

Helpful Terms

Recital Recording	Includes a 25 minute recording session. At the end of the session you will receive a scratch mix of your song. If more editing or re-work is desired it can be completed for an additional charge based on the listed studio rates.
College Audition / Demo Recording	Includes a 30 minute recording session and a 30 minute mastering session. At the end of the mastering session you will receive a final mix of your audition. Up to two tracks will be provided during the session. If more editing or re-work is desired or more tracks are need they can be completed for an additional charge based on the listed studio rates.
Consultation	During this consultation you will meet with the chief engineer to discuss your project. During this consultation the level of mastering can be determined, the number of musicians that will be recorded, and any specific needs of your band will be covered. At the end of the session, a quote will be issued for your project. This is designed to be used by larger groups who need a very individualized recording studio experience but all people are welcome to a consultation.
Mix-Down and Mastering	This is the process of ‘cleaning up’ your recorded tracks. This service is designed for those who demand the highest quality in their final song. During this time, levels of all recorded tracks and the overall sound of the song can be tweaked and adjusted to make the song sound exactly the way that you want. Also in this session, the balance of each individual track can be adjusted to insure the best sounding final song.
Scratch Mix	A Scratch Mix is an initial mix that is usually done to let the customer hear a rough copy of their material. The Scratch Mix is done as quickly as possible to give the average customer a good quality mix at the lowest price.
Final Mix	Final Mixes take the scratch mix up a notch. Generally they will tweak the work that was done on the scratch mix. Final Mixes usually go into more detail when it comes to timing, pitch, vocal and instrument leveling in the various tracks. Final mixes put a little more polish on the scratch mixes.
Final Master Mix	Final Master Mixes are much more detailed mixes. Final Master Mixes can be done at varying levels depending on the customer’s budget and to what degree they want their material cleaned up, edited, etc. They include use of mastering software and this software can often take an average sounding song and give it the punch, clarity and dynamics to make it really stand out and have a more professional sound.
Digital Release	We have the ability to release your songs on the internet so your family and friends can hear your songs. If you choose this option, we will give you a link to your song that you can use to put your song on Facebook or other social media. You can also email the link to your family and friends so they can hear your work.