



TO GET MAXIMUM PERFORMANCE AND LIFE OUT OF YOUR AHEAD DRUMSTICKS, FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR COVER CARE AND COVER REPLACEMENT.

COVER CARE

Proper cover replacement increases the lifespan of the AHEAD Drumsticks, protects your cymbals and provides maximum life, feel and sound performance. (AHEAD Drumsticks do not break cymbals. They are actually better for your cymbals than wood drumsticks, when properly used and maintained).

Please note that LT, ST, and MT covers are not interchangeable.

RECOMMENDED ACCESSORIES

AHEAD Grip Tape

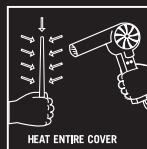
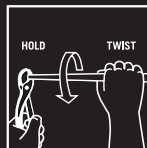
Recommended for use on all drumsticks. It allows the drummer to put less energy into holding the sticks and more into playing.

AHEAD Drumming Gloves

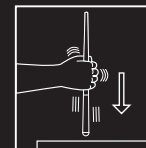
Designed for drummers who prefer gloves. They feature “hot spot” pads and use materials that are breathable and last longer.

COVER REPLACEMENT

1. To remove tip, wrap a piece of paper around tip, then clamp with pliers and unscrew.
2. If used cover does not slip off, use a hot air source (i.e. hair dryer) to soften plastic for easy removal.
3. It is very important to use hot air to preheat new covers immediately before installation.



4. While cover is still hot, slip it over the stick. Then strike butt end down on a hard surface to firmly seat new cover and spacer (blend) ring.



5. When putting the tip on, screw it down two turns and apply super-type glue to the remaining threads. Then tighten until the tip is flush with the top of the cover.

