I. AHEAD SCREW-ON TIPS

The screw-on tip design of the AHEAD allows for easy cover replacement and tip style variations. Made from super-high impact Zytel nylon, the standard tips sound like wood and are shatterproof. For those who prefer a brighter sound, the SAT, Ball, 5AS, MBT and 5AB tips made from nylon 66 are also available. However, proper cover replacement will prolong the life of the sticks and provide unequaled feel and performance.

1. Wrap a piece of paper around tip to protect it (i.e. business card), clamp the tip with a pair of pliers and turn drumstick handle counterclockwise until tip loosens.
2. Replace tip by screwing it back down until it is flush with replacement cover. Do not over tighten tip.
3. For extremely hard playing, some drummers add a drop of super-type glue to the threads after screwing tip on in way, then tighten immediately.

II. AHEAD REPLACEMENT COVERS

The AHEAD drumsticks are designed to provide the ultimate in playing performance and come with the NEW Ultra Hard Cover. Although AHEAD sticks last longer than traditional wood sticks, they are not unbreakable. However, proper cover replacement will prolong the life of the sticks and provide unequaled feel and performance.

To replace AHEAD covers:

1. Warranty is not applicable to tips, covers or grip tape which are replaceable.
2. Warranty does not apply to sticks damaged by use of worn-out covers or dents in the handle.
3. Warranty is not applicable to misuse and does not apply if any alterations have been made.
4. For all warranty claims purchased in the USA and Canada, the defective product must be sent with a copy of the sales receipt, post paid to:
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   c/o Big Bang Distribution
   9420 Reseda Blvd., PMB 350
   Northridge, CA 91324
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5. Because AHEAD cannot control usage of this product, AHEAD’s sole responsibility will be replacement of defective merchandise. AHEAD will not be responsible for damage to person or equipment due to the use of this product.

WARRANTY RETURN FORM

Name:__________________________________________Date purchased:__________________________
Address:__________________________________________Daytime telephone:__________________________
Date:_________Name:_________Address:_________Daytime telephone:_________
Describe the problem:________________________________________
Length of time used:__________________________How many wood sticks would you have used?
____________ Where: ____________________________________
How often do you play (hours per week?):__________________________Are there chips in the core shaft?
__________________________Questions? Call us at 800-547-6401 or visit our website at www.bigbangdist.com

III. AHEAD GRIP TAPE

The AHEAD replacement covers are designed to protect gear and sticks while providing ultimate performance. Cover life will vary from drummer to drummer, but they will last as long or longer than traditional wood sticks. And unlike wood sticks, the AHEAD’s feel and flex will not diminish with prolonged play.

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