

5 Good Audio Recording Tools Compared

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| | Will it work on an iPad or on an Android tablet? | Registration required? | Limitations on free use. | File output / sharing options. | Tutorials |
|---|---|--|--|---|---|
| Anchor.fm anchor.fm | Yes Web app Android app iOS app | Yes | None | Publish to web and up to six podcast networks including iTunes and Google Play. Download episodes as m4a files. | youtu.be/8NfKlcP_Yxg |
| Vocaroo vocaroo.com | No. Desktop/ Chromebook web-browser only. Flash required. | No | Recordings are deleted after 14 days.* | Download as MP3 and WAV. Embed codes for sharing. | youtu.be/mIF-aW1bIMw |
| Audacity audacityteam.org | No. Open source software for Mac, Windows, and Linux. | No | None | MP3 WAV OGG | youtu.be/xl-WDjWrTtk |
| GarageBand apple.com/mac/garageband/ | iPad app Mac app | No | None. | MP3 | bit.ly/2CTp9DR |
| TwistedWave twistedwave.com | iPad - Yes Android - No | Yes, if you want to record for more than 30 seconds. | Recordings limited to 20 minutes. | Download as MP3. Export to Google Drive. | youtu.be/dCu1TPtxPMo |

*Vocaroo recordings are deleted after 14 days. You can download your recordings anytime before that and save the recording on your computer.