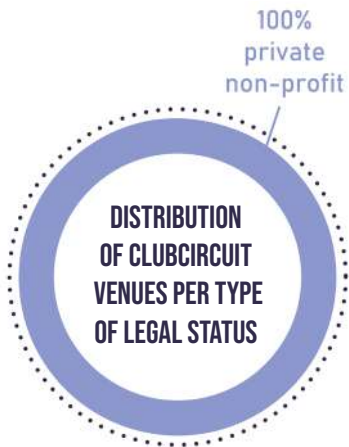




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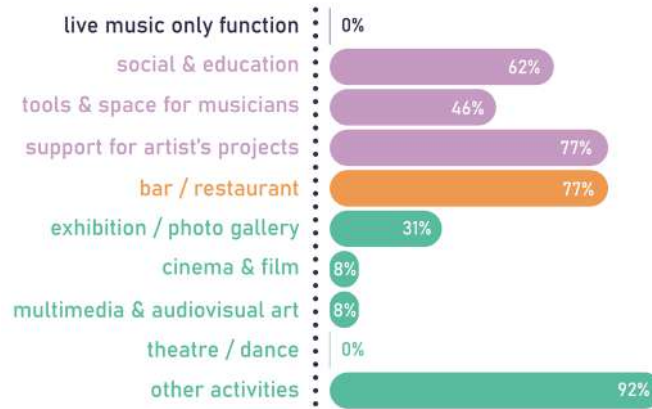
These figures represent 13 live music venues and clubs in Flanders (the Dutch speaking part of Belgium), which are part of the association Clubcircuit.

Based on data (year 2019) of 13 Clubcircuit music venues, collected during 2020-2022, and extrapolated to data of 13 Clubcircuit venues.



All Clubcircuit venues are private non-profit structures (100%).

LIVE MUSIC PERFORMANCES, VISITS AND OTHER FUNCTIONS



In 2019, Clubcircuit music venues had a **median audience capacity of 600**.

The network's venues presented almost **2,700 artist performances**, which attracted well over **450,000 visits**.

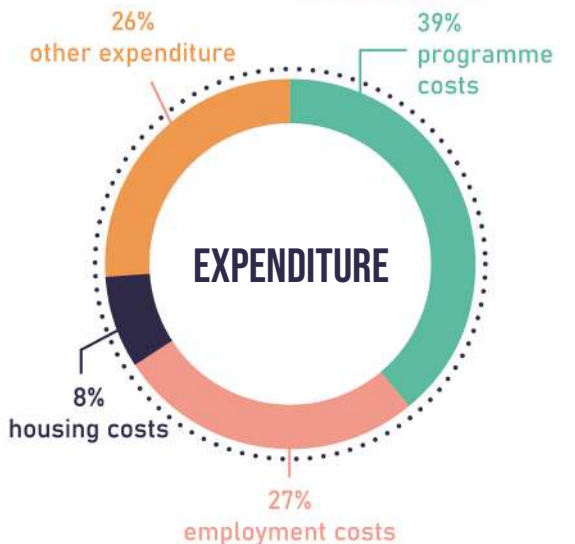
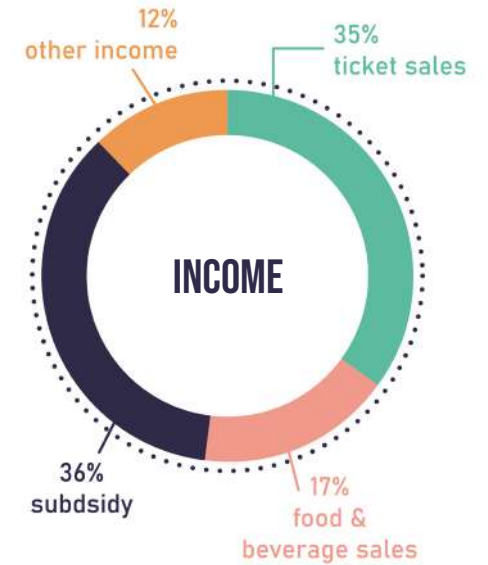
The venues were also involved in other functions than presenting live music, such as educational, social, artistic, culinary, and multi-disciplinary activities.

85% of all Clubcircuit music venues also **organised festivals** in 2019.

WORKFORCE IN CLUBCIRCUIT LIVE MUSIC VENUES AND CLUBS



Over **3,200 workers** were involved in the Clubcircuit music venues in 2019, of which **14% paid workers** and **81% volunteers**. In total **66% of all working hours (FTE) was paid**. **30%** of the workers was assigned with **gender female**.



In 2019 the Clubcircuit music venues had a **total income** of well over **18 million euro**. **Subsidy** was **36%** of the total income of all venues. The venues generated most income from **ticket sales (35%)** and **food & beverage sales (17%)**.



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Based on compared data (year 2019+2020) of 11 Clubcircuit music venues, collected during 2020-2022.

To learn more about these venues visit clubcircuit.be and/or contact Clubcircuit Survey coordinator Marc Steens, info@clubcircuit.be

IMPACT OF COVID RESTRICTIONS

The pandemic restrictions imposed by the government had an enormous impact on the possibilities and income of performing artists, (hired) workers and suppliers of live music venues in Belgium.

The government provided COVID support fund to the Clubcircuit venues in 2020, which **covered only 3% of the lost income** (2020 compared to 2019) of the music venues. In addition, the government and trade unions paid COVID support fund for employees' wages directly to part of the workforce of the Clubcircuit venues.

