

Licensing vs Royalties

License

Defines legal permission to:

- Use
- Modify
- Deploy
- Commercialize

A license does not automatically imply payment.

Royalty

A royalty is a payment mechanism attached to licensing.

Examples:

- Revenue share
- API usage fees
- Per-client licensing
- Recurring payments

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