



# The LABZ

## One application to replace them all!

All in one digital rights focused,  
cloud storage, collaboration and e-signature app designed for creative workflows.

**REPLACES:**



# Who Am I

- Saxophonist
- Building Architect
- IT Management Consultant
- Technology Solution Architect
- Married into the Entertainment industry
- Found a big problem my background equipped me to solve



# Problem



**The creative community has intellectual property, ownership, and collaboration tracking responsibilities unique to their profession.**

# Shared Creativity = Small Business



## Music

- Instrument
- Management
- Producer
- Audio Engineer
- Songwriters



## Film/TV/ Entertainment

- Producer
- Script Writer
- Video creators
- Marketing team
- Story board artist
- Script supervisor



## Photography

- Photographer
- Creative director



## Books

- Producer
- Voice Actors
- Writer
- Copyrighter
- Publisher

# 99% of the Creative Process:

## Storage/ File sharing :



## Collaboration: Music, Film/TV, Publishing...



## E- Signature:



## Email and Chat:



# Problem

**The current tools creatives use to execute their creative work are designed to work against their business responsibilities.**

## How?

- Fragmented Tools/ Lost & forgotten data
- Lack of security/ No control over your assets
- Requires project management skills

# 99% of the Creative Process:

## Storage/ File sharing :

 **\$120**







## Collaboration: Music, Film/TV, Publishing...

 **\$150**







**Year**

**\$440**

## E- Signature:

 **\$120**







## Email and Chat:

 **\$50**







# Current creative tools cause business problems

## LOST CONTRIBUTION

**\$2.5B in unclaimed royalties from music creators because of lack of ownership documentation.**

## LOST IN TRANSLATION

**Film/TV/ Entertainment: Projects are unreleased because of scriptwriting co- authorship disputes**

## LOST DATA

**Winning cases are all about what you can prove with data.**



# The Labz

The Labz is an ecosystem of tools specially designed for the creative and business process of tracking and preserving collaboration activity, establishing agreements and controlling access to owned content.



## 360IP<sup>TM</sup>

Patent pending technology for tracking and documenting creative collaboration activity using AI and Blockchain



**Storage/  
File sharing :**



**Collaboration:**



**E- Signature:**



**Email and Chat:**

=

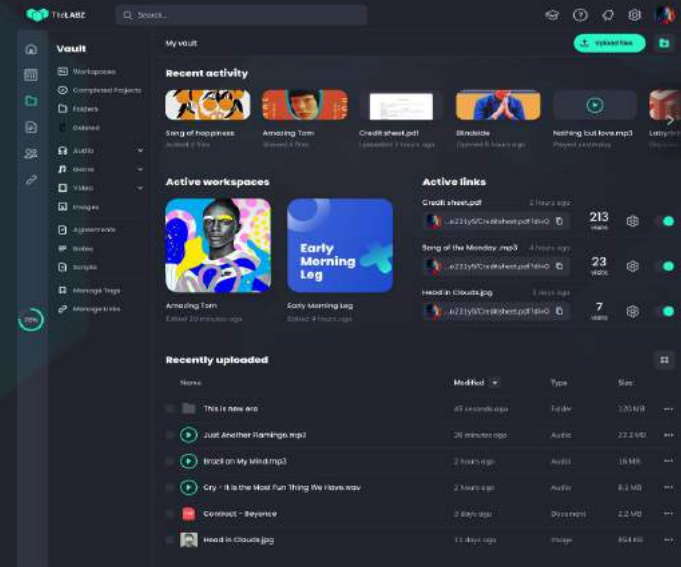
## Vault 360<sup>TM</sup>



## MediaLabz<sup>TM</sup>



## Sign 360<sup>TM</sup>

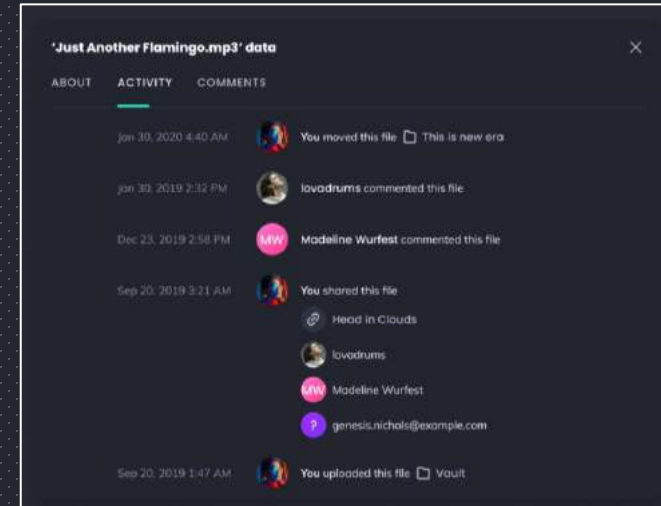
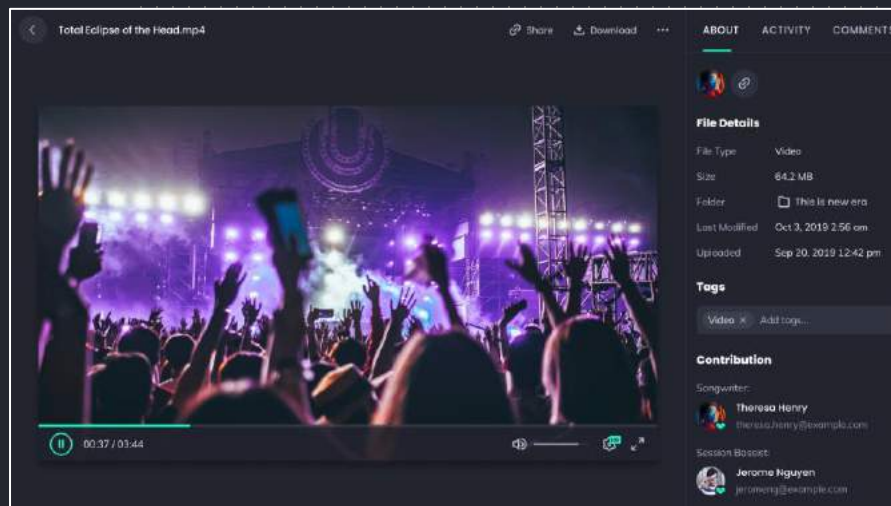
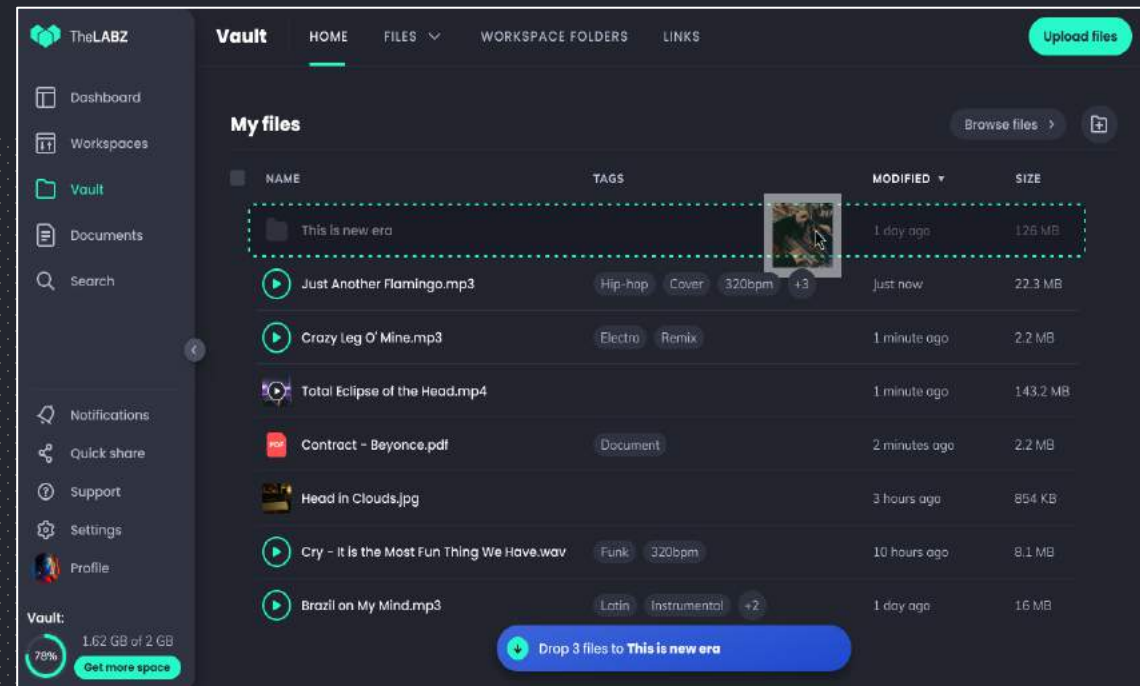


# Vault 360™



## Cloud Storage made for creative business needs

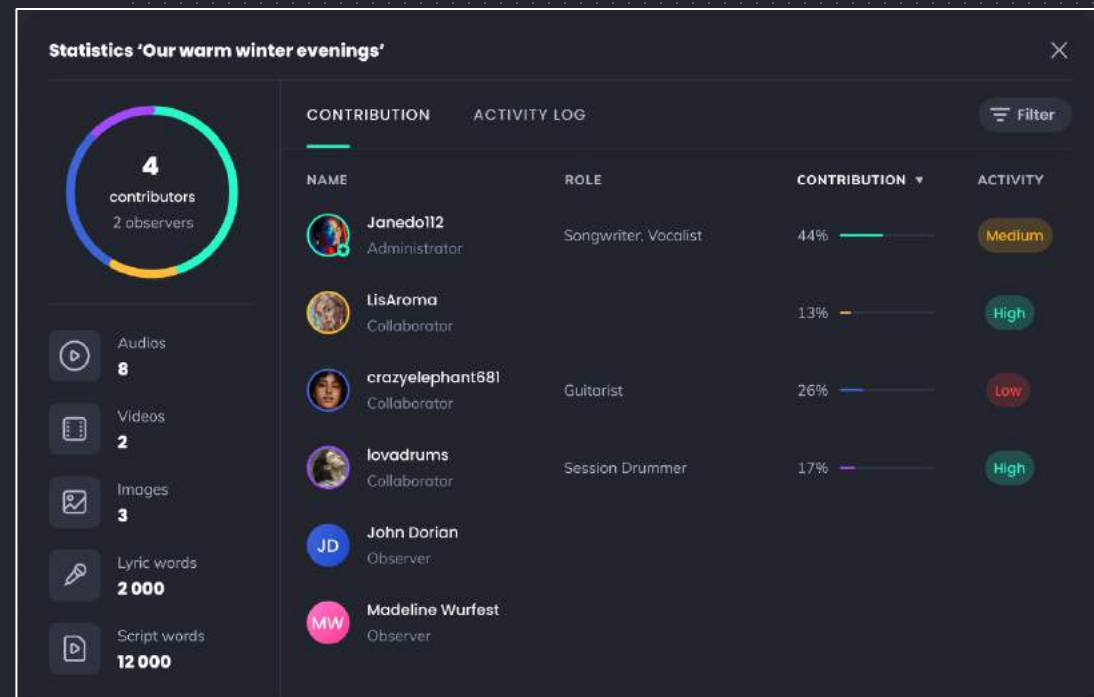
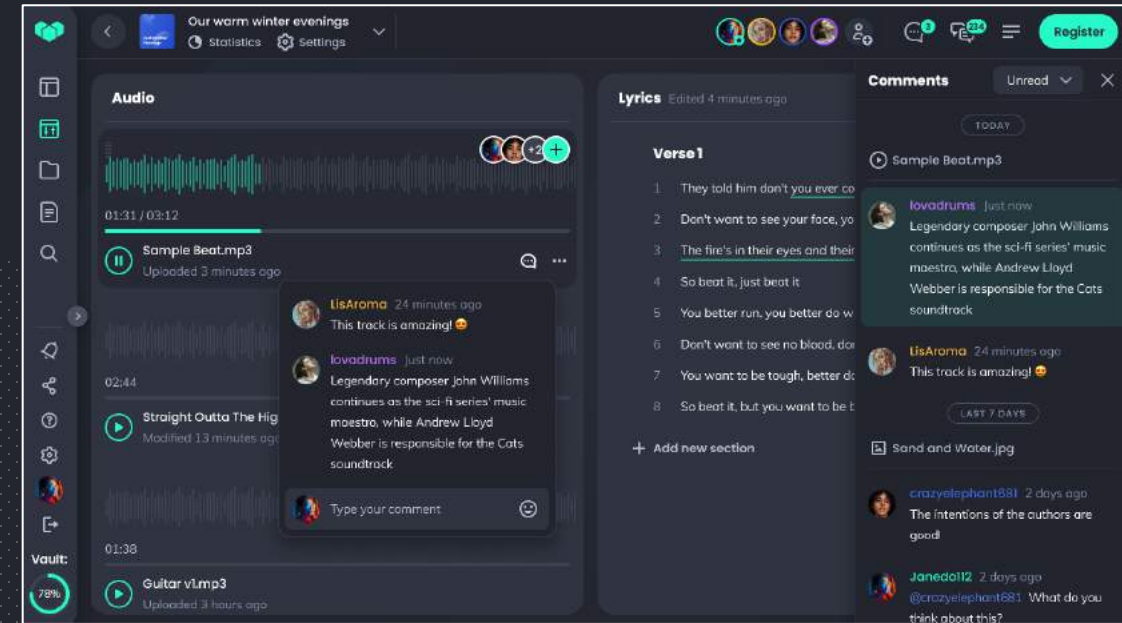
- Media File management Automation
- Shared link management reporting and access control
- File ownership and contribution watermarking



# MediaLabz™

## 360IP™ Multi tool collaboration workspace

- Track collaboration activity
- Provide collaborator insights





**Audio**

03:22  
Sample Beat.mp3  
Uploaded 3 minutes ago

03:44  
Straight Outta The High Street.mp3  
Modified 13 minutes ago

Guitar v1.mp3  
Uploaded 3 hours ago

Vocals.mp3  
Uploaded 1 day ago

**Video**

03:44  
Concert footage 11.12.19.mp4  
Uploaded 2 hours ago

02:16  
Sample Clip 2.mp4  
Uploaded 3 hours ago

**Images**

Sand and Water.jpg  
Uploaded just now

Concert footage 11.12.19.mp4

**Video**

03:44  
Concert footage 11.12.19.mp4  
Uploaded 2 hours ago

02:16  
Sample Clip 2.mp4  
Uploaded 3 hours ago

01:27  
Sample Clip.mp4  
Uploaded 5 days ago

**Script**

Heading 1 16px B I U

**Script Sample**

☒ Introduction.  
☒ Stage description  
☐ A/V Script

**Introduction**

Aute minim in aute aliqua quis sit et eiusmod. Quis mollit esse cillum est fugiat tempor mollit. Aliquip adipsicing officio officio non pariatue ea aliquip sunt ut ad sint minim.

**Stage description**

**Lyrics**

Verse 1

1 They told him don't you ever come around here

2 Don't want to see your face, you better disappear

3 The fire's in their eyes and their words are really clear

4 So beat it, just beat it

5 You better run, you better do what you can

6 Don't want to see no blood, don't be a macho man

7 You want to be tough, better do what you can

8 So beat it, but you want to be bad

Chorus

1 just beat it, beat it, beat it, beat it

2 No one wants to be defeated

**Documents**

Draft

Split sheet.pdf  
Uploaded 31 minutes ago

Completed

Copyrights agreement.pdf  
Uploaded 2 days ago

Pending

License agreement  
Uploaded 2 days ago

Rejected

Songwriting agreement.doc  
Uploaded 2 days ago

**Files**

Midi Samples - Drums  
Uploaded 31 minutes ago

Midi Samples - Guitar  
Uploaded 31 minutes ago

Setup.exe  
Uploaded 2 hours ago

Track0123.cpr  
Uploaded 4 days ago

**Script**

Heading 1 16px B I U

**Script Sample**

☒ Introduction.  
☒ Stage description  
☐ A/V Script

**Introduction**

Aute minim in aute aliqua quis sit et eiusmod. Quis mollit esse cillum est fugiat tempor mollit. Aliquip adipsicing officio officio non pariatue ea aliquip sunt ut ad sint minim.

**Stage description**

Aliquip adipsicing officio officio non pariatue ea aliquip sunt ut ad sint minim.

**Files**

Midi Samples - Drums  
Uploaded yesterday

Midi Samples - Guitar  
Uploaded yesterday

Setup.exe  
Uploaded 2 hours ago

Track0123.cpr  
Uploaded 4 days ago

**Images**

Sand and Water.jpg  
Uploaded just now

Plant1\_owl125x.jpg  
Uploaded 2 days ago

Milkyway.png  
Uploaded 2 days ago

**Documents**

Split sheet.pdf  
Uploaded 31 minutes ago

Copyrights agreement.pdf  
Uploaded 2 days ago

License agreement  
Uploaded 2 days ago

Songwriting agreement.doc  
Uploaded 2 days ago

**Files**

Midi Samples - Drums  
Uploaded 31 minutes ago

Midi Samples - Guitar  
Uploaded 31 minutes ago

Setup.exe  
Uploaded 2 hours ago

Track0123.cpr  
Uploaded 4 days ago

**Images**

Sand and Water.jpg  
Uploaded just now

Plant1\_owl125x.jpg  
Uploaded 2 days ago

Milkyway.png  
Uploaded 2 days ago

All products backed by:



Audio  
Video  
Scripting  
Photos  
Notes  
Documents  
Chat

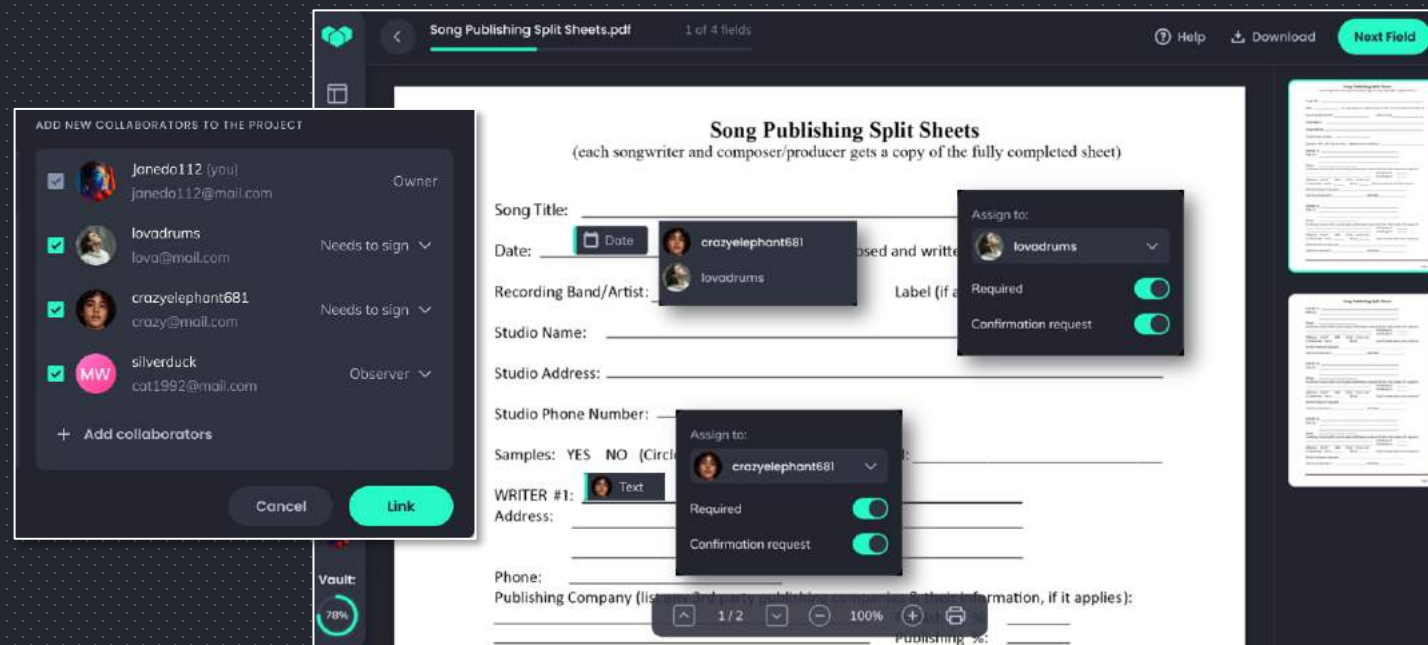
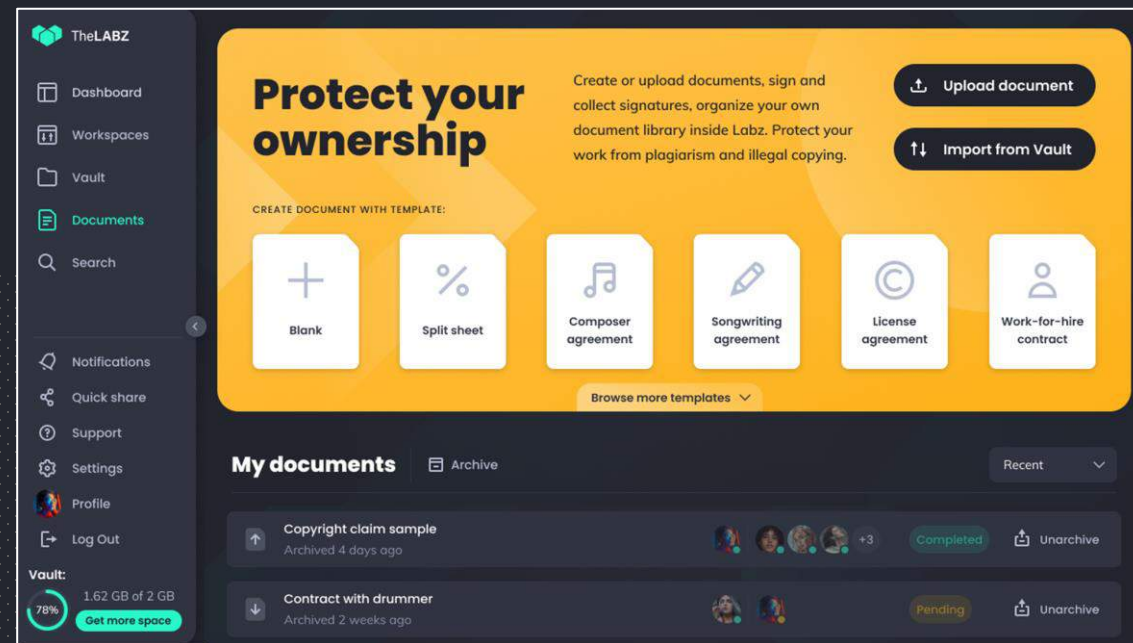
# Sign 360™



## Documents signature creators designed for creative workflows.

- Linked to digital assets in storage
- Active agreement Alerts
- Suggest + Autofill agreements
- Blockchain date and signature timestamped

REPLACES:





**“I can do what  
feels natural but  
now I am 100%  
protected.”**

Producer

**Henny Tha Bizness**

69.7K subscribers



# Use case

## How do Creatives use The Labz



**Scope:** Song collaboration

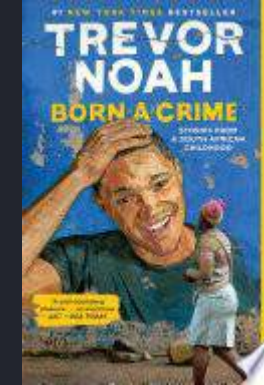
**Team Size:** Lyricist, Producers, Engineers, Vocalist, manager

**The Labz was used to:**

- Exchange audio files, write lyrics, team project storage and overall communication

### Output

- Business documents workflow [ownership documents, files with metadata]
- Tracked shared file usage



**Scope:** Audio Book

**Team Size:** 50 [writers, voice actor/ narrators, audio engineers, producers]

**The Labz BETA was used to:**

- Create and Share storyboard and scripts
- Comment on audio and script

### Output

- Team Approval and Signoff
- Trackable shared links
- The storage provides a consolidated place where all assets are housed and shared with contributor data.
- Searchable words, tags, contributes input
- Documentation workflow of agreements for publishers and voice actors

# Business Model

Monthly + Yearly  
Subscription






## La carte pricing

Vault 360™  \$8.99 Month

MediaLabz™  \$4.99 Month

Sign 360™  \$4.99 Month

## Bundle Pricing

					
Pricing	Free User	Pro Plan \$12.99 month	Pro Plan Plus \$19.99 month	Business \$59.99 month	Add More Storage \$19.99
Storage size	2GB	300GB	1T	3T	1T
# of license	1	1	1	3	1



# Cost

Storage/  
File sharing :

**\$120**







Collaboration:  
Music, Film/TV, Publishing...

**\$150**







E- Signature:

**\$120**







Email and Chat:

**\$100**







**Year**  
**\$490**

**Year**  
**\$140**

**CAC \$15**

# 2020- 2021 Market Size/ Customers types

## B2B

### Music

- Higher Education
- Lower EDU specialty Schools
- Music production organizations
- Music studios
- Record labels
- Agencies
- Music Publishing Companies
- Artist Management Companies
- Music Technology bundles partner
- Music Organization bundles

### Film/TV/ Entertainment

- Higher EDU
- Film production companies
- Agencies / Management
- Animation houses
- Script Writing Schools
- Script Writing Camps
- Film Technology bundles partner
- Film Organization bundles

**TAM \$1B US**

**Collaboration software**  
**\$8.45 billion**

**Digital Signature**  
**\$5.5 Billion**

**Cloud storage market value**  
**\$97.4 Billion**

## B2B < B2C

- Distribution Market place
- Membership organizations
- Trade organization marketing partners
- Technology software partners
- Technology Bundles partnerships
- Brick and Mortar Music/Film stores

## End Users

### Music

- A&R
- Management
- Producer
- Audio Engineer
- Songwriters
- DJ

### Film/TV/ Entertainment

- Producer
- Writer
- Video creators
- photographer
- Creative director
- Marketing team
- Story board artist
- Script supervisor
- Director of photography

# Go to Market & Scale

OUTPUT METRICS



**B2B**

INPUT METRICS

Distribution Market place

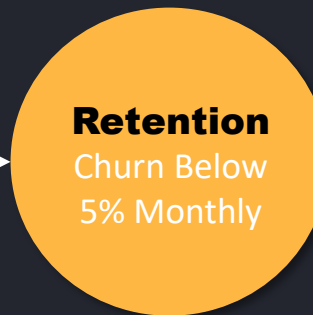
Trade Organization  
activations

Channel Partners Funnels

SEO/Social Media lead gen

Customer Networks

OUTPUT METRICS



INPUT METRICS

World class Tech Support

Product updates

Reward Referrals

Customer Feedback Loop

Content

12  
months



XCHANGE™

NAMM®

SESAAC



## Pros for B2B as main sales strategy

- 2B buyers buy more than 10 licenses at a time.
- B2B buyers buy longer contracts.
- B2B buyers buy and make the technology usage mandatory for “**prime users**”.
- B2B buyers have simple sell points. Savings on “time”, “money and “resources”. Comparison to B2C users who buy for creative and social reasons on top of time, money and resources savings.
- The art of collaboration is viral. B2C sales will overlap with the execution of the B2B sales approach (example: Slack sales model).

## B2C as the 2<sup>nd</sup> sales strategy [Prime User]

- Ideal prime users have a professional technology budgets [\$1000 a year].
- B2C Prime users in the creative space make buying decisions based on visual representation of their working persona. They also buy if suggested by a respected professional within their network. Social media Ads, micro influencer post and video content creation is important for B2C sales.
- There are many personas in the B2C space so our focus on B2B is about customer acquisition cost, time as it relates to the year-end financial goal.

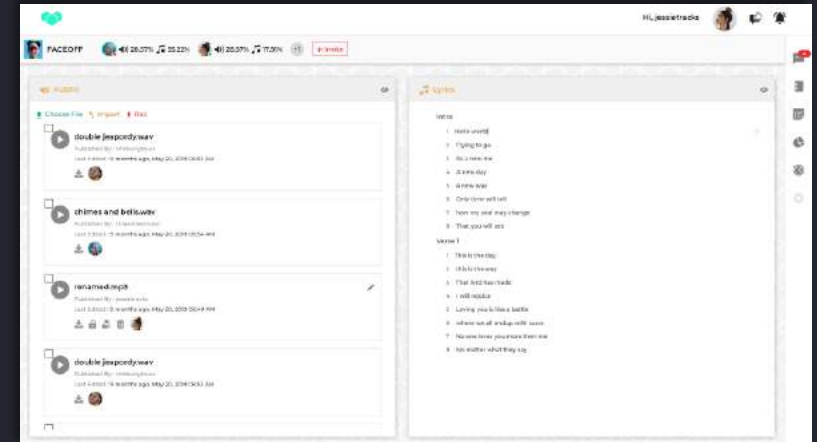
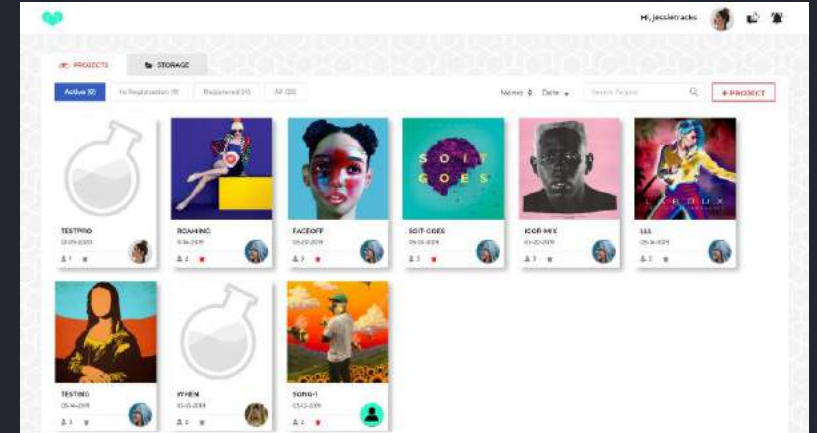
# Traction:

## Launched Labz 1.0 - paid version Sept 2019

- 3 Month B2B 2019 Revenue at \$50K
- 2020 Jan- Feb B2B Rev \$60K
- 7000 user signups [music only]
  - ✓ 1500 paid users contributing to monthly recurring revenue (MRR)
  - ✓ B2B user pay 12 months upfront
  - ✓ Customers Universities, Management companies, Music studios

### Progress with using other platforms to gain exposure:

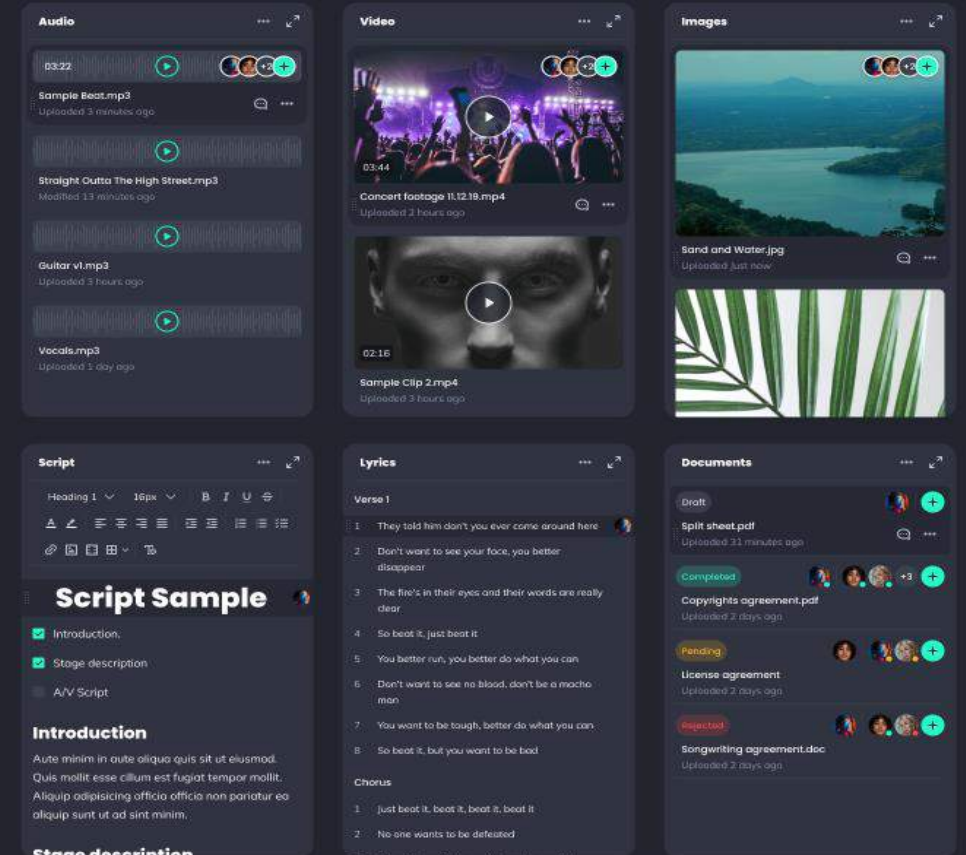
Partnerships with Music organizations (SOCAN 200K members, Songtrust 250K members, MyMY Music 30K members and 20 other organizations with at least 10K members)



# Traction:

## Expanding Customer Base with full feature list: Launching Labz 2.0 April 2020

- Abigail Disney/ Level Forward Film Production Pilot [35K users]
- Beltline studios partnership
- The Rich Idea Viacom, HBO [Script writing workshop] partnership
- AI Collaboration Research Project Pilot for
  - Georgia State University Research Lab
  - MIT Research Lab
  - NSA



# Fundraising

**Total Raise to date \$430K**

## Preferred Equity Round

- \$400K
- \$6M Valuation Cap
- 18-month runway

## Use of Funds/Milestones:

- Marketing and Sales
- Result 12 months > \$1.5M ARR

## Current Investors

[Watch why did I invest in the Labz](#)





# Leadership Team



**FARAH ALLEN**  
CEO/Cofounder



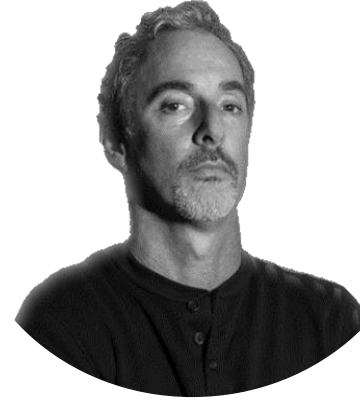
- Solutions architect
- 14 years as owner of management technology consulting business
- Designed and delivered cloud, collaboration and data management systems for large organizations



**NAEL ALISMAIL**  
CTO/Cofounder



- 15 years leading technology teams
- Hands-on developer
- Founder of BopMob DAW



**TOMMY COSTER**  
VP Business Dev



- Label executive
- Grammy winning composer
- Collaborated with Carlos Santana, Dr. Dre, 50-Cent, Eminem, Snoop Dogg, Eric Clapton, Prince



**JAMEYEL JOHNSON**  
VP Product



- 2x Platinum selling artist
- Oscar winning film composer
- Accomplished software engineer
- Founding team member of a healthcare startup \$30M 5 years

# Complete Team

- **Marguerite Pressley Davis**/ CFO- M&A Goldman, Deloitte and Merrill lynch.
- **Earl Camp** is the Labz SVP: 18 year : SVP of NOWAccounts, Purchasing Power (Sold), Herper Payments.  
Responsible for leading NowAccounts \$20M earning
- **Lucien Wall** is The Labz COO: Grammy Nominated A&R Sony Red, Blue Pie production/ Ingrooves (Sold), entertainment business and portfolio management consultant. Also engaged in International business through the entertainment industry in the Asian, African & European Markets).



# Advisors



## Priscilla Pesci

- CMO – Lionsgate
- Head of Digital- MGM Studios
- Head of International marketing- CBS
- Founder- Quake Capital



## Bryan Bradley

- President: Group One Ltd [Acquired total \$1B]
- Senior Vice President/GM Entertainment Division: HARMAN International
- Leading Board Member: NAMM



## Joel Spolsky

- Founder- Trello [Acquired total \$450M, 50K users]
- Founder- Stack overflow [ Value \$1.5B]
- Founding team member of Microsoft Excel



# The **LABZ**

A data connected collaboration, cloud storage and eSignature platforms for the creative community



**FARAH ALLEN**

[farahallen@thelabz.com](mailto:farahallen@thelabz.com)

# Timeline

**Total Raise to date \$430K**

- January 2018 -September 2018 Customer discovery
- August 2018 - December 2018 - Prototype and user testing research
- January 2019 - April 2019 - The Labz 1.0 Design and Development
- May 2019 - The Labz public beta Launch
- May 2019 - August 2019 - Custom onboarding, Customer interviews, Collecting Metrics, Agile development and upgrades, payment processing
- September 2019 - December 2020 - Labz 2.0 Research and UX Design Improvements
- January 2020 - Present - Labz 2.0 development
- April 2020 - Labz 2.0 Release

# Appendix

# Investor FAQ

## INVESTORS

Comcast Universal's The Farm is an innovation hub supporting startups and founders from around the world, and Atlanta's thriving entrepreneurial ecosystem. Through the accelerator, we have been given access to multiple departments within the company and multiple customer introductions.

Joel Spolsky is Creator of Trello and Co-Founder of Stack Overflow. Since Joel has founded and built 8 successful businesses in the collaboration and community space, his advice has been invaluable to our product and business development strategy.

Quake Capital focuses on early stage companies and takes a founder-friendly approach. Through Quake, The Labz has helped drive our pipeline by connecting us with very large potential customers including Paramount and Lionsgate.

Band of Coders Ventures is a custom software development company whose clients include The Atlanta Braves, Uber, and Yamaha. The Labz is one of the 1st companies to be added to Band of Coders Ventures investment portfolio. Aside from capital, BOC supports us by offering complimentary small development, advice, and resources at cost if needed.

Hatcher + is a \$125,000,000 H2 Fund. This Fund is one of the most active early-stage investors in the world.