

# Ardour

www.ardour.org

*A digital audio workstation*

## **what is it?**

Ardour is a digital audio application that allows you to record, edit and mix multi-track audio. You can produce your own CDs, mix video soundtracks, or just experiment with new ideas about music and sound. Ardour's capabilities include: multichannel recording, non-destructive editing with unlimited undo/redo, full automation support, a powerful mixer, unlimited tracks/busses/plugins, timecode synchronization, and hardware control.

## **educational use?**

Ardour is a great tool to record and edit a lecture for class. Students can also use Ardour tool to record themselves for a presentation or class assignment.

## **pros & cons?**

Ardour is currently only supported on OSX and Linux platforms.

## **what's it cost?**

Ardour is free, but donations are recommended.

## **alternatives?**

Notable competitor's of Ardour are Audacity and Apple's GarageBand.

## **resources?**

Ardour Support is located at: <http://ardour.org/support>