

The data below was compiled from the 2012-13 classical season repertoire submitted by 57 League of American Orchestras member orchestras.

This summary provides an overview of the most frequently performed composers and works, and of U.S., Canadian, and contemporary composers and works.

DATA SET

TOTAL DATA COLLECTED FOR THE STATISTICS THAT FOLLOW

- 893** Concert performances
- 2929** Performances of individual works
- 57** Orchestras
- 933** Distinct compositions
- 301** Different composers

Most frequently performed composers

	Scheduled Performances
Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart	230
Ludwig van Beethoven	198
Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky	162
Johannes Brahms	145
Felix Mendelssohn	76
Franz Schubert	63
Maurice Ravel	62
Igor Stravinsky	58
Richard Wagner	55
Sergei Rachmaninoff	55
Aaron Copland	52
Franz Joseph Haydn	52
Antonin Dvorak	51
Richard Strauss	50
Claude Debussy	49
Jean Sibelius	49
Dmitri Shostakovich	42
Modest Mussorgsky	42
Johann Sebastian Bach	40
George Frederic Handel	39
Robert Schumann	38
Leonard Bernstein	35
Gustav Mahler	34
Sergei Prokofiev	33
George Gershwin	30

Most frequently performed works

		Scheduled Performances
Modest Mussorgsky	<i>Pictures at an Exhibition</i>	23
Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky	Violin Concerto in D major, Opus 35	23
Johannes Brahms	Symphony No. 4 in E minor, Opus 98	20
Igor Stravinsky	<i>The Rite of Spring</i>	20
Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky	Piano Concerto No. 1 in B-flat minor, Opus 23	19
Igor Stravinsky	<i>The Firebird</i> (all versions)	18
Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky	Symphony No. 4 in F minor, Opus 36	18
Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart	Symphony No. 40 in G minor, K. 550	17
Franz Schubert	Symphony No. 8 in B minor, D. 759 "Unfinished"	17
Ludwig van Beethoven	Symphony No. 9 in D minor, Opus 125	16
Ludwig van Beethoven	Piano Concerto No. 4 in G major, Opus 58	14
Johannes Brahms	Symphony No. 1 in C minor, Opus 68	14
Claude Debussy	<i>Prelude to the Afternoon of a Faun</i>	14
Felix Mendelssohn	Symphony No. 4 in A major, Opus 90 "Italian"	14
Ottorino Respighi	<i>Pines of Rome</i>	14
Robert Schumann	Piano Concerto in A minor, Opus 54	14
Ludwig van Beethoven	Symphony No. 5 in C minor, Opus 67	13
Antonin Dvorak	Symphony No. 7 in D minor, Opus 70	13
Claude Debussy	<i>La Mer</i>	13
George Gershwin	<i>American in Paris</i>	13
Felix Mendelssohn	Violin Concerto in E minor, Opus 64	13
Ludwig van Beethoven	Symphony No. 3 in E-flat major, Opus 55 "Eroica"	12
Johannes Brahms	Symphony No. 3 in F major, Opus 90	12
Antonin Dvorak	Symphony No. 8 in G major, Opus 88	12
Edvard Grieg	Piano Concerto in A minor, Opus 16	12
Paul Hindemith	<i>Symphony: Mathis der Maler</i>	12

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Most frequently performed U.S. composers

	Scheduled performances
Igor Stravinsky	58
Aaron Copland	52
Leonard Bernstein	35
George Gershwin	30
Samuel Barber	27
John Adams	25
Jennifer Higdon	9
Charles Ives	9
Peter Lieberson	9
Erich Korngold	9
Edgar Meyer	7
Duke Ellington	6
Adam Schoenberg	6
David Chesky	4
Christopher Rouse	4
Carl Ruggles	4

Most frequently performed living U.S. composers

	Scheduled performances
John Adams	25
Jennifer Higdon	9
Peter Lieberson	9
Edgar Meyer	7
Adam Schoenberg	6
David Chesky	4
Steven Mackey	4
Christopher Rouse	4
Lalo Schifrin	4
Mason Bates	3
Michael Daugherty	3
Kenneth Fuchs	3
Hannah Lash	3
Tod Machover	3
Cindy McTee	3
Andre Previn	3
Steven Stucky	3

Most frequently performed works by U.S. composers

		Scheduled Performances
Igor Stravinsky	<i>The Rite of Spring</i>	20
Igor Stravinsky	<i>The Firebird</i> (all versions)	18
George Gershwin	<i>American in Paris</i>	13
John Adams	"Foxtrot for Orchestra" from <i>Chairman Dances</i>	10
Leonard Bernstein	Overture from <i>Candide</i>	10
Erich Korngold	Concerto in D major for Violin and Orchestra, Opus 35	9
Aaron Copland	<i>Appalachian Spring</i>	7
Leonard Bernstein	Symphonic Dances from <i>West Side Story</i>	6
Charles Ives	<i>Unanswered Question</i>	6
Aaron Copland	Symphony No. 3	6
Leonard Bernstein	Three Dance Episodes from <i>On the Town</i>	6
George Gershwin	<i>Rhapsody in Blue</i>	6
Peter Lieberson	<i>Neruda Songs</i>	6
Igor Stravinsky	Concerto in D major for Violin and Orchestra	5
Aaron Copland	<i>Lincoln Portrait</i>	5
Aaron Copland	Concerto for Clarinet and Orchestra	5
Jennifer Higdon	<i>Blue Cathedral</i>	5

U.S. and Canadian composers and works

	Number	Percent
Total composers	301	
U.S. composers	66	21.9%
Canadian composers	7	2.3%
Total, U.S. and Canadian composers	73	24.3%
Total compositions 2012-13	933	
Compositions written by U.S. composers	140	15.0%
Compositions written by Canadian composers	10	1.1%
Total, U.S. and Canadian compositions	150	16.1%
Total performances of individual works	2929	
Performances of U.S. works	382	13.0%
Performances of Canadian works	19	0.6%
Total, performances of U.S. and Canadian works	401	13.7%

Contemporary composers and works (within the last 25 years)

	Number	Percent
Total number of composers in 2012-13	301	
Composers who wrote works in and after 1987	32	10.6%
Total compositions in 2012-2013	933	
Compositions written in and after 1987	38	4.1%
Total performances of individual works in 2012-13	2929	
Performances of works written in and after 1987	75	2.6%