

Anti-Piracy



Where do I get Info and Permissions?

1. AUDIO – Licensing Organizations
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4. Anti-piracy related associations

The best way to have your order processed without delays due to anti-piracy verification is to provide all supporting authorization documents along with your order .

1. AUDIO - Licensing

Reproduction rights

The musical composition, which is fixed on a support , like a tape or a cd , is copyrighted . You need to obtain a **mecanical reproduction license** in order to make copies and distribute them, **even if the copies are given away for free (promotional)** . The publishers usually control the rights for the musical composition. Reproduction rights agencies issue licenses and collect royalties on behalf of their publisher members.

Reproduction rights agencies

United States -- Harry Fox Agency

NMPA / HFA

711 Third Avenue

New York, NY 10017

Tel: **212-370-5330**, Fax: **212-953-2384**

Local Telephone in Los Angeles: **323-466-3861**

Local Telephone in Nashville: **615-242-4173**

Web: www.nmpa.org

e-mail : licensing@harryfox.com

Canada – CMRRA (Canadian Musical Reproduction Rights Agency)

Web: www.cmrra.ca

Phone: (416) 926-1966

Fax: (416) 926-7521

Sound recording

The physical sound recording itself is covered by a copyright.

Whenever you want to use an existing sound recording, you need to have a permission from its owner . In general rule, the label is the owner of the sound recording. Independent artists may also own their recordings.

If you need help to find out who is the owner of a sound recording, reproduction rights agencies (see contacts above) may assist you in your research.

The following associations may also answer your questions:

RIAA (Recording Industry Association of America)

1330 Connecticut Avenue N.W., Suite 300

Washington, D.C. 20036

(202) 775-0101 phone

(202) 775-7253 fax

web : www.riaa.org

CRIA (Canadian Recording Industry Association)

890 Yonge Street

Suite 1200

Toronto, Ontario

M4W 3P4

Phone: **(416) 967-7272**

Fax: **(416) 967-9415**

Web : www.cria.ca

2. CD-ROM - Specific programs

Here's a short list of some of the most commonly redistributed programs

***** Remember , a free download on the net does not mean that you are allowed to copy and distribute without permission .**

***** Always refers to the EULA (End User License Agreement) included in the program to know your redistribution rights .**

Adobe Acrobat Reader (Adobe Systems Inc.)

Free distribution no agreement needed provided you agreed to the terms of the end-user agreement (EULA) included in the installer program .

All other Adobe product need to be licensed.

Eudora (Qualcomm Inc.)

Web site: www.eudora.com

Information & On-line registration: www.eudora.com/buying/license.html/volumelicense.html

Info for distribution: eudora-resell@qualcomm.com

Flash Player (Macromedia Inc.)

On-line registration: www.macromedia.com/support/shockwave/info/licensing/

Contact licensing department: players_info@macromedia.com

ICQ (ICQ Inc.)

Website : www.icq.com

Online licensing form: www.icq.com/company/contact.html

Internet explorer (Microsoft Corp.) *Free distribution but needs registration/license*

Information: www.microsoft.com/permission

On-line registration: www.microsoft.com/windows/ieak/en/licensing/default.asp

Contact licensing department: ieak@microsoft.com

mIRC (MIRC co.)

You need to obtain permission to copy and distribute the program , as stated in the EULA .

Send your request by e-mail: khaled@mirc.com

Web site: www.mirc.com

Netscape Navigator (Netscape / AOL) *Free distribution but needs registration/license*

On-line registration: www.home.netscape.com/bisdev/distribution

Contact licensing department: permissionteam@aol.com

Quicktime (Apple Software)

**** Please check which version you are using as there are certain restrictions as to which may be used.**

Information and On-line registration: www.apple.com/quicktime/products/legal/

Contact licensing department: sw.license@apple.com

Telephone : 1-800-793-9378

Real player / Real Jukebox (Realnetwork)

On-line registration: <http://proforma.real.com/real/licensing/license.html>

Contact licensing department: client_distribution@real.com

Frequently asked questions: www.real.com/licensing/faq.html

Shockwave Player (Macromedia inc.)

On-line registration: www.macromedia.com/support/shockwave/info/licensing/

Contact licensing department: players_info@macromedia.com

Stuffit expander (Aladdin software)

On-line registration: **not available** – contact licensing department to obtain permission

Contact licensing department: sales@aladdinsys.com

Winzip (Winzip computing inc.) *Need permission to distribute with other products as seen in the EULA*

Web site: www.winzip.com

3. CD- ROM - Companies / Software developers

General information

Adobe

Web site www.adobe.com

Anti-piracy page : www.adobe.com/aboutadobe/antipiracy/report.html

Customer service: 1-888-724-4508

Apple software

General licensing information: www.apple.com/legal/default.html

Licensing department: sw.license@apple.com

Telephone: 1-800-793-9378

Attachmate

Web site: www.attachmate.com
Telephone :1-800-426-6283

Autodesk

Web site: www.autodesk.com
Anti-piracy info page: <http://www3.autodesk.com/adsk/index/0,,341347-123112,00.html>
Telephone: 1-800-NO-COPIES

Corel Systems Inc.

Web site: www.corel.com
Licensing info: www.corel.com/clp/softwarelicensing.htm
e-mail : nopiracy@corel.ca
Telephone: 1-888-761-6907

Macromedia Inc.

Web site: www.macromedia.com
Copyright and trademark info: <http://www.macromedia.com/macromedia/>

Microsoft Corporation

To obtain information on which product needs licensing
www.microsoft.com/permission
Anti-piracy : www.microsoft.com/piracy
e-mail : piracy@microsoft.com
Telephone: 1-800-RU-LEGIT

Novell Inc.

Licensing info: www.novell.com/licensing/
e-mail : pirates@novell.com
Telephone : 1-800-PIRATES

4. Anti-piracy related associations

Members of the IRMA anti-piracy coalition

BSA (Business Software Association)

BSA United States
1150 18th Street, N.W.
Suite 700
Washington, D.C. 20036
Tel: + 202.872.5500
Fax: + 202.872.5501
Email: software@bsa.org
www.bsa.org

IDSA (Interactive Digital Software Association)

1211, Connecticut avenue, NW # 600
Washington , DC 20036
e-mail : idsa@idsa.com
Web: www.idsa.com

IFPI (International Federation of the Phonographic Industry)

IFPI Secretariat
54 Regent Street
London W1B 5RE
United Kingdom
Tel: +44 (0)20 7878 7900
Fax: +44 (0)20 7878 7950
E-mail: info@ifpi.org
Web: www.ifpi.org

IRMA (International Recording Media Association)

International Recording Media Association
182 Nassau Street, Suite 204
Princeton, New Jersey 08542-7005
609-279-1700, Fax 609-279-1999
E-mail us at: info@recordingmedia.org
Web: www.recordingmedia.org

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SIIA (Software Information Industry Association)

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Washington, DC 20036-4510 USA
+1 (202) 452-1600
Web: www.sii.net

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