1 pickups and 3-band EQ give it great tone and range. Choose charcoal brown or amber finish.

### B. GSR200

Comfortable, versatile and powerful. The GSR200 offers famous Soundgear sleekness, tone, and playability. The agathis body is lightweight and well balanced. Equipped with 2 high-output Powersound pickups in a Jazz bass configuration. Also includes the Ibanez Phat II active bass boost, a maple neck with rosewood fingerboard with a comfortable 12" radius and 34" scale.

# C. JUMPSTART BASS PACK

A complete bass package. Here's everything to get started on the road to fame and fortune as a bassist including a 10-watt amp, GSR190 bass and accessories like gig bag, cable, picks, stand, accessories pouch and online lessons. Get out of the audience and up on stage where you belong.

### D. BTB675ZW 5-STRING

A boutique-quality bass at a working player's price. With the advent of the BTB, Ibanez decided that the concepts of well-selected body materials, 35" neck scale, and deep cutaways could be applied to an instrument that anyone could afford. Features exclusive zebra wood body, neck-thru construction, Bartolini MK2 pickups, Bartolini MK2 3-band EQ, and Monorail II bridge.

# E. SR500 SOUNDGEAR

Sleek, sexy, and sonically versatile. An incredibly well-crafted and -equipped bass for its price. It features a slim, fast, SR4 5-piece wenge and bubinga neck on a sculpted mahogany body. Rosewood fretboard has medium frets and oval abalone markers, while the maple fretboard version boasts black dot inlays. The Accucast B20 bridge offers easier string changes, single-screw saddle and height adjustment, and improved stability. Its 2 Bartolini MK1s integrate perfectly with the active 3-band EQ. It's a bass that will excel in any style of music. Brown mahogany finish with your choice of rosewood or maple fretboard.

# F. GSRM20 MIKRO SHORT SCALE

Compact and comfortable. Its smaller size and easy-play 28.6" scale are especially suited to young rockers. You get deep, resonating tone from the mahogany body and smooth playability from medium frets on the rosewood fingerboard. A traditional single- and split-coil pickup setup gives you plenty of tonal choices. Choose black, red or amethyst sky metallic or pearl white finish.

# G. GSR206 6-STRING

A mighty 6-string with PHAT-II EQ. Built with an agathis body, one-piece maple neck, and fitted with chrome hardware, the PHAT-II EQ plus dual volume and tone knobs helps you dial in the sound you seek from the DHX-6 pickups. Black finish.

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Tube or solid state preamp? This one's got 'em both! Whether you prefer the warmth and richness of a tube preamp or the clean attack of solid state, with the Little Mark Tube you can have one or the other - or a mix of both! Includes a 1/4" input as well as a combo jack with phantom power, 4-band EQ, Variable Pre-Shape Filter, Vintage Loudspeaker Emulator, XLR out with pre/post EQ switch and individual gain controls for each input. 500W at 8 ohms, 800W at 4 ohms.

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A 12" speaker, piezo tweeter, and a 300W/500W amp make it ideal for rehearsal, studios or small club gigs. Controls include gain and master, 4-band EQ, VLE (Vintage Loudspeaker Emulator), and VPF (Variable Pre-shape Filter) filters. Other amenities include balanced XLR out with ground lift, tuner out and Neutrik Speakon/1/4" combo jacks. 29 lb.

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# A. MB 11 SERIES

The MB Series MKII from Gallien-Krueger offers compact, lightweight cabs with enough power for any situation and is equipped with GK's proprietary "Chain Out." Features include a preamp with tone-shaping circuitry that feeds into a lightweight Class-D power amp, 4-band active tone control section with a Contour preset feature, input w/ -10db pad, a defeatable Limiter for controlling your sound, 1/8" auxiliary input, headphone jack and XLR DI output.

B. ABM 500 EVO III 575W BASS AMP HEAD Powerful Ashdown tone and amazing shaping abilities! The ABM 500 EVO III has a switchable active/passive input and unique, footswitchable tone controls including EQ, preamps, onboard compressor and subharmonic generator providing access to a massive range of clean, warm and overdriven tones. Three rotary tone controls provide 20dB of cut and boost and are supplemented by two pairs of additional sliders. The ABM 500 EVO III features a front-panel mounted balanced DI out with pre or post EQ switching, a sub-bass output, a tuner output, an FX loop and a line input for the connection of an external sampler or sound source. Black/blue.

# C. TONE HAMMER 500 BASS HEAD

Legendary Aguilar tone that fits in your gig bag pocket. Based on the popular Tone Hammer pedal, it combines 3 bands of flexible EQ with selectable mid frequency, a colorful Drive control, and 500W of power in a 4-lb. package. Aguilar's Adaptive Gain Shaping circuit in the Drive control lets you dial in subtle distortion and EQ for added punch. A series FX loop, balanced XLR out with pre/post EQ and ground lift, and tuner out round out the pro features.

D. LH SERIES LH1000 HYBRID BASS HEAD Perfect for any application big or small. The LH1000 boasts 1000 watts of power and has a 12AX7 Class-A tube front-end design with a solid state output. Trick out the Treble and Bass Shelving or use the Brite and Limiter switches to shape your sound and adjustments on-the-fly are easy. Perfect for gigging musicians, it's as durable as it is powerful.

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he MAX Series delivers great Peavey sound in the perfect package. These handy combos feature DDT speaker protection, patented TransTube circuitry that offers a gain boost for a classic overdrive sound and a unique psycho-acoustic low-end enhancement. Awesome extras include built-in chromatic tuner. XLR direct output with ground lift and 1/8" jacks for phones output and aux input.

# A. B450MKII BASS COMBO

Equipped with advanced, Acoustic technology. 450 watts of low-end thunder and dual custom-designed 10" woofers with a switchable high-frequency driver and low-frequency shelf port offer a wide range of tonal possibilities. The control panel features an overdrive channel with separate volume, Acousti-comp compression circuitry, and 6 band EQ with shape control.

# B. BA115 BASS COMBO

A very affordable and great-sounding first Ampeg. The 15" speaker is driven by 100W for classic bottom end. It's equipped with master and gain controls, XLR balanced line out, headphone jack, and RCA inputs for connecting audio players. The cabinet tilts back for monitoring.

# C. PORTAFLEX PF-410HLF CAB

Big Ampeg sound in a manageable cab. The Ampeg PF-410HLF bass enclosure delivers the performance, looks and affordability of the popular Portaflex series in a powerful, shelfported design that hits hard and low. Perfect for rehearsals or small club gigs, its removable casters and integrated side handles provide convenient transport. Handling 800 watts and featuring four 10" Eminence drivers and a selectable HF driver, the PF-410HLF is the perfect cab for any high-powered head.

### D. PORTAFLEX PE800 HEAD

A compact and powerful bass head that delivers amazing Ampeg sound. The PF-800 delivers the superior performance of Ampeg's Portaflex Series bass heads in an ultra-compact 800-watt design perfect for power-hungry bassists that demand uncompromising tone. Plug into a pair of Portaflex bass enclosures for a vintage-styled rig that is extremely powerful, portable and undeniably Ampeg.

# E. SVT-410HLF BASS CAB

Extended low-end response, perfect for 5-string players! This 4x10 cab has the same speakers and 1" horn as the popular SVT-410HE with 2" coils and 30-oz. magnets, but the cab itself is tuned differently and has a bottom port for extended low-end response down to 48Hz! 400W RMS power handling at 4 ohms.  $24"W \times 10^{-5}$ 30"H x 19"D. 110 lb.

# F. SVT-7PRO BASS HEAD

Dishes out a ferocious kilowatt of pure Class D power with a tube preamp. Its remarkable tone starts with a premium JJ 12AX7 tube preamp that feeds a weight-defying Class D power amp with a whopping 1,000W output at 4 ohms. 3-band EQ with 5-position mid-frequency control for dialing in your ideal sound. It's also got onboard compression, Neutrik combo jacks, balanced line out and weighs just 15.5 lb

# G. MAX 110 II BASS COMBO

Maximum bass with minimum space. The MAX 110 bass combo amp delivers more bass in a space saving package. With 100 Watts of power that includes DDT speaker protection and a 10-inch heavy-duty woofer, the Peavey MAX 110 is ready for plenty of gigs and rehearsals. Another Peavey exclusive is the patented TransTube circuitry that offers you a gain boost. The EQ section includes a 3-band EQ and a button for Mid-shift. The Max 110 also includes a unique psycho-acoustic low end enhancement that adds low end without taxing the speaker, a testament to Peavey's technology driven philosophy. Rounding out the features are a built-in chromatic tuner and 1/8" jacks for phones output and aux input.

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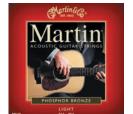
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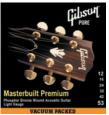
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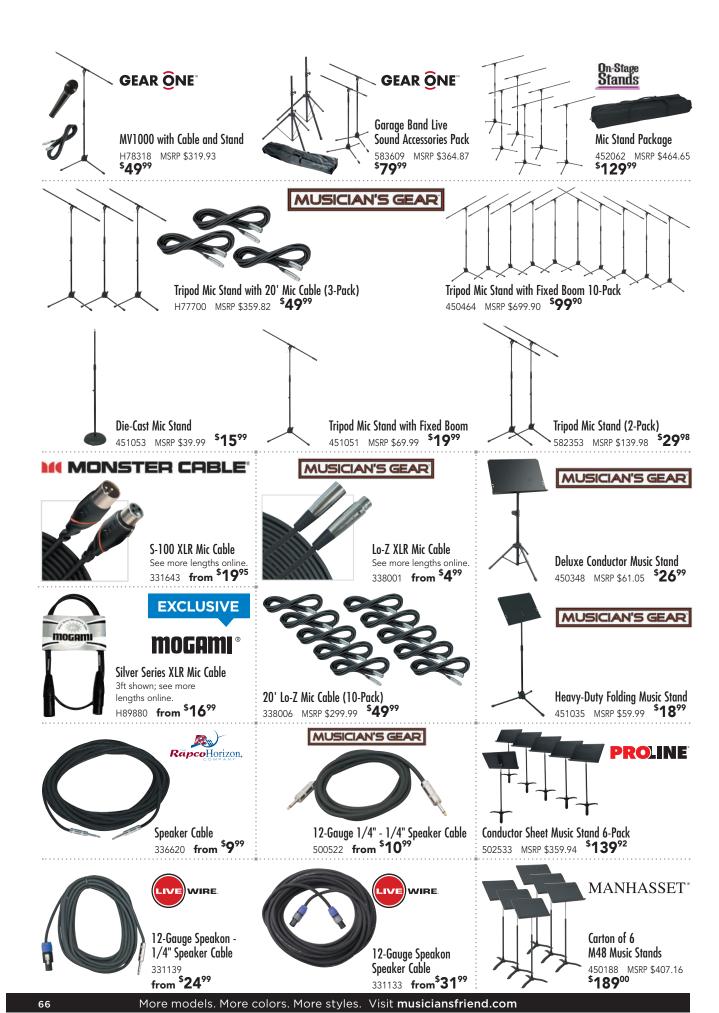
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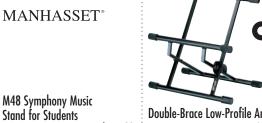








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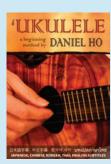


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