SAN DIEGO SYMPHONY
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FACT SHEET

Date of First Performance: December 6, 1910

Current Operating Budget: $26 million

Musicians: 82 full-time

Number of People Attending All Paid Concerts Last Season: 183,409

Learning and Engagement Programming Reach: 60,000 students and adults


Principal Home Venues: Copley Symphony Hall at the Jacobs Music Center, from 1985 to present. The Embarcadero Marina Park South for the Bayside Summer Nights series.

Number of Performances: More than 100 performances per year including Jacobs Masterworks, City Lights, Chamber Music Series, Family, Film and Bayside Summer Nights.

Other concerts and programs: 166 Outreach performances including Linda and Shearn Platt Kinder Koncerts, open rehearsals, outreach, coaching, masterclasses and Berton Family Young People’s Concerts.


Opera: The Symphony performs during the San Diego Opera's International Opera season at the Civic Theater.

Other Organizations by San Diego Symphony Musicians: Art of Élan, Camera Lucida, Myriad Trio, Westwind Brass, Luscious Noise, San Diego Symphony String Quartet, Mainly Mozart, Hornswaggle, La Jolla Music Society's SummerFest.

Most Recent Tour: 2013 Friendship Tour to Carnegie Hall and China.

Radio Broadcasts: KPBS airs all Jacobs Masterworks programs from the preceding season every Sunday evening on KPBS 89.5 FM.

Recordings: 10 within the last six years on the Naxos, Pro Arte and Telarc labels.

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