

Deliver your music to a global download network with reliability and performance that is second to none.

Label Worx is a complete and comprehensive service for independent labels who wish for their music to be delivered efficiently and in a professional manner to the worlds global download market. Our ever increasing distribution network allows us to deliver your music to a vast array of commercial outlets, such as iTunes, along with specialist download portals such as Beatport, Audiojelly, Track It Down, DJ Download and Traxsource amongst many others.

How does it work?

Via our LMS (Label Management System) we provide you with all of the tools you need to setup your singles or albums with their associated artwork and audio files. Our system validates all of your information at every step of the way to ensure nothing is missed.

You can create as many 'Draft' releases as you need, but once you are ready and the single or album has been validated you can submit the release as 'Final'. This will then push the release through to our encoding servers that will prepare your audio and metadata ready for distribution to a global download network of stores that are ready to sell your music.

Our effortless service means Label Worx can dramatically reduce the time you spend dealing with individual stores by handing over all communication, delivery and accounting to our specialist team. We are also dedicated to ensuring your music obtains the best features, banners and promotion to maximize your coverage and sales revenue.

Everything we do is based around our LMS which will provide you with a detailed set of sales reports that transparently show all revenue received prior to any commission being deducted. This enables you as a label to maintain a clear picture on exactly how your company is performing.

Store Acceptance

As soon as we receive your signed contract and satisfactory information that pertains to your record label such as key artists, a professional looking logo and detailed biography we will start the application process with our network of stores.

We will endeavour to setup your label on all of the portals we delivery to although due to the way in which certain portals operate it is impossible for us to guarantee that your label will be accepted by 100% of our network. Some stores will not be interested in your genre of music and other stores simply operate a strict vetting procedure which can prevent labels from selling their music there.

Therefore to ensure that your label has the highest appeal we need to, insist that your label has a professional looking image with a high-quality logo, a good web presence (whether it's a website, Myspace or ideally both) and obviously a good catalogue of releases. If on the rare occasion that your label is not accepted by any of the stores then we will provide you with a reason for their decision so that you can take steps to remedy this. (Please see our Store Applications document for more information regarding store vetting procedures).

DISTRIBUTION

Release Scheduling

In order to process your releases we ideally need a minimum of 6 weeks lead time from the date in which you submit your release and the official release date. Many stores can process and “put up” your release in as little as 2 weeks, but we always recommend 6 weeks allowing ample time for bigger stores and all parties involved to action deliveries. The lead time for your first release can be much longer because certain stores can take a long time to add new labels.

Our system also gives you the capabilities to specify individual stores where you wish to release your music exclusively for a certain period of time and at a higher revenue rate.

Statements and Payments

Label Worx will provide you with a statement of your sales within 30 days of the end of each financial quarter. Upon receiving an invoice for your statement we will then send payment within 30 days.

Although we have the ability to settle by Interbank transfer (IBAN), there is a cost of £15 per settlement to a foreign bank, therefore if you opt to be paid by this method we will deduct £15 from the balance that is sent. We are more than happy to settle by Paypal or Credit Card. Otherwise, outstanding amounts will be carried over to the next quarter.

Commission Rates

Label Worx consistently offers the most competitive commission rates with unprecedented levels of service. We will beat any like 4 like offer that you receive from any other distributor whilst also providing you with access to a fully featured label management system.

Labels Annual Gross Sales	% Commission Rate
Up to £3,500	20 %
£3,500 - £6,000	16 %
£6,000 - £10,000	14 %
£10,000 - £20,000	12 %
£20,000 and over	10 %

The rates listed above are guidelines but please feel free to contact us for a more tailor deal. Once you are signed up and releasing music we will continually review your revenue and statement values. Your commission rate will be adjusted accordingly to ensure that as your business grows our commission rate falls.

Registration

Registration is completely free. Just complete the signup form at the link below and get access to your free account - www.label-worx.com/signup