



Best free plans in AI video & voice

The TierRadar cheat sheet

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Every figure below comes from the vendor's official pricing page (or official help center, where noted), rendered and saved on Oct 20, 2026. Plans change often, so check the live, sourced version at tierradar.com/tools/free.

How to read this: "Credits" mean something different at every vendor, so don't compare them across tools. "One-time" credits don't refill. "Commercial use" means what the plan card says. If the card says nothing, we say "not stated", which is **not** the same as allowed.

Quick picks: best free option by job

IF YOU WANT TO...	START WITH	WHY
Generate AI voiceovers	ElevenLabs Free , 10k credits/mo	Refills monthly; upgrade path to cloning and a commercial license at \$6
Build a voice app / API	Cartesia Free , 20K credits/mo	Refills monthly; text to speech and speech to text on the free plan
Test speech APIs with real volume	Deepgram , \$200 free credit	Pay-as-you-go credit for STT + TTS
Make avatar / talking-head videos	Synthesia Basic , 500 credits + 10 min video/mo	Monthly allowance (watermarked)
Try AI video generation daily	Krea Free , 100 units/day	A daily allowance, not one-time
Run video generation yourself	Wan 2.2 (open weights, Apache-2.0)	\$0 license; you pay for your own compute
Turn long videos into shorts	OpusClip Free , 60 credits/mo	Up to 1080p clips, AI captions (watermarked)
Edit video in the browser	Kapwing Free	Unlimited watermarked exports, up to 4 min, 720p
Make music	Udio Free , 10 credits/day	Daily quota, up to 100/mo



Voice: text to speech, cloning, speech APIs

TOOL	FREE OFFER	LIMITS & CATCHES	COMMERCIAL USE	CHEAPEST PAID	SOURCE
ElevenLabs	Free plan	10k credits/mo	Listed from Starter	Starter \$6/mo (monthly)	elevenlabs.io/pricing
Cartesia	Free plan	20K credits/mo	Listed from Pro	Pro \$5/mo	cartesia.ai/pricing
Murf AI	Studio Free + API free credit	Studio: 10 min voice generation; no commercial rights . API: \$10 free credit	Not on Studio Free	Studio Creator \$19/mo billed annually (\$228/yr); API from \$0.01/1k chars (Falcon)	murf.ai/pricing
Deepgram	\$200 free credit	Then usage-based (Aura-2 TTS \$0.030/1k chars PAYG)	Not stated	Pay as you go	deepgram.com/pricing
Speechify	Free plan	10 voices (the page calls them "robotic sounding"), text-to-speech features only, listen up to 1.5x	Not stated	Premium \$29/mo	speechify.com/pricing
WellSaid Labs	Trial	3 download min/mo; no commercial rights	Not on trial	Starter \$10/mo billed annually (\$120/yr)	wellsaid.io/pricing
Resemble AI	Flex (no subscription)	Not a free allowance: you buy credits as you go	Not stated	Pay-as-you-go	resemble.ai/pricing

Avatars & talking-head video

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Synthesia	Basic (free)	500 credits/mo + 10 min video/mo; watermark	Not stated	Starter \$19/mo (\$14/mo yearly)	synthesia.io/pricing
HeyGen	Free plan	3 videos/mo, up to 1 min each, watermarked	Not stated	Creator \$29/mo (\$24 yearly)	heygen.com/pricing
Colossyan	Starter (free, \$0), no credit card	20 min/mo with NEO. The "\$27/mo" shown next to "Free" is the value Colossyan's pricing FAQ puts on the free plan, not a charge	Not stated	Professional \$59/mo on an annual plan	colossyan.com/pricing
D-ID	Free trial	Trial only	Not stated	Lite \$4.70/mo billed annually (\$56/yr)	d-id.com/pricing/studio

AI video generation

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Krea	Free plan	100 units/ day	Not stated	Basic \$5.25/mo billed annually	krea.ai/pricing
Runway	Free plan	125 credits, one-time	Not stated	Standard \$15/mo (\$12 annually)	runway.com/pricing
LTX Studio	Free plan	800 credits, one-time; personal use only	From Standard (\$35/mo)	Lite \$15/mo (\$12 yearly)	ltx.io/studio/pricing
Pika	Free plan	Credits via packs only; no commercial license	From Creator (\$35/mo)	Starter \$10/mo (also no commercial license)	pika.art/pricing
Wan 2.2	Open weights	Apache-2.0; self-host, so you pay for GPUs	Apache-2.0 license	n/a	github.com/Wan-Video/Wan2.2
invideo AI	Free plan (per help center)	"Limited credits", reset weekly (Mon 12 a.m. UTC); no card needed	Not stated	Starter \$20/mo per seat (\$10 billed annually)	invideo help · pricing
Higgsfield	Free tier (per help center)	"Limited set of models"; no trial	Not stated	Starter \$19/mo	Higgsfield help
Hailuo	Free credit	\$0 plan with 0 monthly credits; one-time free trial credits, Hailuo models only	Not stated	Standard \$10.50/mo (\$8.40 yearly)	hailuoai.video/subscribe
Fliki	Free plan	3 credits/mo; watermark ; 720p	Not stated	Standard \$28/mo (\$21 annually)	fliki.ai/pricing

Editing, clipping & captions

TOOL	FREE OFFER	LIMITS & CATCHES	COMMERCIAL USE	CHEAPEST PAID	SOURCE
OpusClip	Free forever	60 credits/mo; up to 1080p; watermark ; no editing; clips not exportable after 3 days	Not stated	Starter \$15/mo	opus.pro/pricing
quso.ai	Free plan	75 credits/mo	Not stated	Lite \$29/mo (\$174/yr)	quso.ai/pricing
Kapwing	Free plan	10 credits; watermark ; exports up to 4 min; 720p	Not stated	Pro \$24/mo (\$16 annually)	kapwing.com/pricing
Descript	Free plan	"Give our AI tools a spin"; limits not captured	Not stated	Hobbyist \$24/mo (\$16 annually)	descript.com/pricing

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VEED	Free plan (per help center)	"Some limitations on features and export quality"	Not stated	Creator \$10/mo billed yearly (VEED appeared to be A/B testing its pricing page on Oct 20; confirm at checkout)	VEED help
Captions	Free version (per pricing FAQ)	Basic tools only (trimming, transitions, some media); generative AI on paid plans	Not stated	Max \$24.99/mo (iOS pricing)	captions.ai/pricing
Submagic	Free trial (per help center)	3 short videos; download without watermark needs a subscription	Not stated	Starter \$12/mo billed yearly	Submagic help

 Dubbing & translation

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Rask AI	Free trial	3 minutes	Creator \$28/mo, billed \$329/yr (yearly plans only)	rask.ai/pricing
ElevenLabs, HeyGen, Synthesia, Kapwing	See above. All four include dubbing or translation features			

 Music

TOOL	FREE OFFER	LIMITS & CATCHES	COMMERCIAL USE	CHEAPEST PAID	SOURCE
Udio	Free plan	10 credits/day, 100/mo, no rollover; 3 full-length songs/day	Not stated	Standard \$10/mo (\$8 annually)	ud.io.com/pricing
Suno	Free plan	50 credits/day; free models only; no commercial rights ; no monthly song downloads	Not on Free	Pro \$10/mo (\$8 annually)	suno.com/pricing

No free plan (as of Oct 20, 2026)

- **Luma AI**: no free plan on the pricing page; Plus \$30/mo.
- **Google Veo** (Gemini API): not on the API free tier; Veo 3.1 Lite from \$0.05/second (720p).
- **Topaz Labs**: annual licenses; Topaz Video \$299/yr.
- **Riverside**: 14-day free trial only (credit card required, per Riverside support); Pro \$35/mo (\$29 annually). Riverside appeared to be A/B testing its prices on Oct 20, so confirm at checkout.

Free plan not verified this edition

- **Kling AI**: free plan not confirmed on the official pages; paid plans verified, from Standard \$8.80/mo.
- **Hedra Studio**: free plan not confirmed on the official pages; paid plans verified, from Studio Basic \$20/mo.
- **LOVO**: site offline. It returned "This deployment is temporarily paused" on Oct 20.
- **PlayHT** is discontinued; see [tierradar.com/alternatives/playht](#).

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