

Shabdha Pricing Guide

Simple, Transparent Pricing for Professional Speech-to-Text

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All Plans Include the Same Features

Shabdha offers full feature parity across all pricing tiers. Whether you're on our free plan or a paid subscription, you get access to smart formatting, AI-powered text polishing, and support for 25+ languages. The only difference is your weekly word quota.

Pricing Overview

Plan	Price	Quota	Features
Shabdha Basic Free Forever	\$0	2,000 words/week	All features included
Monthly MOST POPULAR	\$9.99 /month	Unlimited	All features included
Annual SAVE 17%	\$99.99 /year	Unlimited \$8.33/month	All features included + Priority support

14-Day Free Trial on all paid plans. No credit card required for the free tier. Cancel anytime with no long-term commitment.

Features Included in All Plans

Speech Recognition

- ✓ Google Cloud Speech-to-Text
- ✓ 25+ languages supported
- ✓ High accuracy transcription
- ✓ Real-time processing

AI Formatting

- ✓ Smart punctuation
- ✓ Text polishing (OpenAI/Gemini)
- ✓ Context-aware formatting
- ✓ App-specific styles

Privacy & Security

- ✓ Privacy-first processing
- ✓ No audio storage
- ✓ Encrypted connections
- ✓ GDPR compliant

Platform Support

- ✓ macOS menu bar app
- ✓ Web interface
- ✓ iOS app (coming soon)
- ✓ Android app (coming soon)

Platform Comparison

Same pricing, same features across all platforms.

	Web (Paddle)	App Store
Free Tier	Available 2,000 words/week	Available 2,000 words/week
Monthly Plan	\$9.99	\$9.99

	Web (Paddle)	App Store
Annual Plan	\$99.99	\$99.99
Free Trial	14 days	14 days [†]

[†]Apple trial may be redeemed once per Apple ID. See our [Refund Policy](#) for platform-specific details.

Frequently Asked Questions

What's the difference between free and paid plans?

All plans include the same features. The free tier has a 2,000 words per week quota, while paid plans offer unlimited transcription. That's the only difference.

How is the weekly quota calculated?

Your quota resets every Sunday at 00:00 UTC. Words are counted from final transcriptions. For CJK languages, approximately 5 characters equal 1 word. Unused quota does not roll over.

Can I switch between platforms?

Subscriptions are platform-specific and don't transfer automatically. To switch from web to App Store (or vice versa), cancel your current subscription and start a new one on your preferred platform.

What's your refund policy?

Web subscriptions (Paddle) include a 30-day money-back guarantee. App Store purchases follow Apple's refund policy. See our Refund Policy page for complete details.

Which AI providers do you use?

We use Google Cloud Speech-to-Text for speech recognition, and OpenAI GPT-4 or Google Gemini for text formatting and polishing. All providers are enterprise-grade and do not use your data for training.

Is my data secure?

Yes. We never store your raw audio. Audio is processed in real-time and immediately deleted. Only your final transcription text is stored (which you can delete anytime). All connections are encrypted and we're fully GDPR compliant.

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