

Kassa Soro

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Kassa Soro (Cassa Sorro) is a Malinke rhythm from the east of Guinea.

Kenkeni	● ● ○	○ ○	● ● ○	○ ○
	x:x	x	x:x	x

Sangban	●	●	●		●	●
	x	x:x	x:x	x	x	x

		○		●	●	
	x	x	x	x	x	x

Doundoun	●	●	● ●	●
	x:x	x:x	x:x	x:x

		●	●	●	●	●
	x:x	x	x	x	x	x

Djembé 1	B	T	S	B	T	S
	r	r l	r	r	r l	r

Djembé 2	S	S	T	S	b	S	T
	r	l r	r l	r	r l	r	l

Djembé 3	T	S	S	S	T	S	B
	r	l r	l	r l	r l	r	l

Combi sangban	●	●	●		●	●
doundoun		●	●	●	●	●
bell	x	x:x	x:x	x	x:x	x:x

sangban			●	●		
doundoun		●	●		●	●
bell	x:x	x	x	x:x	x	x

Break: not specifically for Kassa Soro (on the CD 'Rhythmen und Lieder aus Guinea' van Famoudou Konaté is this break played with Djagba). You can repeat this intro several times before starting the rhythm as well.

Break 1 douns	●	●				
3x						

	●	●				●
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	●	●	●	●	●	●
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djembé				S	S	S
douns	●	●	●	●		

djembé	S			S	S	S
						B

djembé	S	S		S	S	S
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Sources

Lessons from Martin Bernhard and Mamoudou 'Delmundo' Keita.

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