

# STANDARDIZED MUSIC CATEGORIZATION CODES

## General Information

6 Digit Identifier – to be printed in the upper right hand corner of the white area of the bar code. (UPC).

Digits 1-2	Main Category	Alpha
Digits 3-4	Sub Category	Alpha
Digits 5-6	Theme	Alpha

## Main Categories/Store Section – Digits 1-2

Alternative/Modern	AM
Children's	CH
Choral	CR
Classical	CL
Comedy	CO
Contemporary/Pop	CP
Country	CW
Dance	DA
Gospel	GS
Inspirational	IP
Instrumental	IN
Jazz	JZ
Performance Track	PT
Praise & Worship	PW
Rap/Hip Hop	RP
Rock	RK
Soundtrack	ST
Southern Gospel	SG
Latin/Spanish	LS
R&B	RB
Vocal	VO
Wedding	WD
Modern Worship	MW

## Sub Categories

(Within Store Sections – Digits 3-4)

Acappella	AA
Adult Contemp/Inspo	AC
Alternative/Modern	AM
Bluegrass	BG
Catholic	CA
Celtic	CE
Children's	CH
Choral	CR
Classical	CL
Collection	CT
Comedy	CO
Compilation	CM
Contemporary/Pop	CP
Country	CW
Dance	DA
Folk	FL
Gospel	GS
Hard Rock	HR
Hymns	HY
Instrumental	IN
Jazz	JZ
Karaoke	KT
Latin/Spanish	LS
Lullabies	LB
Messianic	MS
Metal	MT
Musical	MU
Orchestral	OR
Piano	PI
Praise & Worship	PW
Punk	PK
Modern Worship	MW

## Sub Categories

(continued)

Rap/Hip Hop	RP
Reggae	RG

Regional Mexican	RM
Rock	RK
Singles	SI
Ska	SK
Soundtrack	ST
Southern Gospel	SG
Traditional	TD
Tropical	TP
Urban/R&B	UR
World	WO
Youth	YH
No Sub Category	XX

## Theme Digits 5-6

Christmas	CS
Easter	EA
Enhanced CD	CD
Father's Day	FD
Graduation	GR
Mother's Day	MD
Patriotic	PA
Thanksgiving	TG
Valentines	VT
Wedding	WD
No Theme	XX

## Video Main Category: VH

### Sub-categories:

Music	MC
Children's	CH
General	GN

Example of code that would be printed in the upper right hand corner of the white area of the bar code (UPC): **IPAAPA**.