

We're here to talk about why it's important to support music

But did you know...



The Australia Council's 2010 research "More Than Bums on Seats" confirmed that most Australians intentionally tune in to music...

- 2/3 of Australians participated in music
- Highest participation of any creative content,
particularly young people!



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The recorded music industry has shrunk 30% in 6 years...

even live gig revenues for artists fell in 2010

(IFPI Digital Music Report 2011)



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8000 Aussie jobs were lost as a result of piracy in 2010

The Aussie content industries lose \$9, 000,000,000 annually because of piracy

(ACIG Sphere Report 2011)



By the year 2016, over 40,000 jobs may be lost in the music and other creative industries in Australia due to online piracy.

(Sphere Analysis 2011).



Did you know that record labels invest close to 30% of their revenues into finding, nurturing and marketing new acts?

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## How it All works...

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### I bet you're thinking ..

"artists are immensely rich anyway, downloading a few tracks for free is not going to hurt them..."



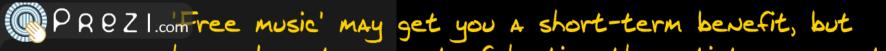
When you don't pay for music, it isn't successful artists like Lady Gaga who lose....



.. record labels simply can't afford to invest in New Aussie talent

# AND that sucks!

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'Free music' may get you a short-term benefit, but has a long-term cost of hurting the artists you most admire, and new talent that you may never hear.





It is a myth that artists can build long-term careers on live music alone. In its latest tour U2 filled huge stadiums around the world. That is because they have had parallel careers as recording artists and live performers since their inception 30 years ago.



Paul McGuinness, manager of UZ, PJ Harvey, The Rapture



#### SO HOW CAN WE ENCOURAGE SUPPORT FOR ARTISTS AND MUSICIANS?



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It is a 'hearts and minds' campaign which focus' on the signifiant physical and emotional effort that goes into making music

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### MUSIC MATTERS is supported by...

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60 NZ labels



67,000+ composers, songwriters

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125 Aussie Record Labels

60 NZ labels

APRA 1 AMCOS

AMRA

67,000+ composers, songwriters and music publishers

40+ Music publishers

RIANZ

Almost 500 record stores Animators



### "When words fail, music speaks"

Hans Christian Andersen



Do you think it's important to support music?















