InPro

The Independent Producers reference

Producers, here is the management software designed especially for you. It will help you import your dealers' sales reports and compute royalty statements. Your data are centralized, your statements are ready in time.
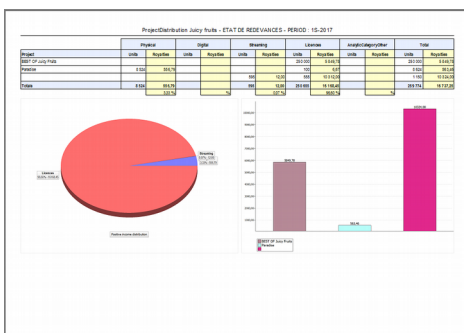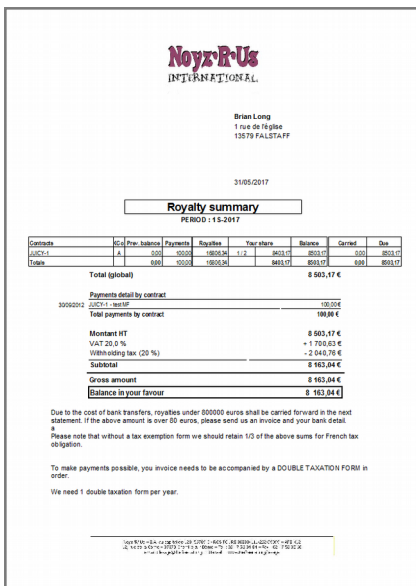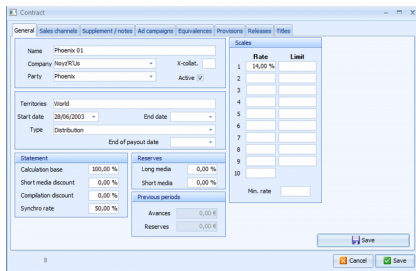
Start immediately

• Discover how the program works taking no risk with demonstration data.

• Create your files : artists, contracts, releases, titles, very simply with a comprehensive and intuitive interface.

• Import your sales : the statements are immediately ready.

Work comfortably

• Appreciate the extreme ease of use : the automatic installer program guides you step by step in the initial set up and for all software updates.

• Enter each information only once : Inpro's data model helps you limit any waste of time or data entry errors as much as possible.

• Organize your workspace, choose your visual theme, Inpro will remember each user's personal preferences.

• Work on several windows simultaneously : copy data from one contract to the other or compare them...

Easily produce irreproachable statements

• Inpro will calculate for you scales, deductions, reserves and ad campaigns.

• Manage the various featurings on your albums on a title by title basis, Inpro automatically calculates the global rate of each involved contract.

• Statements come in three flavours : normal (with all the details for each and every line of right), compact (this one sums up lines that share common data) and draft. The draft version gives, for every statement line, a second line with all the calculation details. You can keep all three versions in PDF format for archives.

• Automatically give every beneficiary a clear and personalized statement with graphical summary and taxes calculations when needed.

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Main features

General characteristics
- Intuitive, clear and homogeneous interface. Memorization of display preferences for each user individually
- Unlimited number of databases, each database capable of managing several companies
- All reports can be exported to PDF and Excel format
- Works with all Windows versions, from XP to Windows10. Can be used on Mac and Linux with Parallels® (Mac only) or VirtualBox®
- Use on a single computer, local network or cloud (with strong encryption and certificates)
- Can use any printer recognized by Windows
- Client-server architecture that guarantees data coherence even on power cut

Shareholders and beneficiaries
- Add, modify, delete and search shareholders and beneficiaries
- Shareholders are those who sign the agreements. One shareholder can represent one or several beneficiaries. This lets you deal with bands, directors, agents, etc. Royalty calculations are global to the shareholder and a settlement of account is printed for every beneficiary, distributing each one's share and lets you distinguish advances and taxes individually.

Agreements management
- Up to 10 levels of scales that can be disabled on a channel by channel basis (ringtones, downloads, etc.). Quantity parities can be defined to adjust scales for short media
- All sales channels can be freely created and each one can be as wide or as narrow as necessary for minimum typing and maximum flexibility
- Distinct reserves for short and long releases types
- Standard deduction for short releases, compilations, ad campaigns
- Quick view of releases and titles to which the contract is attached
- Precise management of cross-collateralizations
- Full and detailed catalogue printing (to printer or PDF)

Releases management
- Add, modify or delete projects and releases
- A project groups all releases needed to calculate scale changes upon a single album (CDs, vinyles, singles, etc.)
- Precise and powerful management of each contract's rate inside a release : automatic calculation based on title split and/or manual entry.
- Box sets : a box set's sales are spread across all releases that belong to it, each one's price being divided appropriately
- Use release categories to apply special deductions (Digipack)

Titles management
- Add, modify, delete or clone titles
- Very efficient and easy way to deal with complex albums (compilations, featurings, etc.)
- The ability to specify each contract's rate within a title lets Inpro precisely and automatically calculate each contract's rate within whole albums with no additional work

Sales management
- View sales using the global list or selectively by release, title, date, dealer or import number
- Sales channels let you freely deal with your contracts' specificities : physical and digital sales, streaming, ringtones, club sales… Six calculation schemes are available : PPD, BIEM, Net price, Detail price, Net share and flat fees.
- Fast and automatic import of your dealer's statements. Includes more than 50 powerful import filters for all main physical and digital dealers. New filters are written and provided on demand without requiring software update.
- Imports distinguishes individual titles, bundles, streaming, syncs, merchandizing, neighbouring rights...
- A simple Excel template is provided to let you import sales manually (when all you get from your dealer is a PDF or a printed statement)
- Convert statements to your currency by simply indicating the amount you received : Inpro will adjust every line of the statement as if it had been created in your currency.

Royalty statements
- Clear, precise and complete, your statements are calculated and printed in a few clicks. They include graphical summaries on project and analytic categories. You get detail of rights and reserves, grouped by project and contract.
- You can opt for "compact statements" or "draft mode" at any time.
- All calculations are made on 15 significant digits and rounded to 8 digits after decimal separator.
- Taxes are calculated automatically for chosen beneficiaries
- Individual closing periods, advances and accumulated rights management
- "Draft" mode lets you see all the internals of calculations (ideal to check your work)
- A personal settlement of account is printed for each beneficiary with your logo integrated in the header
- Statements can be exported to Excel
- Two global summary statements (shareholders and beneficiaries) in Excel format can be created to ease accounting integration

Additional features
- Automatic catalogue integration from some dealers
- One click local backup of the database
- Possibility to work in a cloud environment (several persons in different places at the same time), secured with bidirectional SSL certificates

Technical support
- Technical support via phone or Skype, unlimited access to new versions for one year
- Helpdesk and support with Teamviewer® remote control
- This service can be renewed every year

Working comfort
- More than 25 visual themes to adapt the program to your taste, ambiant luminosity. You can work in a tabfull (similar to navigators) or tabless interface
- You are informed of new versions on program launch and you choose when to upgrade. An automatic installer takes care of the whole process.
- You benefit immediately from developments made for all other Inpro users

Pricing
- Regular version .... 5 000 €
- « Young producers » edition .... 3 500 €
- Training (day) .... 600 €
- Technical support renewal .... 480 € / year