



## **FINALE 2014.5 UPDATE**

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### **FINALE 2014.5 - A FREE UPDATE FOR ALL FINALE 2014 REGISTERED USERS (released November 2015):**

- Fully compatible with Mac OS X El Capitan and Windows 10.
- 2014.5 is a separate install from Finale 2014 that will not overwrite previous 2014 installations.
- Finale 2014.5 shares its registration with 2014. No need to re-register this update.
- Files are easily exchanged between 2014 and 2014.5.
- You can keep both versions on your computer or uninstall 2014 if you wish to save space.

### **FINALE 2014.5 NEW FEATURES:**

- The ability to export SmartMusic files using your favorite sound libraries (Garritan and others).
- The ability to export SmartMusic files using high quality audio playback (AIF, WAV, MP3).
- SmartMusic File Compatibility dialog box now provides more options for correcting possible issues.
- All Plug-ins modernized and updated:
  - Global Staff Attributes
  - Latin Percussion
  - Band-in-a-Box Auto-Harmonizing
  - Add Cue Notes
  - TG Tools Lite
  - Finale Script, now fully documented
- Automatically adds double barlines before a key change.
- Reorder Staves dialog box allows you to change the order of multiple staves/groups at the same time.
- Updated MusicXML and EPUB export (to latest EPUB3 standard).
- Updated SmartScore Lite X2 scanning software with improvements in beams, dots, tuplets and other musical elements.
- *New!* Modified Stave Notation template to automatically create large print music for the visually impaired (Launch Window < Templates button < General Templates < Modified Stave Notation template).
- Improved User Manual is now viewable on mobile devices. Reference the User Manual on your iPad, smartphone or tablet while continuing to work on your computer.
- Improved audio output.
- 120+ bug fixes.

### **Free! FINALE QUICK REFERENCE CARD:**

- Quick Reference Card containing the most common keyboard shortcuts for both Mac and Windows.  
Free download: [http://makemusic.custhelp.com/app/answers/detail/a\\_id/5682](http://makemusic.custhelp.com/app/answers/detail/a_id/5682)

### **PRINTMUSIC 2014.5 NOW COMPATIBLE WITH EL CAPITAN:**

- A free-of-charge update for all owners of PrintMusic 2014. For Mac users only, this update provides compatibility with OS X 10.11 El Capitan. This is a separate install from PrintMusic 2014. You can keep both versions on your computer or uninstall 2014 if you wish to save space.

**COMING IN THE FUTURE:** The next version of Finale will be a 64-bit application. This will provide performance enhancements and ensure compatibility with future generations of operating systems.