

DULCAMARA PRESS INCORPORATED

CONTRACTOR COMPENSATION SCHEDULE (updated 09/2024)

Transcription Type		per measure		per 50 measures	
Work Type	assess suitable fees per project	(low end)	(high end)	(low end)	(high end)
orchestral (large scale)	suitable for romantic, modern, and contemporary works for large forces	\$0.85	\$1.10	\$42.50	\$55.00
orchestral (small scale)	suitable for pre-romantic orchestral works and any other small-scale orchestral works.	\$0.60	\$0.85	\$30.00	\$42.50
chamber up to 10	assess for number of parts and complexity * low end: common-practice trios, quartets, quintets etc * high end: large ensembles, contemporary chamber with complex notation, etc * above 10, use small orchestral fees.	\$0.25	\$0.65	\$12.50	\$32.50
solo with acc.	* low end: solo with keyboard * high end: solo with multi-instrument or multi-voice w/ keyboard * if multi-voice and multi-instrument, use chamber fees	\$0.20	\$0.40	\$10.00	\$20.00
solo keyboard or harp			\$0.25		\$12.50
solo single-staff instrument			\$0.15		\$7.50
polyphonic choral	assess based on number of voices and part independence	\$0.25	\$0.50	\$12.50	\$25.00
basic choral	* low: chordal unaccompanied in 4-parts * mid: chordal with keyboard * high: chordal with chamber accompaniment. * for choir and orchestra, use orch. fees	\$0.15	\$0.50	\$7.50	\$25
add for manuscript	assess based on legibility	+\$0.02	+\$0.05	+\$1.00	+\$2.50
add for archaic notation	* low end: non-mensural printed * high end: medieval up to 15th c. manuscript (in addition to ms fee)	+\$0.02	+\$0.05	+\$1.00	+\$2.50
add for extended technique/unique notation	assess by complexity and number of unique elements to be created	+\$0.02	+\$0.05	+\$1.00	+\$2.50
Writing					
		per project			
Introductory Essay and/or Commentary		\$50 - \$100			
Translation		\$.10 / word			
Layout Editing and Design					
proofreading		\$.75 per page			
basic layout design		\$.5 per page			
cover design		\$15 per project			
major corrections in notation software	if necessary for .xml import errors, and realignment for music uploaded from alternative notation program	\$2 per page			
total revision in software	use relevant transcription fees (see above)				
Binding					
sewn saddle-stitch		\$2 per book w/cover		\$1/part	
multi-signature binding	additional \$1 per signature above 2.	\$4 (+ \$1 per signature)			