

Nothing compares:



Feature

Yes

Competitor

Limited.

Setup Wizard creates new pieces quickly and easily including title, composer, copyright, page size and orientation, instrumentation, time signature, key signature, tempo marking, pickup measure and font.

Yes

No

Entering notes/rests with the mouse includes visual representation of notes for clarity and facilitates speed.

Yes

No

Insert notes/rests before existing entries.

Yes

No

Playing notes/rests in from a MIDI keyboard captures performance data.

Yes

No

Real-time recording beat source options include tap your own tempo or sync to external MIDI source.

Yes

No

Enter notes by playing an acoustic band instrument via a microphone.

Yes. Also imports files from SmartScore and SharpEye.

Yes. Also imports PhotoScore files.

Slurs automatically avoid collisions with musical elements, minimizing editing.

Yes

No

Chord symbols play back (optional and definable).

Yes

No

Chord symbols transpose with music.

Yes

Limited.

Enter chord symbols with a MIDI keyboard.

Yes

No

Change any notehead to any symbol desired.

Yes

Yes

Check ranges to make sure all parts are playable (based on experience levels).

Yes

Yes

Enter slurs, shapes, articulations, and expressions on a rhythmic figure and then instantly apply these markings intelligently to all similar passages throughout your score.

Yes

No

Automatically creates up to 6-part harmonies from a melody.

Yes

No

Automatically creates piano, bass and drum parts.

Yes

No

Automatically creates orchestration from any source material.

No

Yes

Scripting language allows you to automate repetitive tasks to greatly increase efficiency.

Yes

Limited.

No need to switch tools in order to do more advanced editing.

Tool selection is necessary in some instances.

Yes

Intelligent, human-like, fully customizable playback of all types of music.

Yes.

Limited.

Repeats, endings, and repeat text, such as D.S.'s, can be defined to play back exactly as they should.

Yes

Limited.

Save your files as .WAV or .AIFF files to be burned on a CD.

Yes

No

Includes high quality Sound Font for standardization of playback by all users.

Yes

No

MIDI editing tool for fine-tuning individual notes and applying MIDI changes to large sections.

Yes

No

Retranscribe feature allows unique quantizing of individual areas providing the best notated results of your performances.

Yes

No

Completely flexible page layout. Systems can be adjusted/resized independently from one another to look exactly as desired.

Yes

Limited.

Extracted parts are laid out intelligently to allow for convenient page turns.

Yes

No

Create accompaniment files to use with SmartMusic Studio.

Yes

No

Share files with users of PrintMusic! and Finale Guitar and users of free downloadable version of Finale NotePad.

Yes

No

Exercise Wizard generates customized exercises for every player in your group in seconds.

Yes

No

Supported Import formats — MIDI, Encore, Rhapsody, MidiScan, SmartScore, Score, Allegro, PrintMusic!, Finale Guitar, NotePad, and MusicXML (which currently imports abc, TaBazar, JMSL, KGuitar, Plaine and Easie, Middle C, NIFF, XEMO, Virtual Composer, SharpEye, and Muse Data).

Yes

Score, NIFF, MIDI, PhotoScore, Finale only.

Supported Export formats - MIDI, .WAV, .AIFF, MP3, SmartMusic, Allegro, Finale Guitar, PrintMusic!, NotePad, and Music XML (which currently exports to Igor Engraver, TaBazar, abc, KGuitar, LilyPond, Xemo, MusicEase, and MuseData).

Yes

MIDI only.

Free Technical Support - no time limits.

Yes

No

Free unlimited re-installs on any single computer. May install on a second computer for free if both computers are for owner's use only.

Yes

No

International Translated Versions.

English, French, German, Italian, Spanish, Japanese



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