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The **Berlin Strings First Chairs - Muse Sounds Edition** is crafted exclusively for the Muse Sounds engine: derived from the Orchestral Tools library "Berlin Strings First Chairs" and carefully optimised for playback from notation.

Enhance your arrangements with the principals of Berlin Strings First Chairs. These carefully selected maestros will add clarity and precision to your string ensembles, making melodies resonate and sing. They also excel as a string quintet, bringing presence and vitality to your most intimate compositions.

Berlin Strings First Chairs offers a vast array of articulations and an exceptional dynamic range.

Recorded in place on the renowned Teldex Scoring Stage in traditional seating positions, Berlin Strings First Chairs delivers a natural, balanced sound that seamlessly blends with other Berlin Series collections including Berlin Strings.

Instruments Included

Violin 1
Violin 2
Viola
Cello
Bass

Key Articulations

Advanced Legato: Ensures smooth, connected notes during regular playing.

Fast Runs Mode: Triggered for notes played in quick succession.

Sustains

Unmeasured Tremolo

Staccatos and Spiccato

Portato (slurred staccato)

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Trills: Minor and major 2nd.

Pizzicato

Additional Articulations

Portamento

Accessing Playing Techniques in MuseScore

Many of the playing techniques in MuseScore Studio are accessible through the **Staff Text** feature. To apply a playing technique, first select the starting note for the technique, then assign Staff Text to it. Next, click on the speaker icon above the staff of the assigned note to open the Playing Techniques menu. From there, you can select the desired playing technique. If there are more than eight techniques available, you may need to scroll to see all options.

Playback Details

The sustains are sampled in up to three dynamics, from pp to ff, and smoothly morph between them to produce realistic crescendos and decrescendos. For short notes, there are up to five repetition samples, enhancing realism during repeated notes.

The Berlin Strings First Chairs also perform exceptionally well combined as quartet or quintet!



Tip: Try creating solo lines above the strings with Berlin Strings First Chairs to add a bit of character to a soaring melody line.

About Muse Sounds Editions

Muse Sounds Editions are exclusively created editions of sample libraries, designed to work with the Muse Sounds Engine, found inside MuseScore Studio and StaffPad.

These editions are derived from the same content, but are not compatible with Kontakt or VST versions of the same library.

The Muse Sounds concept is to distill the technical and sonic achievements of complex, vast sample libraries, which were often created to be triggered via complex MIDI programming, into a simple, musical and intuitive experience for composers who work with notation.

The Muse Sounds team is proud to work with prestigious sample developers, and to bring these beautiful sounding creations to life for the notated page.

Thank you for supporting Muse Sounds!