

# Basic 6/8 Grooves

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## NOTATION LEGEND

The notation legend shows various drum sounds on a five-line staff. The symbols are as follows:

- KICK:** A solid black dot on the bottom line.
- SNARE:** A solid black dot on the second line.
- SNARE GHOST:** A solid black dot on the second line with a smaller dot above it.
- CROSS STICK:** An 'x' on the second line.
- TOM 1:** A solid black dot on the first space.
- TOM 2:** A solid black dot on the second space.
- TOM 3:** A solid black dot on the third space.
- TOM 4:** A solid black dot on the fourth space.
- HI HAT CLOSED:** An 'x' on the fourth line.
- HI HAT OPEN:** A circled 'x' on the fourth line.
- HI HAT STEPPED:** A circled 'x' on the fourth line with a smaller dot above it.
- HI HAT SPLASH:** A circled 'x' on the fourth line with a smaller dot to the right.
- RIDE:** An 'x' on the fourth line with a smaller dot to the right.
- RIDE BELL:** A diamond on the fourth line with a smaller dot to the right.
- LEFT CRASH:** An 'x' on the fourth line with a smaller dot to the right.
- RIGHT CRASH:** An 'x' on the fourth line with a smaller dot to the right.
- CHINA:** An 'x' on the fourth line with a smaller dot to the right.
- STACK/SPLASH:** A triangle on the fourth line with a smaller dot to the right.
- COWBELL:** A triangle on the fourth line with a smaller dot to the right.
- RIM OF DRUM:** An 'x' on the fourth line with a smaller dot to the right.
- AUX SNARE:** A solid black dot on the fourth line.

Six numbered musical staves (1-6) showing drum notation for 6/8 grooves. Each staff consists of two measures. The first measure of each staff contains a series of 'x' marks on the second line, representing a tom pattern. The second measure contains a series of 'x' marks on the fourth line, representing a hi-hat pattern. A greater-than sign (>) is placed above the first note of the second measure in each staff, indicating an accent. The notes in the second measure are: 1) quarter note, 2) quarter note, 3) quarter note, 4) quarter note, 5) quarter note, 6) quarter note.