



## INFORMATION SHEET

### WORLDWIDE DIGITAL MUSIC DISTRIBUTION

There is no denying that the future of music for a large part lies in the digital world. The digital music platforms are the main source of finding music for the younger generations. But we see the older generation fans making more and more use of digital music sources. **Dutch Music Works** offers distribution on all mainstream music platforms (Apple Music, Amazon Music, Google Play Music, Juno Download, Shazam, Spotify, Deezer, YouTube Music and Beatport & Traxsource (for dance music) plus over 250 other download and streaming platforms worldwide \*). Furthermore **Dutch Music Works** can handle the YouTube monetisation on your behalf.

Your music will be uploaded to all major streaming providers (see above) plus to over 250 other platforms. Acceptance on all major platforms is guaranteed, acceptance on the other platforms is primarily based on music genre and so at the discretion of the platforms. You have the choice whether you wish to distribute your music for streaming and/or download only. You may exclude the YouTube Monetisation. You can also choose the countries or continent you wish to include (or exclude).

The distribution process typically takes about 3 weeks before your music is live on the platforms! Please note that there is no notification process about this. You will have to check yourself on the platforms via the links provided below.

Streaming statistics will be updated on a monthly basis and will be included in the **Dutch Music Works** Sales Statements. Please note that gathering the statistics info may take up to 4 months before the first sales statistics will be visible.

#### What do we need from you?

To be able to successfully distribute your music **Dutch Music Works** needs the following information:

1. Your music tracks in WAV format (minimum 44.100 kHz – 16 bits, preferably 48.000 kHz – 24 bits).
2. Album cover in JPG format (square: minimum 3000x3000 pixels).
3. Proposed release date (at least 6 weeks after providing these details).
4. EAN-code (if not available we can provide one at € 17,50 ex.VAT).
5. Per track: first and last name of composer(s) and lyricist(s) and ISRC-code (if not available we can provide them for free).

#### Pricing

**Dutch Music Works** charges the following for this service:

- Setup fee: € 25 ex.VAT.
- 15% of net streaming income.

\*) Digital Distribution in China is provided as an extra separate service.

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### Income & pay out

You will receive 85% of the streaming income of your music. This income will be added to the **Dutch Music Works** Sales statement. These sales statement are the basis of your invoice to **Dutch Music Works** and the pay out to you. Sales Statements are prepared monthly but only sent out when the turnover is minimum € 50. If this limit is not reached the income will be held and added to the income of the next month until we meet the minimum limit.

### Streaming providers information

- **Apple Music** is a music and video streaming service developed by Apple Inc. Users select music to stream to their device on-demand, or they can listen to existing, curated playlists. It includes the Internet radio station Beats 1, which broadcasts live to over 100 countries 24 hours a day.
- **Amazon Music** is a music streaming platform and online music store operated by Amazon.com. It became the first music store to sell music without digital rights management (DRM) from the four major music labels as well as many independents.
- **Deezer** is a French online music streaming service. It allows users to listen to music content from record labels including Sony Music, Universal Music Group, and Warner Music Group on various devices online or offline.
- **Google Play Music** is a music and podcast streaming service and online music locker operated by Google. In addition to offering music streaming for Internet-connected devices, the Google Play Music mobile apps allow music to be stored and listened to offline.
- **Juno Records** is a UK-based online dance music retail store, selling vinyl records, CDs, music downloads and music accessories. After adding MP3 and WAV downloads to its catalogue, Juno Download was launched as a standalone site.
- **Shazam** is an application owned and developed by Apple Inc. The application can identify music, movies, advertising, and television shows, based on a short sample played and using the microphone on the device.
- **Spotify** is a Swedish media-services provider who offers an audio streaming platform that provides DRM-protected music and podcasts from record labels and media companies. Via paid subscriptions additional features, such as improved streaming quality, are offered.
- **YouTube Music** is a music streaming service and mobile app developed by YouTube; it provides a tailored interface for the service oriented towards music streaming, allowing users to browse through songs and music videos on YouTube based on genres, playlists, and recommendations.
- **Beatport** is an American electronic music-oriented online music store owned by LiveStyle. Beatport is oriented primarily towards DJs, selling full songs as well as resources that can be used for remixes.
- **Traxsource** is created, built, and managed by DJs and producers that have decades of experience and who are still active in today's scene. To only represent the best, Traxsource go through thousands of new songs every week to cherry-pick the best sounding tracks and maintain good quality on your downloads.

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- **Monetisation** is the way to get income on YouTube. It is nothing but the ability to make money out of your videos by allowing ads on your videos.

*We are proud to offer you our worldwide distribution service together with our partner iMusicianDigital.*

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