

## Instrumentals

The INSTRUMENTALS sub-event is a celebration of music in its most authentic form, emphasizing the beauty of instrumental performance. Musicians from all backgrounds are invited to showcase their skills and create magic through melodies, without the use of vocals. Whether you play the violin, guitar, flute, tabla, or any other instrument, this event is an opportunity to captivate the audience purely through instrumental artistry.

### Overview

- **Event Duration:** 2 to 2.5 hours
- **Participants:** Solo
- **Instrumentalists only**
- **Genres:** All genres welcome, including Eastern classical, Western classical, jazz, fusion, and contemporary.

The event is designed to provide a platform for solo instrumentalists from various traditions and styles, allowing them to share their musical journey through their instrument. Whether it's the sitar or the piano, every instrument tells a unique story.

### Performance Specifications

#### Styles Allowed:

Performances can be in either Eastern or Western styles, or a fusion of both. Instrumentalists are encouraged to express their artistry through a wide range of genres.

#### 2. Backing Tracks:

- Backing tracks are allowed but should be subtle and not overpower the live instrument performance.
- The focus must remain on the musician's ability to manipulate their instrument and evoke emotions through their play.

#### Time Limit for Each Performance:

- 3 to 5 minutes per performance.

#### Instrument Setup:

- Participants must bring their own instruments.
- A sound check will be provided before the performance to ensure quality sound output.