




Overall offerings and new releases of pop and classical recordings (physical)

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Data: 2002 to 2022

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Statistics

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	2002	2004	2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
	Quantity												
Overall classical recordings¹													
Audio albums	30,181	34,749	43,626	53,847	64,653	70,687	73,677	74,690	74,931	72,981	66,082	60,838	60,293
Video albums	467	652	1,170	2,459	2,392	3,219	3,600	4,117	3,954	4,106	3,799	3,698	3,537
Total classical	30,648	35,401	44,796	56,306	67,045	73,906	77,277	78,807	78,885	77,087	69,881	64,536	63,830
Overall pop recordings¹													
Singles	17,189	12,377	9,485	8,571	7,378	6,698	6,230	6,340	5,454	4,545	4,143	3,766	3,719
Audio albums	107,265	124,691	138,324	155,341	171,943	182,348	191,281	203,584	202,521	190,794	175,358	164,364	168,427
Video albums	2,135	4,525	6,180	7,870	6,009	6,568	6,177	6,148	4,888	4,328	3,639	2,888	2,666
Total pop	126,589	141,593	153,989	171,782	185,330	195,614	203,688	216,072	212,863	199,667	183,140	171,018	174,812
Grand total	157,237	176,994	198,785	228,088	252,375	269,520	280,965	294,879	291,748	276,754	253,021	235,554	238,642
New releases by title (albums)²													
Classical	6,520	5,809	6,195	5,805	5,942	5,790	6,632	4,346	4,125	4,058	3,151	3,275	3,278
Pop	20,511	19,388	18,511	22,050	18,101	16,533	16,929	16,327	15,093	14,384	10,828	10,598	11,195
Grand total	27,031	21,197	24,706	27,855	24,043	22,323	23,561	20,673	19,218	18,442	13,979	13,873	14,473

NOTE

The figures are based on information from the PHONONET und DigiAS stocklist databases and refer exclusively to physical sound recordings. In some cases, the annual figures include data based on corrections made in subsequent issues of *Musikindustrie in Zahlen*.

FOOTNOTES


¹ Different versions of a product are listed separately.

² Each title is included only once, even if it exists in different versions and article numbers. Box sets consisting of more than two units and samplers with different performers are excluded.

SOURCE INFORMATION

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