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Search

The MusicBrainz API search requests provide a way to search for MusicBrainz entities based on different sorts of queries. The results are returned in either XML (matching the [MMD](#)) or JSON format, and are provided by a [search server](#) built using Lucene technology.

This sections lists the parameters common to all resources.

type	Selects the entity index to be searched: annotation, area, artist, cdstub, event, instrument, label, place, recording, release, release-group, series, tag, work, url
fmt	Selects the representation of the results. Defaults to xml, but can also be set to json.
query	Lucene search query. This is mandatory
limit	An integer value defining how many entries should be returned. Only values between 1 and 100 (both inclusive) are allowed. If not given, this defaults to 25.
offset	Return search results starting at a given offset. Used for paging through more than one page of results.
dismax	If set to "true", switches the Solr query parser from edismax to dismax , which will escape certain special query syntax characters by default for ease of use. This is equivalent to switching from the "Indexed search with advanced query syntax" method to the plain "Indexed search" method on the website. Defaults to "false".
version	MMD version, defaults to 2, version 1 is no longer supported since search overhaul in 2018 .

The query field supports the full Lucene Search syntax; you can find a detailed guide at [Lucene Search Syntax](#) . For example, you can set conditions while searching for a name with the AND operator.

Example: <https://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/recording?query=%22we%20will%20rock%20you%22%20AND%20arid:0383dadb-2a4e-4d10-a46a-e9e041da8eb3> will find any recordings of "We Will Rock You" by Queen.

To search for fields that are unknown or null, use the following syntax -

-search_field:*

Example: For releases with no format set can be searched via: `-format:*`

Numeric count based fields can be searched for by looking for 0

Example: <https://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/release-group/?query=releases:0>

To perform a literal search, you'll need to [escape characters special to Lucene](#) . This is in addition to any URL encoding.

Example: <https://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/artist/?query=ac%5C%2Fdc>

Annotation

Example

<http://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/annotation/?query=entity:bdb24cb5-404b-4f60-bba4-7b730325ae47>

Search Fields

The [Annotation](#) index contains the following fields you can search

Field	Description
entity	the annotated entity's MBID
id	the numeric ID of the annotation (e.g. 703027)
name	the annotated entity's name or title (diacritics are ignored)
text	the annotation's content (includes wiki formatting)
type	the annotated entity's entity type

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If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *name*, *text* and *type* fields.

Xml

```
<metadata created="2013-02-05T04:41:32.273Z" xmlns="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/mmd-2.0#" xml:lang="fr">
  <annotation-list count="1" offset="0">
    <annotation type="release" ext:score="100">
      <entity>bdb24cb5-404b-4f60-bba4-7b730325ae47</entity>
      <name>Pieds nus sur la braise</name>
      <text>Lyrics and music by Merzhin except:
04, 08, 09, 10 (V. L'hour - Merzhin),
03 (V. L'hour - P. Le Bourdonnec - Merzhin),
05 & 13 (P. Le Bourdonnec - Merzhin),
06 ([http://musicbrainz.org/artist/38cfa519-21bb-4e79-8388-3bf798b8c076.html|JM. Poisson] -
07 ([http://musicbrainz.org/artist/f2d7c07c-a8e7-45c9-a888-0b2e6e3a240d.html|Ignatus] - V.
11 ([http://musicbrainz.org/artist/f2d7c07c-a8e7-45c9-a888-0b2e6e3a240d.html|Ignatus] - Mer
12 ([http://musicbrainz.org/artist/38cfa519-21bb-4e79-8388-3bf798b8c076.html|JM. Poisson])).
    </annotation>
  </annotation-list>
</metadata>
```

Json

```
{
  "created": "2017-03-12T16:27:16.317Z",
  "count": 1,
  "offset": 0,
  "annotations": [
    {
      "type": "release",
      "score": "100",
      "entity": "bdb24cb5-404b-4f60-bba4-7b730325ae47",
      "name": "Pieds nus sur la braise",
      "text": "Lyrics and music by Merzhin except:\r\n04, 08, 09, 10 (V. L'hour - Merzhin),
    }
  ]
}
```

Area

Example

<http://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/area/?query=%22%C3%8Ele-de-France%22>

Search Fields

The [Area](#) index contains the following fields you can search

Field	Description
aid	the area's MBID
alias	(part of) any alias attached to the artist (diacritics are ignored)
area	(part of) the area's name (diacritics are ignored)
areaaccent	(part of) the area's name (with the specified diacritics)
begin	the area's begin date (e.g. "1980-01-22")
comment	(part of) the area's disambiguation comment
end	the area's end date (e.g. "1980-01-22")
ended	a boolean flag (true/false) indicating whether or not the area has ended (is no longer current)
iso	an ISO 3166-1 , 3166-2 or 3166-3 code attached to the area
iso1	an ISO 3166-1 code attached to the area
iso2	an ISO 3166-2 code attached to the area
iso3	an ISO 3166-3 code attached to the area
sortname	equivalent to name (areas no longer have separate sort names)
tag	(part of) a tag attached to the area
type	the area's type

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If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *area* field.

Xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="yes"?>
<metadata created="2013-06-12T10:51:14.668Z" xmlns="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/mmd-2.0#" xmlns:ext="http://music
  <area-list count="1" offset="0">
    <area id="d79e4501-8cba-431b-96e7-bb9976f0ae76" type="Subdivision" ext:score="100">
      <name>Île-de-France</name>
      <sort-name>Île-de-France</sort-name>
      <iso-3166-2-code-list>
        <iso-3166-2-code>FR-J</iso-3166-2-code>
      </iso-3166-2-code-list>
      <life-span>
        <ended>false</ended>
      </life-span>
      <alias-list>
        <alias locale="nl" sort-name="Île-de-France" type="Area name" primary="primary">Île-de-France</
        <alias locale="en" sort-name="Île-de-France" type="Area name" primary="primary">Île-de-France</
        <alias locale="fr" sort-name="Île-de-France" type="Area name" primary="primary">Île-de-France</
        <alias locale="it" sort-name="Île-de-France" type="Area name" primary="primary">Île-de-France</
        <alias locale="fi" sort-name="Île-de-France" type="Area name" primary="primary">Île-de-France</
        <alias locale="et" sort-name="Île-de-France" type="Area name" primary="primary">Île-de-France</
        <alias locale="de" sort-name="Île-de-France" type="Area name" primary="primary">Île-de-France</
        <alias locale="no" sort-name="Île-de-France" type="Area name" primary="primary">Île-de-France</
        <alias locale="es" sort-name="Isla de Francia" type="Area name" primary="primary">Isla de Franc
        <alias locale="ja" sort-name="イル＝ド＝フランス地域圏" type="Area name" primary="primary">イル＝
      </alias-list>
    </area>
  </area-list>
</metadata>
```

Json

```
{
  "created": "2017-03-12T16:59:34.096Z",
  "count": 1,
  "offset": 0,
  "areas": [
    {
      "id": "d79e4501-8cba-431b-96e7-bb9976f0ae76",
      "type": "Subdivision",
      "score": "100",
      "name": "Île-de-France",
      "sort-name": "Île-de-France",
      "iso-3166-2-codes": [
        "FR-J"
      ],
      "life-span": {
        "ended": null
      },
      "aliases": [
        {
          "sort-name": "Île-de-France",
          "name": "Île-de-France",
          "locale": "no",
          "type": "Area name",
          "primary": true,
          "begin-date": null,
          "end-date": null
        },
        {
          "sort-name": "Île-de-France",
          "name": "Île-de-France",
          "locale": "de",
          "type": "Area name",
          "primary": true,
          "begin-date": null,
          "end-date": null
        },
        {
          "sort-name": "Île-de-France",
          "name": "Île-de-France",
          "locale": "en",
          "type": "Area name",
          "primary": true,
          "begin-date": null,
          "end-date": null
        }
      ]
    }
  ]
}
```

```

    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "Île-de-France",
    "name": "Île-de-France",
    "locale": "et",
    "type": "Area name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "Île-de-France",
    "name": "Île-de-France",
    "locale": "fi",
    "type": "Area name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "Île-de-France",
    "name": "Île-de-France",
    "locale": "fr",
    "type": "Area name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "Île-de-France",
    "name": "Île-de-France",
    "locale": "it",
    "type": "Area name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "Île-de-France",
    "name": "Île-de-France",
    "locale": "nl",
    "type": "Area name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "Isla de Francia",
    "name": "Isla de Francia",
    "locale": "es",
    "type": "Area name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "イル＝ドフランス地域圏",
    "name": "イル＝ド＝フランス地域圏",
    "locale": "ja",
    "type": "Area name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  }
],
"relation-list": [
  {
    "relations": [
      {
        "type": "part of",
        "type-id": "de7cc874-8b1b-3a05-8272-f3834c968fb7",
        "target": "08310658-51eb-3801-80de-5a0739207115",
        "direction": "backward",
        "area": {
          "id": "08310658-51eb-3801-80de-5a0739207115",
          "type": "Country",
          "name": "France",
          "sort-name": "France",
          "life-span": {

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    "ended": null
  }
}
]
}
]
}
]
}
```

Artist

Example

<http://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/artist/?query=artist:fred%20AND%20type:group%20AND%20country:US>

Search Fields

The [Artist](#) index contains the following fields you can search

Field	Description
alias	(part of) any alias attached to the artist (diacritics are ignored)
primary_alias	(part of) any primary alias attached to the artist (diacritics are ignored)
area	(part of) the name of the artist's main associated area
arid	the artist's MBID
artist	(part of) the artist's name (diacritics are ignored)
artistaccent	(part of) the artist's name (with the specified diacritics)
begin	the artist's begin date (e.g. "1980-01-22")
beginarea	(part of) the name of the artist's begin area
comment	(part of) the artist's disambiguation comment
country	the 2-letter code (ISO 3166-1 alpha-2) for the artist's main associated country
end	the artist's end date (e.g. "1980-01-22")
endarea	(part of) the name of the artist's end area
ended	a boolean flag (true/false) indicating whether or not the artist has ended (is dissolved/deceased)
gender	the artist's gender ("male", "female", "other" or "not applicable")
ipi	an IPI code associated with the artist
isni	an ISNI code associated with the artist
sortname	(part of) the artist's sort name
tag	(part of) a tag attached to the artist
type	the artist's type ("person", "group", etc.)

If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *alias*, *artist* and *sortname* fields.

Xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="yes"?>
<metadata created="2017-03-12T16:54:57.165Z" xmlns="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/mmd-2.0#" xmlns:ext="http://music
  <artist-list count="11" offset="0">
    <artist id="e56fd97e-c18f-4e5e-9b4d-f9fc21b4973f" type="Group" ext:score="100">
      <name>Fred</name>
      <sort-name>Fred</sort-name>
      <country>US</country>
      <area id="489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98">
        <name>United States</name>
        <sort-name>United States</sort-name>
      </area>
      <begin-area id="489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98">
        <name>United States</name>
        <sort-name>United States</sort-name>
      </begin-area>
      <disambiguation>US progressive rock band</disambiguation>
      <life-span>
        <begin>1969</begin>
        <end>1974</end>
        <ended>true</ended>
      </life-span>
```

```
</artist>
<artist id="4a024fd4-305e-4fea-9d3f-4ec858766e6e" type="Group" ext:score="100">
  <name>Fred</name>
  <sort-name>Fred</sort-name>
  <country>US</country>
  <area id="489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98">
    <name>United States</name>
    <sort-name>United States</sort-name>
  </area>
  <disambiguation>US comic barbershop quartet</disambiguation>
  <life-span>
    <ended>false</ended>
  </life-span>
</artist>
<artist id="1065e6e0-b6b3-4224-9121-4502e52b9f9e" type="Group" ext:score="61">
  <name>A Halo Called Fred</name>
  <sort-name>A Halo Called Fred</sort-name>
  <country>US</country>
  <area id="489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98">
    <name>United States</name>
    <sort-name>United States</sort-name>
  </area>
  <life-span>
    <ended>false</ended>
  </life-span>
</artist>
<artist id="6c843bf3-a854-47ea-b1cf-ba40675710b7" type="Group" ext:score="61">
  <name>Fred Sherry String Quartet</name>
  <sort-name>Fred Sherry String Quartet</sort-name>
  <country>US</country>
  <area id="489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98">
    <name>United States</name>
    <sort-name>United States</sort-name>
  </area>
  <life-span>
    <ended>false</ended>
  </life-span>
</artist>
<artist id="be136e58-ccf5-47f0-a000-6e8d7eb3bae0" type="Group" ext:score="61">
  <name>The Color Fred</name>
  <sort-name>Color Fred, The</sort-name>
  <country>US</country>
  <area id="489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98">
    <name>United States</name>
    <sort-name>United States</sort-name>
  </area>
  <life-span>
    <begin>2003</begin>
    <ended>false</ended>
  </life-span>
</artist>
<artist id="2cea1456-daef-4bb1-b63c-4b6df03ebbd5" type="Group" ext:score="61">
  <name>The Fred Hersch Group</name>
  <sort-name>Hersch, Fred, The, Group</sort-name>
  <country>US</country>
  <area id="489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98">
    <name>United States</name>
    <sort-name>United States</sort-name>
  </area>
  <life-span>
    <ended>false</ended>
  </life-span>
</artist>
<artist id="28b020fa-d9b8-4d92-805c-54cd1b0197b7" type="Group" ext:score="61">
  <name>Jacob Fred Jazz Odyssey</name>
  <sort-name>Jacob Fred Jazz Odyssey</sort-name>
  <country>US</country>
  <area id="489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98">
    <name>United States</name>
    <sort-name>United States</sort-name>
  </area>
  <life-span>
    <begin>1994</begin>
    <ended>false</ended>
  </life-span>
  <alias-list>
    <alias sort-name="JFJO">JFJO</alias>
  </alias-list>
  <tag-list>
    <tag count="1">
      <name>jazz</name>
    </tag>
  </tag-list>
</artist>
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</tag>
<tag count="1">
  <name>jazz fusion</name>
</tag>
<tag count="1">
  <name>free jazz</name>
</tag>
<tag count="1">
  <name>oklahoma</name>
</tag>
<tag count="1">
  <name>us</name>
</tag>
<tag count="1">
  <name>tulsa</name>
</tag>
</tag-list>
</artist>
<artist id="4a903390-4381-4c32-90d0-803bd4f9ce34" type="Group" ext:score="56">
  <name>Fred Waring & His Pennsylvanians</name>
  <sort-name>Waring, Fred & His Pennsylvanians</sort-name>
  <country>US</country>
  <area id="489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98">
    <name>United States</name>
    <sort-name>United States</sort-name>
  </area>
  <life-span>
    <ended>false</ended>
  </life-span>
  <alias-list>
    <alias sort-name="Fred Waring and the Pennsylvanians">Fred Waring and the Pennsylvanians</alias>
    <alias sort-name="Fred Waring & Pennsylvanians">Fred Waring & Pennsylvanians</alias>
    <alias sort-name="Fred Waring's Pennsylvanians">Fred Waring's Pennsylvanians</alias>
    <alias sort-name="Fred Waring's Pennsylvanians">Fred Waring's Pennsylvanians</alias>
    <alias sort-name="Fred Waring & the Pennsylvanians">Fred Waring & the Pennsylvanians</alias>
    <alias sort-name="Waring, Fred & Pennsylvanians, The">Fred Waring & The Pennsylvanians</alias>
    <alias sort-name="Fred Warring & His Pennsylvanians">Fred Warring & His Pennsylvanians</alias>
    <alias sort-name="Waring's Pennsylvanians">Waring's Pennsylvanians</alias>
  </alias-list>
</artist>
<artist id="0980008b-f9cd-412e-b062-84212b756f4a" type="Group" ext:score="51">
  <name>Fred Williams & The Jewels Band</name>
  <sort-name>Williams, Fred & Jewels Band, The</sort-name>
  <country>US</country>
  <area id="489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98">
    <name>United States</name>
    <sort-name>United States</sort-name>
  </area>
  <life-span>
    <ended>false</ended>
  </life-span>
</artist>
<artist id="985bdbbe7-ebf2-42b1-8ad6-5bb619385e67" type="Group" ext:score="51">
  <name>Fred Wesley and The J.B.'s</name>
  <sort-name>Wesley, Fred and J.B.'s, the</sort-name>
  <country>US</country>
  <area id="489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98">
    <name>United States</name>
    <sort-name>United States</sort-name>
  </area>
  <life-span>
    <ended>false</ended>
  </life-span>
  <alias-list>
    <alias sort-name="Fred and the New J.B.'s">Fred and the New J.B.'s</alias>
    <alias sort-name="Fred Wesley & The J.B.'s">Fred Wesley & The J.B.'s</alias>
    <alias sort-name="Fred Wesley & The JB's">Fred Wesley & The JB's</alias>
    <alias sort-name="Fred Wesley & The New J.B.'s">Fred Wesley & The New J.B.'s</alias>
    <alias sort-name="Fred Wesley & The New JB's">Fred Wesley & The New JB's</alias>
  </alias-list>
</artist>
<artist id="05cfb5c7-0152-41f4-a9c9-622e8f710dfa" type="Group" ext:score="51">
  <name>John Fred & His Playboy Band</name>
  <sort-name>Fred, John & His Playboy Band</sort-name>
  <country>US</country>
  <area id="489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98">
    <name>United States</name>
    <sort-name>United States</sort-name>
  </area>
  <begin-area id="34f02dc4-3173-4c68-86d1-c82504759342">
    <name>Baton Rouge</name>
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    <sort-name>Baton Rouge</sort-name>
  </begin-area>
</life-span>
  <begin>1956</begin>
  <end>1969</end>
  <ended>true</ended>
</life-span>
<alias-list>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred">John Fred</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred and His Playboyband">John Fred and His Playboyband</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred and His Play Boy Band">John Fred and His Play Boy Band</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred And His Playboy Band">John Fred And His Playboy Band</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred and His Playboys">John Fred and His Playboys</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred and the Play Boy Band">John Fred and the Play Boy Band</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred and the Playboys">John Fred and the Playboys</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred & His Playboyband">John Fred & His Playboyband</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred & His Playboys">John Fred & His Playboys</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred & Hiss Playboy Band">John Fred & Hiss Playboy Band</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred & Playboyband">John Fred & Playboyband</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred & Playboy Band">John Fred & Playboy Band</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred & the Play Boy Band">John Fred & the Play Boy Band</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred & The Playboyband">John Fred & The Playboyband</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred & The Playboy Band">John Fred & The Playboy Band</alias>
  <alias sort-name="John Fred & The Playboys">John Fred & The Playboys</alias>
</alias-list>
</artist>
</artist-list>
</metadata>

```

Json

```

{
  "created": "2017-03-12T16:54:57.165Z",
  "count": 11,
  "offset": 0,
  "artists": [
    {
      "id": "e56fd97e-c18f-4e5e-9b4d-f9fc21b4973f",
      "type": "Group",
      "score": "100",
      "name": "Fred",
      "sort-name": "Fred",
      "country": "US",
      "area": {
        "id": "489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98",
        "name": "United States",
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]
}
```

CDStubs

Example

<http://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/cdstub/?query=title:Doo>

Search Fields

The [CD stub](#) index contains the following fields you can search:

Field	Description
added	the date the CD stub was added (e.g. "2020-01-22")
artist	(part of) the artist name set on the CD stub
barcode	the barcode set on the CD stub
comment	(part of) the comment set on the CD stub
discid	the CD stub's Disc ID
title	(part of) the release title set on the CD stub
tracks	the number of tracks on the CD stub

If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *artist* and *title* fields.

Xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="yes"?>
<metadata created="2013-02-05T08:20:53.231Z" xmlns="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/mmd-2.0#" xmlns:ext="http://music
  <cdstub-list count="1" offset="0">
    <cdstub id="NKpg6j_S6swmiKYEYsFhYrSwgQA-" ext:score="100">
      <title>Stupid Doo Doo Dumb</title>
      <artist>Mac Dre</artist>
      <barcode>618763105025</barcode>
      <comment>CD Baby id:macdremusic5</comment>
      <track-list count="15"/>
    </cdstub>
  </cdstub-list>
</metadata>
```

Json

```
{
  "created": "2017-02-14T11:00:32.046Z",
  "count": 53,
  "offset": 0,
  "cdstubs": [
    {
      "id": "NKpg6j_S6swmiKYEYsFhYrSwgQA-",
      "score": "100",
      "count": 15,
      "title": "Stupid Doo Doo Dumb",
      "artist": "Mac Dre",
      "barcode": "618763105025",
      "comment": "CD Baby id:macdremusic5"
    }
  ]
}
```

Event

Example

<https://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/event/?query=unique>

Search Fields

The [Event](#) index contains the following fields you can search

Field	Description
alias	(part of) any alias attached to the artist (diacritics are ignored)
aid	the MBID of an area related to the event
area	(part of) the name of an area related to the event
arid	the MBID of an artist related to the event
artist	(part of) the name of an artist related to the event
begin	the event's begin date (e.g. "1980-01-22")
comment	(part of) the artist's disambiguation comment
end	the event's end date (e.g. "1980-01-22")
ended	a boolean flag (true/false) indicating whether or not the event has an end date set
eid	the MBID of the event
event	(part of) the event's name (diacritics are ignored)
eventaccent	(part of) the event's name (with the specified diacritics)
pid	the MBID of a place related to the event
place	(part of) the name of a place related to the event
tag	(part of) a tag attached to the event
type	the event's type

If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *alias*, *artist* and *event* fields.

Xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="yes"?>
<metadata created="2017-03-12T18:04:50.830Z" xmlns="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/mmd-2.0#" xmlns:ext="http://music
  <event-list count="1" offset="0">
    <event id="bc58d881-0b8e-45de-bee7-5d4a03d71190" type="Concert" ext:score="100">
      <name>Dominique A at Le Lieu Unique, April 2012</name>
      <life-span>
        <begin>2012-04-12</begin>
        <end>2012-04-12</end>
      </life-span>
      <time>20:30:00</time>
      <relation-list target-type="artist">
        <relation type="main performer">
          <direction>backward</direction>
          <artist id="8ae5648d-d9b7-4083-b538-17f71672990f">
            <name>Dominique A</name>
            <sort-name>A, Dominique</sort-name>
          </artist>
        </relation>
      </relation-list>
      <relation-list target-type="place">
        <relation type="held at">
          <direction>backward</direction>
          <place id="ab7fd308-da33-4d01-8bdb-d8238bb3842a">
            <name>Le Lieu Unique</name>
          </place>
        </relation>
      </relation-list>
    </event>
  </event-list>
</metadata>
```

Json

```
{
  "created": "2017-03-12T18:04:50.83Z",
  "count": 1,
  "offset": 0,
  "events": [
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      "id": "bc58d881-0b8e-45de-bee7-5d4a03d71190",
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      "score": "100",
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      "life-span": {
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          "type": "main performer",
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            "name": "Dominique A",
            "sort-name": "A, Dominique"
          }
        },
        {
          "type": "held at",
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          "place": {
            "id": "ab7fd308-da33-4d01-8bdb-d8238bb3842a",
            "name": "Le Lieu Unique"
          }
        }
      ]
    }
  ]
}
```

Instrument

Example

<https://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/instrument/?query=Nose>

Search Fields

The [instrument](#) index contains these fields you can search:

Field	Description
alias	(part of) any alias attached to the instrument (diacritics are ignored)
comment	(part of) the instrument's disambiguation comment
description	(part of) the description of the instrument (in English)
iid	the MBID of the instrument
instrument	(part of) the instrument's name (diacritics are ignored)
instrumentaccent	(part of) the instrument's name (with the specified diacritics)
tag	(part of) a tag attached to the instrument
type	the instrument's type

If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *alias*, *description* and *instrument* fields.

Xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="yes"?>
<metadata created="2017-03-12T18:06:29.271Z" xmlns="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/mmd-2.0#" xmlns:ext="http://music
  <instrument-list count="2" offset="0">
    <instrument id="e2e7de25-20d5-4c3f-8a23-2b99d3e44730" type="Wind instrument" ext:score="100">
      <name>nose flute</name>
      <description>The nose flute is a flute played by the nose commonly found in countries in and around the P
      <alias-list>
        <alias locale="es" sort-name="flauta nasal" type="Instrument name" primary="primary">flauta nasal</alia
        <alias locale="fr" sort-name="flûte à nez" type="Instrument name" primary="primary">flûte à nez</alias>
        <alias locale="de" sort-name="Nasenflöte (traditionell)" type="Instrument name" primary="primary">Nasen
        <alias locale="fi" sort-name="nenähuilu" type="Instrument name" primary="primary">nenähuilu</alias>
        <alias locale="nl" sort-name="neusfluit" type="Instrument name" primary="primary">neusfluit</alias>
        <alias locale="et" sort-name="ninaflööt" type="Instrument name" primary="primary">ninaflööt</alias>
        <alias locale="en" sort-name="nose flute" type="Instrument name" primary="primary">nose flute</alias>
        <alias locale="ja" sort-name="鼻笛" type="Instrument name" primary="primary">鼻笛</alias>
      </alias-list>
    </instrument>
    <instrument id="3d082a7d-e8d9-4c7b-b8d0-513883a7d586" type="Wind instrument" ext:score="100">
      <name>nose whistle</name>
      <description>The nose whistle (also known as the Humanatone) is a simple instrument played with the nose.
      <alias-list>
        <alias sort-name="Humanatone">Humanatone</alias>
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        <alias locale="nl" sort-name="neusfluitje" type="Instrument name" primary="primary">neusfluitje</alias>
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        <alias locale="en" sort-name="nose whistle" type="Instrument name" primary="primary">nose whistle</alia
        <alias locale="fr" sort-name="sifflet à nez" type="Instrument name" primary="primary">sifflet à nez</al
        <alias locale="ja" sort-name="鼻ホイッスル" type="Instrument name" primary="primary">鼻ホイッスル</alias>
      </alias-list>
    </instrument>
  </instrument-list>
</metadata>
```

Json

```
{
  "created": "2017-03-12T18:06:29.271Z",
  "count": 2,
  "offset": 0,
  "instruments": [
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      "type": "Wind instrument",
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  },
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    "sort-name": "neusfluit",
    "name": "neusfluit",
    "locale": "nl",
    "type": "Instrument name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "ninaflööt",
    "name": "ninaflööt",
    "locale": "et",
    "type": "Instrument name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "nose flute",
    "name": "nose flute",
    "locale": "en",
    "type": "Instrument name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "鼻笛",
    "name": "鼻笛",
    "locale": "ja",
    "type": "Instrument name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  }
]
},
{
  "id": "3d082a7d-e8d9-4c7b-b8d0-513883a7d586",
  "type": "Wind instrument",
  "score": "100",
  "name": "nose whistle",
  "description": "The nose whistle (also known as the Humanatone) is a simple instrument played with the no",
  "aliases": [
    {
      "sort-name": "Humanatone",
      "name": "Humanatone",
      "locale": null,
      "type": null,
      "primary": null,
    }
  ]
}
```

```
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "Nasenflöte",
    "name": "Nasenflöte",
    "locale": "de",
    "type": "Instrument name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "neusfluitje",
    "name": "neusfluitje",
    "locale": "nl",
    "type": "Instrument name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
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    "name": "ninavile",
    "locale": "et",
    "type": "Instrument name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "nose whistle",
    "name": "nose whistle",
    "locale": "en",
    "type": "Instrument name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
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    "name": "sifflet à nez",
    "locale": "fr",
    "type": "Instrument name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "鼻ホイッスル",
    "name": "鼻ホイッスル",
    "locale": "ja",
    "type": "Instrument name",
    "primary": true,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  }
]
}
```

Label

Example

<http://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/label/?query=%22Devil's%20Records%22>

Search Fields

The [Label](#) index contains the following fields you can search

Field	Description
alias	(part of) any alias attached to the label (diacritics are ignored)
area	(part of) the name of the label's main associated area

begin	the label's begin date (e.g. "1980-01-22")
code	the label code for the label (only the numbers, without "LC")
comment	(part of) the label's disambiguation comment
country	the 2-letter code (ISO 3166-1 alpha-2) for the label's associated country
end	the label's end date (e.g. "1980-01-22")
ended	a boolean flag (true/false) indicating whether or not the label has ended (is dissolved)
ipi	an IPI code associated with the label
isni	an ISNI code associated with the label
label	(part of) the label's name (diacritics are ignored)
labelaccent	(part of) the label's name (with the specified diacritics)
laid	the label's MBID
release_count	the amount of releases related to the label
sortname	equivalent to name (labels no longer have separate sort names)
tag	(part of) a tag attached to the label
type	the label's type

If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *alias* and *label* fields.

Xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="yes"?>
<metadata created="2017-03-12T16:59:29.160Z" xmlns="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/mmd-2.0#" xmlns:ext="http://music
  <label-list count="1" offset="0">
    <label id="d2c296e3-10a4-4ba9-97b9-5620ff8a3ce0" type="Original Production" ext:score="100">
      <name>Devil's Records</name>
      <sort-name>Devil's Records</sort-name>
      <country>FR</country>
      <area id="08310658-51eb-3801-80de-5a0739207115">
        <name>France</name>
        <sort-name>France</sort-name>
      </area>
      <life-span>
        <ended>false</ended>
      </life-span>
      <alias-list>
        <alias sort-name="Devil Records">Devil Records</alias>
        <alias sort-name="Devils Records">Devils Records</alias>
      </alias-list>
    </label>
  </label-list>
</metadata>
```

Json

```
{
  "created": "2017-03-12T17:31:38.969Z",
  "count": 1,
  "offset": 0,
  "labels": [
    {
      "id": "d2c296e3-10a4-4ba9-97b9-5620ff8a3ce0",
      "type": "Original Production",
      "score": "100",
      "name": "Devil's Records",
      "sort-name": "Devil's Records",
      "country": "FR",
      "area": {
        "id": "08310658-51eb-3801-80de-5a0739207115",
        "name": "France",
        "sort-name": "France"
      },
      "life-span": {
        "ended": null
      },
      "aliases": [
        {
          "sort-name": "Devil Records",
          "name": "Devil Records",
          "locale": null,

```

```
    "type": null,
    "primary": null,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  },
  {
    "sort-name": "Devils Records",
    "name": "Devils Records",
    "locale": null,
    "type": null,
    "primary": null,
    "begin-date": null,
    "end-date": null
  }
]
}
```

Place

Example

<http://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/place/?query=chipping>

Search Fields

The [Place](#) index contains the following fields you can search

Field	Description
address	(part of) the physical address for this place
alias	(part of) any alias attached to the place (diacritics are ignored)
area	(part of) the name of the place's main associated area
begin	the place's begin date (e.g. "1980-01-22")
comment	(part of) the place's disambiguation comment
end	the place's end date (e.g. "1980-01-22")
ended	a boolean flag (true/false) indicating whether or not the place has ended (is closed)
lat	the (WGS 84) latitude of the place's coordinates (e.g. "58.388226")
long	the (WGS 84) longitude of the place's coordinates (e.g. "26.702817")
place	(part of) the place's name (diacritics are ignored)
placeaccent	(part of) the place's name (with the specified diacritics)
pid	the place's MBID
type	the place's type

If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *address*, *alias*, *area* and *place* fields.

Xml

```
<metadata created="2015-02-02T17:29:02.301Z">
  <place-list count="1" offset="0">
    <place id="d1ab65f8-d082-492a-bd70-ce375548dabf" type="Studio" ext:score="100">
      <name>Chipping Norton Recording Studios</name>
      <address>28-30 New Street, Chipping Norton</address>
      <area id="44e5e20e-8fbc-4b07-b3f2-22f2199186fd">
        <name>Oxfordshire</name>
        <sort-name>Oxfordshire</sort-name>
      </area>
      <life-span>
        <begin>1971</begin>
        <end>1999-10</end>
        <ended>true</ended>
      </life-span>
    </place>
  </place-list>
</metadata>
```

Json

```
{
  "created": "2017-03-12T16:59:39.959Z",
  "count": 1,
  "offset": 0,
  "places": [
    {
      "id": "d1ab65f8-d082-492a-bd70-ce375548dabf",
      "type": "Studio",
      "score": "100",
      "name": "Chipping Norton Recording Studios",
      "address": "28-30 New Street, Chipping Norton",
      "coordinates": {
        "latitude": "51.9414",
        "longitude": "-1.548"
      },
      "area": {
        "id": "716234d3-b8ed-45ac-8983-e7219eb85956",
        "name": "Chipping Norton",
        "sort-name": "Chipping Norton"
      },
      "life-span": {
        "begin": "1971",
        "end": "1999-10",
        "ended": true
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

Recording

Example

<http://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/recording/?query=isrc:GBAHT1600302>

Search Fields

The [Recording](#) index contains the following fields you can search

Field	Description
alias	(part of) any alias attached to the recording (diacritics are ignored)
arid	the MBID of any of the recording artists
artist	(part of) the combined credited artist name for the recording, including join phrases (e.g. "Artist X feat.")
artistname	(part of) the name of any of the recording artists
comment	(part of) the recording's disambiguation comment
country	the 2-letter code (ISO 3166-1 alpha-2) for the country any release of this recording was released in
creditname	(part of) the credited name of any of the recording artists on this particular recording
date	the release date of any release including this recording (e.g. "1980-01-22")
dur	the recording duration in milliseconds
firstreleasedate	the release date of the earliest release including this recording (e.g. "1980-01-22")
format	the format of any medium including this recording (insensitive to case, spaces, and separators)
isrc	any ISRC associated to the recording
number	the free-text number of the track on any medium including this recording (e.g. "A4")
position	the position inside its release of any medium including this recording (starts at 1)
primarytype	the primary type of any release group including this recording
qdur	the recording duration, quantized (duration in milliseconds / 2000)
recording	(part of) the recording's name, or the name of a track connected to this recording (diacritics are ignored)
recordingaccent	(part of) the recordings's name, or the name of a track connected to this recording (with the specified diacritics)
reid	the MBID of any release including this recording
release	(part of) the name of any release including this recording
rgid	the MBID of any release group including this recording
rid	the recording's MBID

secondarytype	any of the secondary types of any release group including this recording
status	the status of any release including this recording
tag	(part of) a tag attached to the recording
tid	the MBID of a track connected to this recording
tnum	the position of the track on any medium including this recording (starts at 1, pre-gaps at 0)
tracks	the number of tracks on any medium including this recording
tracksrelease	the number of tracks on any release (as a whole) including this recording
type	legacy release group type field that predates the ability to set multiple types (see calculation code)
video	a boolean flag (true/false) indicating whether or not the recording is a video recording

If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *recording* field.

Xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="yes"?>
<metadata created="2017-02-23T14:31:36.889Z" xmlns="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/mmd-2.0#" xmlns:ext="http://music
  <recording-list count="1" offset="0">
    <recording id="026fa041-3917-4c73-9079-ed16e36f20f8" ext:score="100">
      <title>Blow Your Mind (Mwah)</title>
      <length>178000</length>
      <artist-credit>
        <name-credit>
          <artist id="6f1a58bf-9b1b-49cf-a44a-6cefad7ae04f">
            <name>Dua Lipa</name>
            <sort-name>Lipa, Dua</sort-name>
          </artist>
        </name-credit>
      </artist-credit>
      <first-release-date>2016-08-26</first-release-date>
      <release-list>
        <release id="383be31c-37a0-4e08-8cda-cbcbbc587ae5">
          <title>Blow Your Mind (Mwah)</title>
          <status id="4e304316-386d-3409-af2e-78857eec5cfe">Official</status>
          <release-group id="4a45bfa5-eb1e-49eb-a20c-1021389b2121" type="Single">
            <primary-type>Single</primary-type>
          </release-group>
          <date>2016-08-26</date>
          <country>XW</country>
          <release-event-list>
            <release-event>
              <date>2016-08-26</date>
              <area id="525d4e18-3d00-31b9-a58b-a146a916de8f">
                <name>[Worldwide]</name>
                <sort-name>[Worldwide]</sort-name>
                <iso-3166-1-code-list>
                  <iso-3166-1-code>XW</iso-3166-1-code>
                </iso-3166-1-code-list>
              </area>
            </release-event>
          </release-event-list>
          <medium-list>
            <track-count>1</track-count>
            <medium>
              <position>1</position>
              <format>Digital Media</format>
              <track-list count="1" offset="0">
                <track id="0ef6e647-4aeb-438e-8c8a-50c22c511203">
                  <number>1</number>
                  <title>Blow Your Mind (Mwah)</title>
                  <length>179000</length>
                </track>
              </track-list>
            </medium>
          </medium-list>
        </release>
        <release id="8bd42e63-46cb-43e3-8294-c9c3b9793581">
          <title>Now That's What I Call Music! 95</title>
          <status id="4e304316-386d-3409-af2e-78857eec5cfe">Official</status>
          <artist-credit>
            <name-credit>
              <artist id="89ad4ac3-39f7-470e-963a-56509c546377">
                <name>Various Artists</name>
                <sort-name>Various Artists</sort-name>
              </artist>
            </name-credit>
          </artist-credit>
        </release>
      </release-list>
    </recording>
  </recording-list>
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</artist-credit>
<release-group id="071a007b-b9cf-4e22-8646-03c30fc8dd87" type="Compilation">
  <primary-type>Album</primary-type>
  <secondary-type-list>
    <secondary-type>Compilation</secondary-type>
  </secondary-type-list>
</release-group>
<date>2016-11-18</date>
<country>GB</country>
<release-event-list>
  <release-event>
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    <area id="8a754a16-0027-3a29-b6d7-2b40ea0481ed">
      <name>United Kingdom</name>
      <sort-name>United Kingdom</sort-name>
      <iso-3166-1-code-list>
        <iso-3166-1-code>GB</iso-3166-1-code>
      </iso-3166-1-code-list>
    </area>
  </release-event>
</release-event-list>
<medium-list>
  <track-count>45</track-count>
  <medium>
    <position>1</position>
    <format>Digital Media</format>
    <track-list count="45" offset="35">
      <track id="e43cfb2f-fdd3-40a7-9396-25c9435ca8cb">
        <number>36</number>
        <title>Blow Your Mind (Mwah)</title>
        <length>178000</length>
      </track>
    </track-list>
  </medium>
</medium-list>
</release>
<release id="72a240b0-ca08-4d35-a15d-c1eded21c0ce">
  <title>Now That's What I Call Music! 95</title>
  <status id="4e304316-386d-3409-af2e-78857eec5cfe">Official</status>
  <artist-credit>
    <name-credit>
      <artist id="89ad4ac3-39f7-470e-963a-56509c546377">
        <name>Various Artists</name>
        <sort-name>Various Artists</sort-name>
      </artist>
    </name-credit>
  </artist-credit>
  <release-group id="071a007b-b9cf-4e22-8646-03c30fc8dd87" type="Compilation">
    <primary-type>Album</primary-type>
    <secondary-type-list>
      <secondary-type>Compilation</secondary-type>
    </secondary-type-list>
  </release-group>
  <date>2016-11-18</date>
  <country>GB</country>
  <release-event-list>
    <release-event>
      <date>2016-11-18</date>
      <area id="8a754a16-0027-3a29-b6d7-2b40ea0481ed">
        <name>United Kingdom</name>
        <sort-name>United Kingdom</sort-name>
        <iso-3166-1-code-list>
          <iso-3166-1-code>GB</iso-3166-1-code>
        </iso-3166-1-code-list>
      </area>
    </release-event>
  </release-event-list>
  <medium-list>
    <track-count>45</track-count>
    <medium>
      <position>2</position>
      <format>CD</format>
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        <track id="8c193afa-a867-46fb-8745-5168a8e16a75">
          <number>15</number>
          <title>Blow Your Mind (Mwah)</title>
          <length>178213</length>
        </track>
      </track-list>
    </medium>
  </medium-list>
</release>
```



```
</release>
<release id="6313b666-6042-486b-b2aa-614e7542ff68">
  <title>Life Is Music 2016.2</title>
  <status id="4e304316-386d-3409-af2e-78857eec5cfe">Official</status>
  <artist-credit>
    <name-credit>
      <artist id="89ad4ac3-39f7-470e-963a-56509c546377">
        <name>Various Artists</name>
        <sort-name>Various Artists</sort-name>
      </artist>
    </name-credit>
  </artist-credit>
  <release-group id="406d765d-c5ca-43e9-b268-a33878927ff5" type="Compilation">
    <primary-type>Album</primary-type>
    <secondary-type-list>
      <secondary-type>Compilation</secondary-type>
    </secondary-type-list>
  </release-group>
  <date>2016-12-02</date>
  <country>BE</country>
  <release-event-list>
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      <date>2016-12-02</date>
      <area id="5b8a5ee5-0bb3-34cf-9a75-c27c44e341fc">
        <name>Belgium</name>
        <sort-name>Belgium</sort-name>
        <iso-3166-1-code-list>
          <iso-3166-1-code>BE</iso-3166-1-code>
        </iso-3166-1-code-list>
      </area>
    </release-event>
  </release-event-list>
  <medium-list>
    <track-count>39</track-count>
    <medium>
      <position>1</position>
      <format>CD</format>
      <track-list count="20" offset="7">
        <track id="7e93e73c-e8f2-4218-af5e-baae4ce98882">
          <number>8</number>
          <title>Blow Your Mind (Mwah)</title>
          <length>177266</length>
        </track>
      </track-list>
    </medium>
  </medium-list>
</release>
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  <title>Hits 2016</title>
  <status id="4e304316-386d-3409-af2e-78857eec5cfe">Official</status>
  <artist-credit>
    <name-credit>
      <artist id="89ad4ac3-39f7-470e-963a-56509c546377">
        <name>Various Artists</name>
        <sort-name>Various Artists</sort-name>
      </artist>
    </name-credit>
  </artist-credit>
  <release-group id="7678ff0a-9446-4d5f-b46e-56c84fc68654" type="Compilation">
    <primary-type>Album</primary-type>
    <secondary-type-list>
      <secondary-type>Compilation</secondary-type>
    </secondary-type-list>
  </release-group>
  <date>2016-12-23</date>
  <country>MX</country>
  <release-event-list>
    <release-event>
      <date>2016-12-23</date>
      <area id="3e08b2cd-69f3-317c-b1e4-e71be581839e">
        <name>Mexico</name>
        <sort-name>Mexico</sort-name>
        <iso-3166-1-code-list>
          <iso-3166-1-code>MX</iso-3166-1-code>
        </iso-3166-1-code-list>
      </area>
    </release-event>
  </release-event-list>
  <medium-list>
    <track-count>23</track-count>
    <medium>
```

```
<position>1</position>
<format>Digital Media</format>
<track-list count="23" offset="22">
  <track id="3b466997-8bda-410f-82aa-02b703c931c5">
    <number>23</number>
    <title>Blow Your Mind (Mwah)</title>
    <length>178583</length>
  </track>
</track-list>
</medium>
</medium-list>
</release>
<release id="d02cce98-98fe-430c-b3c9-951c94f4fb1d">
  <title>Now That's What I Call Music! 95</title>
  <status id="4e304316-386d-3409-af2e-78857eec5cfe">Official</status>
  <artist-credit>
    <name-credit>
      <artist id="89ad4ac3-39f7-470e-963a-56509c546377">
        <name>Various Artists</name>
        <sort-name>Various Artists</sort-name>
      </artist>
    </name-credit>
  </artist-credit>
  <release-group id="071a007b-b9cf-4e22-8646-03c30fc8dd87" type="Compilation">
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    <secondary-type-list>
      <secondary-type>Compilation</secondary-type>
    </secondary-type-list>
  </release-group>
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  <country>GB</country>
  <release-event-list>
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      <date>2016-11-18</date>
      <area id="8a754a16-0027-3a29-b6d7-2b40ea0481ed">
        <name>United Kingdom</name>
        <sort-name>United Kingdom</sort-name>
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        </iso-3166-1-code-list>
      </area>
    </release-event>
  </release-event-list>
  <medium-list>
    <track-count>45</track-count>
    <medium>
      <position>2</position>
      <format>CD</format>
      <track-list count="24" offset="14">
        <track id="4ae11ffe-5ac8-42ae-a321-1535136ff05c">
          <number>15</number>
          <title>Blow Your Mind (Mwah)</title>
          <length>178213</length>
        </track>
      </track-list>
    </medium>
  </medium-list>
</release>
<release id="5496dc5f-a282-422e-b7c6-78575e5f7944">
  <title>Dua Lipa (Deluxe)</title>
  <status id="518ffc83-5cde-34df-8627-81bff5093d92">Promotion</status>
  <release-group id="abbc4905-c25f-4c67-8e2d-19329ec48b1f" type="Album">
    <primary-type>Album</primary-type>
  </release-group>
  <date>2017-06-02</date>
  <country>XW</country>
  <release-event-list>
    <release-event>
      <date>2017-06-02</date>
      <area id="525d4e18-3d00-31b9-a58b-a146a916de8f">
        <name>[Worldwide]</name>
        <sort-name>[Worldwide]</sort-name>
        <iso-3166-1-code-list>
          <iso-3166-1-code>XW</iso-3166-1-code>
        </iso-3166-1-code-list>
      </area>
    </release-event>
  </release-event-list>
  <medium-list>
    <track-count>17</track-count>
    <medium>
```

```

    <position>1</position>
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Note that if the recording belongs to a release that is a multiple-artist compilation then the release data includes an artist credit.

Json

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  ]
}
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  {
    "count": 1,
    "name": "dance-pop"
  },
  {
    "count": 1,
    "name": "contemporary r&b"
  }
]
}
]
```

Release Group

Example

<http://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/release-group/?query=release:Tenance>

Search Fields

The [release group](#) index contains the following fields you can search:

Field	Description
alias	(part of) any alias attached to the release group (diacritics are ignored)
arid	the MBID of any of the release group artists
artist	(part of) the combined credited artist name for the release group, including join phrases (e.g. "Artist X feat.")
artistname	(part of) the name of any of the release group artists
comment	(part of) the release group's disambiguation comment
creditname	(part of) the credited name of any of the release group artists on this particular release group
firstreleasedate	the release date of the earliest release in this release group (e.g. "1980-01-22")
primarytype	the primary type of the release group
reid	the MBID of any of the releases in the release group
release	(part of) the title of any of the releases in the release group
releasegroup	(part of) the release group's title (diacritics are ignored)
releasegroupaccent	(part of) the release group's title (with the specified diacritics)
releases	the number of releases in the release group
rgid	the release group's MBID
secondarytype	any of the secondary types of the release group
status	the status of any of the releases in the release group
tag	(part of) a tag attached to the release group
type	legacy release group type field that predates the ability to set multiple types (see calculation code)

If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *releasegroup* field.

Xml

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      <first-release-date>1998</first-release-date>
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        <name-credit>
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            <sort-name>Giannelli, Fred</sort-name>
            <disambiguation>US electronic artist</disambiguation>
          </artist>
        </name-credit>
      </artist-credit>
      <release-list count="1">
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        </release>
      </release-list>
    </release-group>
  </release-group-list>
</metadata>

```

Json

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          }
        ]
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    "title": "Main Tenance",
    "status": "Official"
  }
}
```

Release

Example

<http://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/release/?query=release:Schneider%20AND%20Shake>

Search Fields

The [Release](#) index contains the following fields you can search

Field	Description
alias	(part of) any alias attached to the release (diacritics are ignored)
arid	the MBID of any of the release artists
artist	(part of) the combined credited artist name for the release, including join phrases (e.g. "Artist X feat.")
artistname	(part of) the name of any of the release artists
asin	an Amazon ASIN for the release
barcode	the barcode for the release
catno	any catalog number for this release (insensitive to case, spaces, and separators)
comment	(part of) the release's disambiguation comment
country	the 2-letter code (ISO 3166-1 alpha-2) for any country the release was released in
creditname	(part of) the credited name of any of the release artists on this particular release
date	a release date for the release (e.g. "1980-01-22")
discids	the total number of disc IDs attached to all mediums on the release
discidsmedium	the number of disc IDs attached to any one medium on the release
format	the format of any medium in the release (insensitive to case, spaces, and separators)
laid	the MBID of any of the release labels
label	(part of) the name of any of the release labels
lang	the ISO 639-3 code for the release language
mediums	the number of mediums on the release
packaging	the format of the release (insensitive to case, spaces, and separators)
primarytype	the primary type of the release group for this release
quality	the listed quality of the data for the release (2 for "high", 1 for "normal"; cannot search for "low" at the moment; see the related bug report)
reid	the release's MBID
release	(part of) the release's title (diacritics are ignored)
releaseaccent	(part of) the release's title (with the specified diacritics)
rgid	the MBID of the release group for this release
script	the ISO 15924 code for the release script
secondarytype	any of the secondary types of the release group for this release
status	the status of the release
tag	(part of) a tag attached to the release
tracks	the total number of tracks on the release
tracksmedium	the number of tracks on any one medium on the release
type	legacy release group type field that predates the ability to set multiple types (see calculation code)

If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *release* field.

Xml

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      <packaging>Cardboard/Paper Sleeve</packaging>
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        <script>Latn</script>
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            <sort-name>Schneider, Fred</sort-name>
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              <alias sort-name="Fred Schneider & the Shake Society">Fred Schneider & the Shake Society</alias>
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        </label-info>
      </label-info-list>
      <medium-list count="1">
        <track-count>9</track-count>
        <medium>
          <format>12" Vinyl</format>
          <disc-list count="0"/>
          <track-list count="9"/>
        </medium>
      </medium-list>
    </release>
  </release-list>
</metadata>
```

Json

```
{
  "created": "2017-03-12T17:20:00.235Z",
  "count": 1,
  "offset": 0,
  "releases": [
    {
      "id": "62d1c4ef-fc00-37af-8df7-485f6a31fcc4",
      "score": "100",
      "count": 1,
      "title": "Fred Schneider & The Shake Society",
      "status-id": "4e304316-386d-3409-af2e-78857eec5cfe",
      "status": "Official",
      "packaging": "Cardboard/Paper Sleeve",
      "text-representation": {
        "language": "eng",
```

```

    "script": "Latn"
  },
  "artist-credit": [
    {
      "artist": {
        "id": "43bcca8b-9edc-4997-8343-122350e790bf",
        "name": "Fred Schneider",
        "sort-name": "Schneider, Fred",
        "aliases": [
          {
            "sort-name": "Schneider, Frederick William",
            "name": "Frederick William Schneider",
            "locale": null,
            "type": "Legal name",
            "primary": null,
            "begin-date": null,
            "end-date": null
          },
          {
            "sort-name": "Fred Schneider & the Shake Society",
            "name": "Fred Schneider & the Shake Society",
            "locale": null,
            "type": null,
            "primary": null,
            "begin-date": null,
            "end-date": null
          }
        ]
      }
    }
  ],
  "release-group": {
    "id": "0ef97d52-3f00-31bf-8413-f83ccb362675",
    "primary-type": "Album"
  },
  "date": "1984",
  "country": "US",
  "release-events": [
    {
      "date": "1984",
      "area": {
        "id": "489ce91b-6658-3307-9877-795b68554c98",
        "name": "United States",
        "sort-name": "United States",
        "iso-3166-1-codes": [
          "US"
        ]
      }
    }
  ],
  "barcode": "07599251581",
  "label-info": [
    {
      "catalog-number": "1-25158",
      "label": {
        "id": "c595c289-47ce-4fba-b999-b87503e8cb71",
        "name": "Warner Bros. Records"
      }
    }
  ],
  "track-count": 9,
  "media": [
    {
      "format": "12\" Vinyl",
      "disc-count": 0,
      "track-count": 9
    }
  ]
}

```

Series

Example

<https://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/series/?query=%22Studio%20Brussel%22>

Search Fields

The [Series](#) index contains the following fields you can search

Field	Description
alias	(part of) any alias attached to the series (diacritics are ignored)
comment	(part of) the series' disambiguation comment
series	(part of) the series' name (diacritics are ignored)
seriesaccent	(part of) the series' name (with the specified diacritics)
sid	the series' MBID
tag	(part of) a tag attached to the series
type	the series' type

If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *alias* and *series* fields.

Xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="yes"?>
<metadata created="2017-03-12T18:06:29.595Z" xmlns="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/mmd-2.0#" xmlns:ext="http://music
  <series-list count="2" offset="0">
    <series id="dab51ad0-48ba-4ff3-aa77-8b13bf5f40d9" type="Release group" ext:score="100">
      <name>Studio Brussel: De Maxx</name>
      <disambiguation>radio show compilations</disambiguation>
    </series>
    <series id="9b5b8690-8cd8-4f1e-942c-c2031c59d3ff" type="Release group" ext:score="87">
      <name>Studio Brussel: Life Is Music</name>
      <disambiguation>radio show compilations</disambiguation>
      <tag-list>
        <tag count="1">
          <name>stubru</name>
        </tag>
      </tag-list>
    </series>
  </series-list>
</metadata>
```

Json

```
{
  "created": "2017-03-12T18:06:29.595Z",
  "count": 2,
  "offset": 0,
  "series": [
    {
      "id": "dab51ad0-48ba-4ff3-aa77-8b13bf5f40d9",
      "type": "Release group",
      "score": "100",
      "name": "Studio Brussel: De Maxx",
      "disambiguation": "radio show compilations"
    },
    {
      "id": "9b5b8690-8cd8-4f1e-942c-c2031c59d3ff",
      "type": "Release group",
      "score": "87",
      "name": "Studio Brussel: Life Is Music",
      "disambiguation": "radio show compilations",
      "tags": [
        {
          "count": 1,
          "name": "stubru"
        }
      ]
    }
  ]
}
```

Tag

Example

<http://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/tag/?query=shoegaze>

Search Fields

The [tag](#) index contains these fields you can search:

Field	Description
tag	(part of) the tag's name

Xml

```
<metadata xmlns="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/mmd-2.0#" xmlns:ext="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/ext#-2.0">
  <tag-list count="5" offset="0">
    <tag ext:score="100">
      <name>shoegaze</name>
    </tag>
    <tag ext:score="62">
      <name>rock shoegaze</name>
    </tag>
    <tag ext:score="62">
      <name>indie shoegaze</name>
    </tag>
    <tag ext:score="50">
      <name>doom metal ethereal shoegaze</name>
    </tag>
    <tag ext:score="31">
      <name>ambient folk classical electronic shoegaze alternative rock indie</name>
    </tag>
  </tag-list>
</metadata>
```

Json

```
{
  "created": "2013-02-05T08:20:52.180Z",
  "count": 5,
  "offset": 0,
  "tags": [
    {
      "score": "100",
      "name": "shoegaze"
    },
    {
      "score": "62",
      "name": "rock shoegaze"
    },
    {
      "score": "62",
      "name": "indie shoegaze"
    },
    {
      "score": "50",
      "name": "doom metal ethereal shoegaze"
    },
    {
      "score": "31",
      "name": "ambient folk classical electronic shoegaze alternative rock indie"
    }
  ]
}
```

URL

Example

<http://musicbrainz.org/ws/2/url/?query=Hello>

Search Fields

The [URL](#) index contains the following fields you can search

Field	Description
relationtype	the type of a relationship the URL is in (e.g. "wikidata")
targetid	the MBID of an entity related to the URL
targettype	an entity type related to the URL (e.g. "artist")
uid	the URL's MBID

url	the actual URL string
url_ancestor	the actual URL string, but also returns any ancestor paths (e.g. "https://example.org/some/stuff" will match "https://example.org/some")
url_descendent	the actual URL string, but also returns any descendant paths (e.g. "https://example.org/some/stuff" will match "https://example.org/some/stuff/here")

Xml

```
<metadata created="2017-03-11T01:04:24.353Z" xmlns="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/mmd-2.0#" xmlns:ext="http://music
  <url-list count="0" offset="0"/>
</metadata>
```

Json

```
{
  "created": "2017-03-11T01:04:24.353Z",
  "count": 0,
  "offset": 0,
  "urls": [ ]
}
```

Work

Example

<https://beta.musicbrainz.org/ws/2/work/?query=work:Frozen%20AND%20arid:4c006444-ccbf-425e-b3e7-03a98bab5997>

Search Fields

The [Work](#) index contains the following fields you can search

Field	Description
alias	(part of) any alias attached to the work (diacritics are ignored)
arid	the MBID of an artist related to the event (e.g. a composer or lyricist)
artist	(part of) the name of an artist related to the work (e.g. a composer or lyricist)
comment	(part of) the work's disambiguation comment
iswc	any ISWC associated to the work
lang	the ISO 639-3 code for any of the languages of the work's lyrics
recording	(part of) the title of a recording related to the work
recording_count	the number of recordings related to the work
rid	the MBID of a recording related to the work
tag	(part of) a tag attached to the work
type	the work's type (e.g. "opera", "song", "symphony")
wid	the work's MBID
work	(part of) the work's title (diacritics are ignored)
workaccent	(part of) the work's title (with the specified diacritics)

If you don't specify a field, the terms will be searched for in the *alias* and *work* fields.

Xml

```
<metadata xmlns="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/mmd-2.0#" xmlns:ext="http://musicbrainz.org/ns/ext#-2.0">
  <work-list offset="0" count="1">
    <work ext:score="100" id="10c1a66a-8166-32ec-a00f-540f111ce7a3">
      <title>Frozen Fred</title>
      <relation-list>
        <relation type="composer">
          <artist id="4c006444-ccbf-425e-b3e7-03a98bab5997">
            <name>Michiel Peters</name>
            <sort-name>Peters, Michiel</sort-name>
          </artist>
        </relation>
      </relation-list>
    </work>
  </work-list>
```



```
</work>
</work-list>
</metadata>
```

Json

```
{
  "created": "2017-03-12T17:25:03.53Z",
  "count": 1,
  "offset": 0,
  "works": [
    {
      "id": "10c1a66a-8166-32ec-a00f-540f111ce7a3",
      "score": "100",
      "title": "Frozen Fred",
      "relations": [
        {
          "type": "composer",
          "direction": "backward",
          "artist": {
            "id": "4c006444-ccbf-425e-b3e7-03a98bab5997",
            "name": "Michiel Peters",
            "sort-name": "Peters, Michiel"
          }
        },
        {
          "type": "performance",
          "direction": "backward",
          "recording": {
            "id": "17b376c8-68a8-43bb-a065-ff27c04cfd5f",
            "title": "Frozen Fred",
            "video": null
          }
        }
      ]
    }
  ]
}
```

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