

UK Theatre/Musicians Union Agreement Rates 2022-2023

COMMERCIAL SECTOR RATES

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8 SHOW CONTRACTS	Fraction/Percentage	01 April 2019 – 01 May 2022	02 May 2022 – 02 April 2023
Minimum weekly fee		£616.69	£641.60
Payment per additional show over 8 shows in the week	1/8th weekly fee	£77.09	£80.20
For Children's shows	1/10th of the subsidised sector weekly fee	£55.62	£57.87 <i>(tbc pending Subsidised sector settlement)</i>
Overtime			
per 15 minutes after 3 hrs (8 show wk) & after 2 hrs 20mins (12 show wk)	x1.5 musician's 1/4ly hr rate	£9.64	£10.03
per 15 minutes before 8.30am and after 12 midnight	x2 musician's 1/4ly hr rate	£12.85	£13.37
statutory holidays	x3 musician's 1/4ly hr rate	£19.27	£20.05
Doubling (now to be called "up to two instruments")	Inclusive in minimum	£616.69	£641.60
Trebling (now to be called "up to one additional instrument" and to apply to all instrument families)	10% above doubling	£678.36	£705.76
Quadrupling (inform Union)	15% above trebling	£780.11	£811.62
Pension contribution	Up to 2 instruments	£18.50	£19.25
	Trebling	£20.35	£21.17
	Quadrupling	£23.40	£24.35
Sundays, if scheduled			
For 1 show	1 day off	£57.30	£59.62
For 2 shows, or as below	1 day off	£80.23	£83.47
For 2 shows	2 consecutive days off	£57.30	£59.62
Subsistence <i>(as per Subsidised Managers Agreement – tbc)</i>	Per week as applicable	£173.95 / £175.00 <i>(from 1 April 2020)</i>	£188.15 <i>(tbc pending talks with Equity)</i>
Touring Allowance <i>(as per Commercial Theatre Agreement)</i>	Per week as applicable	£260.00 / £265.00 <i>(from 1 April 2020)</i>	£300.00
Mileage rate	Per mile	26p	30p

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Porterage (See porterage clauses for details)		01 April 2019 – 01 May 2020	02 May 2022 – 02 April 2023
Group A (per instrument)		£12.02	£12.51
Group B (per instrument but capped at max payment)		£12.02	£12.51
	Max payment	£24.03	£25.00
Group C (per instrument or pair of instruments)		£12.02	£12.51
Group D (by negotiation)		To be negotiated	To be negotiated

Use of recorded music (See recorded music clauses for details)	
up to 4 minutes of recorded music	no payment
use of 4 - 10 minutes of recorded music	£6.20
over 10 minutes of recorded music up to max of 20 minutes	£1 per minute
over 20 minutes of recorded music	by negotiation with the Union
Electronic Press Kits (marketing & publicity uses / non- commercial gain only 4 weeks after press night)	n/a
Commercial Gain use; making of documentary for 3rd and subsequent UK terrestrial transmission	£250.00
Commercial Gain use; making of documentary for further 3 transmissions on secondary UK channel	£125.00
Commercial Gain use; making of documentary worldwide territories (not UK) for 3-year licence	£250.00
Monthly payment for using EPK footage beyond 4 weeks after subsequent press night for worldwide use	£13.80

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12 SHOW CONTRACTS	Fraction/Percentage	01 April 2019 – 01 May 2022	02 May 2022 - 02 April 2023
Minimum weekly fee		£847.96	£882.22
Payment per additional show over 8 shows in the week	1/8th weekly fee	£77.09	£80.20
For Children's shows	1/10th of the subsidised sector weekly fee	£76.48	£79.57 <i>(tbc pending Subsidised sector settlement)</i>
Overtime			
per 15 minutes after 3 hrs (8 show wk) & after 2 hrs 20mins (12 show wk)	x1.5 musician's 1/4ly hr rate	£11.36	£11.82
per 15 minutes before 8.30am and after 12 midnight	x2 musician's 1/4ly hr rate	£15.14	£15.75
statutory holidays	x3 musician's 1/4ly hr rate	£22.71	£23.63
Doubling (now to be called "up to two instruments")	Inclusive in minimum	£847.96	£882.22
Trebling (now to be called "up to one additional instrument" and to apply to all instrument families)	10% above doubling	£932.76	£970.44
Quadrupling (inform Union)	15% above trebling	£1,072.67	£1,116.01
Pension contribution			
	Up to 2 instruments	£25.44	£26.47
	Trebling	£27.98	£29.11
	Quadrupling	£32.18	£33.48
Sundays, if scheduled			
For 1 show	1 day off	£57.30	£59.62
For 2 shows, or as below	1 day off	£80.23	£83.47
For 2 shows	2 consecutive days off	£57.30	£59.62
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Mileage rate		26p	30p