

Royalty Contract

By commissioning me, you acknowledge that you have read, understood and agreed to be bound by this contract.

This contract outlines the payment obligations regarding the sale of music and merchandise with my art on it.

Music Sales on Streaming/Virtual Platforms:

I ask for 6-10% of revenue from the sale of music on streaming/virtual platforms. I will provide you with an exact percentage while we discuss the commission, and this percentage is constant for as long as the song/record stays on streaming/virtual platforms.

In the case that I am commissioned for "single" artwork, and you decide that you'd like to use it as album/EP artwork, you must ask me for a new percentage on the sales of the album/EP.

Music Sales in Physical Mediums:

(Physical mediums being CDs, Vinyl, etc.)

I ask for 10-20% of revenue from the sale of music in physical mediums. This percentage is higher than that of the streaming/virtual sales because consumers are receiving an art object with my work on it. You must ask me for an exact percentage prior to the sale of any physical medium with my art on it. The percentage may differ between different forms (ex. vinyl potentially being higher than CD).

Sale of Merchandise:

I ask for 20% of revenue from the sale of merchandise featuring my art. You must ask me for an exact percentage prior to the sale of any merchandise with my art on it. The percentage may differ between different forms (ex. a poster potentially being higher than a sticker).

Special Circumstances:

If there are special conditions to the sale of the music/merchandise, I may agree to terms outside of what is written here. For example in the case of a charity sale/fundraiser, I may not ask for any royalties.

Let me know if you have questions! I want to make sure that both the client/commissioner (you) and I are on the same page on what we should expect from each other.