

'AAA-intro.ly'

Introduction

This document shows examples from the [LilyPond Snippet Repository](#).

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`'adding-drum-parts.ly'`

LilyPond makes drums input quite easy, with powerful pre-configured tools such as the `\drummode` function and the `DrumStaff` context: drums are placed to their own staff positions (with a special clef symbol) and have note heads according to the drum. You can easily attach an extra symbol to the drum, and restrict the number of lines.

The image shows a musical score for two instruments: timbales and drums. Both staves are in common time (C). The timbales staff uses a standard clef and contains notes with stems pointing up and down, and rests. The drums staff uses a special clef (a vertical line with a cross) and contains notes with stems pointing up and down, and rests. Above the drums staff, there are symbols for 'crash' (a circle with a cross) and 'h.h.' (a circle with a cross) indicating specific drum sounds. The score consists of two measures.

The image shows a continuation of the musical score, starting with a measure number '3'. It features two staves: the top one is for timbales and the bottom one is for drums. The notation continues with notes and rests on both staves, maintaining the same rhythmic and instrumental context as the previous section.