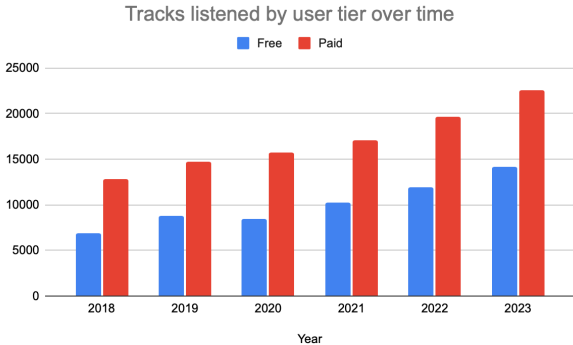
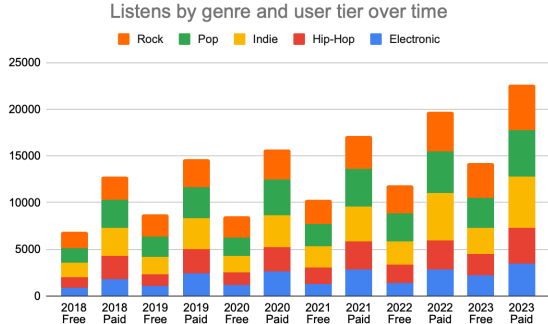


Project status report - Turner Walz

| REPORT DATE | COMPANY NAME | PREPARED BY |
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| 10/15/2024 | Fresh Beats | Turner Walz |
| <div>STATUS SUMMARY</div> <p>We are taking a look to test the effectiveness of our current artist promotion strategy by comparing our free vs paid user statistics. We also took a look at paid vs free user engagement and how our promotion for genre specific artists could be performing to see if there was anywhere we could improve upon.</p> <p>The data shows that rock is the most popular genre among free users. Our paid users are utilizing their access to the platform by almost double. Pop is on a downward trend since 2021 and could be worth investigating further into.</p> | | |

| INSIGHT AND RECOMMENDATION | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 2021 | 60 | 65 | 85 | 95 | 85 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 2023 | 60 | 75 | 95 | 75 | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <div>Recommendation</div> <p>It is worth doing deeper research into previous years to understand why pop is on a downwards trend.</p> <p>Marketing should try focused campaigns targeting typical demographics for fans of these genres.</p> <p>Product/marketing teams should try experiments to generate leads in alternative genres.</p> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Recommendations

We should analyze user retention in these genres, and consider how we can maximize it.

Try promotions focused on rock that offer free trials to convert to paid users.

We should analyze more ways to increase the engagement of rock-listening users, as a potential growth segment.

CONCLUSION

Rock is the key genre for free users - we should experiment and research further to see how it can be leveraged to convert them to paid. We should increase our catalogue of tracks in electronic and hip hop music - solicit appropriate artists and offer them deals (time-limited free promotion).