## QUICKSTART GUIDE FOR TRACKING AND MIXING SESSIONS

## DRUM ARSENAL PRODUCTIONS DRUMS - PERCUSSION - MIXING





#### HOW IT WORKS:

- 1) Request Session Quote
- 2) Pay Session Deposit (50%)
- 3) You Send a Scratch Track For Your Song
- 4) Drum Tracks are Recorded
- 5) Your Sent an MP3 to Approve
- 6) Any Changes You Need are Made
- 7) Another MP3 is Sent
- 8) Drum/Percussion Parts are Approved
- 9) Final Invoice is Paid
- 10) Final Session Wav. Files Are Sent!



#### DRUM AND PERCUSSION TRACKING SESSIONS

Thank you for choosing Drum Arsenal Productions for your drum, percussion, and mixing needs! I work with top producers from around the world giving them the studio drum sounds and parts they need to make hit songs and I can't wait to work with YOU!

For drum tracking sessions, you receive:

- Studio quality drum multi-tracks (wav. files)
- 2 revision takes to change the drum part, try sounds etc.
- Percussion (if needed)
- Drum Loops (if needed)



#### TO GET STARTED:

All I need from you is a rough scratch track of your song recorded to a click track. This scratch track can be anywhere from a full demo or just a single instrument recording with the lyrics.

- Make sure your scratch track starts at 0:00
- Record to a Click Track
- Include a click count off (two bars of click before the music starts)
- Include the tempo and sample rate, and bit depth

-Reference track for part ideas or tones For example:

MySong\_72BPM\_44.1k\_24bit.wav



#### MIXING SESSIONS HOW IT WORKS:

- 1) Request Session Quote
- 2) Pay Mix Deposit (50%)
- 3) You Send Multitracks to be Mixed
- 4) First Mix is Completed
- 5) Your Sent an MP3 to Review
- 6) Any Changes You Need are Made
- 7) Another MP3 is Sent to Review
- 8) Final One-On-One Virtual Mix
- Session Can Be Scheduled
- 9) Mix is Approved & Final Invoice is Paid
- 10) Final Mix is Sent!





### MIX PREP

- Organize and Name Tracks Logically
- Avoid Clipping and Distortion
- Disable Any Plugins or Send Wet and Dry Versions
- Send Tracks as Mono Wav. Files
- Include Bit Depth and Sample Rate Info
- Include BPM and Mix Reference Info
- Send Any Reference Songs
- Include Any Other Notes You May Have



# Please reach out if you have any questions at all!

I look forward to working with you.

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