

# 32nd Note Linear Gadd Style Drum Lick

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In this weeks lesson we have got a sweet sounding 32nd note linear pattern inspired by the legend that is Steve Gadd. We will be playing the pattern between the kick, snare and hi hat, but it can be orchestraed around the kit for a cool sounding drum fill. To learn this idea we only need to learn the first 16 notes which we will play as 16th notes and then repeat and double the speed. When you have got that down, there is a nice and simple linear groove to apply this pattern too. Enjoy.

## The pattern as 16th notes

L L R R L L R L L R R L L

## The pattern as 32nd notes

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Try applying the pattern above to this simple linear groove.

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