bp_artist.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: artist_id

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- artist_id referenced by tables bp_artist_media, bp_artist_release, bp_artist_track & bp_label_ar tist
- artist_slug is a portion of url query parameter to search the artist on beatport
- updated_on column is in PST

bp_artist_media.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: (artist_id, artist_img_id)
FOREIGN KEY: artist_id references bp_artist

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- an artist may have more than 1 associated image. Although Beatport does not display more
 than 1 at any given time, historical images are stored in this table. This is done by design. To
 use the most up to date image, use most current updated_on column when grouping
 by artist_id
- composite primary key
- one-to-many relationship between artist and artist artwork
- **artist_img_id** = **5539565** represents beatport's stock image for when artists have not provided an image of themselves.
- The corresponding artist_img is https://geo-media.beatport.com/image-size/590x404/0dc61986-bccf-49d4-8fad-6b147ea8f327.jpg
- updated_on column is in PST

bp_artist_release.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: (release_id, artist_id)

FOREIGN KEY:

- artist_id references bp_artist
- 2. release_id references bp_release

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- updated_on column is in PST
- composite primary key
- many-to-many relationship between artist and release
- the significant decrease in count of release_id between 400,000 800,000 should not be concerning. The majority of these releases have either been permanently removed or hidden from view on Beatport

bp_artist_track.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: (track_id, artist_id, is_remixer)

FOREIGN KEY:

- track_id references bp_track
- 2. release_id references bp_release

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- an artist can be both an original artist and remixer of a single track
- many-to-many relationship between tracks and artists.
- the significant decrease in count of track_id between 2 2.8 M should not be concerning.
 The majority of those tracks have either been permanently removed or hidden from view on Beatport.

bp_genre.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: genre_id

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- updated_on column is in PST
- genre_id referenced by tables bp_track & bp_subgenre
- **song_count** reflects the current song count per genre as of **updated_on** as indicated from Beatport.com . It is not exactly representative of the number of songs in the database. If you were to view the change in **song_count** over time, you might notice a net decrease when in reality there would be a net increase. This is due in part to songs being removed from

Beatport, **release_date** getting changed, songs being hidden from view, or the genre being changed.

bp_key.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: key_id
ADDITIONAL INFO:

- updated_on column is in PST
- key_id referenced by table bp_track

bp_label.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: label_id

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- updated_on column is in PST
- label_id referenced tables bp_label_media, bp_label_artist, bp_release & bp_track

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bp_label_artist.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: (label_id, artist_id)

FOREIGN KEY:

- 1. label_id references bp_label
- 2. artist_id references bp_artist

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- updated_on column is in PST
- many-to-many relationship between labels and artists
- composite primary key

bp_label_media.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: (label_id, label_img_id)

FOREIGN KEY: label_id references bp_label

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- standard image size is 500x500
- a label may have more than 1 associated image. Although Beatport does not display more than
 1 at any given time, historical images are stored in this table. This is done by design. To use the
 most up to date image, use most current updated_on column when grouping by label_id
- composite primary key
- **label_img_id** = **5539566** represents beatport's stock image for when labels have not provided an image to represent themselves.
- The corresponding label_img is https://geo-media.beatport.com/image size/500x500/cda9862c-cf92-4d13-ac65-7e9277181f51.jpg
- updated_on column is in PST

bp_release.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: release_id

FOREIGN KEY: label_id references bp_label

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- updated_on column is in PST
- release_id referenced
 tables bp_artist_release, bp_release_media, bp_track_media & bp_track

by

- the significant decrease in count of **release_id** between 400,000 800,000 should not be concerning. The majority of these releases have either been permanently removed or hidden from view on Beatport
- **catalog** doesn't appear to be used outside of Beatport.
- might add columns upc (international release/album identifier), bpm_range, release_desc (description), track_count

bp_release_media.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: (release_id, release_img_id)

FOREIGN KEY: release_id references bp_release

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- standard image size is 1400x1400
- a release may have more than 1 associated image. Although Beatport does not display more
 than 1 at any given time, historical images are stored in this table. This is done by design. To
 use the most up to date image, use most current updated_on column when grouping
 by release_id
- composite primary key
- **release_img_id** = **5245821** represents beatport's stock image for when a release does not have any album artwork.
- The corresponding release_img is https://geo-media.beatport.com/image_size/500x500/ab2d1d04-233d-4b08-8234-9782b34dcab8.jpg
- updated_on column is in PST

bp_subgenre.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: (genre_id, subgenre_id)
FOREIGN KEY: genre_id references bp_genre

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- composite primary key
- there are a couple instances where the same subgenre belongs to 2 genres.
- **updated_on** column is in PST
- composite (genre_id, subgenre_id) referenced by table bp_track

bp_track.csv

PRIMARY KEY: track_id

FOREIGN KEY:

1. genre_id references bp_genre

- 2. (genre_id, subgenre_id) references bp_subgenre
- 3. **key_id** references **bp_key**
- 4. release_id references bp_release
- 5. label_id references bp_label

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- isrc is potentially the single most important column in the entire database. The isrc (International Standard Recording Code) is used to find exact matches through Spotify API and ultimately link this Beatport Database to the MusicBrainz and Discogs databases.
- the significant decrease in count of track_id between 2 4 M should not be concerning. The
 majority of those tracks have either been permanently removed or hidden from view on
 Beatport.
- bool value in is_remixed does not necessarily indicate whether or not a track is remixed as
 there are many instances of a track being remixed with no remixers listed on Beatport. It more
 so references that a remixer was listed on the track i.e. the column is_remixer in
 table bp_artist_track will be set to True.
- **release_date** can vary between tracks with the same **release_id**. This indicates an album/release where tracks came out in different phases, i.e. track being released as a single prior to the final album release date.
- **bpm** column must be taken with a grain of salt. **bpm** can be difficult to gauge for a song where it varies wildly. Another consideration is that some genres are more prone to having their **bpm** listed in either double-time or halftime which will either appear as twice or half of the standard **bpm** respectively.
- some instances where the **duration** column represented as a string in HH:MM:SS format is invalid, i.e. minutes or seconds will exceed '59'. These values have been left unmodified.
- **catalog** seems to be some sort of internal cataloging system between record labels and Beatport. I have found no clear indication that the same catalog numbers are used elsewhere.
- **label_track_id** is largely irrelevant considering it is used only 60% of the time. Might consider dropping in future updates. It appears to be something that is optionally set up between Beatport and a label for the label to be able to id their own tracks on Beatport.
- **is_matched_spot** column is a Boolean flag that indicates whether or not I have found a positive id between a Spotify and Beatport. Updates to this column will be coming soon as well as an entire database of Spotify values including audio features.
- updated_on column is in PST

bp_track_media.csv

About this file

PRIMARY KEY: track_id

FOREIGN KEY: track_id references bp_track

ADDITIONAL INFO:

- wave_img_id can be null if no waveform image exists
- the UUID within a single track's columns wave_img & sample_url can be the same for some tracks but different for others. (Same example: https://geo-media.beatport.com/image-size/1500x250/ a98235a0-e6d3-4707-8abe-89ec4e70e828 .png vs. https://geo-samples.beatport.com/track/ a98235a0-e6d3-4707-8abe-89ec4e70e828 .LOFI.mp3)
- all sample related columns can be null if the mp3 sample does not exist on Beatport
- **sample_start** of 0 indicates the song is less than a minute and 30 seconds in length
- standard image size is 1500x250
- a track may NOT have more than 1 associated waveform image at any given time.
- **updated_on** column is in PST