

Intro to Music Notation



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The two main players:



- Sibelius® - www.sibelius.com
 - Sibelius Student edition
 - Scorch®



- Finale® - www.finalemusic.com
 - PrintMusic!®
 - NotePad™

Today's focus: The Finale® Family





The Goal:

The fastest note entry
with the least amount
of editing.

Finale® 2005

The world standard for creating, editing and printing sheet music.



Over a Million users worldwide. Over 50,000 schools.

Finale products create more sheet music, Film and TV scores, Hymnals and music textbooks than any other notation program on Earth.

Entering notes.

Step-time vs Real-time

- Set-up Wizard
- Simple Note Entry
- Midi and Acoustic Real-time entry
- Midi file import
- Scanning



Scanning.



- Take a piece of sheet music.
- Scan it.
- Put it in your Notation software.

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Come, Ye Children of the Lord

Exultantly ♩ = 96 - 112

1. Come, ye chil-dren of the Lord, Let us sing with one ac - cord.
2. Oh, how joy - ful it will be When our Sav - ior we shall see!
3. All ar - rayed in spot - less white, We will dwell 'mid truth and light.

Let us raise a joy - ful strain To our Lord who soon will reign
When in splen - dor he'll de - scend, Then all wick - ed - ness will end.
We will sing the songs of praise; We will shout in joy - ous lays.

On this earth when it shall be Cleansed from all in - iq - ui - ty,
Oh, what songs we then will sing To our Sav - ior Lord, and King!
Earth shall then be cleansed from sin. Ev - 'ry liv - ing thing there - in

When all men from sin will cease, And will live in love and peace.
Oh, what love will then bear sway When our fears shall flee a - way!
Shall in love and beau - ty dwell; Then with joy each heart will swell.

The logo for make music! CODA MUSIC TECHNOLOGIES, with "make music!" in a stylized font and "CODA MUSIC TECHNOLOGIES" in a smaller font below it.

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In less than a minute, this...

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this!

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for arrangers.



Band-in-a-Box Auto-Harmonizing

Lets you automatically create an entire orchestration from any melody with or without chord symbols.

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Rhythm Section Generator

Automatically creates your piano,
bass and drum parts in a chosen
style.

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for music educators.



Exercise Wizard

- Let's you create a customized set of exercises...
- For all students...
- In the correct instrument transpositions...
- All parts printed...
- In under 2 minutes.



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for music educators.

Exercise Wizard



Warm-ups For Band Flute

41. Steady Pulse

42. Blow Through The Phrase

43. Accurate Pitch

44. Move The Fingers Evenly

45. Bring It Home

Finale® Exercises



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for professionals.



SmartFind and Paint™

- Select a rhythmic phrase.
- Finale will find everywhere that rhythmic phrase occurs,
- And « paint » it the same way.

Sharing your music...

Finale NotePad



- Not a demo, but an actual notation program that let's you create, edit, play and print your own sheet music.
- Reads all Finale Family files.
- Free download – www.finalemusic.com



Sharing your music...



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- Assess against one of Finale's existing exercises or create your own.
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