

## A. Most Influential (ranked by sum total)

Rank	Name	Total	n	Mean	St. Dev.	Overall #
1.	Bach, Johann Sebastian	259.7	121	2.15	.99	1
2.	Beethoven, Ludwig van	250.6	108	2.32	1.00	3
3.	Wagner, Richard	244.9	121	2.03	.72	6
4.	Debussy, Claude	238.1	127	1.87	.56	14
5.	Stravinsky, Igor	229.6	129	1.78	.54	16
6.	Mozart, Wolfgang Amadeus	229.0	98	2.32	1.09	2
7.	Liszt, Franz	178.0	82	2.17	.82	12
8.	Schumann, Robert	169.2	80	2.10	.86	13
9.	Chopin, Fryderyk	168.4	77	2.19	.93	10
10.	Schoenberg, Arnold	142.8	79	1.80	.57	34
11.	Ravel, Maurice	139.2	77	1.81	.56	20
12.	Bartók, Béla	123.6	71	1.74	.47	25
13.	Brahms, Johannes	119.3	63	1.90	.65	5
14.	Strauss, Richard	105.5	54	1.95	.63	18
15.	Mendelssohn, Felix	101.9	51	2.00	.92	17
16.	Berlioz, Hector	100.7	41	2.47	.98	29
17.	Haydn, Franz Joseph	97.6	41	2.41	1.30	9
18.	Handel, George Frideric	93.9	35	2.66	1.60	8
19.	Palestrina, Giovanni Pierluigi da	92.9	40	2.32	1.30	80
20.	Schubert, Franz	86.9	39	2.23	.95	4
21.	Meyerbeer, Giacomo	86.3	33	2.62	1.15	99
22.	Rossini, Gioachino	82.0	35	2.35	1.19	23
23.	Berg, Alban	75.7	44	1.72	.54	72
24.	Corelli, Arcangelo	74.6	35	2.13	1.18	94
25.	Webern, Anton	73.8	42	1.76	.49	75
26.	Scarlatti, Domenico	71.5	27	2.65	1.49	65
27.	Gluck, Christoph W. R. von	70.6	28	2.52	1.50	68
28.	Fauré, Gabriel	70.4	36	1.96	.68	32
29.	Tchaikovsky, Pyotr Il'yich	69.8	30	2.33	.86	11
30.	Mahler, Gustav	66.4	34	1.95	.59	19
31.	Satie, Erik	63.2	33	1.92	.71	70
32.	Hindemith, Paul	61.7	38	1.62	.43	44
33.	Weber, Carl Maria von	61.2	25	2.45	1.19	42
34.	Varèse, Edgard	57.9	34	1.71	.33	127
35.	Mussorgsky, Modest	55.4	25	2.22	.80	49
36.	Vivaldi, Antonio	55.1	27	2.04	1.28	22
37.	Scriabin, Alexander	52.8	29	1.82	.67	60
38.	Gounod, Charles	51.8	21	2.48	.89	56
39.	Monteverdi, Claudio	51.6	29	1.77	.38	53
40.	Grieg, Edvard	51.5	24	2.15	.81	33
40.	Rimsky-Korsakov, Nikolay	51.5	23	2.22	.93	46
42.	Verdi, Giuseppe	50.5	23	2.20	.72	7
43.	Cherubini, Luigi	48.6	20	2.43	1.44	164
44.	Lully, Jean-Baptiste	47.1	21	2.24	1.29	122
45.	Dukas, Paul	46.7	22	2.15	.71	197
46.	Franck, Cesar	44.9	26	1.73	.54	52
47.	Shostakovich, Dmitry	41.0	24	1.70	.52	27
48.	Copland, Aaron	40.7	23	1.77	.55	31
49.	Couperin, François	40.3	14	2.88	1.60	108
50.	Messiaen, Olivier	40.0	24	1.67	.22	63
51.	Dvorák, Antonin	39.6	22	1.80	.55	21
52.	Paganini, Nicolò	39.5	15	2.63	1.34	69
53.	Sibelius, Jean	39.3	24	1.65	.44	36
54.	Cage, John	38.9	23	1.68	.29	59
55.	Bach, Carl Philipp Emanuel	38.1	12	3.18	1.67	61

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56.	Auber, Daniel-François-Esprit	37.4	15	2.49	1.15	447
57.	Rameau, Jean-Philippe	37.3	18	2.07	.73	86
58.	Massenet, Jules	36.4	16	2.28	1.03	57
59.	Borodin, Alexander	35.4	13	2.72	.88	79
60.	Chabrier, Emmanuel	34.7	16	2.17	.86	184
60.	Glinka, Mikhail	34.7	14	2.48	.90	102
62.	Puccini, Giacomo	34.4	17	2.02	.73	15
63.	Buxtehude, Dieterich	34.2	10	3.42	2.18	100
64.	Reicha, Anton	33.1	12	2.76	1.51	266
65.	Bellini, Vincenzo	32.7	12	2.73	1.39	51
66.	Spontini, Gaspare	32.4	9	3.60	1.13	412
67.	Milhaud, Darius	31.7	17	1.86	.60	81
68.	Prokofiev, Sergei	31.5	16	1.97	.63	28
69.	Busoni, Ferruccio	31.3	17	1.84	.59	101
70.	Spohr, Louis	31.2	11	2.84	1.55	148
71.	Reger, Max	31.1	15	2.07	.61	82
72.	Josquin Desprez	30.5	20	1.53	.32	78
73.	Hasse, Johann Adolf	30.3	10	3.03	2.00	294
74.	Carissimi, Giacomo	30.2	14	2.17	.84	313
74.	Ives, Charles	30.2	16	1.89	.50	43
76.	Gershwin, George	29.5	14	2.11	.77	30
77.	Clementi, Muzio	29.4	9	3.27	1.87	156
77.	Frescobaldi, Girolamo	29.4	14	2.10	1.41	129
79.	Marenzio, Luca	28.7	16	1.79	.38	320
80.	Scarlatti, Alessandro	28.6	13	2.20	1.18	96
81.	Pergolesi, Giovanni	27.7	11	2.52	1.66	134
82.	Donizetti, Gaetano	27.6	12	2.30	1.14	38
82.	Schütz, Heinrich	27.6	11	2.51	1.74	89
84.	Fux, Johann Joseph	27.3	9	3.03	1.84	314
85.	Bruckner, Anton	26.8	11	2.44	.89	47
86.	Stockhausen, Karlheinz	26.7	16	1.67	.26	106
87.	Hummel, Johann Nepomuk	26.1	8	3.26	1.50	131
88.	Méhul, Étienne-Nicolas	25.4	9	2.82	1.53	473
89.	Lasso, Orlando di	25.1	15	1.67	.34	77
90.	Viotti, Giovanni	24.9	7	3.56	1.95	422
91.	Boulez, Pierre	24.7	14	1.76	.37	124
92.	Delius, Frederick	24.6	15	1.64	.42	91
93.	Froberger, Johann Jakob	24.2	9	2.69	1.79	345
94.	Bizet, Georges	24.1	9	2.68	.84	37
95.	Legrenzi, Giovanni	22.9	8	2.86	1.89	476
96.	Jommelli, Nicolò	22.5	9	2.50	1.64	439
97.	Gabrieli, Giovanni	22.2	12	1.85	.47	137
98.	Balakirev, Mily	21.9	9	2.43	.86	193
98.	Cowell, Henry	21.9	11	1.99	.67	143
100.	Offenbach, Jacques	21.7	10	2.18	.52	76
101.	Dussek, Jan Ladislav	21.6	6	3.60	1.43	417
102.	Elgar, Edward	20.8	12	1.73	.44	45
102.	Indy, Vincent d'	20.8	12	1.73	.38	283
104.	Vaughan Williams, Ralph	20.5	13	1.57	.32	39
105.	Saint-Saëns, Camille	20.4	9	2.27	.83	41
106.	Field, John	20.0	6	3.33	1.07	258
107.	Albéniz, Isaac	19.9	8	2.49	.83	87
108.	Sammartini, Giovanni Battista	19.7	6	3.28	1.59	435
108.	Telemann, Georg Philipp	19.7	7	2.81	1.99	35
110.	Albinoni, Tomaso	19.3	6	3.22	.83	135
111.	Byrd, William	18.5	11	1.68	.42	71

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## B. Most Influential (ranked by total number of composers influenced)<sup>1</sup>

Rank	Name	Total	n	Mean	St. Dev.	Overall #
1.	Stravinsky, Igor	229.6	129	1.78	.54	16
2.	Debussy, Claude	238.1	127	1.87	.56	14
3.	Bach, Johann Sebastian	259.7	121	2.15	.99	1
3.	Wagner, Richard	244.9	121	2.03	.72	6
5.	Beethoven, Ludwig van	250.6	108	2.32	1.00	3
6.	Mozart, Wolfgang Amadeus	229.0	98	2.32	1.09	2
7.	Liszt, Franz	178.0	82	2.17	.82	12
8.	Schumann, Robert	169.2	80	2.10	.86	13
9.	Schoenberg, Arnold	142.8	79	1.80	.57	34
10.	Chopin, Fryderyk	168.4	77	2.19	.93	10
10.	Ravel, Maurice	139.2	77	1.81	.56	20
12.	Bartók, Béla	123.6	71	1.74	.47	25
13.	Brahms, Johannes	119.3	63	1.90	.65	5
14.	Strauss, Richard	105.5	54	1.95	.63	18
15.	Mendelssohn, Felix	101.9	51	2.00	.92	17
16.	Berg, Alban	75.7	44	1.72	.54	72
17.	Webern, Anton	73.8	42	1.76	.49	75
18.	Berlioz, Hector	100.7	41	2.47	.98	29
18.	Haydn, Franz Joseph	97.6	41	2.41	1.30	9
20.	Palestrina, Giovanni Pierluigi da	92.9	40	2.32	1.30	80
21.	Schubert, Franz	86.9	39	2.23	.95	4
22.	Hindemith, Paul	61.7	38	1.62	.43	44
23.	Fauré, Gabriel	70.4	36	1.96	.68	32
24.	Corelli, Arcangelo	74.6	35	2.13	1.18	94
24.	Handel, George Frideric	93.9	35	2.66	1.60	8
24.	Rossini, Gioachino	82.0	35	2.35	1.19	23
27.	Mahler, Gustav	66.4	34	1.95	.59	19
27.	Varèse, Edgard	57.9	34	1.71	.33	127
29.	Meyerbeer, Giacomo	86.3	33	2.62	1.15	99
29.	Satie, Erik	63.2	33	1.92	.71	70
31.	Tchaikovsky, Pyotr Il'yich	69.8	30	2.33	.86	11
32.	Monteverdi, Claudio	51.6	29	1.77	.38	53
32.	Scriabin, Alexander	52.8	29	1.82	.67	60
34.	Gluck, Christoph W. R. von	70.6	28	2.52	1.50	68
35.	Scarlatti, Domenico	71.5	27	2.65	1.49	65
35.	Vivaldi, Antonio	55.1	27	2.04	1.28	22
37.	Franck, Cesar	44.9	26	1.73	.54	52
38.	Weber, Carl Maria von	61.2	25	2.45	1.19	42
38.	Mussorgsky, Modest	55.4	25	2.22	.80	49
40.	Grieg, Edvard	51.5	24	2.15	.81	33
40.	Messiaen, Olivier	40.0	24	1.67	.22	63
40.	Shostakovich, Dmitry	41.0	24	1.70	.52	27
40.	Sibelius, Jean	39.3	24	1.65	.44	36
44.	Cage, John	38.9	23	1.68	.29	59
44.	Copland, Aaron	40.7	23	1.77	.55	31
44.	Rimsky-Korsakov, Nikolay	51.5	23	2.22	.93	46
44.	Verdi, Giuseppe	50.5	23	2.20	.72	7
48.	Cherubini, Luigi	48.6	20	2.43	1.44	164
49.	Dukas, Paul	46.7	22	2.15	.71	197
49.	Dvorák, Antonin	39.6	22	1.80	.55	21
51.	Gounod, Charles	51.8	21	2.48	.89	56
51.	Lully, Jean-Baptiste	47.1	21	2.24	1.29	122
53.	Josquin Desprez	30.5	20	1.53	.32	78
54.	Rameau, Jean-Philippe	37.3	18	2.07	.73	86
55.	Busoni, Ferruccio	31.3	17	1.84	.59	101

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55.	Milhaud, Darius	31.7	17	1.86	.60	81
55.	Puccini, Giacomo	34.4	17	2.02	.73	15
58.	Chabrier, Emmanuel	34.7	16	2.17	.86	184
58.	Ives, Charles	30.2	16	1.89	.50	43
58.	Marenzio, Luca	28.7	16	1.79	.38	320
58.	Massenet, Jules	36.4	16	2.28	1.03	57
58.	Prokofiev, Sergei	31.5	16	1.97	.63	28
58.	Stockhausen, Karlheinz	26.7	16	1.67	.26	106
64.	Auber, Daniel-François-Esprit	37.4	15	2.49	1.15	447
64.	Delius, Frederick	24.6	15	1.64	.42	91
64.	Lasso, Orlando di	25.1	15	1.67	.34	77
64.	Paganini, Nicolò	39.5	15	2.63	1.34	69
64.	Reger, Max	31.1	15	2.07	.61	82
69.	Boulez, Pierre	24.7	14	1.76	.37	124
69.	Carissimi, Giacomo	30.2	14	2.17	.84	313
69.	Couperin, François	40.3	14	2.88	1.60	108
69.	Frescobaldi, Girolamo	29.4	14	2.10	1.41	129
69.	Gershwin, George	29.5	14	2.11	.77	30
69.	Glinka, Mikhail	34.7	14	2.48	.90	102
75.	Borodin, Alexander	35.4	13	2.72	.88	79
75.	Scarlatti, Alessandro	28.6	13	2.20	1.18	96
75.	Vaughan Williams, Ralph	20.5	13	1.57	.32	39
78.	Bach, Carl Philipp Emanuel	38.1	12	3.18	1.67	61
78.	Bellini, Vincenzo	32.7	12	2.73	1.39	51
78.	Donizetti, Gaetano	27.6	12	2.30	1.14	38
78.	Elgar, Edward	20.8	12	1.73	.44	45
78.	Gabrieli, Giovanni	22.2	12	1.85	.47	137
78.	Indy, Vincent d'	20.8	12	1.73	.38	283
78.	Reicha, Anton	33.1	12	2.76	1.51	266
85.	Bruckner, Anton	26.8	11	2.44	.89	47
85.	Byrd, William	18.5	11	1.68	.42	71
85.	Cowell, Henry	21.9	11	1.99	.67	143
85.	Pergolesi, Giovanni	27.7	11	2.52	1.66	134
85.	Schütz, Heinrich	27.6	11	2.51	1.74	89
85.	Spohr, Louis	31.2	11	2.84	1.55	148
91.	Buxtehude, Dieterich	34.2	10	3.42	2.18	100
91.	Hasse, Johann Adolf	30.3	10	3.03	2.00	294
91.	Offenbach, Jacques	21.7	10	2.18	.52	76
94.	Balakirev, Mily	21.9	9	2.43	.86	193
94.	Bizet, Georges	24.1	9	2.68	.84	37
94.	Clementi, Muzio	29.4	9	3.27	1.87	156
94.	Froberger, Johann Jakob	24.2	9	2.69	1.79	345
94.	Fux, Johann Joseph	27.3	9	3.03	1.84	314
94.	Jommelli, Nicolò	22.5	9	2.50	1.64	439
94.	Méhul, Étienne-Nicolas	25.4	9	2.82	1.53	473
94.	Saint-Saëns, Camille	20.4	9	2.27	.83	41
94.	Spontini, Gaspare	32.4	9	3.60	1.13	412
103.	Albéniz, Isaac	19.9	8	2.49	.83	87
103.	Hummel, Johann Nepomuk	26.1	8	3.26	1.50	131
103.	Legrenzi, Giovanni	22.9	8	2.86	1.89	476
106.	Telemann, Georg Philipp	19.7	7	2.81	1.99	35
106.	Viotti, Giovanni	24.9	7	3.56	1.95	422
108.	Albinoni, Tomaso	19.3	6	3.22	.83	135
108.	Dussek, Jan Ladislav	21.6	6	3.60	1.43	417
108.	Field, John	20.0	6	3.33	1.07	258
108.	Sammartini, Giovanni Battista	19.7	6	3.28	1.59	435

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### C. Most Influential (ranked by mean importance of composers influenced)<sup>1</sup>

Rank	Name	Total	n	Mean	St. Dev.	Overall #
1.	Dussek, Jan Ladislav	21.6	6	3.60	1.43	417
1.	Spontini, Gaspare	32.4	9	3.60	1.13	412
3.	Viotti, Giovanni	24.9	7	3.56	1.95	422
4.	Buxtehude, Dieterich	34.2	10	3.42	2.18	100
5.	Field, John	20.0	6	3.33	1.07	258
6.	Sammartini, Giovanni Battista	19.7	6	3.28	1.59	435
7.	Clementi, Muzio	29.4	9	3.27	1.87	156
8.	Hummel, Johann Nepomuk	26.1	8	3.26	1.50	131
9.	Albinoni, Tomaso	19.3	6	3.22	.83	135
10.	Bach, Carl Philipp Emanuel	38.1	12	3.18	1.67	61
11.	Fux, Johann Joseph	27.3	9	3.03	1.84	314
11.	Hasse, Johann Adolf	30.3	10	3.03	2.00	294
13.	Couperin, François	40.3	14	2.88	1.60	108
14.	Legrenzi, Giovanni	22.9	8	2.86	1.89	476
15.	Spohr, Louis	31.2	11	2.84	1.55	148
16.	Méhul, Étienne-Nicolas	25.4	9	2.82	1.53	473
17.	Telemann, Georg Philipp	19.7	7	2.81	1.99	35
18.	Reicha, Anton	33.1	12	2.76	1.51	266
19.	Bellini, Vincenzo	32.7	12	2.73	1.39	51
20.	Borodin, Alexander	35.4	13	2.72	.88	79
21.	Froberger, Johann Jakob	24.2	9	2.69	1.79	345
22.	Bizet, Georges	24.1	9	2.68	.84	37
23.	Handel, George Frideric	93.9	35	2.66	1.60	8
24.	Scarlatti, Domenico	71.5	27	2.65	1.49	65
25.	Paganini, Nicolò	39.5	15	2.63	1.34	69
26.	Meyerbeer, Giacomo	86.3	33	2.62	1.15	99
27.	Gluck, Christoph W. R. von	70.6	28	2.52	1.50	68
27.	Pergolesi, Giovanni	27.7	11	2.52	1.66	134
29.	Schütz, Heinrich	27.6	11	2.51	1.74	89
30.	Jommelli, Nicolò	22.5	9	2.50	1.64	439
31.	Albéniz, Isaac	19.9	8	2.49	.83	87
31.	Auber, Daniel-François-Esprit	37.4	15	2.49	1.15	447
33.	Glinka, Mikhail	34.7	14	2.48	.90	102
33.	Gounod, Charles	51.8	21	2.48	.89	56
35.	Berlioz, Hector	100.7	41	2.47	.98	29
36.	Weber, Carl Maria von	61.2	25	2.45	1.19	42
37.	Bruckner, Anton	26.8	11	2.44	.89	47
38.	Balakirev, Mily	21.9	9	2.43	.86	193
38.	Cherubini, Luigi	48.6	20	2.43	1.44	164
40.	Haydn, Franz Joseph	97.6	41	2.41	1.30	9
41.	Rossini, Gioachino	82.0	35	2.35	1.19	23
42.	Tchaikovsky, Pyotr Il'yich	69.8	30	2.33	.86	11
43.	Beethoven, Ludwig van	250.6	108	2.32	1.00	3
43.	Mozart, Wolfgang Amadeus	229.0	98	2.32	1.09	2
43.	Palestrina, Giovanni Pierluigi da	92.9	40	2.32	1.30	80
46.	Donizetti, Gaetano	27.6	12	2.30	1.14	38
47.	Massenet, Jules	36.4	16	2.28	1.03	57
48.	Saint-Saëns, Camille	20.4	9	2.27	.83	41
49.	Lully, Jean-Baptiste	47.1	21	2.24	1.29	122
50.	Schubert, Franz	86.9	39	2.23	.95	4
51.	Mussorgsky, Modest	55.4	25	2.22	.80	49
51.	Rimsky-Korsakov, Nikolay	51.5	23	2.22	.93	46
53.	Scarlatti, Alessandro	28.6	13	2.20	1.18	96
53.	Verdi, Giuseppe	50.5	23	2.20	.72	7
55.	Chopin, Fryderyk	168.4	77	2.19	.93	10

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56.	Offenbach, Jacques	21.7	10	2.18	.52	76
57.	Carissimi, Giacomo	30.2	14	2.17	.84	313
57.	Chabrier, Emmanuel	34.7	16	2.17	.86	184
57.	Liszt, Franz	178.0	82	2.17	.82	12
60.	Bach, Johann Sebastian	259.7	121	2.15	.99	1
60.	Dukas, Paul	46.7	22	2.15	.71	197
60.	Grieg, Edvard	51.5	24	2.15	.81	33
63.	Corelli, Arcangelo	74.6	35	2.13	1.18	94
64.	Gershwin, George	29.5	14	2.11	.77	30
65.	Frescobaldi, Girolamo	29.4	14	2.10	1.41	129
65.	Schumann, Robert	169.2	80	2.10	.86	13
67.	Rameau, Jean-Philippe	37.3	18	2.07	.73	86
67.	Reger, Max	31.1	15	2.07	.61	82
69.	Vivaldi, Antonio	55.1	27	2.04	1.28	22
70.	Wagner, Richard	244.9	121	2.03	.72	6
71.	Puccini, Giacomo	34.4	17	2.02	.73	15
72.	Mendelssohn, Felix	101.9	51	2.00	.92	17
73.	Cowell, Henry	21.9	11	1.99	.67	143
74.	Prokofiev, Sergei	31.5	16	1.97	.63	28
75.	Fauré, Gabriel	70.4	36	1.96	.68	32
76.	Mahler, Gustav	66.4	34	1.95	.59	19
76.	Strauss, Richard	105.5	54	1.95	.63	18
78.	Satie, Erik	63.2	33	1.92	.71	70
79.	Brahms, Johannes	119.3	63	1.90	.65	5
80.	Ives, Charles	30.2	16	1.89	.50	43
81.	Debussy, Claude	238.1	127	1.87	.56	14
82.	Milhaud, Darius	31.7	17	1.86	.60	81
83.	Gabrieli, Giovanni	22.2	12	1.85	.47	137
84.	Busoni, Ferruccio	31.3	17	1.84	.59	101
85.	Scriabin, Alexander	52.8	29	1.82	.67	60
86.	Ravel, Maurice	139.2	77	1.81	.56	20
87.	Dvorák, Antonin	39.6	22	1.80	.55	21
87.	Schoenberg, Arnold	142.8	79	1.80	.57	34
89.	Marenzio, Luca	28.7	16	1.79	.38	320
90.	Stravinsky, Igor	229.6	129	1.78	.54	16
91.	Copland, Aaron	40.7	23	1.77	.55	31
91.	Monteverdi, Claudio	51.6	29	1.77	.38	53
93.	Boulez, Pierre	24.7	14	1.76	.37	124
93.	Webern, Anton	73.8	42	1.76	.49	75
95.	Bartók, Béla	123.6	71	1.74	.47	25
96.	Elgar, Edward	20.8	12	1.73	.44	45
96.	Franck, Cesar	44.9	26	1.73	.54	52
96.	Indy, Vincent d'	20.8	12	1.73	.38	283
99.	Berg, Alban	75.7	44	1.72	.54	72
100.	Varèse, Edgard	57.9	34	1.71	.33	127
101.	Shostakovich, Dmitry	41.0	24	1.70	.52	27
102.	Byrd, William	18.5	11	1.68	.42	71
102.	Cage, John	38.9	23	1.68	.29	59
104.	Lasso, Orlando di	25.1	15	1.67	.34	77
104.	Messiaen, Olivier	40.0	24	1.67	.22	63
104.	Stockhausen, Karlheinz	26.7	16	1.67	.26	106
107.	Sibelius, Jean	39.3	24	1.65	.44	36
108.	Delius, Frederick	24.6	15	1.64	.42	91
109.	Hindemith, Paul	61.7	38	1.62	.43	44
110.	Vaughan Williams, Ralph	20.5	13	1.57	.32	39
111.	Josquin Desprez	30.5	20	1.53	.32	78

<sup>1</sup> Based on the 111 composers ranked in Table A above, only.