

IP and Music: Exploring the Rhythm and Its IP Protection in the Caribbean

Celebrating the diverse musical heritage of the Caribbean while highlighting intellectual property protection.



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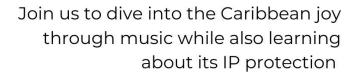
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REGISTRATION

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The Caribbean's music is a rich blend of African, European, Indigenous, South Asian, and Middle Eastern influences.

Its genres reflect diverse cultures and shared histories shaped by colonialism and migration.

Each country has developed unique styles, many of which have gained global recognition.







Key Caribbean Music Genres



Jamaica

- Reggae: Bob Marley, social messages
- Dancehall: rhythmic, dance-focused

Dominican Republic

- Merengue: high-energy and infectious danceability
- Bachata: romantic or bittersweet lyrics

Cuba/Puerto Rico

• Salsa: Cuban son, mambo, jazz roots

Other Jurisdictions

- Calypso & Soca (Trinidad & Tobago)
- Kompa (Haiti)
- Zouk (Martinique and Guadeloupe), Plena & Bomba (Puerto Rico), Chutney (Trinidad & Guyana)





Cultural and Economic Impact

Identity

Preserves histories of resistance and community

Tourism

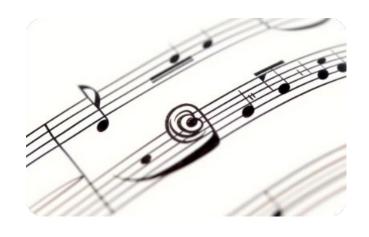
Drives events like Carnival and jazz festivals

Economy

Generates jobs and revenue via exports and streaming













Copyrights

Protecting musical compositions and recordings

Related Rights

Safeguarding performers' and producers' rights

Trademarks

Protect artist and band names and logos

Patents

Covering music technology inventions



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