

# Top 7 Reasons to Get Sibelius® 7 Academic

The latest generation of the world's best-selling music notation software



Avid Sibelius 7 is sophisticated enough to meet the demands of top composers, arrangers, and publishers, yet simple enough for beginners and students. Work quickly with the brand-new, task-oriented user interface. Experience your scores in stunning clarity with our exclusive, professional-quality sound library. Collaboration has never been easier thanks to full MusicXML interchange support and other sharing options. With all these advancements and many more, Sibelius 7 is the fastest, smartest, easiest way to write music.

\$295 USMSRP\* education pricing + 4 years of upgrades for students

#### 1. Task-oriented user interface

The brand-new Sibelius 7 user interface provides task-focused tabs that lead you through the process of creating a score from start to finish. Every feature has both an icon and a text description with full contextual help available when you need itno more searching in submenus for common tasks.

#### 2. Professional sound library

Hear every nuance of your composition thanks to our new professional sound library. Sibelius 7 includes more than 38 GB of professional content, including a specially recorded symphony orchestra, rock and pop instruments, and more.

#### 3. Plays well with others

Sibelius 7 now includes high-quality MusicXML export using a built-in export engine that delivers superior results to existing third-party plug-ins, at no extra cost. You can now easily share files with friends and colleagues using hundreds of other music programs via MusicXML. Synchronize Sibelius with your digital audio workstation (DAW) with ReWire—a standard that lets you record audio from Sibelius on a DAW, such as Pro Tools. Now you can start playback in one program while it simultaneously starts in the other program.

#### 4. Native 64-bit support

Sibelius 7 is the ideal choice for musicians looking to unleash the full potential of their 64-bit operating systems. With full VST and Audio Unit compatibility, you can now load much larger and more realistic sound libraries. For compatibility, Sibelius 7 still supports your 32-bit computer, and you can run Sibelius 7 in 32-bit mode on a 64-bit system.

#### 5. Save time with ready-made teaching materials

The Worksheet Creator frees up many hours of your time by giving you a comprehensive range of ready-made teaching materials—over 1,700 worksheets, projects, exercises, songs, instrumental pieces, lyrics, posters, reference materials, and other resources. You can even adapt them to your own requirements or create your own worksheets based on the included blank templates.

#### 6. Streamlined classroom control

A single, simple Classroom Control window shows you all the Sibelius copies that are running, as well as the students' user names. You can freeze students' programs when you want them to pay attention. Get a copy of the score each student is working on—or send a score to any student, or to all of them at once. You can also prompt students to save a version of their scores with the Versions feature to help you track their progress. And it's all password protected for complete security.

#### 7. Special academic pricing

Sibelius 7 features special pricing for academic institutions, teachers, and students. Individual teacher and student pricing is only \$295 USMSRP. In addition, student versions of Sibelius 7 include four years of complimentary upgrades, so students can stay up to date throughout their studies.

#### Learn more about Avid in Education

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### Get the sound and quality you need with Pro Tools

Whether you're working in a professional facility, at home, or in your dorm room, nothing gives you the speed and ease to create like Pro Tools, the most widely used music creation and audio production system in the industry. With Pro Tools, you can record, edit, and mix music the way you want—with a high-performance Avid audio interface or without, on a Mac or PC, and with more flexibility than ever.



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"In today's world where discipline-based technology literacy is a requisite part of being able to function, not knowing Pro Tools and Sibelius would be like trying to be competent, even functional, as a musician without knowing scales and keys. Knowledge of Avid's Pro Tools and Sibelius is a must for any student seeking to enhance their career opportunities in music."

Henry Panion III. PhD.

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