

# NEGATIVETUNES

## GETTING READY FOR MIXING

Until we can start with mixing process, it is necessary to you complete these steps first :

1. Edit all your audio tracks (timing - using metronome - quantization of drums, bass guitar and other instruments).
2. Clear all audio tracks (delete all unwanted noise in tracks).
3. Bounce all the virtual instruments (export it as a "wav" and add "MIDI" file as well).
4. Every track must begin from first bar. This way we can import data into the project so that we can make sure that timing is set properly on every track and everything is synchronized. This is the easiest way for transferring your material. Send me your data using Wav 24bits/44.100kHz format.
5. Tracks must be named logically, same in all songs, so that we can prevent any misunderstanding.
6. Make sure, that you´re sending correct audio tracks (do not send anything, what doesn´t belong in the mixing process). And make sure that any audio track is not missing.
7. If you´re recording using click, send tempo map as well. In case that song is in 4/4 beat, it is enough that if you mark tempo of the song in the text file.
8. Make special (separated) folder for every song. Every folder have to contain "Audio" part (place for data used in the mix) and part "DI" (which will contain tracks of the instruments, for example - guitar or bass guitar).
9. Send the rough mix of every song if you can. It would help us to identify your song concept, which is main route, how the mix should be proceeded. In case you don´t have rough mix, write us notes into text file. If you not sure, what exactly you want, but there are things that you are sure you don´t want, mark them in the file as well. There´s also an option, in which you can let our music feeling do the mixing job. You can make the folder and put in the reference material. That means, songs of music band you like.
10. If you completed all of the steps, you can now send us your data. We prefer sending data through wetransfer ([www.wetransfer.com](http://www.wetransfer.com) - up to 2gb size). Always keep your data, and have few copies.