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Spirit eyes UK acquisitions

US PUBLISHER HAS ALREADY OPENED TALKS WITH WRITERS AND CATALOGUE OWNERS

PUBLISHING

■ BY TOM PAKINKIS

pirit Music Group is looking for acquisition opportunities in the UK and has already started initial talks with a number of writer/ producers and catalogue owners.

The US-based publisher has been following a route of acquisition-based expansion in recent months, most recently snapping up Nashville-based indie Cal IV Entertainment at the start of July.

Speaking to *Music Week*, Spirit Music Group chairman David Renzer said that he aims to continue the company's spending internationally and is keen to do business in the UK.

"We're kind of open to anything but something that could be really interesting and attractive to us would be a small independent publishing company that was looking to partner with a fellow independent," he said. "One



where we could do essentially what we've done in Nashville – [an acquisition that would] give us instantaneous catalogue as well as some staff and infrastructure with the ability to grow going forward. But I'd say we wouldn't rule anything out."

Renzer (*pictured*) revealed that Spirit has already had discussions with a number of UK parties about the potential for such deals. "We're talking directly with some UK writer/producers and some UK-based artists as well as catalogue opportunities.

"I think there are some UK-based writer/producers that are looking for a company that might be very strong creatively in North America, that has real reach and can give real attention on the film and TV side," he added. "Especially if [a writer/producer]

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has reached a certain level in the UK and feels that the next horizon is to expand with more A&R executives along with film and TV executives that might be based in North America."

Despite Spirit having already made contact with a number of potential targets, Renzer said that the company is still open to being approached: "We'd love to hear from people who think they'd be a good fit with us," he said.

Spirit launched its Londonbased office, Spirit Music Ltd., in 2007, which serves as a 'creative hub' for the company's work in the UK and Europe.

Renzer was named Spirit

Music Group chairman in January this year, making the move from his position as chairman and CEO of Universal Music Publishing.

Despite stepping up its expansion plans, Renzer said that there is no danger of the company moving too far from its founding mission to provide an alternative to the giants in the publishing space. "The majors have millions of copyrights, we have 50-70,000," he pointed out. "I think we've got a lot of room for growth through intelligent complementary additions. Fortunately our systems are very scalable in terms of our copyright and admin systems and, as you grow, you add staff strategically.

"Our goal is definitely not to become another major, it's to continue as an independent where we can really give a high degree of service and attention to whoever we bring on and add to our staff as we [expand] in order to do that."

BMG Chrysalis strikes 'watershed' online sync deal



BMG Chrysalis UK has struck what it believes to be the biggest online music sync deal in the UK to date.

The company has put together a five-track package in what *Music Week* understands is a six figure agreement to soundtrack a an online Toyota Yaris commercial.

The campaign, devised by Saatchi & Saatchi with music supervision by Curved Arrow, takes the theme of the 'musical city'. Cars drive through a city where street names are replaced with song titles. Each time the car drives into a different street a new song is triggered.

The five tracks selected for the campaign are: Bruno Mars' Locked Out Of Heaven; Blondie's Heart Of Glass by Debbie Harry and Chris Stein; Bonnie Tyler's Total Eclipse Of The Heart, written by Jim Steinman; Culture Club's Karma Chameleon and Reel 2 Real's I Like To Move It.

Bruno Mars' Locked Out Of Heaven also soundtracks the accompanying TV campaign under a separate deal.

"This is a watershed deal for the music industry that demonstrates that, if you have the right repertoire, online advertising can be just as significant a revenue earner for writers and artists as traditional TV advertising," said BMG Chrysalis UK VP, sync and marketing, Tom Stingemore (pictured). "In an ever-changing landscape, we are delighted to play our part in raising perceptions of value in the online sync market.

"Online can no longer be seen as the lesser element of a deal, to be simply bolted onto a TV campaign," he added. "Certainly from a BMG Chrysalis perspective, we're very proud to be turning the tide in such a vital

area of the business."

The sync deal was negotiated by Mark Levin on behalf of BMG Chrysalis UK along with Lisa McCaffery and Oli Jay on behalf of Curved Arrow.

Mark Levin said: "What clinched this campaign for us was the breadth and strength of the BMG Chrysalis catalogue and our ability to offer both master and publishing rights to sync clients."

McCaffery said: "This was an exciting and complex project. BMG Chrysalis proved to be great partners."

NEWS

EDITORIAL

Will somebody please throw a TV out of a window?



SHEP GORDON KNEW how to make someone famous.

The super manager who made his name in the hedonistic days of the 1960s pinpointed the rebellious core in Alice Cooper and concocted a string of suitably outrageous PR stunts to create a real icon. A character.

You might call a massive billboard of Cooper wearing naught but a snake in Piccadilly Circus a little bit Spinal Tap these days - but, these days, do we really have the right to let out even a titter?

Cast an eye across the newspapers on the way home and you'll be lucky to find a music star that is doing anything more headlineworthy than looking good for the cameras.

Now it's the tech companies that create the real goss. The way they cruise around town chucking money at anything that shines: "What's that? I want it. Here's a billion dollars! Actually, what the hell, it's Friday, have two!" They may be little more than logos and share prices to the average Joseph on his commute home but they still manage to own a high-roller persona that was once reserved for guitar-slinging rockers, and boy does it get tongues wagging. I've heard more than one music exec call Apple's acquisition of Beats a vanity deal. Really? If so, bloody hell!

"Now it's the tech companies that grab the headlines. They may be little more than logos and share prices to the public but they still manage to get tongues wagging"

And I know that the whole 'tech is the new rock' spiel is nothing new, but don't dismiss the phenomenon as a case of Silicon Valley outdoing itself, it's very much about music having lost some of its edge. If it's not billionaire computer coders making the headlines it's sports stars. Whether it's flair or finesse on the pitch or a Balotelli quip in the press, it's another story pushing pop stars further back to the centre the pages. "Sport is tribal," says Tom Roberts, director of sport and music promo outfit Shoot Music on page 18. You know what? So was music once.

The worst bit is that when our young music acts do manage to whip up something of a scandal, it's not mischievously inventive like a massive Alice Cooper balloon floating down the Thames (I'll let Shep tell you how that one was meant to go on page 11), it's usually little more than an offensive Twitter spat.

Where are music's real characters? It's well documented that the dawn of piracy put an end to private jets to Midem and riding to work on a white tiger (I made that one up), but if the execs behind the act can't live like the kings and queens they once were, surely we need to be making even more of an effort to keep the public entertained.

It is all about the artist, but the artist is about more than the music. This is showbiz, this is theatre, and while a song can be loved by the masses one minute and overplayed the next, making music stars into real characters will ensure they're not only embraced by the consumer but championed.

Tom Pakinkis, Deputy Editor

Streaming crown 'still up for grabs'

RHAPSODY AIMS FOR LONG-GAME AFTER MILESTONE

DIGITAL

■ BY TOM PAKINKIS

apster parent Rhapsody International has labeled the streaming race a 'marathon, not a sprint' having announced more than 2 million paying subscribers on Tuesday.

While Rhapsody's last official premium tier count might pale in comparison to current streaming leader Spotify - which boasted 10 million paying subscribers and more than 40 million active users in May – the company has told *Music Week* that its business model is built for long term sustainability.

Napster's vice president of sales and marketing in Europe Thorsten Schliesche (pictured) suggested that Spotify's struggle to turn a profit would lead to opportunities for its nearest rivals to gain ground in the future. "I think for them a big question is when the turnaround will happen - when will they be able to leverage this kind of scale into some kind of profitable business?" he asked. "I don't think they can afford to have this burn rate forever and that's where the tipping point for the number two or number three in the market could move even closer to them.'

Although Schliesche confirmed that Rhapsody Inc. was similarly only profitable in



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THORSTEN SCHLIESCHE, NAPSTER

certain territories, he said its gradual investment and growth was more sustainable.

When asked whether he could see a day when Rhapsody/Napster could claim the highest paying subscriber count in the music streaming sector, Schliesche said: "If I didn't believe in it I wouldn't be the right person for the job. The question is when will that be? [Then you have to ask] should you invest a significant amount of money in making it there as fast as possible or should you continue to build a long-term sustainable business model with a good scale of growth?

"Yes, we believe we can become the most attractive streaming service in the world, but are we desperate to do it in the next 24 months? [No]."

Elsewhere in the streaming race, Deezer announced 5 million paying subscribers in November last year.

Schliesche suggested, however, that there is an argument to put Rhapsody/Napster in second place "depending on what you count".

"I'd say we're among the top two or three streaming services globally," he said, adding that he expects to see the rate of Napster premium subscriptions gain pace. "We've added more than 300,000 since April, which definitely points out that the momentum is in the right direction."

Essential signs LA label Linear Labs



Essential Music & Marketing has signed LA-based record label Linear Labs for physical and digital distribution and marketing in Europe.

The brainchild of composer and producer Adrian Younge, Linear Labs acts as an umbrella for the collaborative works and concept albums built around a specific storyline or theme that he has become known for. At the heart of the label is a commitment to analogue recording techniques in an effort to create modern works that have

a timeless quality.

Linear Labs is to launch with the August release of hip hop group Souls Of Mischief's sixth studio album, There Is Only Now.

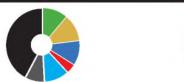
Commenting on the agreement, Younge said: "We are happy to announce our new partnership with Essential, a brand that encompasses a craftsman-like approach to the marketing and distribution of finer music. With Essential, our goal is to permeate the silent majority with music that is linear, analogue, and tailored for the avid listener."

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WEEK 30: TOP 75 SHARE BY CORPORATE GROUP ARTIST SINGLES ARTIST ALBUMS ■ Universal 40.43% Universal 42.43% **Sony** 32.58 **Sony** 21.06 ■ Warner 19.17% ■ Warner 26.36% ■ Others 4.82% ■ Others 10.16% ALL ALBUMS (Combined Artists & Compilation Albums) Universal Music 26.65% BEESWING 0.70% DOMINO RECORDINGS 1.07% ■ Sony Music 10.31% FRONTIERS 0.65% MINISTRY OF SOUND GROUP 1.71% ■ Warner Music 12.08% Sony /Universal 41.78% Sony /Warner (65/35) 1.06% Sony /Universal (75/25) 1.36% ■ Universal /Warner (75/25) 0.52% Others (See breakdown to right) 6.25%

WEEK 30: TOP 75 SHARE BY RECORD COMPANY



ARTIST SINGLES

■ RCA Label Group 11.46% ■ Others 40.01% ■ Virgin EMI 9.30% ■ Polydor 19.15%

■ Island 3.66% ■ Atlantic 12.11%

Decca 0.43% Epic Label Group 3.32% Ignition 0.98% Infectious Music 0.55% Island 3.66% Ministry Of Sound 2.53% Parlophone 4.50% Pias Co-op 0.40% Red Bull 0.36% Red Bull 0.36% Sony Music Cg 7 96% Sy:o Music 4 88% Umc 1 58%

Umtv 2 14% Warner Bros 2 55%

SINGLES

ARTIST ALBUMS

■ Virgin EMI 11.85%

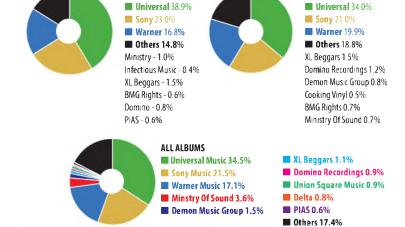
RCA Label Group 3.87% ■ Island 3 64% Columbia 9.53%

■ Others 38.41% Capitol 6 77% Caroline 0 67%

ARTIST ALBUMS

Nettwerk 0.53% Parlophone 3 47% Rhino (Warners) 1 05% Sony Music Cg 6 35% Umc 2 103% Warner Bros 3 79% Wtw Music 0.87% XI Recordings 1_99%

YEAR TO DATE: TOTAL MARKET SHARES BY CORPORATE GROUP



YEAR TO DATE: TOTAL MARKET SHARES BY RECORD COMPANY





LABEL SHOWS 'HIT-MAKING CONSISTENCY'

Polydor's Singles Chart hot streak







LABELS

■ BY TOM PAKINKIS

ith Cheryl Cole's Crazy Stupid Love claiming the top Singles Chart position on Sunday, Polydor has become the first company to hold the Official No.1 spot for three consecutive weeks with three different singles since the last millennium.

The label's other two No.1 singles prior to last weekend came from Rixton (Me And My Broken Heart) and Will.I.Am (It's My Birthday).

The last label to maintain a similar streak was RCA - 15 years ago in 1999. Then, Christina Aguilera's Genie In A Bottle spent two weeks atop the Singles Chart followed by Five's Keep On Movin' and Westlife's Flying Without Wings.

Furthermore, Polydor is one of only two companies to have delivered three consecutive Official No.1 singles since 2000, with S Records having last achieved it 12 years ago in 2002. Westlife's World Of Our Own debuted at No.1 at the start of March followed by Will Young's Anything Is Possible/Evergreen topping the table for three weeks before Gareth Gates took over for four weeks with his cover of Unchained Melody.

'[This achievement] is a testament to the team that we have here," said Polydor president Ferdy Unger-Hamilton. "It's a really exciting time for Polydor right now we have new, young staff and heads-of across all our departments. What a record label really is, is defined by its staff and artists rather than its logo or history.

"Also, all three records were worked in-house," he added. "Honourable mentions must go to Manish Arora and his promotions team, they have done an amazing job."

Official Charts Company CEO Martin Talbot said: "Congratulations to



"This achievement is a testament to the team we have here. It's a really exciting time for Polydor" FERDY **UNGER-HAMILTON**

Ferdy and his team on what is a fabulous achievement by Polydor - and the ultimate illustration of their hit-making consistency.

"Gaining an Official No.1 remains one of the few ways artists (and labels) can measure themselves directly against their peers - any company which achieves three in a whole year is firing on all cylinders, so to do so in such rapid succession is hugely impressive," Talbot added.

Unger-Hamilton said that it is "really important" that the No.1 single streak was achieved with a mix of established and new acts. "In the case of Cheryl and Will, they are family to us, and big established artists always need to return stronger than they were when they went away. Cheryl's 66k day one sale is a pretty good indicator of what she can achieve with her album in November," he suggested. "As for Rixton, they're a great prospect for the future and it's important to get them off to a winning start."

Looking to the future, Unger-Hamilton was confident of more success to come. perhaps even by the weekend. "I'm confident our team will keep Polydor and this industry thriving for years to come," he said. "Add to that a great artist roster that includes Lana Del Rey, Ellie Goulding, The 1975, James Blake and Haim amongst others, and with some great recent signings as well, I'm sure you will agree that the future looks pretty bright.

"And in the short term we just might have an outside shot at No.1 next week with Zhu!" he added.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

- PHARRELL WILLIAMS: The Happy singer will reportedly part ways with his performing rights organisation ASCAP to join the new boutique company formed by Irvin Azoff and Randy Grimmett, Global Music Rights, from October 1. Operating under the name of Azoff MSG Entertainment, the venture also has Ryan Tedder on board who is managed, along with Williams, by Ron Laffitte of Front Line/Artist Nation.
- NETFLIX: French songwriters and publishers group SACEM (Society of Authors, Composers and Publishers of Music) has signed an agreement with Netflix for France, prior to the launch of the video on demand service in the territory in September. The deal ensures the remuneration of SACEM members whose works will be included in audiovisual programmes available on Netflix.
- VANS: The shoe brand has brought its multi-purpose venue House Of Vans to London, opening at the Old Vic Tunnels underneath Waterloo Station on August 9. The concept already exists in Brooklyn and the venue will act as a free space hosting a music venue, gallery, artist labs, café, cinema, bars and skatepark.
- SJM: The concert promoter has joined forces with XFM to host a series of live music events in Manchester throughout 2014 to early 2015. Titled XFM X-Posure Presents, the nights will give undiscovered artists a platform to perform live at The Ruby Lounge.
- STREAMING: The Department of Justice has put forward recommendations to the House Judiciary Committee to make illegal streaming a felony in the US. The proposed law is said to target commercial piracy rather than individual cases.
- PIRACY: Advertising on copyright infringing websites is being replaced with official police force banners, warning users that the infringing site is currently under criminal investigation. The initiative is the latest phase of Operation Creative designed to prevent websites from providing unauthorised access to copyrighted content.
- MERLIN: Global rights agency for the independent label sector, Merlin, has further reduced its commercial deal administration fees for members. The numbers represent a reduction of 16.67% on previous rates.

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UNIVERSAL OFFERING ADVERTISING COMPANY'S 'BESPOKE' COMPOSITIONS

Film composers set to score in sync

SYNC

■ BY RHIAN JONES

niversal Music UK's creative and commercial division Globe has enlisted a number of award-winning composers to help attract sync opportunities in advertising.

Grammy Award-winner David Arnold, Bafta-nominated Ilan Eshkeri, Joby Talbot and Dickon Hinchliffe have signed up to a new project that aims to provide original scores for commercial campaigns by drawing on the artistic processes that go into scoring a movie.

Between them, the composers have written for films including The Hitchhiker's Guide To The Galaxy, Independence Day, Gravity, Layer Cake, Project NIM, Alpha Papa, Quantum Of Solace and Tomorrow Never Dies.

"We can offer clients someone writing a bespoke score for something like a BMW or Barclays ad," explained curator of the project and former Island A&R director Nick Angel (pictured). "Instead of using a piece of pop music, they can go, "I'd quite like the guy who just got an Oscar for Gravity to do it for me".

"It brings a different sensibility, a different mindset and gives a freshness to clients that pop music doesn't always bring. You can't underestimate the importance of music in bringing a visual to life, and composers that work in film know better than anyone just how to do that. It's an opportunity to bring cinematic music to a different world."

Work will be supported by Globe's sync team and could feature vocals from Universal's artists.



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Last year, Universal Music Publishing helped secure a deal for the John Lewis Christmas ad campaign that featured Lily Allen singing a cover version of Keane's Somewhere Only We Know. The track reached No.1 on the UK Singles Chart and has since been certified gold.

Said Angel: "We've all seen the effect a strong piece of music has on an advert and we want to offer

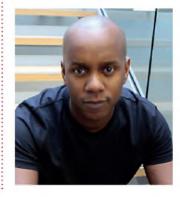
the widest and most interesting pool of creativity to people.

"These guys do this for a living so in a way they should be doing it but they are not. Unless somebody completely independently, as a client or an advertising agency, has found one of them and asked them to do it, they don't generally get asked if they'd like to write something for a British Airways ad."

The project will complement the sync services already offered to advertising agencies by Globe. The division's MD Marc Robinson said: "We are bringing the very best film composers into this space with the full support and release mechanism of a label. As the creative bar is being raised in advertising and branded content, we want to ensure we can deliver across all areas of recorded music."

Dickon Hinchliffe, who recently finished composing the score for Tom Hardy's latest film Locke, comments, "It's fantastic to be working with Universal Music and Globe on this - it's a great proposition and I'm looking forward to the creative challenge it offers."

Rich Castillo named A&R director for Universal Canada



Rich Castillo (pictured) has been appointed director of A&R for Universal Music Canada.

Castillo is making the move to Toronto from Universal Music's London office where he most recently held the position of A&R head for UMTV and All Around The World Records.

Castillo will start with Universal Music Canada on August 1 and report directly to the company's president and CEO Randy Lennox.

He previously worked in artist management with acts including N-Duhz and Jamelia among others.

"Our loss is Canada's gain," said UMTV MD Adam Corke. "Rich has been a great member of the team and I know he's going to make a huge success of his new role. We wish him all

the best for his new life with his family in North America."

Chairman of ROAR Group, Jonathan Shalit, who gave Castillo his first job in the music industry, added: "Rich Castillo is one of the most brilliant young senior executives in music. He worked with me through my N-Dubz years, making a massive impact. His people skills and ears are exceptional."



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Hyperdub's Goodman to receive first ever AIM Innovator Award

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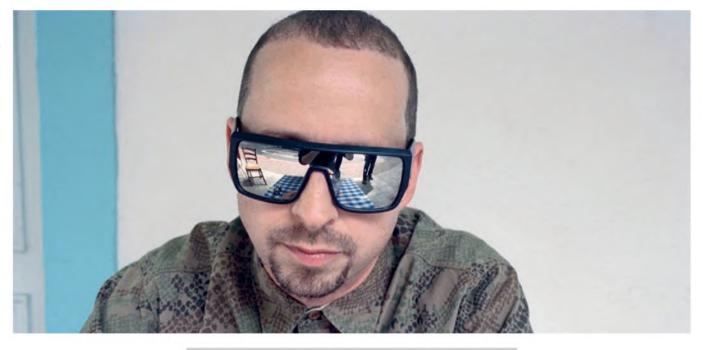
■ BY TOM PAKINKIS

teve Goodman, the founder and boss of London-based dubstep label Hyperdub, will receive the Innovator Award at the AIM Independent Music Awards on September 2. A new award category for 2014, the Innovator Award celebrates the achievements of an artist, label or business person pushing the boundaries of independent music.

Steve Goodman, aka DJ and producer Kode9, founded Hyperdub in 2004 from the original webzine launched in 2001. The label's first release was Goodman's own version of Prince's Sign O' The Times featuring MC/Poet Spaceape.

Since 2009's 5 Years Of Hyperdub compilation, the label's sound has diversified within the bracket of electronic music with releases from acts including Hype Williams, Cooly G and DVA as well as newer signings outside the UK, such as Jessy Lanza, Fatima Al Qadiri, Fhloston Paradigm and music of the late DJ Rashad.

Kode9's new EP is due this year alongside tenth anniversary celebrations for Hyperdub which



will see different strands of the label split across four compilations.

"You can only do so much on your own, so really this award is for all the artists I work with and the team that distribute and promote our music behind the scenes," said Goodman. "Thanks and congratulations to them."

Originally from Glasgow but based in South London since 2000, Kode9's own journey includes two albums with vocalist collaborator "You can only do so much on your own, so really this award is for all the artists I work with and the team that distribute and promote our music behind the scenes" STEVE GOODMAN, HYPERDUB

Spaceape (2006's Memories Of Future and 2010's Black Sun); three DJ mix compilations; tracks released on Aphex Twin's Rephlex label; remixes for Lee Scratch Perry (On-U Sound), Junior Boys (Domino), Battles (Warp), and Dabrye ft. Doom (Ghostly); plus five years as the weekly host on Rinse FM's FWD show before moving up to his own Hyperdub monthly show, co-hosted with Scratcha DVA.

The AIM Independent Music

Awards 2014 return to The Brewery in Clerkenwell on September 2. Tickets are on sale now at www.musicindie.com/awards.

The awards are voted for by a panel of judges from across the media and music industry, with representatives from Radio 1 and 1Xtra, 6Music, NME, The Quietus, Drowned In Sound, Music Week, The Independent, Radio 2, XFM, Kerrang!, Metal Hammer, VICE and Mixmag.

First AIM Start-Ups fund beneficiaries revealed

AIM has unveiled the first three companies to benefit from its share of the Government-backed Start-Ups fund, which provides low-cost finance of up to £25,000 to businesses in the creative sector.

AIM Start-Ups is a delivery partner for the Government-backed Start Up Loans Company and provides access to finance, assistance and mentoring for new entrepreneurs or those who have been trading for less than 12 months.

Content licensing company Sunny Side Up, recording artist agency Versus Management and record label and music licensing company I'm Not A Machine are among the first companies to have benefited from the scheme.

"Our biggest challenge to date has been access to funding," said Sunny Side Up Licensing's Michael Gottlieb. "The AIM Start-Ups team helped us at every stage of the process, and our business mentor will be invaluable to us as we grow."

I'm Not A Machine's Verity Pabla added: "The structure that AIM Start-Ups provides is so valuable in beginning a new business. Being self-employed is not new to me, but owning and running a limited company is AIM Start-Ups helped me take that step up by offering training, support in developing a business plan and cash flow, mentoring and more."

Said Versus Management co-founder Matt O'Daly, "It's been a learning curve; there were a few things we never realised we didn't know how to do. We've applied ourselves with the help of AIM Start-Ups amongst many others and it's been a really fun experience. You wouldn't believe the incredible amount of support we have already

received from some of the far reaching corners of the global music industry."

"It's helped us make important decisions faster than what would be possible without the money," added Versus Management co-founder Josh Mateer. "Having funding also gave us the power to direct more strategy than would be possible with in kind favours from artists, photographers, engineers, and just about anyone else involved."

AIM Start-Ups offer an unsecured personal loan from £1,000 up to £25,000 to applicants for business purposes, which is repaid over one to five years. The average loan amount is £5,700 though specific amounts are decided based on the business needs of the applicant, and the interest rate is fixed at 6%.

The scheme also offers access to business survival guides, training materials, training days, workshops, networking with other new entrepreneurs, as well as the appointment of a personal mentor who will answer questions about running a business. AIM Start-Ups corporate partners also offer aid to matched applicants.

DATA DIGEST

UK TICKETING CHARTS THE MOST SEARCHED-FOR ARTISTS OF THE PAST WEEK

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TIC	KETMASTER UK		
POS	EVENT	POS	EVENT
1	5 SECONDS OF SUMMER	11	KASABIAN
2	JAKE BUGG	12	THE VAMPS
3	THE BLACK KEYS	13	SAM SMITH
4	ED SHEERAN	14	TWIN ATLANTIC
5	THE 1975	15	DAUGHTRY
6	INTERPOL	16	JACKSON BROWNE
7	PASSENGER	17	TRAIN
8	LINKIN PARK	18	MOTORHEAD
9	THE NATIONAL	19	BLONDIE
10	FRANK TURNER	20	HUE & CRY

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The latest most popular Shazam

new release chart:

1 NICO & VINZ

TIC	KETWEB UK		
POS	EVENT	POS	EVENT
1	THE BLACK KEYS	11	NORMAN JAY
2	CLEAN BANDIT	12	THE JANOSKIANS
3	KASABIAN	13	DAUGHTRY
4	THE KNIFE	14	MOGWAI
5	BLONDIE	15	UB40
6	PASSENGER	16	FIELDS OF THE NEPHILIM
7	CATFISH & THE BOTTLEMEN	17	MASTODON
8	MILKY CHANCE	18	BOOMTOWN RATS
9	THE PRETTY RECKLESS	19	SLASH
10	JUNGLE	20	PUBLIC ENEMY

LIFE IS TWEET WE FOLLOW THE INDUSTRY'S FINEST



@Gentlemansunion Saw an advert for the V Festival. Hideous. (Samuel Ward, Sentric) Wednesday, July 23



@rosiedimont So I totally convinced the bar we're in to play Drunk in Love to humour le flatmate. She's pretty happy. (Rosie Dimont, Island Records)

Saturday, July 26



@jamesjammcmahon I can't stand the perspective that somehow those with mental health issues are weak, when really they have to climb Everest

before breakfast (James McMahon, Kerrang!) Sunday, July 27



@CaptainHowdy89 really need to get spotify premium back - hate being poor. i swear they do real shit and unbearable ads just to make you

upgrade (Edward Fenwick, Trail Of Press) Thursday, July 24



@HoareTom The doors on Westbound Central line trains at Stratford open on both sides of the carriage and it's blowing my mind. (Tom Hoare, [PIAS])

Saturday, July 26



@sarah_hall I love the fact that
@NeonJungleMusic thank the
@SonyMusicUK canteen staff in
their album for their big food orders

Don't they know it!! (Sarah Hall, Sony Music) Thursday, July 24

TWEET OF THE WEEK



@PhilBBirch The award for best headline goes to... MT @stereogum: Kid Rock subpoenaed to produce

glass dildo as evidence in Insane Clown Posse lawsuit (*Phil Birch*, Sandbag) Wednesday, July 23



@yasminlajoie Few weeks ago I quit smoking except socially when I'm drinking it's not going great the I'm just drinking everyday (*Yasmin Lajoie*,

Sony/ATV) Saturday, July 26



@MaddyR_Smith 3 @polydorrecords #1's in a row. Don't even worry about it (Maddy Smith, Polydor) Monday, July 28



@Dancad Do you think Tulisa ever imagined she'd be a medium for countless middle class people to bicker over the demonisation of the

working class? (Dan Cadwallader, Decca)
Tuesday, July 29



@liz_buckley There are now so many "Now That's What I Call Music"s, I'm not sure whether the number following it is a year or a volume. (Liz Buckley,

Ace Records) Tuesday, July 29

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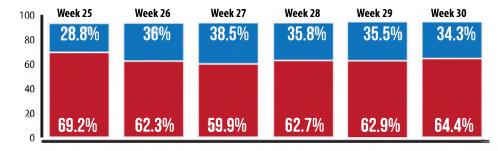
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My Head Is A Jungle

DIGITAL vs PHYSICAL



WKS 25-30 The UK market share for all albums in the past five weeks

DIGITAL

Official Charts Company



BPI SALES AWARDS: WEEK ENDING JULY 27

(ALBUM) Gold

(ALBUM) Gold

(SINGLE) Gold



(ALBUM) Silver

GEORGE EZRA Wanted On Voyage (ALBUM) Silver

VARIOUS ARTISTS The Mix

JAY Z FT. RIHANNA & KANYE WEST Run This Town (SINGLE) Gold

ARTIST/TITLE / RECORD TYPE/NEW CERTIFICATION

VARIOUS ARTISTS Now That's What I Call Running

VARIOUS ARTISTS Now That's What I Call Music! 88

ORIGINAL SOUNDTRACK Frozen (ALBUM) 2xPlatinum

EDWARD MAYA FT. VIKA JIGULINA Stereo Love

JASON DERULO FT. 2 CHAINZ Talk Dirty (SINGLE) Platinum

SINGLES★ Platinum (600,000) Gold (400,000)

Silver (200,000) ALBUMS * Platinum (300,000) • Gold (100,000) Silver (60,000)

BPI

EMINEM FT. RIHANNA Love The Way You Lie (SINGLE) 2xPlatinum

TAKE A BOW TEAM LA ROUX



Publisher: BMG Chrysalis

Manager: Tony Beard & Claire Kilcourse

(Quest Management)

Marketing: Hannah Neaves (Polydor)

Regional press: Warren Higgins (Chuff Media) **Online press:** James Penycate (Ooh Brilliant) National radio: Alan James (AJPR)

TV: Ruth Thompson (Yes Please TV)

SALES STATISTICS



				Official Charts Company
YEAR TO DATE	SINGLES	ARTIST ALBUMS	COMPILATIONS	TOTAL ALBUMS
SALES	88,402,598	32,120,442	10,376,497	42,496,938
PREVIOUS YEAR	103,432,690	36,941,370	10,333,770	47,275,140
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PROFILE

ON THE RADAR BLESSA

■ BY CORAL WILLIAMSON

hen an EP contains as much depth as Blessa's Love Is An Evol Word, you'd expect its writer to be talking a mile a minute in an attempt to explain everything in an all too brief interview. Not so with Olivia Neller, lyricist and singer of the five-piece, who is happy to talk, but seems to struggle to.

She wrestles with her thoughts when having to describe the band's sound to *Music Week*, settling on "cinematic, I guess. We're inspired by film and cult TV shows."

An English graduate from the University of Sheffield, where she met her founding bandmates, Neller also takes a lot of influence from literature. "Love Is An Evol Word comes from an Amiri Baraka poem, In Memory Of Radio," she explains.

One line in the poem stands out for her: 'I certainly wouldn't like to go out on that kind of limb.'

"Going out on a limb, writing, I suppose the songs convey this kind of idea... I don't really get



given the opportunity to talk about our literary influences at length, so I'm a bit, 'Ooh, what do I say?'" she confesses.

"A lot of people think that EP is about falling in and out of love. But I'm not a huge fan of love songs. We look to love like it's an answer, and it's not

"When you go out on a limb, it's more about finding yourself. You might have looked all your life to your loved ones for answers and then suddenly realise you have to do it yourself."

The singer talks about Open Fields, one of the first songs to be revealed from the EP and one of the band's oldest songs.

Neller says: "The long-standing idea in that song is from a book by Linda Williams called Hard Core, about pornography. In it, she says how a woman is seen as an O in

porn, a hole waiting to be filled.

"In a less pornographic way, we see ourselves as jigsaw pieces, walking around looking for things to make us a whole image. Open Fields is about realising that it's okay to feel like that. You don't need to be looking for things to fulfil you, you do it yourself."

The EP was recorded with Hookworms' MJ in his Suburban Home studio, after previous

ESSENTIAL INFO

RELEASES

2013

November Single: Between Times

2014

June

EP: Love Is An Evol Word

MANAGEMENT

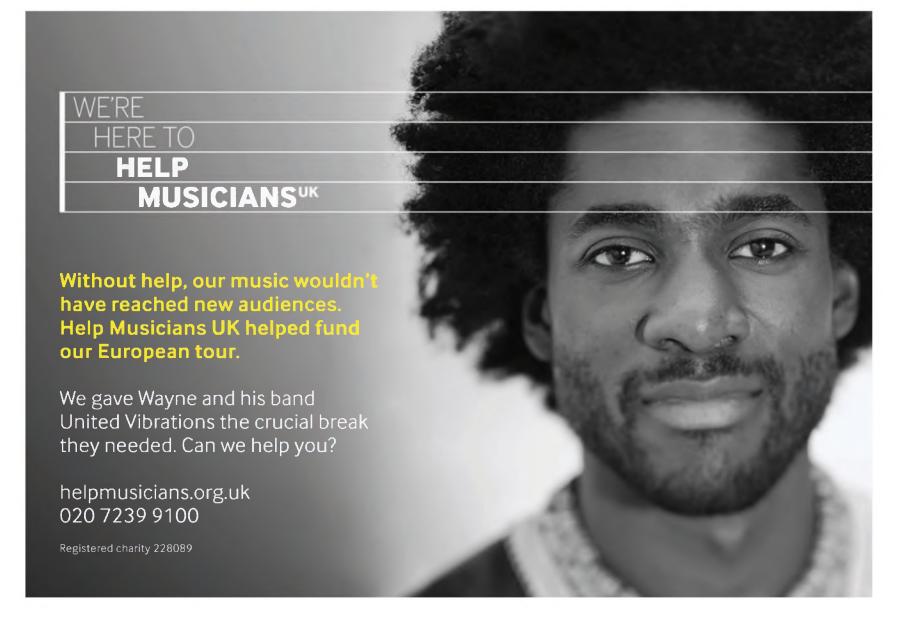
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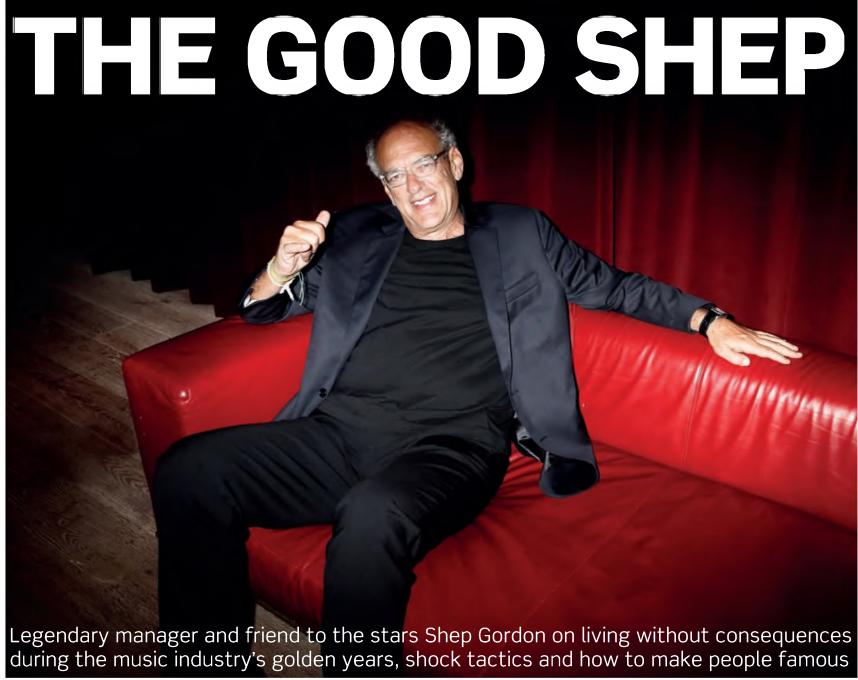
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plans in London fell through. "We needed to do it because we'd all booked the time off work. We tweeted and got a response. Very contemporary. Thank you Twitter for that one," Neller quips.

After the release date of their EP was "extended unnecessarily" due to illnesses, it seems the band are eager to not disappear again. "It took a while longer than we'd hoped, but now we've done it once, we're finding it far easier to get back into the swing of things," says Neller. "We've already got a bit of a backlog that we're waiting to record and release."



THE BIG INTERVIEW SHEP GORDON



MANAGEMENT

■ BY TOM PAKINKIS

obody told Shep Gordon that nice guys are supposed to finish last.

Having begun his glittering career in show business as a music manager in the 1960s, Gordon has built a reputation as both the architect

show business as a music manager in the 1960s, Gordon has built a reputation as both the architect of modern entertainment management and 'the nicest guy in the world' across both Hollywood and the music business.

Gordon stepped into the music industry during the iconic era of sex, drugs and rock 'n' roll - and the story of his first break is nothing if not fitting. After getting fired on his first day as a juvenile hall guard, Gordon drove to a motel in LA where he happened upon Jimi Hendrix, Janis Joplin and Jim Morrison. He starting supplying their pot.

Hendrix told Gordon that he should be a manager and it just so happened that he knew someone who needed one – a young chap called Alice Cooper. The pair met and it wasn't long before Gordon was concocting PR stunts that would cause a stir for the future figurehead of theatrical anarchy.

"The essence of Alice was rebellion," Gordon

"When I started, it was all drug dealers and misfits. Nobody legitimate would come to the music business!"

SHEP GORDON

explains. "He was a man called Alice at a time when nobody did that, songs like I'm Eighteen or School's Out were songs of rebellion, like My Generation. It seemed like the best way to get that across was through shock techniques that would be identified as truly rebellious. Things like using a snake on stage, putting a billboard in Piccadilly Circus of him naked with a snake covering his genitalia."

Far from cheap tricks to gain column inches, Gordon's approach had more tangible impact throughout Cooper's career. When the wouldbe rock star arrived in London as an unknown, ticket sales for his Wembley Arena concert were floundering. Shep's naked billboard – on the side of a hired truck that 'broke down' in the centre of the capital – sparked a national scandal that piqued the interest of anybody who considered themselves part of the antidote to the stiff British reserve. Wembley sold out.

Supermensch: Music and film stars alike consider Shep Gordon the entertainment

manager

archetype

Now, Alice Cooper is the only musician that Gordon still represents ("He's like a body part. I'd have to amputate") but the legendary manager's music industry exploits have been immortalised in Supermensch: The Legend Of Shep Gordon, a Mike Myers-directed documentary about his life, which premiered in the UK earlier this month.

It's not the first time the pair have worked together. Myers and Gordon met on the set of Wayne's World (in one scene, Myers kneels to worship before Alice Cooper) and became friends. Still, Gordon rejected the actor's pleas to make his directoral debut with an homage to the supermanager for almost a decade. Not one for the limelight himself, Gordon says; "There's nothing about fame that I've ever seen that's healthy."

But as much as Supermensch is a celebration of an outstanding career, it's also a tribute to a certain school of music business that is hard to find in the industry today.

Would you say that you were a music manager during the golden years?

I call them the years without consequences, because none of us thought about consequences. When you see the headline 'Sex, Drugs and Rock 'n' Roll' it sounds so scary in some way. But with sex there

THE BIG INTERVIEW SHEP GORDON

were no consequences – if you think about sex now AIDS is the first thing that pops into your head with promiscuity, but that didn't exist. Drugs were new; psychedelics were brand new, I grew up in a middle class neighbourhood where nobody had heard of marijuana. Maybe the jazz community had heard of it but in the pop world, certainly, hard drugs were unknown. There was a time when we all started experimenting with psychedelics and marijuana, some people went to heroin and cocaine, but none of us had any history of people being damaged from it. That to me was the magic of the time – there was no sense of danger, it was all joy and creativity.

Do you think that applied to the business as well? Yeah, very much so.

Because you got into the business simply by deciding that you could be a music manager.... Absolutely. There was no music business back then. The first time Alice [Cooper] came to Wembley I think the ticket was £1.50. The first time he played Madison Square Garden the tickets were \$2. There was no money, nobody was in limousines, nothing was formalised. If you went and played a show you didn't bring your lights and sound [equipment], people supplied something. It was very off the cuff and a different time. In the same way that there weren't any consequences with drugs and sex, the business was more just going over to someone's house and doing something.

When the Eighties came around it started to become a real business. Albums like Frampton Comes Alive sold millions of copies and the economy of scale changed for records. Now all of a sudden it was millions and billions worldwide. Ticket prices started to rise – in the Eighties they went to \$10 or \$15 – merchandise came onto the scene – nobody had ever sold T-shirts at a concert – so money started to emerge. Whenever there's money people come in, so you started to see accountants and Harvard MBAs working in the business. When I started it was drug dealers and misfits. Nobody legitimate would come to the music business!

It seems there are a few right at the top of the industry who are quite happy to say they blagged their way into the industry at an early age...

Because there was no [music business] school. Still today, if you have a son or a daughter who wants to become a cinematographer, a journalist, an accountant, you can send them to a school. If they want to become a manager there is no course.

Could you do it the way you did it these days? I think they all do. I don't know the new guys well but they all seem to be who I was. You don't find someone who ran General Electric who then decides to start a management company. Irving Azoff was exactly like I am and when I see young guys come in it's basically the same thing, again because there's no schooling or training. Some managers are great with money, some are horrible with money, some are great creatively, some of them aren't. I think [managers] are mostly hustlers.

How have the record companies changed in your eyes over the years?

I think for me, what's gotten lost, and is the most important thing, is that the record companies now tend to think only in terms of product. With the



AROVE
Sex, drugs
and rock 'n'
roll: Gordon
made Alice
Cooper his first
management
client after
the two were
introduced by
Jimi Hendrix

"With the old record companies, when you delivered a weak record, that's when they supported you the most because they understood it was about the artist" SHEP GORDON

old record companies that were the cornerstone of the industry, when you delivered a weak record, that's when they supported you the most because they understood it was about an artist not a song. Now the artist is a lost item — if you talk to them about an artist they don't want to know. You don't get those long-term careers, you get song careers where you have a hit manufactured song and it's very rare that you come across a new artist that's really been promoted as an artist rather than a record phenomenon.

What would happen if a young Alice Cooper was starting today?

You see people like Lady Gaga get through, so I think you can use the same kind of creativity, but it depends so much more on the manager and the artist and PR person. Very rarely does it appear to me that the record companies are in the equation. They just release the records, whereas they used to take a real steering role.

When I first came to England, the first person I met at the record company was Derek Taylor, who was the publicist for The Beatles. He had that kind of vision. He didn't ask you what the next single was, he talked about what you planned on doing next and where your career was going, what's the essence of the artist and how do we translate that to the public?

And there are more ways for people to put out product themselves today, so where does the label

fit in from your perspective?

I'm not an expert, but it amazes me that the record companies allowed other people to get control of the delivery system. It blows my mind that they aren't iTunes. They've basically minimised their effect – now they're strictly middle men whereas before they were choice makers, so they could support a weak record.

You've been quoted as saying that your job is essentially to make people famous. What's been your core strategy with that and has it changed at all over the years?

No, I think it's basically the same. One of the things that I always used was what I called guilt by association – standing next to someone famous. If you picked up the Daily Mail after the World Cup final the whole of page three is about soccer but every picture is Rihanna: Rihanna with the trophy, Rihanna next to Pelé, with the match winner – next to fame. So that's one thing that still works.

I think clearly defining the essence of an artist really helps people turn from a human being into a category, and that's fame. I used to like to think that my job was to eliminate the second name. If someone had to ask 'Alice who?' I wasn't doing my job.

Do you think sex has as much shock value today as it used to?

I think it's more tongue in cheek now. In those days people actually believed us. I don't think anyone falls for it now but it still makes great press. Someone was telling me about an artist who changes her hair every few days so the paparazzi has to take new pictures, which I love, that's fantastic.

It's always been the way. Before the paparazzi it was Fleet Street. You could call Fleet Street and set up a situation that they would photograph and put out. We put Alice in a swimming pool



with a blow-up shark the week Jaws came out and the photograph went around the world. The relationship between celebrities and paparazzi is very symbiotic.

What's been your proudest moment in the music industry?

In the music industry I would say Alice getting into the Rock And Roll Hall Of Fame. It was the culmination of lots of years of effort and a big moment.

You're credited with creating the celebrity chef using tactics from the world of rock and roll...

It's basically all the same. Think about the life of a Jamie Oliver: one of the things that is hard for an artist to accept if they have a long career is that they have to play their hits. If you're on your twelfth album and you have a No.1 record like Eighteen you have to play it for your audience. After you play it 20,000 times it can get a little boring but that's your job. As a chef it's the same thing: if you're Jamie Oliver and you have a dish at your restaurant that you love then you have to keep making that dish. At the same time both Alice and Jamie have to keep creating new songs and new dishes to keep their audience with them. So creatively they're on the same page. If Jamie does a new cook book he goes on tour and does signings, Alice goes on tour and does signings at record stores, they're on the same TV shows BBC Breakfast will have Jamie one day and Alice the next. It's really the same, it's just that nobody thought of chefs as celebrities, they thought of them as cooks. Once you realise they are the same [as music stars] you can apply the same rules.

Who have you developed a lot of respect for on the music industry side over the years?

Starting with the early ones I would say The Stones'

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manager Andrew Oldham, I've always respected Irving Azoff... When people ask me who was the best manager in my generation I always say Freddy DeMann, who managed The Jackson 5 and Michael Jackson.

What made him stand out for you?

He just did the best job. He worked on very few artists at a time – he did Shakira, Madonna, brought Lionel Ritchie back, his work with Michael Jackson was incredible. He did everything clean, didn't leave blood, fought hard for his artists and took them to a mega level. He only did a few but those that he did he took to such a remarkable level. Albert Grossman, in America, was a great manager.

I haven't met many of the young generation but I hear there are a lot of them out there that are really good.

You have a reputation of being the nicest guy in the industry, hence the name of the film. A lot of people would suggest that doesn't really go together with a cut throat industry...

Yeah, I don't agree with that. I think it's difficult to stay nice in all commerce, I think the entertainment industry gets so much attention because everyone wants to be near famous people, so it gets more heat. But if you look at Wall Street it's probably a lot uglier than the music business.

Which artists did you find it more difficult to work

with and why?

I was very lucky I never had really difficult artists. Luther Vandross was the biggest perfectionist I worked with and that's always difficult for people behind the scenes. I would say he was difficult but not because of him, because of the way he envisioned his art.

I didn't sign contracts with most of my artists and if we had a bad time they could just leave. It worked on a trust level and it worked well. It eliminated that thing where artists are saying they have a contract they can't get away from, "I'm suing him, he's suing me..." It got rid of all of that. I didn't have resentment for my artists and I didn't work with them at a time when they didn't like me because if they didn't then they could just leave. If artists asked me to do things that I didn't want to do I just stopped managing them.

Do you think the industry has benefited from a bit more bureaucracy compared to when you started? I think there are parts of it that have, but overall no. I think overall it really seems to miss the iconic people in the business who were mavericks: David Geffen, Jerry Wexler, Ahmet Ertegun, Jac Holzman, Jerry Moss – these were all people who were willing to fail and that's one of the most important things in discovering artists and helping careers. I think with the corporate, bureaucratic people that have come in there's no room for failure and that eliminates the chance of success in many places.

What would you say has been your biggest failure? There were so many! After the billboard truck [for Alice Cooper in Piccadilly Circus] we came back to London the next year and wanted to do something even more rebellious, that would be more

even more rebellious, that would be more obnoxious and get even more press. Somebody told me that a balloon had gone up a couple of years ago into the flight corridors of the planes leaving Heathrow and a fighter jet was sent by the RAF to shoot it down. So I called Disney, ordered a big balloon of Alice and rented a barge and a riverside suite at the Savoy Hotel with big glass windows. I got all these journalists in and had the barge come up the river. The intention was to blow the balloon up, call the police and the airport and hopefully get fighter jets to shoot it down while all the journalists were watching.

The barge came and you could see the balloon and that it's Alice's face. Everyone in the room started to get excited. And then as it started to go up the nose dipped and it just plopped into the Thames. It was a complete failure! We got more space on the failure than we would have if it had gone up! It was hysterical.

You just manage Alice Cooper now as far as music is concerned. What made you scale that part of your life down?

I just woke up one day about 12 years ago and felt that was it. I had done it and I wanted to go and find my own life having managed so many other lives. I resigned from everybody in one day except for Alice. I zipped up the office and moved to Maui.

Can you see yourself ever returning to music in a higger way?

No. Except with Alice and projects related to him. I have one that we'll hopefully be able to talk about soon but everything I do [in music] is through him.

ABOVE
Then and now:
Gordon with
the poster
for the Mike
Myers directed
Supermensch:
The Legend Of

Shep Gordon

INTERVIEW BARRY HOGAN

'PROMOTING IS A THANKLESS TASK'

Barry Hogan of All Tomorrow's Parties knows a lot about the tumultuous world of promoting. In June 2012, his company went into liquidation after 13 years of hosting live events. He's since restructured ATP, slimmed down its offering and launched new ventures. Is it back on track?

LIVE

■ BY RHIAN JONES

amed after a Velvet Underground track, birthed by Belle & Sebastian, and with Mogwai as its first headliner, All Tomorrow's Parties was the quintessential indie festival with impeccable credentials and a string of super cool curators. Unfortunately, in June 2012, it came to an all-too-indie end and went into liquidation.

By then the promoter had staged 30 festivals in out of season UK holiday camps, set-up a record label, expanded into the US and launched I'll Be Your Mirror (essentially ATP minus camping). But thanks to a "six figure sum" spent on its launch in America, dwindling ticket sales and a U-turn from MAMA Group over a 50% buyout of the company, ATP built up a reported debt of £2.6 million.

However, founder Barry Hogan and business partner Deborah Higgins founded a new company -Willwal Ltd, have since purchased all ATP brand names from liquidators and split its record label, overseas entities and UK events arm into multiple hubs - ATP Festivals, ATP Recordings and ATP Shows.

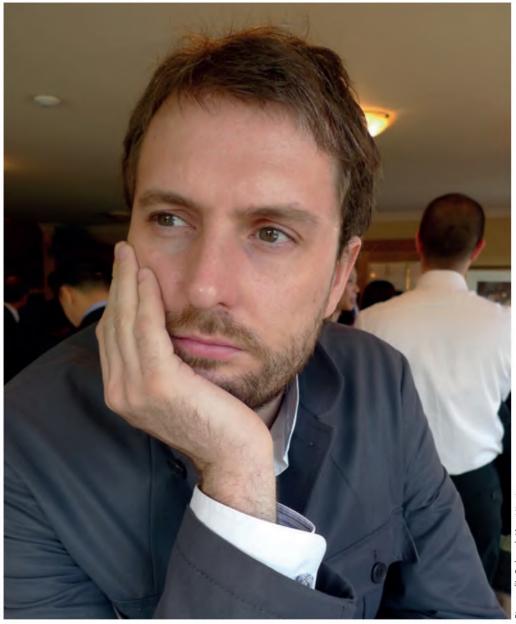
While the holiday camp festivals are no more, Hogan has recently launched Jabberwocky Festival in partnership with Pitchfork and Primavera, as well as a live event in Iceland, and is considering new ventures in Australia and New York in 2015. Taking place on August 15-16 at London's ExCel Centre, Jabberwocky encompasses arts, film and music. Names on the line-up include Neutral Milk Hotel, James Blake, Darkside and Caribou. With around 16,000 tickets sold for the two days, ATP's future seems bright, even if it is still having to answer questions about its darkest hour...

Stool Pigeon did a pretty detailed report back in 2013 investigating your liquidation. It claimed ATP owed money to 63 companies and was taken to court five times by creditors in 2012, how correct was that article?

There are a lot of inaccuracies in there. They were saying that we owed Butlins money but we didn't. It was also just totally unnecessary. A promoter losing money is like saying a butcher serves pork. Or course we lose money. When you put a show on for 2,000 people and only 1,100 show up - who pays for the 900? The promoter does. It's like going to the races. It's really stressful because when a show goes wrong, no matter what happens, the promoter always gets the blame. It's a thankless task; I don't know why I do it!

We liquidated and then started again but took all the people that we needed to take across - the bands and suppliers that had been loyal. Some aspects of the business do really well, it's more the overseas

RIGHT Party Planner: Barry Hogan founded All Tomorrow's Parties in 1999. Its first weekender took place in Pontins Holiday Camp, Camber Sands, with a line-up that was curated by Belle & Sebastian



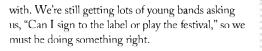
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stuff that affected where we were, that's why it had to be liquidated because everything was getting dragged down into one pit. By splitting it up, it's a much more workable thing. It's kind of like if you buy a music system with tape decks, a tuner, record player and CD player - if one of them breaks, the whole thing is gone. Now we've just got separates.

Are you still in debt today?

Some of the festival's debt in dispute went with the liquidation, anything that was outstanding to artists or co-suppliers we took across but have since paid off. The London concerts are doing very well, the record label does very well, some of the festivals and our overseas entities have lost money but we're fine on everything else. We got ourselves into a precarious position but we're in the process of rebuilding [the company]. We've still got a really good fanbase, we work with 90% of the bands that we've always worked





If it's so stressful, why do you do it?

I've been doing it so long now I don't know what else to do! The reason we pull our hair out is because we care. We only put on bands we like, which is going to be detrimental to certain things. We were offered Snow Patrol before they blew up and I was like, "I don't want to work with them, that band are bullshit," perhaps if we had them then we could have paid a lot of phone bills but I want to keep the true integrity of what we set out to do. If we ran it into the ground and ran out of money then so be it, but at least we could say we did something we loved rather than, "Yeah, let's try and make some money quick".

And how about the MAMA deal, why didn't that go through?

They made us an offer to buy half of ATP and it seemed like an attractive offer at the time. So they were courting us and then they said they wanted to make an announcement that they'd bought 50% of ATP and we were like, "Well let's do the deal first," and they said, "No, you need to show commitment" and then announced it in October 2012. When we asked them to put the money in, they kept moving the goalposts and changing the deal to the point where it was unworkable. There was a point where we needed a financial injection, which we thought was coming for six months, and it put us in a really had position. When Audience Magazine or Live UK writes a story about ATP, they always say we are owned by the MAMA Group - we're not owned by the MAMA Group, nobody owns us.

You've notoriously shied away from sponsors in the past. In hindsight, do you wish you'd been more open to getting brands on board?

Not really. I wanted it to be about the music rather than being about a brand taking over. There are lots of events that have sponsorship and it works well for them but I feel like ATP didn't need to then. Now it does. For Jabberwocky,

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and I'm feeling dirty saying this, we are engaging sponsors but we want it to be tasteful. There's no point getting 'Budweiser Presents' or being 'All Tomorrow's Fanta Parties'. Naming rights take away from the events.

Who have you got involved?

There are two beer sponsors that are fighting it out, and we're talking to people like Vans. These are also people that Pitchfork work with in Paris, Pitchfork love sponsorship but they do it well and so do Primavera. They don't pick like...Topshop or Topman. We've been contacted by Topman but I don't actually know anyone that shops there. They wanted to bring a van down and show off their clothes at Camber Sands. Can you imagine how tragic that would be?

You've said your dire festival ticket sales were a factor in the decision to go into liquidation, why did your events lose favour with fans?

I guess there could be the argument that we did too many festivals. We were doing four a year but we were selling the tickets so we just kept going with the market. There is also the argument that people were given too much choice, why would you go to Minehead or Camber Sands rather than Barcelona, Glastonbury or Italy? Minehead when it rains is pretty grim...it's pretty grim when it's sunny! I don't know if we were riding the crest of a wave or whether people had lost interest but I noticed the numbers decreasing to a point where I was like, "Why don't we just stop doing the holiday camps and we'll start some new ideas?" We're looking at taking Jabberwocky overseas next.



Indie Darlings:
US band Neutral
Milk Hotel (left)
will headline
ATP's upcoming
Jabberwocky
Festival, taking
place on
August 15 and
16. Electronic
two-piece Fuck
Buttons (right)
are one of ATP
Recordings'
biggest

successes

At Primavera Pro in Barcelona, you spoke about rising artist booking fees...

Yeah, because artists see the festival being successful, they start comparing us to the likes of Bestival, End Of The Road or Field Day, which have much bigger capacities so they are able to pay more money. They expect little old ATP to match it, which is tough, but then if the curator wants that act you have to sometimes bend your budget out of shape to make it work.

What's the most you've ever paid for an act? Maybe \$250,000, I'm not saying who it was for. The biggest waste of money we ever paid was when we were coaxed into booking Frank Ocean for an American ATP - we paid an obscene amount of money, not far off what I just told you. Greg Dulli from The Afghan Whigs was curating and his manager said they had to get Frank Ocean. I was like, "I don't know if it's right for what we do." It was a nightmare from start to finish. He's all about cash and not about performance; he didn't want to be there.

You launched ATP Recordings in 2001, what was the thinking behind that?

We started it to release compilations that promote the festival. After a while we kept getting these really great bands saying, "Will you put my record out" and it just built from there. We only really sign bands whose music we love – whether they are going to sell 500 or 100,000 album copies. We want to do well and make money but that's not our main goal. We've just signed two new bands – Vision Fortune and Young Husbands. They are acts from London that are just really amazing. It was the same with Fuck Buttons - we put them out and now they sell 40,000 records worldwide, which in this day and age is not bad.

Final question: what would you change about the music industry and why?

The way the deals are proportioned between the artist and the promoter is unfair. 85% goes to the artist and 15% to the promoter but the promoter takes all the risk. Maybe if the percentages weren't as high there wouldn't be so many [of us] struggling.

PROFILE RIXTON

BREAKING THE BOUNDARIES

The Manchester four-piece managed to break the US before they'd even scratched the UK, but they're finally making strides on their home territory, starting with a No.1 debut single



TALENT

■ BY CORAL WILLIAMSON

hey might have started out in a caravan, but since a trip to the US with some choice radio play spelled success for them, it seems there's no stopping Rixton. The Manchester band have just announced their biggest UK tour to date, covering 13 cities in October and November; before that, they're in the States for a sold-out tour across the country. Having first formed under the name Relics four years ago, things are finally beginning to pick up speed for the four-piece.

Their upcoming tours are a far cry from playing the pub circuit in small towns at the beginning of their career. "Me and my brother started our little band and got a few mutual friends in it," lead singer Jake Roche tells Music Week. "One of them was Danny [Wilkin, keys and bass]. We were just a

The boys in the band: [L-R] Charley Bagnall, Jake Roche, Lewi Morgan and Danny

"We thought if you get a glimmer of hope, a little pocket you can fall into and a slight chance of breaking America, you should go for it. So we did, and it slowly started to pay off" **JAKE ROCHE, LEAD SINGER**

covers band doing pubs and clubs around Blackpool.

"Danny and I wanted to take it more seriously, start focusing on our own songs. The band didn't want to do that so we left and did our own thing. I moved in with Danny and within a week we got kicked out of his parent's house, so we had to live in the family caravan in the back garden. We had a kind of home studio set-up in this caravan."

Guitarist Charley Bagnall, meanwhile, joined after being in previous outfits. Lewi Morgan

[drums] got involved after chatting up Roche's girlfriend on a night out. "He tried speaking to my girlfriend and adding her on Facebook and stuff," Roche explains. "I went through his pictures, as you do, saw he played drums, so I got rid of her and got him in. This was four years ago now."

The pop/R&B band's first goal was to "hone in" on their sound before any label or manager got involved: "That's how the early covers came about on YouTube. We made it clear to whoever was going to sign us that we have our own sound. We've been given a lot of free reign which is brilliant - and rare, for a band first starting out."

Once their sound was ready, all that was left was for a well-known manager to come knocking. Someone like Scooter Braun, also known as pop star Justin Bieber's manager. "Signing with him opened a few doors for us," says Bagnall. Through one of those doors was producer Benny



Blanco, who worked on the band's debut album.

"Benny heard [Scooter Braun] had signed us and saw all our YouTube videos. He really wanted to work with a band like us, who do that kind of pop/R&B/rock style. He enjoyed our sound, got in touch with Scooter and said he wanted to work with us and do the whole album," Bagnall explains.

"[Benny Blanco] had a hand on everything we did on the album. It's the first full album he's ever done - he's always done singles, which are always absolute smashes. For us, that's unbelievable.

"We went into the studio in New York and he listened to all of our old stuff. There were songs we'd written five years ago in Danny's caravan. He had a big hand in bringing in some great writers for us. He was like a fifth member.

"We spent two months in New York and experimented with loads of sounds. We'd dreamed of working with him, and it was unreal that he wanted to do the whole album."

Three tracks on their upcoming album are older tunes written four years ago, including an acapella number which opens the record. One of the last songs to be recorded was Me And My Broken Heart, the debut single that's catapulted the band to fame.

Bagnall explains: "It was written by Wayne Hector and Benny Blanco. They showed it to us when we were in New York and we just knew it was right for us. It was a bit last minute - it wasn't meant to be our first single. We had another single with a video ready and everything."

We'll never know what could have happened if they led with the originally planned first single, but for all involved it seems the switch has paid off.

"The single got into the hands of Ryan Seacrest in LA, he's a big DJ out there and started playing it on his show. Then it got played in New York and just started spreading," Bagnall says. "We went out for one interview and were there for four

"We made it clear to whoever was going to sign us that we have our own sound." CHARLEY BAGNALL, GUITARIST

months! It all spiralled out of control a little bit and we ended up doing The Voice and Ellen."

Adds Roche: "We thought if you get a glimmer of hope, a little pocket you can fall into and a slight chance of breaking America, you should go for it. So we did, and it slowly started to pay off. We did miss home a lot though."

Hopefully the band won't suffer from homesickness while on their tour across the pond. Roche picks its sell-out as one of his personal highlights on their journey so far. "We had to add dates due to ticket demand. It was so strange and surreal."

Showing just how far they've come in such a short time, he says: "The TV shows in America were insane, but I think turning up to gigs and having everything set up for you - we have tech people now - that's something we'll never understand.

"When we first started out, it was us setting up the guitars, getting the drums out of the van, packing up afterwards."

The band clearly haven't forgotten their roots, and Bagnall suggests that returning to the UK might be more special after their experiences in the US: "We always did the club circuit, small bars and pubs. Then we went to America and Scooter asked us: 'Can you open for Justin Bieber tomorrow?' A concert in Brooklyn for 24,000 people.

"We had to make sure he knew we'd been doing 200-capacity venues. It's nice to play the UK because the venues we're doing are more intimate. It feels good to get back in the small ones and connect with our fans."

The Broken Heart that broke the US: Cover artwork for the band's debut single, Me And My Broken Heart

'THIS IS ONLY THE BEGINNING'



Polydor's president Ferdy Unger-Hamilton (pictured) on Rixton's success so far and how a worldwide strategy has catapulted them to stardom:

"Rixton were, in short,

the complete package. When Benny Blanco played me their songs I flipped. When I saw them play live and met the guys, I knew that I had something really special.

"Me And My Broken Heart has only been out one and a half weeks but its first week took it to No.1 seeing 65,000 sales.

"Scooter, Interscope, and Benny's team were sure of two things: that Rixton were to be a huge global success and that the UK is an incredibly important market, so we set out a six month plan from the offset in conjunction with the US who in the end went to radio before us.

"People at radio stations were all really excited from the beginning but when they saw the record explode in the US this obviously helped.

"The music the band has is, as you would expect from Benny and his team, truly fantastic. It really feels to me like this is only the beginning."

CROSSING THE CHANNEL

Scooter Braun, founder of SB Projects, and Joey Swarbrick, director of Woof Music, share their transatlantic views as Rixton's management in the US and the UK respectively:



SB: I became interested in Rixton after seeing a few of their covers on YouTube. Their sound was amazing and the style of their music, even on covers, was very unique so I decided to meet with them on

a trip to London. After meeting them, and seeing that these guys were not only extremely talented musicians but also incredibly charismatic and funny, I was sold. This album is really something special. It is the first album executive produced by Benny Blanco and is stacked with hits. The quality of music combined with the level of talent of these boys should result in many more No.1 records and set Rixton up to be an arena act with longevity. That is my goal for them.



JS: The incredible work done in America by the boys and the team set things up brilliantly for the UK. The guys are British so it was an unorthodox way to do things, but with the heat

starting in America it made sense to begin there. We knew we had a brilliant band with huge records but having the seal of approval from across the pond helped our UK story. It's hard to say [how it would have been different starting in the UK], but our ambition is worldwide so there was always going to be a huge amount of air miles for the guys to collect! American radio is a much slower build than in the UK so it worked out well that we started there first.

PROFILE SHOOT MUSIC

THE SPORTING LIFE

In the six years it has operated, Shoot Music has mastered the art of bringing together music rights-holders with major sporting occasions to create great opportunities for both



SYNC

■ BY TIM INGHAM AND TOM PAKINKIS

he past couple of years alone have affirmed just how effective sport can be in bringing people together on a global scale – it's a quality that is perhaps only rivaled by the power of music

The sporting world has always been an international platform and one that the music industry has been keen to exploit. From World Cup ad syncs to Superbowl performances, both music and sport have a history of coming together in highly successful and mutually beneficial partnerships.

One company that has been instrumental in helping music rights-holders and the sports businesses come together to forge effective relationships is Shoot Music, which has been managing artist campaigns in the sports market for more than six years.

Having worked with countless acts including Elbow, Deadmau5, Maverick Sabre, Paul McCartney and Robbie Williams, Shoot Music has brokered big deals with major sporting teams, competitions and broadcasters.

We sat down with Shoot director Tom Roberts to find out what kind of sporting opportunities are available for music rights-holders today and how best to grab them.

What makes Shoot so unique in this sports and music field?

Shoot was designed and created by working with sport media and sport organisations. We built the business based on feedback from the sport industry over a number of months, an industry that found The beautiful game: Shoot Music has managed artist campaigns with a range of sports organisations including The

the music business a confusing and archaic world to understand. The fact that there are two copyrights in music, and various societies and roles across an expansive creative area, certainly makes it a complicated and intimidating place to play for those from a scientific industry like sport.

As a result, we were on an 'educational drive' for much of the company's early phase, explaining how our industry makes records, creates awareness of our product, develops loyalty from fans, etc - in short, all the basics to the business. We quickly developed a strong ecosystem through which we drive powerful promotional results. It is these grassroots relationships that have defined Shoot as a unique business. Our connections with organisations such as The Football League, talkSPORT and Sky Sports digital media have deep roots going back to this early period, and in many cases we have created media space for music that didn't exist before, such as the Football365.com music section, Music365, and talkSPORT artist promotions. We have also developed a brand promo system that Sport TV and radio producers trust as a filter to the best and most appropriate music for their soundbeds and montages, all based on this early foundation building for the business back at the start.

Our clients know that we can use these relationships to develop promotional strategies through media, which did not exist pre-Shoot, and continue to evolve through Shoot now.

The business is also unique for it's foundations within the music business. When you start up and have the likes of Big Brother (Ignition), Fiction, Infectious, Parlophone, [PIAS] backing your concept, you have a real energy and fuel to progress. We are certainly a creation of the music business' desire to work with sport as much as we

are a creation of the sport industries desire to work with music. I like to think of it as a bridge - we have built this amazing structure between the two industries.

What potential is there for music companies to find audiences through UK sport, and are people currently missing out?

Football clubs boast huge loyal audiences, sport media has tremendous reach and sport generally is frontage/top story news nowadays - sports stars are the new rock stars in a sense. Through music use, creative artist promotions and placement of product, there is huge potential for music companies to reach more eyes and ears. The positive association with sport brings its own key values to artist campaigns too.

It's the new areas of music that really have a big part to play though, those brought about via the digital revolution. Streaming services particularly. Music accompanies spectator sports and personal sports like running - soundtracking the sports fan lifestyle is potentially an area that consumes more music than any other.

We don't just work the commercial end of town, we also work with skate parks and extreme sports where there's a younger generation. Many in this market don't know what radio is or have little desire to watch live TV. This is our newest area, but probably the one with the most potential for those who are looking to reach a young crowd. On demand media is a huge growth area, and there are lots of opportunities to create new media space.

Can you give us a brief history of Shoot? How did you end up specialising in this field?

The signs and re-occurring daydreams were there for several years, sometimes it's only when you

look back that you can join the dots. I spent several years running club promotion campaigns for Oasis, Kasabian, Muse, The Killers, Robbie Williams... stadium acts. Oasis was probably the call to action though. Touring the UK's football stadiums with the band over several years sowed the seeds and market research for the idea. DJ'ing from Wembley Stadium's stage and seeing their audience face-to-face... their crowd were football fans. This was an area that needed to be worked and, apart from Soccer AM, what real promotions existed in this area? In 2008 I went for it!

How have your sports partners grown closer to music over the years?

In some capacity, most sport media partners have grown closer to music during our reign. Be it talkSPORT, who now use music throughout every show, or The Football League, who this year went as far as allowing every single song at Wembley's League Cup Final to be a new release. The FA had an 'anthem' for 2014's tournament - Reverend & The Makers Shine The Light. Stadiums use more music than ever before, which is reflected in the higher licence fees PRS/PPL are now achieving with the area.

Should the music industry get over the idea that anyone involved with football has to be 'lad indie'? Yes! A large percentage of soundbed use we place is now for dance acts. Classical/orchestral music plays a big part in events and TV montages. In the past four years we have enjoyed an epic journey with Olly Murs, who last year became an official ambassador for the FA.

Recent campaigns for Tinie Tempah, Meridian Dan, Deadmau5, Foxes, Eminem, Chromeo, Foster The People, John Newman, Parov Stelar, Lethal Bizzle and Disclosure prove the diversity in the music use in this area further.

The teams at Wembley's recent cup final walked out to Foxes Let Go For Tonight. There's pretty much a place for everyone, such is the scale of sports available to us, and that's really down to the developing relationship we have enjoyed with the sport market.

How much of an opportunity was this year's World Cup for you?

We had the pleasure of representing Fatboy Slim's Bem Brazil project, which kicked the World Cup party off early for us playing host to England's first Wembley Stadium friendly against Denmark back in March 2014. Norman then went on to take part in a whole host of unique World Cup promotions,



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TOM ROBERTS, SHOOT MUSIC

from taking part in Gary Lineker's BBC1 Brazil preview show, to hanging out with FIFA.

Several of our acts were supported by FIFA's official media, talking about the World Cup and their teams' chances in advance of the tournament, whilst we had a number of online partners interviewing and supporting our releases throughout. We also enjoyed a number of great sync spots for our acts, including ALT J's new single soundtracking England on ITV, XL's brilliant new band Jungle enjoying a number of spots and our Brazil-focused albums from Fatboy Slim and Gilles Peterson eating up a bit of air time too.

What is it about sports PR/media that means it dominates newspapers etc. in a way that music can only be envious of?

Sport is the nation's obsession - and it's our obsession to soundtrack that. Sport is tribal, which is something I feel the music industry has lost to an extent. As music genres blur and artists and music media try to appeal to the broadest audience possible, we have lost the attitude and icon production line that served music so well in the past. What happened to the punks, goths, rockers and the ravers? Sport is producing icons and personalities and this is what hits the headlines.

What sort of partners are you keen to work with in the coming years from the music side?

It's stark how much music plays a role with sport events. Our stadium music and sport music news site Shoot Matchday are all about taking this area forwards, direct to consumers. We want the music industry to soundtrack the lives of sports fans and break artists through this environment. Key partnerships for us are therefore streaming services and track recognition. We're looking for the right streaming service to work with and we already actively work with Shazam to ensure they have all our music being used in the sport area each week. Also, surely it's time for a quality weekend TV show that combines the two areas of music and sport equally? Any BBC Bosses reading this, give us a call...Working title is Shoot Music!

GLOBE-TROTTING: SHOOT'S AMBITION TO CREATE A WORLD OF OPPORTUNITY



Shoot Music launched its Berlin office last year as part of a joint venture with German PR company Verstaerker. The move allowed the company to create promotional opportunities between UK and German parties, as well as providing a platform for domestic German acts looking to work on international projects.

"In the 2013/14 season we established a strong connection with sport clubs and stadia across Bundesliga 1-4, basketball, ice-hockey and handball," says Verstaerker co-owner Carsten Sticker (pictured, left, with co-owner Sven Staedtler).

"We work with most of the relevant sports clubs like Bayern Munich, Borussia Dortmund, Schalke 04, as well as the games of the DFB national teams. We also deliver interview and video-content to various sports media, such as Sport 1, Sport1.fm, Spox.de, 11Freunde.de, as well as our self-produced video format 'Stadion Rock'.

"Our focus for the next season lies in intensifying our relationship with sports media and developing new formats in which musicians talk about their love of sports and, vice versa, sports stars present their favourite music."

During the World Cup this year, music from Shoot Music Germany was played to up to 800,000 viewers during public screenings across German cities, right up to the final.

"It's our priority to get things right in Germany first but we are already building other territories and will have news on this soon," says Shoot director Tom Roberts. "We also have a full promotion service available for Ireland, working with the Irish Premier League clubs, Irish domestic sports and media."



PROFILE INTERPOL

'WE UNDERSTAND THE ODDS OF THIS INDUSTRY'

Interpol have produced a critically acclaimed body of work since the release of their first album in 2002. Following the departure of bassist Carlos Dengler and a brief period of withdrawal from the limelight, they're on tour again with a new album out in September

TALENT

■ BY MURRAY STASSEN

ew York City gloom-rockers Interpol have certainly come a long way since their muchadmired 2002 debut Turn On The Bright Lights. They gigged for several years before that release, building a solid fan base along the way. Then in 2001, a John Peel session proved to be the decisive performance that would help launch their prolific career.

The band are dropping their fifth studio album in September after more than 15 years of selling their signature brand of melancholic, 'revived post-punk', which has led to bouts of relentless touring, incessant comparisons with Joy Division and a brief stint on Capitol Records.

The new album is titled El Pintor - an anagram for Interpol - meaning 'the painter' in Spanish. It will be released through Matador in America on September 9 and via [PIAS] Co-Operative in all other territories the day before that.

"It's an exciting time to be in business with Interpol," says the band's manager at Red Light, James Sandon. "The artistic and commercial depth in the album gives us justified reason for optimism. The band has delivered the record I believe many have been hoping for."

Jason Rackham, MD of [PIAS] Co-Operative, echoes Sandon's certainty: "I think they produced quite a direct sounding record and the reaction we're getting from people is that it harks back to their first two records' sound and sonic palate."

Rackham continues: "They're hitting a number of key European markets a good few months ahead of the release, which is giving them the opportunity to play some new tracks from the record at the same time as looking after promo for us on a multi-territory basis, which I think is going to have a significant impact on the launch of the record."

Interpol's live comeback has been met with mixed reviews so far. *The Guardian* referred to the band's NME Awards Tour appearance in March as a "grudging handshake between two institutions who have each known better days". However, their Glastonbury performance proved they're still in demand, attracting mudcovered punters in their thousands. "Pulling one of the biggest crowds of the weekend on the Other Stage at Glastonbury was hopefully indicative of what's possible on the path ahead of us in the UK," says Sandon.

"The band enjoyed a similarly rapturous reaction on home turf headlining the Big Apple Stage at the Governor's Ball in NYC. The new material has bedded in fast."

Music Week sat down with Interpol guitarist Daniel Kessler to talk about the new album and how it feels to be back on the campaign trail.





ABOVE El Pintor: The band's new album will be released on September 8 via [PIAS] Co-Operative in the UK

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Why did you decide to release El Pintor now and what are your hopes for it?

I think we had something to say, we wanted to make a record and it felt good. I had been writing for a while and when we got together there was a good energy. But it wasn't a designated time, like, "Now." We toured a lot on the last album, we did 200 shows and then Sam [Fogarino] and Paul [Banks] did their own records. It just felt like the timing was right, so once we started getting together to work on stuff, we had

something to say. It is really that simple, I think that if you don't have anything to say, you just don't say it.

Hopes? I don't know, I hope people like it! Firstly, I think your hopes begin with you. You should hope to write songs that will please you then you hope that you are able to capture the songs as you envisioned in the studio. It sounds like a very simple feat, but its not. You can have an idea and then not be able to flush it out in the studio and that's frustrating and there's maybe a lot of lost opportunity. I really have to say that I think we made a record where I left the studio feeling no regrets and being really happy with everything.

Are you happy with the response you're getting when you play the new songs? It's hard to discern to be honest. [The fans are] obviously more enthusiastic about the songs they have a reference to, or a fondness for.

But that said, I feel like the response is good



considering it is always difficult to play new songs, or rather it's difficult for a crowd to hear songs if they don't have anything to draw on.

You recorded as a three-piece, with Paul on bass. Was that strange compared to what you're used to? It really wasn't. We didn't have that plan before we went into the studio. Paul and I got together for an initial five-day writing session in August 2012, just to see, you know? He said he's going to start playing bass maybe because he always sings to bass lines and I was like, "Cool".

Until that point we hadn't really had a plan about how we were going to go about it, whether we were going to write the bass parts last, or just write two guitars or what have you, but when he said that, I was pretty open to anything and then he proved himself to be a very, very good bassist.

Alan Moulder mixed this record at Assault & Battery in London. Why do you like working with him?

I really trust him. Obviously he's a legendary name, but sometimes when you work with people with great legacies, you don't know what you're going to get. They might be like, "Yeah I work four hours a week," or "I golf for five days a week," you know? Alan is not like that, he's super hard working, he's methodical and he's really invested. He really wants to kill it, he's really, really hungry. He takes time and patience to understand the song and to do right by it, like he feels that it's his responsibility.

It can be scary working with a mix engineer and all of sudden they come back and they've transformed your songs. We weren't looking for someone to revolutionise what we were doing, [we were looking for someone to] enhance everything we were doing, which was Alan. I knew he was the person I really wanted to work with and so I came [to London] in January and February.

You're playing a lot of shows in the UK in the run up to the release. How important has the UK been for you historically and going forward?

"We gigged around New York for almost five years and got rejected by everyone. You don't do this because you hope you'll have success. You do it because you have a deep need to"

DANIEL KESSLER, INTERPOL

Pretty much our first tour, even though it was a mini one, was in the UK. That was five dates, some of them probably better than others, but it culminated in us doing a Peel session. So from a historical Interpol standpoint it is super important. The Peel session helped us get a record deal, for sure. Also, the UK embraced us very early on. That tour was more something we did because we really wanted to tour when we were a young band.

But ultimately, even when Turn On The Bright Lights came out, there was a nice thing going on here. [The UK has] always been what I think is a loyal market to Interpol. I'ts not like we want to launch here because it'll influence the rest of the world. This is a place that supported us from very early on and we're fortunate that we have a following in multiple markets throughout the world, but the UK was like that from the beginning and it's always special when we get to come here.

You headlined the NME Awards Tour in March, what was it like being on the road together again after all these years?

It was fun. When we first talked about doing it, I was like, "Nah man, we can't do this, we'll barely be out of the studio." We finished the record and we hadn't even mastered it, then three weeks later I was on the road. I did think, "I should be on a beach right now." There wasn't as much rust as I thought there was going to be and it wasn't as frightening to play songs for the first time from a record.

The editor of *NME* said, "Interpol is one of the most important bands to come out of New

ABOVE Interpol: [L-R] Sam Fogarino, Paul Banks and Daniel Kessler York, ever." How do you feel about statements like that? Does it put pressure on you? That's a very flattering thing for anyone to say in any context. It's flattering to me when anyone says anything forthcoming about our band. I think because it took us a long time before we were offered our first record deal, we gigged around New York for almost five years and got rejected by everyone, it built up the humility and makes you do things for yourself.

You don't do this because you hope you'll have success or because people will like you. You do it because you have a deep need to do it. New York is a place that's going to challenge you. It's very expensive. Young guys are going be to pulled in many different ways and it takes a lot to stick together. Those years were very important for those kind of moments, so no, it doesn't put pressure on us.

Speaking about record deals, you switched from Matador to Capitol and then went back to Matador again. What made you switch from an indie to a major, back to an indie? I have no regrets about that. At the time it was just to not be afraid, try something different and have new opportunities. It wasn't more complicated than that.

We knew the odds in the music industry and how finicky it was and how things can change at the drop of a dime. That happened when we signed to Capitol, because soon after there was a big reshuffle at EMI. Ultimately, we still made the record we wanted to make. We made the same record whether it had been released on Capitol or on Matador. When we parted ways with them, we weren't curious about shopping around, it sort of made sense to talk to the Matador guys again and they were up for it.

You say the label you're on doesn't make a difference to the record you make, so what were the real differences for you?

Truthfully, it wasn't that different for us at the time, because we made and delivered the record the exact same way we had delivered the previous two with Matador. It wasn't like they came into the studio or anything. They understood that by working with us there would be certain practices we would follow.

If you're going to work with us there's a reason why you're working with us and its not because you can try and reshape us. After we signed with Capitol, there was a big shake up in the company and they sort of fused Virgin and Capitol together, so a lot of people that were signed on to work with us were no longer there.

So are you saying that it was difficult to forge relationships with people there?

In those sorts of situations, when someone inherits someone else's signing, it might be great or it might also be like, "I didn't sign that band." I don't really have anything negative to say about Capitol and I wasn't met with any stereotypical major label cliché moments, I really wasn't. It was probably more that the timing wasn't great in the sense that there was a gigantic shake-up at a major record label and that there's always going to be things falling through the cracks. There are no excuses anywhere. In those sorts of conditions when it's bigger than a band, when it's a gigantic corporation undergoing these big changes, its kind of hard to get paid the attention that an artistic project might dictate.

VIEWPOINT 7DIGITAL

'WE'RE ON THE VERGE OF A GOLDEN AGE FOR DIGITAL'

THE MASSES NOW HAVE MORE ACCESS TO MUSIC THAN EVER - SO WHAT'S THE NEXT STEP?

DIGITAL

■ BY BY GUNNAR LARSÉN, VP PRODUCT, 7DIGITAL

t was very interesting to read the views of the industry record label execs in *Music Week*'s recent Physical Product Roundtable, held last month [June 6 2014 edition of *Music Week*]. The overall assessment that physical media, i.e. CDs, continue to make up the majority of the market may be statistically correct. In a market, however, where change has been so rapid and radical over recent years, I think perhaps the better discussion would be not where the market is (or was), but where it is going next and then after that too.

In 2013, while revenues for the UK record industry grew by 1.9% overall, digital downloads and streaming accounted for over 50% of all music sales for the first time. This is a dramatic development and signals a seismic shift in the market. The subsequent announcement that streaming will now also be officially included in the Official UK charts, reaffirms again that the industry has recognised that the world is changing and the industry needs to accelerate to embrace it.

This rapid movement toward digital music has been facilitated by a wider cultural revolution in the way we're consuming and interacting with content generally, demonstrated most fittingly by the very device many of you will be using to read this – the smartphone. The rise of the smartphone, coupled with super-fast mobile broadband networks, mean we can consume, and in this case, listen to whatever we want, whenever we want. We live in a world characterised by an attitude of instant gratification: we want everything at our fingertips at all times. For the modern consumer, convenience is king and digital music gives us this in a way that the physical media simply can't.

The digitisation of the music industry has tapped in to this cultural revolution in a way that many technologies could only dream of. This technology gives the consumer on-demand access to literally millions of tracks at the touch of a button for just a few pounds a month, or sometimes even free if bundled with other products, as some of our B2B music platform customers do. This is something CDs and vinyl simply can't do. Likewise, digital has brought such advances in distribution and access that it has opened many consumers' ears to a world of music they just couldn't entertain in a physical media landscape.

The irony is that in a decade that has seen the music industry make so much technology progress, audio quality has actually taken a backseat, leaving much of what people to be very different from what the artists, producers, mastering engineers and managers ever intended.

There are reasons for this of course, with limited storage and network capacity for example forcing users to compress files to fit them on to their portable devices. Another factor has been that the compatible audio decoders required for



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higher quality playback are not always present on some devices. So, despite all the convenience of digital, if consumers feel they are receiving an inferior audio product they could yet hold on to CDs and vinyl to some degree. While convenience has helped propel digital to the forefront of the industry, it leaves itself prone to a backlash against the diminished sound quality consumers receive.

Thankfully, a number of these limitations - principally where audio quality is being compromised for convenience - are being addressed by handset manufacturers in combination with leaders in the digital music sector, like 7digital. The result is the devices we carry with us day-today can store thousands of songs, receive large files over-the-air and play back lossless audio. When we're out and about we can easily listen to music through quality headphones available at competitive prices. Likewise, at home, wireless streaming systems such as Sonos or Pure Jongo are enjoying explosive growth and most of these systems are today compatible with higher resolution audio files. With these barriers removed, there is no reason to let the quality of the product on offer suffer.

Japanese hi-fi giant, Onkyo, has also recently announced plans to bring its hugely successful high-resolution digital music store e-onkyo to the US and Europe in partnership with 7digital, with further plans to expand its HD music catalogue already planned.

It's our view at 7digital that we are truly on the verge of a golden age for high-quality digital music

But, what is left to do to make this a wider reality?

We're almost there; just a few small steps remain. Firstly, we need to ensure artist and label support – in other words we need to bring those who create great music together with those who develop the technology to deliver it. If artists proactively embrace the future of digital music then consumers will naturally follow. As an industry more generally, we need to create a clear value proposition for the consumer so they understand what high quality audio means to them, and the real benefits it offers. Then they will demand it and search it out. To achieve this, a clear and consistent narrative across the industry is vital.

The announcement by the Digital Entertainment Group (DEG), the Consumer Electronics Association (CEA), The Recording Academy and the three major labels on June 12 this year, where they agreed on formal definition of high-resolution audio, goes a long way toward aligning that narrative. Consensus on what high-quality audio really means is paramount and it is critical this is accurately conveyed to the consumer. Finally, and perhaps most importantly, we must continue to deliver simple experiences that just work 'out of the box'. Digital has put music in the hands of the masses and it would be a terrible shame to undo all of our hard work by making access to it too complicated.

The online world has levelled the playing field within the music industry – giving unsigned artists the opportunity to introduce their music to those they could never have dreamed of reaching just a few years ago. Subscription-based streaming models mean consumers are no longer restricted to what they can afford to buy – they can play as much music as they want for a small monthly fee, again introducing new genres and artists to millions and millions of potential fans. The final link in this democratisation is the one around quality – giving all consumers access to the highest quality audio online. We are nearly there.



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7 4	JESS GLYNNE Right Here Atlantic GBAHS1400159 (Arvato)		47 30 2	(Two Inch Punch) Sony ATV/Nzughty Words/Stellar (Smith/Psk). KOVE FT MELISSA STEEL Way We Are MIA/Virgin EMIGBUM71401391 (Arvato)			
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3 10 10	SAM SMITH Stay With Me Cupital GBUM71308833 (Arvuto) (Jimmy Napes/Fitzmaurire) Sony ATV/Naughty Words/Stellar/Universal/Saali Isaak/Method Paperwork (Smith/Napier/Phillips)		51 45 19	DUKE DUMONT FT JAX JONES Got U Blase Boys Club/Virgin EMi GBUM71306955 (Arvato) (Luke Lumont/Jones) Sony ATV/BMG Rights/CC (Duplessis/Jear/Juyment/Fluo)			
4 New	NEON JUNGLE Louder R.CA 681101400255 (Arvato) (Blackwell) Sony AIV/Peermusic (Blackwell/Argyle/Hartley)		52 52 36	KATY PERRY FT JUICY J Dark Horse Virgin USUM/1311296 (Arvato) ★ (Ortuke/Marin/Cirkut) Warner Chappel/Deekta/Italians Dot is Better/Kass Money/MXM/Nobalt/Onemology/Prescription/When I'm Rich (Perry/vanous)	SALES INCREASE		
9 5	OLIVER HELDENS X BECKY HILL Gecko (Overdrive) FFRR/Musical Freedom (YA111400063 (Arvato)		53 58 4	NICO & VINZ Am I Wrong Warner Bros 'USW811304681 (Arvato)	SALES		
5 11 4	(Heldens) Sony ATV/Nobalt/MusscAllStars/CC (Heldens/Emenike/Hill) SIA Chandelier RCA/Monksypuzzle USRC11400498 (Arvuto)		54 63 22	(Will IDAP) BMG Chrysalis/CC (Larsen/Dery/Sereba/Jallow) DJ SNAKE & LIL JON Turn Down For What Columbia USSM11308174 (Arvata)			
7 6 2	(Kustin/Sharkin) Sony ATV (Fuller/Sharkin) NICOLE SCHERZINGER Your LOVE RCA GB1101400310 (Arvuto)		55 49 30	(DJ Snake/Lii Jon) King of Crunk/William Grigahcine Pub. (Smith/Grigahcine/Bresso) PITBULL FT KE\$HA Timber .//MR 305/Polo Grounds USRC11301695 (Arvato) ★	SALES INCREASE		
B New	(Stewart/Nash) Universal/Warner Chappell/2082 (Stewart/Nash)		56 36 5	(Dr. Luke/Cirkut/Sermstyle/Seeley) Sony ATV/BMG Chrysalis/Warner Chappell/Prescription/Power Pen/Where Da Kasz At/Abuela y Tia/Kasz Money/(various)	SALES INCREASE		
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15 8	THE VAMPS FT DEMI LOVATO Somebody To You EMI GBUM71401330 (Arvato) (Falk/I undin) Sony ATV/Team 2101/Kobalr/MXM (Falk/I undin/Koterha)		57 57 16	DAVID GUETTA & SHOWTEK FT. VASSY Bad Jack Back/Parlophone GB28K1400007 (Arvato) (Guetta/Showtek/Sultan/Shepard/Reuter) Sony ATV/What A Publishing/BMG Rights/Buds/Pano/BMG Talpa/Downtown/2Dutdt/Strengholt/various (various)	SALES (1) INCREASE		
14 28	JOHN LEGEND All Of Me Columbia USSM11303954 (Arvato) * (Tozer/Legend) BMG Rights/Kobalit (Gad/Stephens)		58 38 5	USHER Cood Kisser ACA USRC1:40C65C (Arvata) (PopWansel) Sony ATV/Universit/URTV/Pivate Stock/Gye Ny/mei/Pivate Stock/Saere Like/Crow: Tiee (Usher/Wansel) Colsor /Rot erts/Saere			
l 13 10	COLDPLAY A Sky Full Of Stars Parlophone GBAYE1400226 (Arvato) (Requing/Coldplayt5pworth/foren/Simrson) Sony AV/Vlonversa (Berryman/Burkland/Champon/Martin/Bergling)		59 59 20	TOVE LO FT HIPPIE SABOTAGE Stay High (Habits) Polydor SEUM71400257 (Arvato) (Hippie Sabotage) Green Rose/Warner/Chappell Scandinavia/Wolf Cousins (Tove Lot/Jerlström/Söderberg/I Saurer/K Saurer)	SALES (INCREASE		
2 18 36	PHARRELL WILLIAMS Happy RCA USQ4E13006R6 (Arvuto) ★3	SALES ON INCREASE	60 53 39	IMAGINE DRAGONS Demons Interscape USUM71201071 (Arvato)	INCREASE		
3 17 13	(Phariell) Sony ATV/Universal (Williams) CALVIN HARRIS Summer Columbia GBARL1400296 (Arvato)	INCREASE	61 54 13	(Alex Ca Kid) Universal/Bluewatei (Reynolds/Mikker/Seimon/Grant/Mossei): LITTLE MIX Salute Syco GBHMU1300290 (Arvato)			
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5 19 13	JASON DERULO FT SNOOP DOGG Wiggle Warner Brothers USWB11400672 (Arvato). (Reed/Ryan/I ondon) Universal/Sony AIV/BMG Rights/Kobait/Marner Tamerlane/Prescription/Big Deal/Various (Describeru/E Frederic/Kashie/Douglas/Ryar	n/Spaigur/vailous)	64 60 9	SECONDCITY I Wanna Feel Mos GBCEN1400001 (FugarSony DADC UK) (Harrington) Sony ATV/Universal/Fairwood/ECFF//Imo/CC (Harrington/Ecmonds/Wilson/BraxtcruBedingfield/Fenton)			
25 33	IDINA MENZEL Let it Go Walt Disney/UM/: USWD11366376 (Arvato) (109×/Andarson-109×) Warnet Chappell/Artsmis (109×/Andarson-109×)	SALES 1	65 64 54	AVICII Wake Me Up Positiva/PRMD SEUM/71301326 (Arvato) ★2 (Avicii/Pournoun) Sony ATV/Universal (Bergling/Pournoun/Blacc/Einziger)	SALES INCREASE		
3 23 5	ED SHEERAN Thinking Out Loud Asylum GBAHS1400099 (Arvuto)	SALES INCREASE	66 New	THE COURTEENERS How Good It Was 122/PIAS/Co Op UK32S1400180 (PIAS Arvato)			
27 27	(Gosling) Sony ATV/RDI (Sherran/Wadge) CLEAN BANDIT FT. JESS GLYNNE Rather Be Atlantic GBAH51300596 (Arvato) ★2	SALES INCREASE	67 72 65		SAIFS		
21 7	(Patterson/Chatto) Universal/Salliksaak/Sony ATV (Napier/Patterson/Marshall) TIËSTO FT. MATTHEW KOMA Wasted Virgin (14111400022 (Arvato)	INCREASE	68 61 87	(Disclosure) Sony ATV/Stellar/Naughty Words/Universal/Salli Isaak (H.Lawrence/G.Lawrence/Napier/Smith) IMAGINE DRAGONS Radioactive Interscope USUM71201074 (Arvato) ★	SALES INCREASE		
l 28 11	(Vstwset/Koma/Disco Fries) Sony ATV/Kobalt (Vstwset/Koma/Audino/Hughes) RITA ORA Will Never Let You Down Roc Nation USCX91460359 (Arvato)		69 48 11	(Imagine Diagons) Universal (Reynolds) Seman/McKer/Giant/Mossery RALEIGH RITCHIE Stronger Than Ever (oliumbia GBARL1301342 (Arvato)			
	(Harris) Sony ATV (Harris)	SALES INCREASE		(Lora) Sony ATV/Universal (Lora/Andersan)			
2 32 18	PALOMA FAITH Only Love Can Hurt Like This RCA GB1101300921 (Arvato) (ACRUTH) Universal (Warren)	SALES INCREASE	70 56 11	ED SHEERAN One Asylum GBAH51400092 (Arvato) (Gosting) Sony ATV (Sheeran)			
3 24 8	MILKY CHANCE Stolen Dance Ignition DEL211300741 (PIAS Arvuto) (Rehbein) Sony ATV/Edition Sadnerescary (Rehbein/Dausch)		71 66 21	COLDPLAY Magic Parlaghone GRA/E1400220 (Arvata). (Coliplay/Epworth/Green/Simpson) Universal (Rerrymar/Burkhand/Champion/Nartin)			
1 16 2	ELLA EYRE If I Go <i>Virgin GBUM71401947 (Arvuto)</i> (Rogaes) Sony ATV/Warner Chappall/magem (Hajjara/McWahnon/LRogess)		72 Re-entry	ALOE BLACC The Man interscope USUM71312860 (Arvato) (C) Khalif/like fi. Ship (Rahman/Taupri/John/Cawkins III/Barsh/Seet)			
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5 31 4	(Robcon) Sony ATV/Imagem/RMG Platinum/Hallo I Love You/Jam Writers (Hemmin xc/Hond/Robcon/Rockee) MKTO Classic Columbia (M2V ISSM13301446 (Aragto)		74 70 49	(Lapez/Andersan-Lapez/Ithe; Wasser Chappell/Istemis/Wancerland (Lapez/Asdersas-Lapez) AWOLNATION Sail Red Bull USP61:000053 (PIAS Arvato)			
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	(Afuni) Sony ATV/Stellar/Universal (Ellestad/Afuni)	SALES INCREASE		(Haynie/Rhasker) Sony ATV/Kohalt/Polai Patrol (Sheeran/McCaid)			











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OFFICIAL UK ARTIST ALBUMS CHART					Gøld (100,000)Silver (60,000)
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SAM SMITH In The Lonely Hour (apital 3769173 (Arvata)		41 New		WARD THOMAS From Where We Stand WIW WIWCDT (Absolute Arvato)	
GEORGE EZRA Wanted On Voyage Columbia 88843032252 (Arvato)		42 26	34	JOHN LEGEND Love In The Future Columbia 88725439942 (Arvato)	
COLDPLAY Ghost Stories Furloyhone 2564630591 (Arvato) ★		43 Re-	entry	VELVET UNDERGROUND & NICO The Velvet Underground & Nico Polydor 3705468 (Arvato) ★	
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PAOLO NUTINI Caustic Love Atlantic 2564637230 (Arvato) ★	NEW ENTRY	45 41	11	THE BLACK KEYS Turn Blue Nomesuch 7555795554 (Arvato)	
5 SECONDS OF SUMMER 5 Seconds Of Summer Capital 3784467 (Arvata)	-	46 73	54	ONEREPUBLIC Native interscope 3719804 (Arvato)	HIGHEST
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PALOMA FAITH A Perfect Contradiction RCA 88843006112 (Arvato)	SAIFS M	48 53	36	(Example/F1 Smith/Price/Critikal/a.Smith/Sheldra+e/Gleave/Bamford/SMIII) JAKE BUGG Shangri La EMi 3756055 (Arvato) ●	SALES
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(London Grammar/Bran/Kerr/Disclosure)				(Newman/Whiting/Booker/Spencer)	
(Gosling/Hugall/Sheeran/No I.D)	CLIMBER			(C. Haim/A Haim/E Haim/Goransson/Rechtshaid/Fore)	
(Thompson)				(Marley/Various)	SALES INCREA
(J.O.Williams)	SALES			(Little)	
(Auerbach/Lana Del Rey/abstes/Swanathan/Kurstin/Heath/Epworth/Nowels)				(Rock)	
(lungle)				(Mothersbaugh/Schaffer/Denniston/Bartholomew/Patterson)	
(R.I. Baker)				(Exeter/lipton)	
(McAulay/Savage)				(Grech-Marguerat/EgWhite/Odell/Whitton)	
LANA DEL REY BORN TO Die <i>Polydor/Stranger</i> 2797091 (<i>Arvato</i>) *3 (Haynie/Parker/Berger/Robopop/Bhasker/Daly/Sneddon/Bauer-Mein/Nowels/Braide/Shux/Skarbek/Howe)	+50% SALES INCREASE			CHVRCHES The Bones Of What You Believe Virgin (DV3116 (Arvato) (CHVRCHES)	
THE 1975 The 1975 Dirty Hit/Polydar DH00040 (Arvato) ● (Crossey/The 1975)	SALES INCREASE			BOMBAY BICYCLE CLUB So Long See You Tomorrow Stard 3761816 (Arvata) (Steedman/Allen)	SALES INCREAS
WILKO JOHNSON & ROGER DALTREY Going Back Home Chess/UMC (RCD2014 (Arvato) ● (Ennga)		62 63	18	GEORGE MICHAEL Symphonica EMI3769932 (Arvato) ● (Ramone/Michael)	SALES INCREAS
ELBOW The Take Off And Landing Of Everything Fiction 3754762 (Arvato) ● (Potter)		63 70	7	FIRST AID KIT Stay Gold (olumbia 98843066612 (Arvata); (Magu.)	SALES INCREAS
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GREGORY PORTER Liquid Spirit Blue Note 3741053 (Arvata)		68 66	11	NICK MULVEY First Mind Fiction MULVEYONG (Arvato)	SALES INCREAS
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COMPILATION CHART TOP 20





- 1 NEW NOW THAT'S WHAT I CALL MUSIC 88 / Sony Music (G/Virgin EMI (Arvato)
- FROZEN OST / Walt Disney/UMC (Arvata)
- NOW THAT'S WHAT I CALL SUMMER / Sony Music CG/Virgin EMI (Arvato) **3** 2
- THE NATION'S FAVOURITE MOTOWN SONGS / Islana/UMC (Arvato)
- DREAMBOATS AND MINISKIRTS SUMMER IN... / UMTV (Arvato)
- CLUBLAND 25 / AATW/UMTV (Arvato)
- **7** 6 THE 80S - PART 2 / Sony Music (G/UMTV (Arvato)
- 8 NEW CRAZY CRAZY NIGHTS / UMTV (Arvato)
- NOW THAT'S WHAT I CALL MUSIC 87 / Sony Music CG/Virgin EMI (Arvato) 9
- **10** 8 JUST GREAT SONGS 2014 / Sony Music CG/WMTV (Arvato)
- 11 NEW 90S SMOOTH GROOVES / MoS/Sony Music CG (Sony DADC UK)
- 12 NEW RHYTHM OF THE NIGHT / WMTV (Arvato)

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- 13 10 JACKIE LONG HOT SUMMER / UMTV (Arvato)
- 14 9
- CHILLED R&B THE GOLD EDITION / Sony Music (G (Arvato)
- AMERICAN HEARTLAND LEGENDS OF COUNTRY / Sony Music CG (Arvato) **15** 11
- NOW THAT'S WHAT I CALL REGGAE / Sony Music CG/Virgin EMI (Arvato) **16** RE
- **17** 13 NOW THAT'S WHAT I CALL 21ST CENTURY / Sony Music (G/Virgin EMI (Arvato)
- IBIZA ANNUAL '14 / MoS (Fuga/Sony DADC UK)
- **19** 15 THE ONLY WAY IS MARBS - MARBELLA ANTHEMS / WMTV (Arvato)
- 20 16 THE SUGGS SELECTION / UMTV/WMTV (Arvato)

CHARTS UK AIRPLAY WEEK 30

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CHARTS KEY

HIGHEST NEW ENTRY
HIGHEST CLIMBER
AUDIENCE INCREASE
AUDIENCE INCREASE +50%



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200		SALES POS	ARTIST / TITLE/LABEL	OWNER	PLAYS	TREND	STNS	IMPACTS	TREND
1	1	2	MAGIC! Rude Sony	SME	4384	+28%	191	76.4	+279
2	2	3	ELLA HENDERSON Ghost Syco	SME	5575	+2%	237	57.7	-1%
3	4	5	ARIANA GRANDE FT IGGY AZALEA Problem Republic/Island	UMG	3110	+9%	154	54.7	+0%
1	3	10	ED SHEERAN Sing Asylum	WMG	4116	-7%	192	48.7	-13%
5	8	8	RIXTON Me And My Broken Heart Interscope	UMG	3508	+13%	180	48.6	+129
5	6	20	JOHN LEGEND All Of Me Columbia	SME	3634	-5%	209	46.9	0%
7	5	13	SAM SMITH Stay With Me Capitol	UMG	4457	-8%	230	46.5	-9%
3	12		NAUGHTY BOY FT. SAM ROMANS Home Virgin EMI	UMG	1535	+26%	142	42.9	+8%
)	14	1	CHERYL COLE FT. TINIE TEMPAH Crazy Stupid Love Interscope	UMG	3356	+21%	163	42.6	+179
10	7	31	RITA ORA I Will Never Let You Down Roc Nation	SME	3732	-4%	177	42.2	-6%
11	16	4	GEORGE EZRA Budapest Columbia	SME	3719	+7%	249	40.4	+199
12	10	29	CLEAN BANDIT FT. JESS GLYNNE Rather Be Atlantic	WMG	3303	0%	177	39.0	-3%
13	9	22	PHARRELL WILLIAMS Happy RCA	SME	3142	-2%	241	38.9	-10%
14	11	9	JESS GLYNNE Right Here Atlantic	WMG	2107	-6%	164	37.5	-6%
15	17	53	NICO & VINZ Am Wrong Warner Bros	WMG	1971	+39%	146	35.6	+119
6	13	23	CALVIN HARRIS Summer Columbia	SME	2370	-1%	149	35.3	-7%
17	15	39	SIGMA Nobody To Love 3 Beat/AATW	IND.	2336	-1%	148	32.8	-6%
8.	19	19	THE VAMPS FT DEMI LOVATO Somebody To You EMI	UMG	1824	0%	141	29.4	-2%
9	32		ONEREPUBLIC Love Runs Out Interscope	UMG	1798	+8%	109	27.2	+239
20	18	7	WILL.I.AM FT CODY WISE It's My Birthday Interscope	UMG	1455	+1%	129	27.1	-129
21	21	50	ROUTE 94 FT JESS GLYNNE My Love Rinse	UMG	1473	+4%	136	26.9	-1%
2	30	11	MR. PROBZ Waves Left Lane	SME	1742	-5%	160	25.6	+129
23	38	14	NEON JUNGLE Louder RCA	SME	1855	+14%	147	25.3	+249
4	31	63	LA ROUX Uptight Downtown Polydor	UMG	839	+4%	74	24.8	+119
25	50	6	CHARLI XCX Boom Clap Asylum	WMG	1164	+52%	136	24.6	+469
6	26	34	ELLA EYRE If I Go Virgin	UMG	1788	+20%	157	24.1	+1%
27	27	24	IGGY AZALEA FT. CHARLI XCX Fancy EMI	UMG	1019	-7%	112	23.5	0%
28	29	32	PALOMA FAITH Only Love Can Hurt Like This RCA	SME	2906	+1%	200	23.3	+1%
29	36		DOLLY PARTON Try Masterworks	SME	297	+16%	55	23.0	+109
10	22	21	COLDPLAY A Sky Full Of Stars Parlophone	WMG	2950	-1%	238	22.4	-15%
1	33		ERIC CLAPTON & FRIENDS Call Me The Breeze Polydor	UMG	221	+2%	54	22.1	+1%
12	NEV	V	ZHU Faded Polydor	UMG	482	+58%	31	22.0	+779
33	45		DAVID GUETTA FT. SAM MARTIN Lovers On The Sun Parlophone	WMG	984	+13%	59	21.9	+239
14	28	35	5 SECONDS OF SUMMER Don't Stop Capitol	UMG	1680	-10%	129	21.3	-10%
15	34		FOSTER THE PEOPLE Coming Of Age Columbia	SME	88	+19%	16	21.0	-2%
16	25	51	DUKE DUMONT FT JAX JONES Got U Blase Boys Club/Virgin EMI	UMG	1584	-10%	100	20.8	-149
37	23		BEN WATT Forget Unmade Road/Caroline	UMG	372	+81%	61	20.1	-23%
38	37	42	ONEREPUBLIC Counting Stars Interscope	UMG	1983	+8%	172	20.1	-4%
19	35	43	MICHAEL JACKSON Love Never Felt So Good Spic/MJJ	SME	2084	-6%	196	20.0	-6%
10	43	30	TIËSTO FT. MATTHEW KOMA Wasted virgin	UMG	1088	-4%	125	19.6	+8%
1	40	47	KOVE FT MELISSA STEEL Way We Are MIA/Viiqin EMI	IND.	253	+10%	24	19.4	+2%
12	24	47	PAUL CARRACK One In A Million Carrack UK			-4%			
13		.,		IND.	316		65	18.9	-25%
	NEV		NELL BRYDEN Wayfarer 157	IND.		+221%	59	18.8	+759
4	44	25	FUSE ODG FT SEAN PAUL Dangerous Love 3 Beat/AATW	IND.	1010	+4%	122	18.2	+1%
15	49	12	MK FT ALANA Always Defected	IND.	395	+13%	50	18.0	+5%
16	39	15	OLIVER HELDENS X BECKY HILL Gecko (Overdrive) FFRR/Musical Freedom	WMG	1028	-14%	129	18.0	-11%
17	NEV	V	SAINT MOTEL My Type Parlophone	WMG	29	-	13	17.7	-
18	41		WARD THOMAS Push For The Stride wtw	IND.	263	+87%	61	17.6	-8%
19	42		KATY PERRY Birthday Virgin	UMG	2311	-9%	137	16.5	-10%
50	NEV	V	VIC MENSA Down On My Luck <i>virgin EMI</i>	UMG	157	+28%	14	16.3	+599

	.AST	ARTIST / TITLE/LABEL	OWNER	PLAYS	TREND	2
	4	WILL.I.AM FT CODY WISE It's My Birthday / Interscope	UMG	738	+22%	
2	1	ARIANA GRANDE FT IGGY AZALEA Problem / Republic/Island	UMG	684	+1%	
	5	JESS GLYNNE Right Here / Atlantic	WMG	633	+11%	
	2	ED SHEERAN Sing / Asylum	WMG	624	+1%	
	6	ELLA HENDERSON Ghost / Syco	SME	607	+10%	
,	8	CHERYL COLE FT. TINIE TEMPAH Crazy Stupid Love / Interscope	UMG	592	+15%	
	3	OLIVER HELDENS X BECKY HILL Gecko (Overdrive) / FFRR/Musical Free	dom WMC	579	-5%	
	9	FUSE ODG FT SEAN PAUL Dangerous Love / 3 Beat/AATW	IND.	542	+11%	
	19	MAGIC! Rude / Sony	SME	519	+39%	
0	17	RIXTON Me And My Broken Heart / Interscope	UMG	504	+28%	
1	12	MR. PROBZ Waves/Left Lane	SME	495	+5%	
2	22	NICOLE SCHERZINGER Your Love / RCA	SME	484	+40%	
3	10	THE VAMPS FT DEMI LOVATO Somebody To You / EMI	UMG	483	+1%	
4	7	CALVIN HARRIS Summer / Columbia	SME	480	-7%	
5	11	SAM SMITH Stay With Me / Capital	UMG	476	+0%	
6	13	JASON DERULO FT SNOOP DOGG Wiggle / Warner Brothers	WMG	461	0%	
7	25	GEORGE EZRA Budapest / Columbia	SME	423		
8	20	NICO & VINZ Am I Wrong / Warner Bros	WMG	397	+13%	
9	18	IGGY AZALEA FT. CHARLI XCX Fancy / EMI	UMG	383	0%	
0	16	COLDPLAY A Sky Full Of Stars / Parlophone	WMG	373		
1	14	RITA ORA I Will Never Let You Down / Roc Nation	SME	368	-17%	
2	32	CHARLI XCX Boom Clap / Asylum	WMG		+43%	
3	27	JOHN LEGEND All Of Me / Columbia	SME	333	+7%	
4	24	PHARRELL WILLIAMS Happy / RCA	SME	333	-3%	
5	23	SIA Chandelier / RCA/Monkeypuzzle	SME	299	-13%	
6	39	MK FT ALANA Always / Defected	IND.		+35%	
7		V DUKE DUMONT Won't Look Back / Blase Boys Club/Virgin EMI	UMG		+324%	
8	15	EXAMPLE One More Day (Stay With Me) / Epic	SME	268		
9	28	SIGMA Nobody To Love / 3 Beat/AATW	IND.	261	-39%	
0	41	KOVE FT MELISSA STEEL Way We Are / MA//irgin EMI	IND.		+23%	
1	35	5 SECONDS OF SUMMER Amnesia / Capitol	UMG	256		
2	26	TIËSTO FT. MATTHEW KOMA Wasted / Virgin				
3	31	CLEAN BANDIT FT. JESS GLYNNE Rather Be / Atlantic	UMG	254	-22%	
4	50		WMG	252	0%	
5	43	G.R.L Ugly Heart / RCA ELLA EYRE If I Go / Virgin	SME		+47%	
6		NEON JUNGLE Louder / RCA	UMG	241		
7	37	DAVID GUETTA FT. SAM MARTIN Lovers On The Sun / Parlophone	SME	241		
	40	•	WMG		+12%	
8	38	THE SATURDAYS What Are You Waiting For / Polydor	UMG	223	+3%	
0	36	AVICII Lay Me Down / Positiva/PRMD v SIGMA FT. PALOMA FAITH Changing / 3 Beat/AATW	UMG	213	-2%	
			IND.		+910%	
1	21		IND.		-41%	
2	34	KIESZA Hideaway / Lokal Legend/Virgin	UMG	195	-15%	
3		v MELISSA STEEL Kisses For Breakfast / Atlantic	WMG	190		
4	29	USHER Good Kisser / RCA	SME	189	-28%	
5	30	5 SECONDS OF SUMMER Don't Stop / Capitol	UMG	181	-31%	
6	46	CHRIS BROWN FT. LIL WAYNE & FRENCH MONTANA Loyal / RCA	SME	173	-3%	
7	33	MATRIX & FUTUREBOUND FT TANYA LACEY Don't Look Back / 3 Be				
8	RE	SAM SMITH Money On My Mind / Capitol	UMG	162	-5%	
19	NEV	v MKTO Classic / Columbia/M2V	SME	161	+20%	

UK AIRPLAY ANALYSIS

BY ALAN JONES

After jumping 7-1 to top the radio airplay chart by the narrowest of margins last week, Canadian pop/reggae band **Magic!**'s debut hit Rude now opens up a huge lead.

Music Week's UK and EU Radio Airplay chart based on RadioMonitor data ©.

Its plays increasing 28.60% week-on-week from 3,412 to 4,388, and its audience surging by a similar 27.08% from 60.16m to 76.45m. Rude's lead over Ella Henderson's Ghost - a former No.1 which holds in second place for a third week - increases more than 10 times to 32.53%. Radio 2 provides the largest share of Rude's audience (22.80%) after increasing support for the track from six plays a week earlier to 15 plays last week. Radio 1 aired it 24 times, the same as the week before, but its contribution to the

track's audience shrinks to 20.56%. The 11 stations in the Capital Network continue to be its biggest supporters in terms of plays, with individual tallies ranging from 67 at Capital North East to 62 at Capital Birmingham.

Magic! finished second to Cheryl Cole on the Official Company Chart sales chart this week but Cole is still way behind on airplay.
Support for her single Crazy Stupid Love - feat. Tinie Tempah - has been slower in coming but it finally makes the Top 10 of the radio airplay chart this week. It has taken two months of steady growth to get there, with the track moving 63-49-46-39-24-16-14-9 since getting its first radio play on Capital London on June 2. Support for Crazy Stupid Love

cranked up considerably last weekit saw a 19.97% increase in plays
from 2,799 to 3,358, generating a
15.74% increase in audience from
36.78m to 42.57m. 16 plays on
Radio 1 (the same as the previous
week) provided a top 22.94% share
of its listenership, although the
Capital Network spearheaded its list
of top supporters, with Capital
London, Capital South Wales,
Capital North Wales & Wirral and
Capital Scotland airing it 55 times.

No.6 on the Official Charts Company sales chart, **Charli XCX**'s maiden solo smash Boom Clap halves its radio airplay chart position, surging 50-25, with massive increases in plays (up 51.96% from 766 to 1,164) and audience (up 46.16% from 16.81m to 24.57m). 16 plays on Radio 1 provided a 39.73% slice of its audience while 46 plays on



KISS 105-108 (Cambridge) and 45 plays on KISS 101 (Bristol) and KISS 100 (London) were its top tallies. All three KISS outlets aired it only 17 times apiece in the previous week.

Two songs not yet released by acts without a hit to their names jointly top Radio 1's most-played list - Here We Go by Lower Than Atlantic and Down On My Luck by Vic Mensa. It aired them each 26 times last week - but support elsewhere is thus far so muted that Mensa's single only just makes the Top 50 this week, climbing 83-50, and Lower Than

Atlantic just miss it, climbing 59-53. 13 other stations played Down On My Luck but Radio 1 provided 89.39% of its audience. 10 other stations played Here We Go but Radio 1 accounted for a massive 99.32% of its audience.

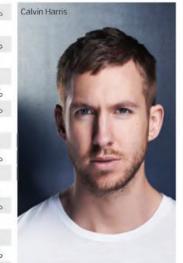
Falling 3-7 on sales and 18-20 on the radio airplay chart, It's My Birthday tops the TV airplay chart for the first time for Will.I.Am feat. Cody Wise, springing 4-1 with support for its promotional videoclip growing from 604 plays to 738 plays, with top tallies of 98 plays on Starz TV, 72 on MTV Hits and 66 on Smash Hits TV.

CHARTS EU AIRPLAY WEEK 30 (Mon 14 - Sun 20 Jul 2014)



POS	LAST	AY CHART TOP 50			OWNER	PLAYS	TREND	STNS	IMAPCTS	TREND
1	1	Coldplay	A Sky Full Of Stars	Parlophone		17,098		975	672.57m	+3%
2	3	Mr. Probz	Waves	Sony Music		14,531		870	518.63m	0%
3	4	Nico & Vinz	Am I Wrong	Parlophone Music		11,878		774	510.55m	-2%
4	2	Calvin Harris	Summer	Columbia		14,527		743	510.23m	-2%
5	8	Lilly Wood & Robin S	Prayer In C	Warner Intern		10,583		521	424.44m	+14%
6	5	OneRepublic	Love Runs Out	Interscope		9,126	+9%	588	415.79m	+7%
7	6	George Ezra	Budapest	Columbia		9,869	+7%	746	403.56m	+5%
8	12	Sam Smith	Stay With Me	Capitol Records		11,295		776	398.41m	+19%
9	7	Ed Sheeran	Sing	Asylum		14,107		831	379.21m	-1%
10	11	John Legend	All Of Me	Columbia		11,646		778	352.22m	+4%
11	9	Clean Bandit feat. J	Rather Be	Atlantic				837	328.69m	-7%
12	10	Avicii	Addicted To You	Virgin EMI		7,080	-5%	631	328.09m	-7%
13	21	David Guetta feat. S	Lovers On The Sun	Parlophone	WMG		+22%	468	327.46m	+24%
14	17	Pharrell Williams	Нарру	RCA		9,636	-4%		319.00m	+6%
15	15	Andreas Bourani	Auf Uns	Polydor		3,160	-7%	173	304.12m	-4%
16	16	Milky Chance	Stolen Dance	Pias	Ind.	7,959	+4%	741	303.31m	-1%
17	14	Michael Jackson	Love Never Felt So Good		SME	11,880	-3%	896	299.86m	-7%
18	19	Sigma	Nobody To Love	3beat	Ind.	7,763	+6%	492	299.85m	+10%
19	13	American Authors	Best Day Of My Life	Virgin EMI		5,351	-4%	487	297.53m	-9%
20	24	Alle Farben feat. Gr	She Moves (Far Away)	Pinpoint	Ind.	4,767	+6%	348	293.14m	+24%
21	18	Bakermat	One Day (Vandaag)	Délicieuse	Ind.	4,261	0%	288	285.06m	+1%
22	20	Vance Joy	Riptide	Atlantic	WMG		-2%	432	275.17m	+1%
23	29	Duke Dumont feat. Ja	I Got U	Virgin EMI	UMG		+0%	564	256.32m	+17%
24	31	Marlon Roudette	When The Beat Drops Ou	•	UMG		+29%	188	247.61m	+14%
25	22	Ariana Grande feat	Problem	Universal	UMG	10,733	+6%	616	246.92m	0%
26	23	Klingande	Jubel		Ind.	4,881	-4%	581	228.41m	-7%
27	38	MAGIC!	Rude	Klingande Sony Music	SME	8,867	+21%	568	227.16m	+20%
28	28	Imagine Dragons	On Top Of The World	Polydor		3,955	+4%	459	221.33m	+20%
29	33	Rita Ora	I Will Never Let You	Roc Nation		8,680	-3%	515	221.33m	+8%
30	40	Maroon 5	Maps	Polydor	UMG		+16%	555	219.80m	+18%
31	25	Faul & Wad Ad vs. Pnau	Changes	Sony Music		4,913	-6%	512	219.06m	-6%
32	32	Common Linnets, The	Calm After The Storm	Universal		2,800	-5%	305	214.75m	+1%
33	39	Imagine Dragons	Demons	Polydor	UMG		-1%	466	207.62m	+10%
34	37		The Chamber		SME		+11%	309	202.37m	+6%
35	26	Lenny Kravitz	Traum	Sony Music						
36	35	Cro Kiesza	Hideaway	Groove Attack Virgin EMI	Ind. UMG	3,138	-1%	179 501	198.10m 191.21m	-13% -2%
	34	Avicii	Lay Me Down	Virgin EMI		6,360	+3%	450	189.46m	-4%
37 38	41	Ed Sheeran	I See Fire	Universal Music	UMG		+3%			+7%
								290	185.69m	
39	43	Jason Derulo feat. S	Wiggle	Warner Music		6,444	+7%	405	181.60m	
40	36	Avicii	Hey Brother	Virgin EMI		3,906	-3%	676	180.25m	-6%
41	51 44	Mark Forster feat. Sido	Au Revoir Chandelier	Four Music		2,585	+24%	132	176.81m	
42		Sia Katu Parru	Birthday	Sony Music		7,764	+9%	527		+5%
43	30	Katy Perry		Virgin EMI		8,072	-8%	593		-23%
44	42	Avicii Ella Handaraan	Wake Me Up	PRMD/Positiva	UMG		-1%	737	158.78m	-5%
45	55	Ella Henderson	Ghost	Syco		9,593	+9%	571	156.26m	
46	27	Pitbull feat. Jennif	We Are One (Ole Ola)	RCA		5,654	-18%	421	155.93m	-31%
47	47	Bastille	Things We Lost In Th	Virgin Records		2,108	+2%	294	155.28m	+1%
48	49	OneRepublic	Counting Stars	Polydor		5,794	-4%	742	154.02m	+9%
49	45	Shakira	Dare (La La La)	RCA		5,563	-10%	453	147.71m	-8%
50	54	Tiësto feat. Matthew	Wasted	Universal	UMG	5,709	+1%	369	143.09m	+5%













CHARTS OFFICIAL AUDIO STREAMING WEEK 30

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OFFICIAL UK STREAMING CHART TOP 75

OS LAST ARTIST / ALBUM / LABEL

- 1 1 ARIANA GRANDE FT IGGY AZALEA Problem Republic Records
- 13 MAGIC Rude Sony Music
- 3 GEORGE EZRA Budapest Columbia
- 2 **ED SHEERAN** Sing Asylum
- 4 ELLA HENDERSON Ghost Syco Music
- 5 MR PROBZ Waves Left Lane Recordings
- 7 6 **SAM SMITH** Stay With Me Capital
- 14 WILL I AM FT CODY WISE It's My Birthday Interscope
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- 11 10 JOHN LEGEND All Of Me Columbia
- 12 9 OLIVER HELDENS & BECKY HILL Gecko (Overdrive) FFRR/Musical Freedom
- 13 12 IGGY AZALEA FT CHARLI XCX Fancy EMI
- 14 7 ED SHEERAN Don't Asylum
- 15 20 NICO & VINZ Am I Wrong Warner Bros
- 16 15 TIESTO FT MATTHEW KOMA Wasted Virgin
- 17 16 CLEAN BANDIT FT JESS GLYNNE Rather Be Atlanti
- 18 17 **COLDPLAY** A Sky Full Of Stars Parlophone
- 19 22 MKTO Classic Columbia/M2V
- 20 21 PHARRELL WILLIAMS Happy Columbia
- 21 24 JESS GLYNNE Right Here Atlantic
- 22 69 RIXTON Me And My Broken Heart Interscope
- 23 19 JASON DERULO FT SNOOP DOGG Wiggle Warner Bros
- 24 18 ED SHEERAN Thinking Out Loud Asylum
- 25 23 KIESZA Hideaway Lokal Legend
- 26 30 SAM SMITH Money On My Mind Capitol
- 27 25 RITA ORA I Will Never Let You Down Roc Nation
- 28 47 MILKY CHANCE Stolen Dance Ignition
 - 9 45 VAMPS Somebody To You EMI
- 30 74 CHARLI XCX Boom Clap Asylum
- 31 32 IDINA MENZEL Let It Go Walt Disney
- 32 37 VANCE JOY Riptide Infectious Music
- 33 27 5 SECONDS OF SUMMER Don't Stop Capitol
- 34 28 ED SHEERAN I See Fire Decca
- 5 38 **BASTILLE** Pompeii *Virgin*
- **36** 42 **KATY PERRY FT JUICY J** Dark Horse *Virgin*
- **37** 35 **5 SECONDS OF SUMMER** She Looks So Perfect *Capitol*
- 38 41 ROUTE 94 FT JESS GLYNNE My Love Rinse Recordings
- 39 DUKE DUMONT FT JAX JONES | Got U Blase Boys Club
- 40 29 ED SHEERAN Photograph Asylum
- 41 26 ED SHEERAN One Asylum
- **42** 46 **ONEREPUBLIC** Counting Stars Interscope
- 43 31 ED SHEERAN I'm A Mess Asylum
- 44 36 SIGMA Nobody To Love 3 Beat/AATW
- 45 NEW CHERYL COLE FT TINIE TEMPAH Crazy Stupid Love Polydon
- 46 48 PITBULL FT KESHA Timber J/Mr 305/Polo Grounds
- 47 34 ED SHEERAN Nina Asylum
- 8 33 ED SHEERAN Bloodstream Asylum
- 49 49 TOVE LO Stay High Polydor
- 50 50 DAVID GUETTA/SHOWTEK/VASSY Bad Parlophone
- 1 61 ELLA EYRE If I Go Virgin
- **52** 40 **ED SHEERAN** Tenerife Sea Asylum
- 53 56 FUSE ODG FT SEAN PAUL Dangerous Love 3 Beat/AATW
- 54 54 KLINGANDE Jubel One More Tune
- 55 51 CHRIS BROWN/LIL WAYNE/TYGA Loyal RCA
- 56 52 COLDPLAY Magic Parlophone
- 57 104 NICOLE SCHERZINGER Your Love RCA
- 58 53 DJ SNAKE & LIL JON Turn Down For What Columbia
- 59 57 IMAGINE DRAGONS Radioactive Interscope
- 60 58 PASSENGER Let Her Go Nettween
- 61 63 **DISCLOSURE FT SAM SMITH** Latch PMR
- 62 60 ARCTIC MONKEYS Do I Wanna Know Domino Recordings
- 63 64 AVICII Wake Me Up Positiva/PRMD
- 4 62 IMAGINE DRAGONS Demons Interscope
- **65** 67 **PALOMA FAITH** Only Love Can Hurt Like This **RCA**
- 66 44 ED SHEERAN Runaway Asylun
- 67 66 LANA DEL REY VS CEDRIC GERVAIS Summertime Sadness Polydor
- 68 43 ED SHEERAN Afire Love Asylum
- 69 70 AMERICAN AUTHORS Best Day Of My Life EMI
- 70 79 DAFT PUNK FT PHARRELL WILLIAMS Get Lucky Columbia
- **71** 72 **ALOE BLACC** The Man Interscope
- 72 55 **EXAMPLE** One More Day (Stay With Me) Epic
- 73 75 AVICII Hey Brother Positiva/PRMD
- 74 81 MICHAEL JACKSON Love Never Felt So Good 😥 /////
- 75 59 USHER Good Kisser RCA











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- MAGIC! Rude
- 2 **CALVIN HARRIS** Summer
- ARIANA GRANDE Problem
- SAM SMITH Stay With Me
- IGGY AZALEA Fancy
- 6 SIA Chandelier
- NICO & VINZ Am I Wrong
- **COLDPLAY** A Sky Full Of Stars
- TIESTO Wasted
- **CLEAN BANDIT** 10 Rather Be (feat. Jess Glynne)
- ROBIN SCHULZ 11 Prayer In C (Robin Schulz Radio Edit)
- 12 MAROON 5 Maps
- MR. PROBZ
- Waves Robin Schulz Radio Edit JASON DERULO
- Wiggle (feat. Snoop Dogg)
- 15 ED SHEERAN Sing
- 16 SHOWTEK Bad (feat. Vassy) Radio Edit
- **PHARRELL WILLIAMS**
- Happy (From "Despicable Me 2")
- 18 MKTO Classic
- 19 JOHN LEGEND All of Me
- 20 ARIANA GRANDE Break Free

NETHERLANDS



- 1 ANDERS NILSEN Salsa Tequila
- ROBIN SCHULZ
- Prayer in C Robin Schulz Radio Edit
- 3 TOVE LO Stay High - Habits Remix
- Δ **DOTAN** Home
- 5 **CALVIN HARRIS** Summer
- MAGIC! Rude
- NICO & VINZ Am I Wrong
- SAM SMITH Stay With Me
- ARIANA GRANDE Problem
- JASON DERULO 10 Wiggle (feat. Snoop Dogg)



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- MAGIC! Rude
- **CALVIN HARRIS** Summer
- ARIANA GRANDE Problem
- SAM SMITH Stay With Me
- 6 SIA Chandelier
- Waves Robin Schulz Radio Edit
- 8 COLDPLAY A Sky Full Of Stars
- TIESTO Wasted
- 10 SHOWTEK Bad (feat. Vassy) Radio Edit
- 11 MILKY CHANCE Stolen Dance
- JASON DERULO Wiggle (feat. Snoop Dogg)
- **CLEAN BANDIT** Rather Be (feat. Jess Glynne)
- 14 ED SHEERAN Sing
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- 16 IGGY AZALEA Fancy
- 17 JOHN LEGEND All of Me
- 18 MKTO Classic
- 19 PHARRELL WILLIAMS Happy (From "Despicable Me 2")
- 20 TOVE LO Stay High Habits Remix

NORWAY



- 1 ANDERS NILSEN Salsa Tequila
- MILKY CHANCE Stolen Dance
- ADMIRAL P Engel
- YOUNGER Kygo Remix
- **DAVID GUETTA**
- Lovers on the Sun (feat. Sam Martin)
- 6 SIA Chandelier
- MAGIC! Rude
- **GABRIELLE** 5 fine frokner
- ROBIN SCHULZ
- Prayer in C Robin Schulz Radio Edit
- 10 HEDEGAARD Happy Home



- 1 MAGIC! Rude
- 2 ARIANA GRANDE Problem
- 3 ED SHEERAN Sing
- 4 ELLA HENDERSON Ghost
- MR. PROBZ Waves Robin Schulz Radio Edit
- WILL.I.AM It's My Birthday
- SAM SMITH Stay With Me
- SIA Chandelier
- **CALVIN HARRIS** Summer
- 10 NICO & VINZ Am I Wrong





- 2 SIA Chandelier
- JASON DERULO Wiggle (feat. Snoop Dogg)
- MILKY CHANCE Stolen Dance
- MR. PROBZ
- Waves Robin Schulz Radio Edit
- **COLDPLAY** A Sky Full Of Stars
- **CALVIN HARRIS** Summer
- ARIANA GRANDE Problem
- **BLACK M** Sur ma route
- 10 NICO & VINZ Am I Wrong



- Prayer in C Robin Schulz Radio Edit
- 2 MARK FORSTER Au Revoir
- **CALVIN HARRIS** Summer
- 4 CRO Traum
- **MARTIN TUNGEVAAG** Wicked Wonderland
- **JASON DERULO**

- 10 SIGMA Nobody To Love Radio Edit





- **ENRIQUE IGLESIAS** 1 Bailando - Spanish Version
- **CALVIN HARRIS** Summer

MILKY CHANCE Stolen Dance

- 4 MALUMA La Temperatura
- INNA Cola Song (feat. J Balvin)
- NICO & VINZ Am I Wrong
- WISIN Adrenalina
- PHARRELL WILLIAMS Happy (From "Despicable Me 2")
- ROMEO SANTOS Propuesta Indecente
- 10 JOHN LEGEND All of Me

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- ROBIN SCHULZ
- Prayer in C Robin Schulz Radio Edit
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- MAGIC! Rude
- 4 SAM SMITH Stay With Me
- 5 MKTO Classic
- SHOWTEK Bad (feat. Vassy) Radio Edit
- MAROON 5 Maps
- **DAVID GUETTA** Lovers on the Sun (feat. Sam Martin)
- 9 SAMIR & VIKTOR Success
- 10 MILKY CHANCE Stolen Dance



UNITED STATES

- 1 MAGIC! Rude
- 2 SAM SMITH Stay With Me
- IGGY AZALEA Fancy
- 4 ARIANA GRANDE Problem
- NICO & VINZ Am I Wrong **CALVIN HARRIS** Summer
- SIA Chandelier
- MAROON 5 Maps
- 9 ARIANA GRANDE Break Free
- 10 BECKY G Shower





Wiggle (feat. Snoop Dogg)

- ONEREPUBLIC Love Runs Out
- 8 ANDREAS BOURANI Auf uns
- ARIANA GRANDE Problem



CHARTS STREAMING - MUSIC VIDEO WEEK 30





NEW ARTISTS - UK

POS ARTIST/SINGLE/LABEL

- 1 MAGIC! Rude
- 2 FILA HENDERSON Ghost
- 3 RIXTON Me And My Broken Heart
- 4 BARS AND MELODY Hopeful
- 5 DJ SNAKE FT. LIL JON Turn Down For What
- 6 TOVE LO Stay High (Habits Remix)
- 7 ROUTE 94 FT JESS GLYNNE My Love
- 8 DUKE DUMONT FT. JAX JONES I Got U
- 9 MKTO Classic
- 10 DUKE DUMONT Won't Look Back
- 11 MAGIC! Rude (Official Lyric Video)
- 12 ELLA EYRE If I Go
- 13 G.R.L. Ugly Heart
- 14 TINASHE FEAT. SCHOOLBOY Q 2 On (Explicit)
- 15 GORGON CITY FEAT. LAURA WELSH Here For You
- 16 KIESZA Giant In My Heart
- 17 MAGIC! Don't Kill The Magic
- 18 RALEIGH RITCHIE Stronger Than Ever
- **19** FIFTH HARMONY BO\$\$
- 20 GORGON CITY FEAT. MNEK Ready For Your Love

ITALY

POS ARTIST/ SINGLE

- 1 EMIS KILLA Maracanã
- 2 CALVIN HARRIS Summer
- **3** SHAKIRA La La (Brazil 2014) ft. Carlinhos Brown
- 4 FRANCESCO RENGA Il mio giorno più bello nel mondo
- 5 PITBULL FEAT. JENNIFER LOPEZ & CLAUDIA
 LEITTE We Are One (Ole Ola)
- 6 STROMAE Papaoutai
 - ENRIQUE IGLESIAS Bailando (Español) ft.
- **7** Descemer Bueno, Gente De Zona
- 8 ALESSANDRA AMOROSO Bellezza, incanto e nostalgia
- 9 KATY PERRY Dark Horse (Official) ft. Juicy J
- 10 COLBIE CAILLAT Try



WORLDWIDE

POS ARTIST/SINGLI

- 1 ENRIQUE IGLESIAS Bailando (Español) ft.
 Descemer Bueno, Gente De Zona
- 2 SHAKIRA La La La (Brazil 2014) ft. Carlinhos Brown
- 3 IGGY AZALEA Fancy (Explicit) ft. Charli XCX
- 4 KATY PERRY Dark Horse (Official) ft. Juicy J
- 5 ARIANA GRANDE Problem ft. Iggy Azalea
- 6 PITBULL FEAT. JENNIFER LOPEZ & CLAUDIA LEITTE We Are One (Ole Ola)

SIA - Chandelier (Official Video)

- 8 CALVIN HARRIS Summer
- 9 PHARRELL WILLIAMS Come Get It Bae
- 10 ROMEO SANTOS Eres Mía



UK

POS ARTIST/ SINGLI

- 1 ARIANA GRANDE Problem ft. Iggy Azalea
- 2 WILL.I.AM, CODY WISE It's My Birthday
- 3 MAGIC! Rude
- 4 IGGY AZALEA Fancy (Explicit) ft. Charli XCX
- 5 ELLA HENDERSON Ghost
- 6 SIA Chandelier (Official Video)
- 7 CALVIN HARRIS Summer
- **8 CHERYL COLE** Crazy Stupid Love ft. Tinie Tempah
- 9 SAM SMITH Stay With Me
- 10 GEORGE EZRA Budapest (Official Video)



FRANCE

POS ARTIST/ SINGLI

- 1 BLACK M Sur ma route
- 2 SIA Chandelier (Official Video)
- 3 LACRIM Pocket Coffee
- 4 INDILA 5.0.5
- 5 BLACK M Mme Pavoshko
- 6 PITBULL FEAT. JENNIFER LOPEZ & CLAUDIA
- LEITTE We Are One (Ole Ola)
- 7 KENDJI GIRAC Color Gitano
- 8 SHAKIRA La La La (Brazil 2014) ft. Carlinhos Brown
- 9 TEAM BS Fierté
- 10 ARIANA GRANDE Problem ft. Iggy Azalea



POLAND

OS ARTIST/SINGLE

- 1 SIA Chandelier (Official Video)
- 2 INDILA Dernière Danse (Clip Officiel)
- 3 PITBULL FEAT. JENNIFER LOPEZ & CLAUDIA LEITTE - We Are One (Ole Ola)
- 4 EWELONA Lato Moja Miłość
- 5 CALVIN HARRIS Summer
- 6 KATY PERRY Dark Horse (Official) ft. Juicy J
- 7 ARIANA GRANDE Problem ft. Iggy Azalea
- 8 SHAKIRA La La La (Brazil 2014) ft. Carlinhos Brown
- 9 KASIA POPOWSKA Przyjdzie Taki Dzien
- 10 IGGY AZALEA Fancy (Explicit) ft. Charli XCX



AUSTRALIA

POS ARTIST/ SINGLE

- 1 "WEIRD AL" YANKOVIC Word Crimes
- 2 IGGY AZALEA Fancy (Explicit) ft. Charli XCX
- 3 WILL.I.AM, CODY WISE It's My Birthday
- 4 ARIANA GRANDE Problem ft. Iggy Azalea
- 5 SIA Chandelier (Official Video)
- 6 G.R.L. Ugly Heart
- 7 PHARRELL WILLIAMS Come Get It Bae
- 8 TOVE LO Stay High (Habits Remix) ft. Hippie Sabotage
- PALOMA FAITH Only Love Can Hurt Like This (Official Video)
- 10 JUSTICE CREW Que Sera



SPAIN

OS ARTIST/SINGLE

- **1** ENRIQUE IGLESIAS Bailando (Español) ft. Descemer Bueno, Gente De Zona
- 2 ROMEO SANTOS Eres Mía
- 3 ROMEO SANTOS Propuesta Indecente
- 4 WISIN Adrenalina ft. Jennifer Lopez, Ricky Martin
- 5 SHAKIRA La La (Brazil 2014) ft. Carlinhos Brown
- 6 PITBULL FEAT. JENNIFER LOPEZ & CLAUDIA
 LEITTE We Are One (Ole Ola)
- PRINCE ROYCE Darte un Beso
- 3 CALVIN HARRIS Summer
- YANDEL Moviendo Caderas ft. Daddy Yankee
- 10 KATY PERRY Dark Horse (Official) ft. Juicy J

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INDIE SINGLES TOP 20



INDIE ALBUMS TOP 20 London Grammar

1 NEW MK FT ALANA Always / Defected (ACA Arvato)

- MILKY CHANCE Stolen Dance / Ignition (PIAS Arvato)
- VANCE JOY Riptide / Infentious (PIAS Arvato) 3 2
- 4 NEW THE COURTEENERS How Good It Was / V2/PIAS/Co Op (PIAS Arvato)
- 5 SECONDCITY I Wanna Feel / MoS (Fuga/Sony DADC UK)
- AWOLNATION Sail / Red Bull (PIAS Arvato)
- THE 1975 Chocolate / Dirty Hit (Ingrooves)
- **8** 6 PASSENGER Let Her Go / Nettwerk (Essential)
- ALT-J Hunger Of The Pine / Infectious (PIAS Arvato) 9 11
- ARCTIC MONKEYS Do I Wanna Know? / Domino (PIAS Acuato) 10 8
- **11** 3 DJ FRESH VS TC FT LITTLE NIKKI Make U Bounce / Mos (Fuga/Sony DADC UK)
- **12** RE TEGAN & SARA FT LONELY ISLAND Everything Is Awesome / Watertower (Warner Bros Ent.)
- MACKLEMORE & RYAN LEWIS FEAT. RAY DALTON Can't Hold Us / Macklemore (ADA Arvato)
- 14 NEW SLEEPING AT LAST I'm Gonna Be (500 Miles) / Sleeping At Last (The Orchard)
- JUNGLE Time / XL (PIAS Arvato) **15** 9
- DVBBS & BORGEOUS FT TINIE TEMPAH Tsunami (Jump) / MoS (Fugo/Sony DADC UK) 16 14
- 17 NEW FAMILY OF THE YEAR Hero / Nettwerk (Essential GEM)
- ARCTIC MONKEYS R U Mine / Domino (PIAS Arvato)
- JUNGLE Busy Earnin' / XL (PIAS Arvato)

Family Of The year

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17 16

20 NEW FKA TWIGS Two Weeks / Young Turks/XL (PIAS Arvato)

INDIE SINGLES BREAKERS TOP 20

FAMILY OF THE YEAR Hero / Nettwerk (Nettwerk)

3 NEW NATHAN GRISDALE Smile / Boxx (Boxx)

8 NEW DEE STAR Am I Wrong / Fit Hits (Fit Hits)

15 18 DEORRO Five Hours / PRMD (PRMD)

18 NEW ORDER OF ERA One / Leland (Leland Music)

19 NEW CASSA LIO No Place I'd Rather Be / Bigshig (Bigshig)

FKA TWIGS Two Weeks / Young Turks/XL (XL Beggars)

QUEENSTON Marry That Girl / Queenston (Queenston)

CAZZETTE FT THE HIGH Sleepless / Icons (Icons)

WARD THOMAS Push For The Stride / WTW (WTW Music)

YOGSCAST Diggy Diggy Hole / Yogscast Studios (Yogscast Studios)

12 NEW SBTRKT FT EZRA KOENIG New Dorp New York / Young Turks/XL (XL Beggars)

CARIBOU Can't Do Without You / City Slang (City Slang)

JO LI Everything Is Awesome / Watertower (Watertower)

20 19 **CINEMATIC ORCHESTRA** To Build A Home / Nir ja Tune (Nir.ja Tune)

13 NEW TINK Treat Me Like Somebody / Lyrical Eyes (Lyrical Eyes)

14 NEW GRIMES FT BLOOD DIAMONDS Go / 4AD (XL Beggars)

EDWARD SHARPE & MAGNETIC ZEROS Home / Rough Trade (XL Beggars)

NEW ONEWORLD Freedom For Palestine / Brixtown (Brixtown

Milky Chance Indie Singles (2)



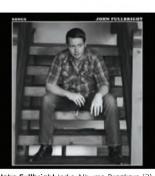
FKA Twigs Indie Singles Breakers (2)



Richard Thompson Indie Albums (2)



John Hiatt Indie Albums Breakers (2)



John Fullbright Indie Albums Breakers (3)

- LONDON GRAMMAR If You Wait / Metal & Dust (Sony DADC UK)
- 2 NEW RICHARD THOMPSON Acoustic Classics / Beeswing (Proper Music)
- 3 1 JUNGLE Jungle / XL (PIAS Arvato)
- 4 NEW YES Heaven & Farth / Frontiers (Plastic Head)
- 5 NEW KING CREOSOTE From Scotland With Love / Domino (PIAS Arvato)
- ARCTIC MONKEYS AM / Domino (PIAS Arvato)
- 7 NEW WARD THOMAS From Where We Stand / WTW (Absolute Arvato)
- JACK WHITE Lazaretto / XL (PIAS Arvato)
- 9 6 PASSENGER All The Little Lights / Nettwerk (Essential/Proper)
- 10 NEW JOHN HIATT Terms Of My Surrender / New West (ADA Arvato)
- MACKLEMORE & RYAN LEWIS The Heist / Macklemore (ACA Arvato) **11** RE
- **12** 8 THE WAR ON DRUGS Lost In The Dream / Secretly Canadian (PIAS Arvato)
- DAVID GRAY Mutineers / IHT (Kobalt/Proper)
- JOHN BARROWMAN You Raise Me Up / Barrowman Barker (ADA Arvato) **14** 7
- 15 NEW JOHN FULLBRIGHT Songs / Blue Dirt (Essential/Proper)
- CARO EMERALD The Shocking Miss Emerald / Dramatico/Grand Mono (ALA Arvata) 16 10
- 17 NEW ALVVAYS Alvvays / Transgressive (PIAS Arvato)
- ARCTIC MONKEYS Whatever People Say I Am That's What I'm Not / Domino (PIAS Arvato)
- ADELE 21 / XL (PIAS Arvato)
- MILKY CHANCE Sadnecessary / Ignition (PIAS Arvato)

INDIE ALBUMS BREAKERS TOP 20



- 1 NEW WARD THOMAS From Where We Stand / WTW (WTW Music)
- 2 34 JOHN HIATT Terms Of My Surrender / New West (New Wast)
- 3 NEW JOHN FULLBRIGHT Songs / Blue Dirt (Blue Dirt)
- 4 NEW ALVVAYS Alvvays / Transgressive (PIAS)
- 5 NEW WOMAN'S HOUR Conversations / Secretly Canadian (Secretly Group)
- NEW OVERKILL White Devil Armory / Nuclear Blast (Nuclear Blast)
- 7 NEW MOONS Mindwaves / Schnitzel (Schnitzel)
- HILLSONG WORSHIP No Other Name / Hillsong (Hillsong Music)
- 9 NEW LOGISTICS Polyphony / Hospital (Hospital)
- FAMILY OF THE YEAR Loma Vista / Nettwerk (Nettwerk) 10 9
- 11 NEW CROWN THE EMPIRE The Resistance Rise Of The Runaways / Rise (Rise Records)
- **12** 4 JACK SAVORETTI Before The Storm / Fullfill (Fullfill)
- **HONEYBLOOD** Honeyblood / Fatcat (Fatcat Recordings) **13** 2
- 14 NEW REAL FRIENDS Maybe This Place Is The Same And We're / Fearless (Fearless)
- **15** 1 SUICIDE SILENCE You Can't Stop Me / Nuclear Blast (Nuclear Blast)
- 16 NEW JULIE FOWLIS Gach Sgeul Every Story / Machair (Machair)
- 17 NEW MIKE HOUGH Lost In Love / Mike Hough (Mike Hough)
- **18** 7 ENO & HYDE High Life / Warp (Warp)
- LPO/PARRY The 50 Greatest Pieces Of Classical / X5 (X5)
- FINK Hard Believer / Regund (Nir in Tune)

King Creosote

ATRIBE CALLED RED Electric Pow Wow Drum / Masalacism (Masalacism)



OFFICIAL RECORD STORE CHART TOP 20

- 1 New KING CREOSOTE From Scotland With Love Domino Recordings
- MORRISSEY World Peace Is None Of Your Business Harvest
- JUNGLE Jungle XI Recordings
- ED SHEERAN X Asylum
- 5 New **REAL FRIENDS** Maybe This Place Is The Same And We're Featless
- 6 New LA ROUX Trouble In Paradise Polydor
- 7 New WOMAN'S HOUR Conversations Secretly Canadian
- **SLOW CLUB** Complete Surrender Caroline
- JACK WHITE Lazaretto XI Recordings
- **10** 9 GEORGE EZRA Wanted On Voyage Columbia

- ARCADE FIRE Reflektor Sonovox 11 39
- MANIC STREET PREACHERS Futurology Columbia 12 5
- **13** New ALVVAYS Alvvays Trans
- RICHARD THOMPSON Acoustic Classics Beeswing **14** New
- **15** 6 JUDAS PRIEST Redeemer Of Souls Columbia
- PAOLO NUTINI Caustic Love Atlantic **16** 10
- **DOLLY PARTON** Blue Smoke The Best Of Masterworks **17** 14
- WAR ON DRUGS Lost In The Dream Secretly Canadian 18 17
- **19** 15 NICOLA BENEDETTI Homecoming Decca
- FIRST AID KIT Stay Gold Columbia **20** 11

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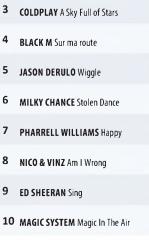
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21/07/2014 - 27/07/2014 LUKAS GRAHAM Mama Said LILLY WOOD Prayer In C MAGIC! Rude BURHAN G Karma (feat. L.O.C.) SAM SMITH Stay With Me **TOPGUNN** Kongens Have JOEY MOE Million JOHN LEGEND All of Me SIA Chandelier

10 MAROON 5 Maps

21/07/2014 - 27/07/2014 LILLY WOOD Prayer in C SIA Chandelier





ark: Lukas Grahai

18/07/2014 - 24/07/2014 MARLON ROUDETTE When the Beat . LILLY WOOD Prayer In C ANDREAS BOURANI Auf uns **CALVIN HARRIS** Summer MARK FORSTER Au revoir (feat. Sido) HELENE FISCHER Atemlos durch die...

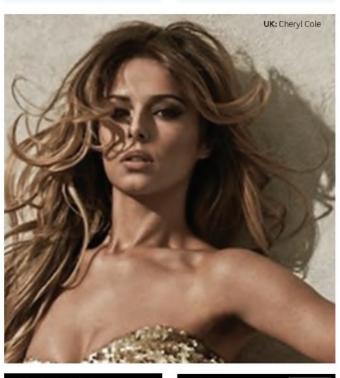
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8 ONEREPUBLIC Love Runs Out

10 JASON DERULO Wiggle

COLDPLAY A Sky Full of Stars









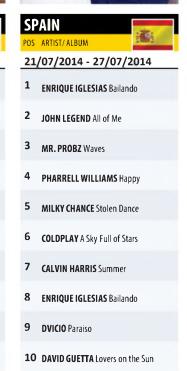


PHARRELL WILLIAMS Happy

10 БЬЯНКА Я не отступлю

NICO & VINZ Am I Wrong

10 JASON DERULO Wiggle





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UNITED KINGDOM

20/07/2014 - 26/07/2014

- VARIOUS Now That's What I...! 88
- **ED SHEERAN** x
- **COURTEENERS** How Good It Was EP
- VARIOUS ARTISTS Frozen
- TROYE SIVAN Trxye EP
- SAM SMITH In the Lonely Hour
- **ELLIE GOULDING** Halcyon Days
- GEORGE EZRA Wanted On Voyage
- VARIOUS Now That's What...Summer
- 10 VARIOUS ARTISTS Clubland 25

21/07/2014 - 27/07/2014

- MADS LANGER Side Effects EP
- TROYE SIVAN Trxye EP
- **VARIOUS ARTISTS** More Summer 2014
- THE RAVEONETTES Pe'ahi
- **CHRISTOPHER** Told You So
- **BURHAN G** Din For Evigt
- **COLDPLAY** Ghost Stories
- ED SHEERAN +
- LUKAS GRAHAM Lukas Graham
- 10 ED SHEERAN x (Deluxe Edition)

21/07/2014 - 27/07/2014

- FRÉRO DELAVEGA Fréro Delavega
- STROMAE Racine Carrée
- VARIOUS ARTISTS NRJ Party Hits 2014
- LONDON GRAMMAR If You Wait
- JULIEN DORÉ LØVE (Deluxe Version)
- **COLDPLAY** Ghost Stories
- **IMAGINE DRAGONS** Night Visions
- LA BANDE A RENAUD La bande à...
- LANA DEL REY Born to Die
- 10 CHRISTINE... Chaleur humaine

18/07/2014 - 24/07/2014

- DIE DREI ??? Folge 169: Die Spur des..
- **HELENE FISCHER** Farbenspiel
- VARIOUS MegaHits Sommer 2014
- ED SHEERAN x
- RISE AGAINST The Black Market
- VARIOUS Tomorrowland Music Will...
- LANA DEL REY Ultraviolence (Special)
- CRO Melodie (Deluxe Edition)
- MARK FORSTER Bauch und Kopf
- 10 BOSSE Kraniche (Live in Hamburg)

Switzerland: Ed Sheeran



- ARTISTI VARI Hit's Summer! 2014
- **COLDPLAY** Ghost Stories
- VARIOUS Hit Mania Estate 2014
- COLDPLAY A Sky Full of Stars EP
- FRANCESCO RENGA Tempo reale
- GIORGIA Senza paura (Special Edition)
- BIAGIO ANTONACCI L'amore comporta
- MODÀ Gioia...non è mai abbastanza!
- **LIGABUE** Mondovisione
- 10 PAOLO NUTINI Caustic Love



NETHERLANDS RUSSIA

18/07/2014 - 24/07/2014

- VARIOUS Tomorrowland Music Will..
- STROMAE Racine Carrée
- **VARIOUS ARTISTS** MNM Big Hits 2014.2
- ARCTIC MONKEYS AM
- VARIOUS De Maxx Long Player 30
- **COLDPLAY** Ghost Stories
- ED SHEERAN +
- VARIOUS De Finale Foute CD, Vol. 13
- VARIOUS ARTISTS Hed Kandi Ibiza 2014
- 10 AVICII True





21/07/2014 - 27/07/2014

- VARIOUS NOW: Los Éxitos del Año 2014
- **IMAGINE DRAGONS** Night Visions
- JUAN MAGAN The King Is Back, Vol...
- LANA DEL REY Born to Die
- **COLDPLAY** Ghost Stories
- LA ROUX Trouble In Paradise
- PHARRELL WILLIAMS GIRL ISMAEL SERRANO La Llamada
- ВЛАДИМИР ... Владимир Высоцкий...
- 9 IMAGINE DRAGONS Night Visions

21/07/2014 - 27/07/2014

LANA DEL REY Born to Die

ВИНТАЖ Decamerone

KIESZA Hideaway - EP

4 АЛСУ Ты - это свет

VARIOUS Tomorrowland - Music Will

- VARIOUS ARTISTS Новая волна 2014



- VARIOUS Mujeres y Hombres y...
- **DAVID GUETTA** Lovers on the Sun EP
- **ENRIQUE IGLESIAS** SEX AND LOVE
- 10 JOHN LEGEND Love in the Future



- VARIOUS Absolute Summer Hits 2014
- HILLSONG WORSHIP Inget Annat...
- VARIOUS Absolute Dance Summer 2014
- VARIOUS För kärlekens skull Svenska ...
- **LALEH** Colors
- KERBERA She Saw Bridges Burn EP
- FIRST AID KIT Stay Gold
- VARIOUS Absolute Running 2014
- **COLDPLAY** Ghost Stories
- 10 MORRISSEY World Peace Is None of...

SWITZERLAND



- **ED SHEERAN** x
- KODALINE In a Perfect World
- **COLDPLAY** Ghost Stories
- LANA DEL REY Ultraviolence (Special Ed)
- **HELENE FISCHER** Farbenspiel
- LO & LEDUC Zucker fürs Volk
- DIE DREI ??? Folge 169: Die Spur des...
- CRO Melodie (Deluxe Edition)
- 10 VARIOUS We Love Summer 2014

CHARTS ANALYSIS WEEK 30



CHARTBOUND

Based on midweek sales, the following releases are expected to debut in or around the Official Charts Company Top 75 singles and artist albums charts this Sunday.

UK SINGLES CHART



- BARS & MELODY Hopeful Syco Music
- ZHU Faded Polydor
- **■** MELISSA STEEL FT POPCAAN Kisses For Breakfast Atlantic
- BAKERMAT One Day (Vandaag) B1
- VIC MENSA Down On My Luck EMI
- NAUGHTY BOY & ROMANS Home Virgin
- LEAH MCFALL FT WILL I AM Home Capitol
- ERIC PRYDZ Liberate Virgin
- PIXIE LOTT Lay Me Down Mercury

UK ARTIST ALBUMS CHART



- ERIC CLAPTON Eric Clapton & Friends The Breeze Polydor
- TOM PETTY & THE HEARTBREAKERS Hypnotic Eve Reprise
- NEON JUNGLE Welcome To The Jungle RCA
- CHER LLOYD Sorry I'm Late Syco Music
- DAVID GUETTA Nothing But The Beat Parlophone
- THEORY OF A DEADMAN Savages
- STRUTS Everybody Wants Future Records
- ROYAL BRITISH LEGION BAND Forever Decca
- BLUES PILLS Blues Pills Nuclear Blast
- PUMEZA MATSHIKIZA Voice Of Hope Decca
- JENNY LEWIS The Voyager Warner Bros
- STORMZY Dreamers Disease N/A
- SIMPLE MINDS Celebrate Live At The SSE Hvdro Glasgow Edsel
- PINK FLOYD Wish You Were Here Rhino

The new Official Charts Company UK sales charts and Radiomonitor airplay charts are available from every Sunday evening at musicweek.com.

Source: Official Charts Company

SINGLES

■ BY ALAN JONES

o.1 four times as a member of Girls Aloud between 2002 and 2008, Cheryl Cole equalled that tally outside the group framework, with Crazy Stupid Love - which also delivered a fifth chart-topper for featured rapper Tinie Tempah - debuting at No.1 last Sunday.

Crazy Stupid Love is the first single from Cole's upcoming fourth album, Only Human, and thus follows a familiar pattern Fight For This Love, the first single from 3 Words, was a No.1 in 2009; Promise This, the first single from Messy Little Raindrops, was a No.1 in 2010; and Call My Name, the first single from A Million Lights, was a No.1 in 2012. Cole is thus in the unique position of having topped the chart with the introductory single from four albums, but never at any other time in her solo career.

Crazy Stupid Love's first week sales of 118,145 - including 3,618 streaming sales - were lower than any of its predecessors. Fight For This Love opened with a stellar



292,846 sales, Promise This started with 157,210 sales, and Call My Name with 152,001 sales.

Previously No.50 on streams alone, Canadian pop/reggae band Magic!'s debut hit Rude exploded to No.2 on Sunday. Selling 107,845 copies, it is set to dethrone Cole this weekend.

Charli XCX scored her first Top 10 hit in her own right, with Boom Clap - which was previously charting on streaming

points alone - jumping 158-6 (43,166 sales) following its release on download. The 21 year old previously sang on Icona Pop's No.1 smash I Love It, and Iggy Azalea's No.5 hit Fancy. Her only previous chart foray in a solo capacity came last December when Superlove reached No.62.

Last week's top three all declined substantially: Rixton's debut hit Me And My Broken Heart slid 1-8 (39,756 sales),

Ariana Grande's Problem (feat. Iggy Azalea) dipped 2-5 (44,320 sales) and Will.I.Am's It's My Birthday (feat. Cody Wise) fell 3-7 (40,812 sales).

George Ezra's debut single Budapest and debut album Wanted On Voyage have occupied identical chart berths in the last four weeks, each moving 3-5-5-4. Budapest's Sunday climb was attended by sales of 44,777 copies.

Elsewhere in the Top 10: Ella Henderson's Ghost bounced 4-3 (59,785 sales), Jess Glynne's Right Here retreated 7-9 (35,666 sales) and Ed Sheeran's Sing dipped 8-10 (31,338 sales).

Originally released in 1992, Always by MK feat. Alana, dashes to a No.12 debut (28,699 sales) thanks to new mixes.

Overall singles sales were up 6.73% week-on-week, at 5,495,419. Streaming accounted for 2,674,898 sales, 48.68% of the total. Under previously existing criteria where only paid-for purchases were included, overall singles sales were up 7.71% weekon-week at 2,820,521 - 15.62% below same week 2013 sales of 3,342,737, and the 50th consecutive week in which they have declined versus a year ago.

ALBUMS

■ BY ALAN JONES

ecoming the first album to spend five consecutive weeks at No.1 since Adele's 21 in early 2011, Ed **Sheeran**'s X sold a further 33,283 copies last week - the lowest for a No.1 for 15 weeks - to raise its cumulative sales to 400,532. It seems set for a sixth straight week at the summit, with Tuesday's midweek sales flashes showing it to be 37.90% ahead of nearest challenger The Breeze, by Eric Clapton & Friends.

Although X has seen sales decline significantly week-onweek since its release, nothing came near to matching it in the latest frame, with La Roux's long-awaited second album Trouble In Paradise proving to be the fastest selling new release and the only new Top 10 arrival, with first week sales of just 8,391 earning it a No.6 debut.

It's a little over five years since La Roux's eponymous debut album opened and peaked at No.2 on sales of 62,650 copies in the wake of their smash hits, In For The Kill (No.2) and follow-up Bulletproof, which was No.1 when the album was released. By contrast, the unreasonably long delay in releasing a follow-up and the fact that the album has yet to spawn a major



hit - Uptight Downtown debuted at No.63 (5,740 sales) on Sunday - will undoubtedly have counted against Trouble In Paradise. In For The Kill has thus far sold 875,523 copies, Bulletproof has sold 530,524 copies and the first album has sold 416,667 copies.

Morrissey's new album, World Peace Is None Of Your Business, suffered a big 2-12 (5,255 sales) dip on Sunday, at the end of its second frame, but the rest of the Top 10 was fairly static.

Blue Smoke/The Best Of Dolly Parton suffered an 11.70% dip in sales but gave the veteran country singer another new peak, climbing 3-2 (13,602 sales). Also

charting higher on lower sales were In The Lonely Hour by Sam Smith (4-3, 12,347 sales), Wanted On Voyage by George Ezra (5-4, 9,379 sales), Ghost Stories by Coldplay (8-5, 8,416 sales), 5 Seconds Of Summer (9-8, 6,993 sales) and Halcyon by Ellie Goulding (10-9, 6,612 sales). Completing the top tier, Paolo Nutini's Caustic Love drifted 6-7 (7,621 sales) and Paloma Faith's A Perfect Contradiction jumped 16-10 (6,483 sales).

Also departing from the Top 10 was Jungle's eponymous debut (7-19, 4,088 sales).

Without a Top 20 album for the

first 38 years of his career, 65 year old folk singer Richard Thompson scored his third in a row since 2010, with Acoustic Classics debuting at No.16 (4,321 sales) on Sunday, to equal his previous best, as set by 2013's Electric.

Progressive rock veterans Yes' 21st studio album, Heaven & Earth, debuted at No.20 (3,996 sales) to become their highest charting album of new material since 1991. It brought Yes' tally of chart albums since their 1970 chart debut to 23, including two No.1s.

With nearly 50 albums to his credit since 1998 - a tally that includes self-released CDRs, live sets and studio albums - Fife singer/ songwriter Kenny Anderson is one of the UK's most prolific recording artists under the less conventional name of King Creosote. Not one of his previous albums has made the Top 75 but with Glasgow staging the Commonwealth Games, he was commissioned to write and perform the soundtrack to BBC TV documentary From Scotland With Love. First shown in June, and repeated on BBC Four several times since, it helps to generate sales of 3,926 copies of the King Creosote album, which duly debuted at No.21 (No.3 in Scotland).

Overall album sales were up 14.77% week-on-week at 1,454,766 - 11.09% below same week 2013 sales of 1,636,244.

CHARTS CLUB WEEK 30



UPFRONT CLUB TOP 40 DUKE DUMONT Won't Look Back / Blasé Boys Club/Virgin/EMI PORTER ROBINSON FT. URBAN CONE Lionhearted / virgin/EMI 11 ZHU Faded / Polydor 19 SOLANGE HILARIO Tick Tock / Da Banda 8 5 KANT Ey Yo / One More Tune CAZZETTE FT. THE HIGH Sleepless / Icons 20 OLIVER \$ & JIMI JULES Pushing On / Defected 13 5 WATERMAT Bullit / Go Beat/Spinnin **DISCIPLES** Poison Arrow / FFRR 10 6 MNEK Wrote A Song About You / Virgin/EMI 10 21 2 VIC MENSA Down On My Luck / Virgin/EMI **11** 16 4 HENRY KRINKLE Stay / Relentles 25 CHRIS MALINCHAK FT. MIKKY EKKO Stranger / Relentless 13 NFW 1 **14** RE 3 THE DEALER FT. DAMON C. SCOTT Right Beside You / Pocket Aces/AATW **15** 15 4 FERRICK DAWN & REDONDO Love Too Deep / 3 Beat 16 NEW 1 DAVID GUETTA FT. SAM MARTIN Lovers On The Sun / Parlophone ALLA RAY FT. SNEAKBO The Race / Hot Beat **17** 28 3 KOVE FT. MELISSA STEEL Way We Are / MIA 18 **19** 22 2 BLONDE FT. CHARLITAFT Higher Ground / FFRR ARIANA & THE ROSE Love Me. Hate Me / Pookiebird 20 5 **21** 26 10 ZINC FT. SNEAKY SOUND SYSTEM Show Me / Rinse/Virgin/EMI **22** NEW 1 KAMAURA FT. MARCUS COLLINS Sweet Thang / Spincredible GURU JOSH (In) My Burning Bush / G Prod. 23 29 3 24 2 AVICII Lay Me Down / PRMD/Positiva **25** NEW 1 FREEMASONS Shakedown 3 - EP / Freemaison QUINTINO & MOTI FT. TAYLR RENEE & WILEY Dynamite (Boom) / 3 Beat **26** NEW 1 AIDEN JUDE Tonight / Crowd 27 RF 2 HOT NATURED Benediction / FFRR **28** 12 13 37 4 MAVERICK SABRE Emotion (Ain't Nobody) / Virgin/EMI FOXES Glorious / Sign Of The Times 30 NFW 1 **31** 40 2 YONES On The Rise / One Nation/Tommy Bcy PLASTIK FUNK FT. POLINA One Of These Days / Tiger 32 JESS GLYNNE Right Here / Atlantic **33** 24 6 NAUGHTY BOY FT. SAM ROMANS Home / Virgin/EMI 34 3 **35** 17 ERIC PRYDZ Liberate / Virgin/EMI **36** 27 11 MK FT. ALANA Always / MoS/Defected EK MUZIK It's You / Midas **37** NEW 1 **38** 18 8 BINGO PLAYERS Knock You Out / Positiva COLDPLAY A Sky Full Of Stars / Parlophone MAKREE FT. EDVARDS GRIEZE Clouds / Metron





Dumont scores Upfront hat-trick

ANALYSIS

■ BY ALAN JONES

uke Dumont makes it three No.1s in a row on the Upfront chart, with latest effort Won't Look Back jumping 7-1 to deny Virgin/EMI labelmate Porter Robinson, whose Lionhearted (feat. Urban Cone) jumps 11-2, ending up only slightly

Duke Dumont - real name Adam Dyment - first topped the Upfront chart in March 2013 with Need U (100%), and returned to the summit in

February 2014 with I Got U. Both tracks went on to top the Official Charts Company sales chart, with Need U (100%) selling 425,000, while I Got U recently passed the 500,000 mark.

Beyonce beats Solange is a sentence that is open to misinterpretation but any thoughts that the former Destiny's Child star has revenged her sister's elevator attack on husband Jay Z are wide of the mark. The Solange that Beyonce has beaten is Solange Hilario whose debut Commercial Pop chart hit Tick

Tock jumps 16-2 this week but is kept off the summit by Beyonce's latest single, Pretty Hurts. In mixes by R3Hab, it is Beyonce's first No.1 since I Was Here in September 2012, which was the last of 11 in a row for the diva.

Pretty Hurts also jumps 2-1 on the Urban club chart, where it is the third No.1 from Beyonce's current, eponymous album, following a February promo which combined two previous singles, Drunk In Love (feat. Jay-Z) and XO, and - a mere four weeks later - Blow.

COMMERCIAL POP TOP 30

OS L	AST	WKS	ARTIST / TRACK / LABEL
1	2	3	BEYONCE Pretty Hurts / Sony
2	16	2	SOLANGE HILARIO Tick Tock / Da Banda
3	21	2	PORTER ROBINSON FT. URBAN CONE Lionhearted / Virgin/EMI
4	10	3	FERRICK DAWN & REDONDO Love Too Deep / 3 Beat
5	14	3	CHRIS MALINCHAK FT. MIKKY EKKO Stranger / Relentless
6	15	2	DUKE DUMONT Won't Look Back / Blase Bcys Club/Virgin/EMI
7	12	2	COLDPLAY A Sky Full Of Stars / Parlophone
В	17	4	RIXTON Me And My Broken Heart / Polydor
9	29	2	CLEAN BANDIT FT. STYLO G Come Over / Atlantic
10	26	2	M.O. Dance On My Own / Operator
11	27	3	CAZZETTE FT. THE HIGH Sleepless / Icons
12	RE	4	THE DEALER FT. DAMON C. SCOTT Right Beside You / Pocket Aces/AATW
13	1	4	NAUGHTY BOY FT. SAM ROMANS Home / Virgin/EMI
14	3	5	ERIC PRYDZ Liberate / virgin/EMI
15	NEV	N 1	MNEK Wrote A Song About You / Virgin/EMI
16	23	2	HENRY KRINKLE Stay / Relentless
17	NΕV	N 1	FOXES Glorious / Sign Of The Times
18	NΕV	N 1	BASHEBA FT. JORDAN REECE Dirty Love (Your Love) / Y.O.B
19	5	5	CHERYL COLE FT. TINIE TEMPAH Crazy Stupid Love / Polydor
20	20	6	JESS GLYNNE Right Here / Atlantic
	NEV	N 1	MAGIC! Rude / Sony
		2	A.M. SNIPER FT. WILEY Bus Pass / 3Fifty7
23	NΕV	N 1	ONEREPUBLIC Love Runs Out / Interscape
	NEV	_	DAVID GUETTA FT. SAM MARTIN Lovers On The Sun / Parlophone
25	NΕV	N 1	ALLA RAY FT. SNEAKBO The Race / Hot Beat
	18	5	MK FT. ALANA Always / Mos/Defected
	11		AVICII Lay Me Down / PRMD/Positiva
	NEV	N 1	JANE MCDONALD Love Is All / JMD
	28	5	BINGO PLAYERS Knock You Out / Positiva
30	NEV	N 1	QUINTINO & MOTI FT. TAYLR RENEE & WILEY Dynamite (Boom) / 3 Beat

URBAN TOP 30

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POS	LAST	WKS	ARTIST / TRACK / LABEL
1	2	4	BEYONCE Pretty Hurts / Sony
2	1	9	VIC MENSA Down On My Luck / Virgin/EMI
3	11	5	JEREMIH FT. YG Don't Tell 'Em / Virgin/Emi
4	3	5	AMERIIE What I Want / Feenix Rising
5	7	5	QUINTINO & MOTI FT. TAYLR RENEE & WILEY Dynamite (Boom) / 3 Beat
6	5	8	FERRICK DAWN & REDONDO Love Too Deep / 3 Beat
7	20	2	JUS NOW FT. BLAXX Leh Go / 3 Beat
8	4	8	WILL.I.AM FT. CODY WISE It's My Birthday / Interscope
9	13	5	MAX MARSHALL Be Free / Fudge
10	10	9	A.M.SNIPER FT. WILEY Bus Pass / 3Fifty7
11	15	4	ALLA RAY FT. SNEAKBO The Race / Hot Beat
12	NEV	V 1	ALEXA Famous / White Label
13	19	3	MYSTERY SKULLS Ghost / Warner Bros.
14	NEV	V 1	PELTSMAN FT. KENNY THOMAS Your Love / Urban Sprawl
15	6	5	TINCHY STRYDER FT. TAKURA ESG / Cloud 9
16	30	2	M.O. Dance On My Own / Cperator
17	9	5	NAUGHTY BOY FT. SAM ROMANS Home / Virgin/EMI
18	16	8	USHER Good Kisser / RCA
19	NEV	V 1	CHRIS BROWN FT. USHER & RICK ROSS New Flame / RCA
20	NEV	V 1	MNEK Wrote A Song About You / Virgin/EMI
21	NEV	V 1	LUST & BURN X SO SHAW Different Kind Of Love / Katnipp
22	14	10	JASON DERULO FT. SNOOP DOGG Wiggle / Warner Bros.
23	17	5	WILEY You Know The Words / One More Tune
24	8	6	ARIANA & THE ROSE Love Me, Hate Me / Pookiebird
25	12	6	NICKI MINAJ Pills N Potions / Cash Money/Republic
26	NEV	V 1	SIGMA FT. PALOMA FAITH Changing / 3 Beat
27	21	15	CHRIS BROWN FT. LIL WAYNE Loyal / RCA
28	NEV	V 1	T.I. FT. IGGY AZALEA No Mediocre / Grand Hustle/Capitol
29	NEV	V 1	OLIVIA SOMERLYN Parachute / White Label
30	23	3	G-EAZY FT. REMO Mean It / RCA

COOL CUTS TOP 20

- 1 FREEMASONS Shakedown 3 EP
- SIGMA FT PALOMA FAITH Changing
- **DAVID GUETTA** Lovers On The Sun
- DJ FRESH FT ELLIE GOULDING Flashlight
- TCTS Games
- **BLONDE FT CHARLI TAFT** Higher Ground
- BONDAX All I See
- HIGH CONTRAST FT CLARE MAGUIRE Who's Loving You
- 9 JESSIE WARE Tough Love
- 10 CAHILL Sunshine
- 11 MARK KNIGHT Bullets Vol.3
- 12 SOLANGE HILARIO Tick Tock
- 13 ABOVE & BEYOND FT ALEX VARGAS
- Blue Sky Action
- 14 ALESSO Tear The Roof Up
- 15 UMMET OZCAN Smash
- 16 DIRTY SOUTH FT SAM MARTIN
- Unbreakable
- 17 LYKKE LI Gunshot
- 18 WIDEBOYS VS RUFF DRIVERZ
 - Deeper Love Reloaded
- 19 ROMANTHONY What \$ Love
- 20 GURU JOSH My Burning Bush

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PRODUCTKEY RELEASES



► KLANGKARUSSELL Netzwerk 04.08



► NEON TREES Pop Psychology 11.08



► LUKE SITAL-SINGH The Fire Inside 18.08



► BASEMENT JAXX Junto 25.08



► THE KOOKS Listen 01.09

AUGUST 4

SINGLES

- BLONDE Higher Ground (Ffrr)
- NELL BRYDEN Wayfarer (157/Nyc/Absolute)
- CHRIS MALINCHAK FT MIKKY EKKO

Stranger (Epic,

- DJ CASSIDY FT R KELLY Make The World Go Round (Columbia)
- ELBOW Real Life (Fiction)
- KASABIAN Bumblebeee (Columbia)
- NETSKY Running Low (Epic)
- NICO & VINZ Am | Wrong? (Warner Brothers)
- MIKE OLDFIELD Man On The Rocks (Mercury)
- ONE REPUBLIC Love Runs Out (Interscope)
- PLACEBO A Million Little Pieces (Virgin/Em.)
- PORTER RORINSON Lionhearted (Virgin/Emi)

ANGUS & JULIA STONE A Heartbreak (Virgin/Emi)

• JESSIE WARE Tough Love (Island/Pmr)

AL BUMS

- PIXIF LOTT Pixie Lott (Mercup)
- MAGIC! Dont Kill The Magic (Rca)
- ORIGINAL LONDON CAST From Here To

Fternity - The Musical (Cinestage/Absolute)

- OWL JOHN Owl John (Atlantic)
- ANGUS & JULIA STONE Angus & Julia Stone

TUATARA Underworld (Sunyata)

AUGUST 11

- A.M. SNIPER FT WILEY Bus Pass (3Fifty7)
- BINGO PLAYERS Knock Me Out (Virgin/Emi)
- JAKE BUGG There's A Beast And We All Feed
- CLEAN BANDIT FT. STYLO G Come Over. (Atlantic
- SIGN Down On Me (Virgin/Em)
- THE GASLIGHT ANTHEM Rollin' And Tumblin' (Virgin/Em.)
- HOT NATURED Benediction Ep

(Ffrr/Hot Creations/Warner)

- LAURA WELSH Break The Fall (Polydor)
- GEORGE MICHAEL Feeling Good (Virgin/Emi)
- MISTA SILVA Green Light (Polydor)
- NEON TREES Sleeping With A Friend

- PALOMA FAITH Trouble With My Baby (Epic)
- PASSENGER Scare Away The Dark (Islana)
- REBEAT Walking Dead (Champion)
- RIZZLE KICKS Tell Her (Island)
- THE SATURDAYS What You Waiting For

- TCTS Games Ep (Mtg)
- TWIN ATLANTIC Brothers And Sisters Ep

YOUNG & SICK Heartache Fetish (Virgin)

AL RUMS

- ANNIE EVE Sunday '91 (Rca)
- BEAR HANDS Distraction (Wurner Brothers)
- CHILDHOOD Lacuna

(House Anxiety/Marathon Artists)

- ALEX CLARE Three Hearts (Islana)
- ENGINEERS Always Returning (Kscope)
- THE GASLIGHT ANTHEM Get Hurt

- KAN WAKAN Moving On (Virgin/Em.)
- NEON TREES Pop Psychology (Mercury)
- SINEAD O'CONNOR I'm Not Bossy, I'm The
- ONE REPUBLIC Native (Interscope)
- RICHARD AND ADAM At The Movies (Sony)

Greatest Hits (Polydor)

SINGLES

- THE 1975 Heart Out (Dirty Hit/Polydor)
- BASEMENT JAXX Never Say Never

BODHI VS GEORGE THE POET My City

- BOMBAY BICYCLE CLUB Come To (Islana)
- BROODS Mother + Father (Polydor)
- CAGE THE ELEPHANT Take It Or Leave It
- (Relentless/Virgin)
- CRIS CAB Liar Liar (Virgin/Emi)
- DAVID GUETTA ET SAM MARTIN Lovers On. The Sun (Parlophone)
- FLORRIE Little White Lies (Xenomania/Sony)
- MALLORY KNOX Ghost In The Mirror (Rca)
- LIZZO Bus Passes & Happy Meals (Virgin/Emil)
- MARIAH CAREY FT WALE You Don't Know
- What To Do (Island Def Jam Mg/Universal)
- REDLIGHT Cure Me (Polydor)
- SAINT MOTEL My Type Ep (Parlophone)
- LUKE SITAL-SINGH Nothing Stays The Same

• T.I. FT IGGY AZALEA No Mediocre

(Columbia/Grand Hustle)

- THE TING TINGS Wrong Club (Finca)
- UNION J Tonight (We Live Forever) (Epic)
- WANKELMUT & EMMA LOUISE My Head Is A Jungle (Virgin)

YEARS & YEARS Take Shelter (Polydor):

AL RUMS

- ACCEPT Blind Rage (Nuclear Blast)
- BAHAMAS Bahamas Is Afie (Brushfire/Island)
- (FI FRRATION Albumin (Rella Union)

SINGLES

- ALEXA GODDARD Marilyn (Islana)
- DUKE DUMONT Won't Look Back (Virgin)
- FEKKY X DIZZEE RASCAL Still Sittin' Here
- G.R.L Ugly Heart (Rca)
- KIMBERLY ANNE Liar (Polydor)
- KLANGKARUSSELL Netzwerk (Falls Like
- (Robin Schulz Remix) (Atlantic)
- MARK LANEGAN BAND No Bells On Sunday
- MAROON 5 Maps (A&M/Octone)
- MOKO Gold Ep (Mta)
- PUBLIC ACCESS TV Rebounder Ep (Polydor)
- THE RAILS Habit (Island)
- ROYAL BLOOD Figure It Out (Warner Brothers) THE ROYAL CONCEPT On Our Way (Island)
- LEWIS WATSON Holding On (Warner Brothers)

• WE WERE EVERGREEN Best Thing

 WILEY You Know The Words (Warner Brothers/One More Tune)

AL BUMS

- BASEMENT JAXX Junto (Atlantic Jaxx)
- COLD SPECKS Neuroplasticity (Mute)
- CRIS CAB Where | Belong (Virgin/Em)
- TINA DICO Whispers (Finest Gramophone)

- ERLAND AND THE CARNIVAL Closing Time
- PORTISHEAD Dummy Re-Release (Island) ROYAL BLOOD Royal Blood (Warner Brothers)

SEPTEMBER 1

SINGLES

- BECK Heart Is A Drum (Emit.)
- SINEAD HARTNETT No Other Wav Ep

- Die (Virgin)
- PHOX Kingfisher (Partisan)

(Metropolis)

- ASHLEY ROBERTS Butterfly Effect
- THE COLOR MORALE Hold On Pain Ends
- KLANGKARUSSELL Netzwerk (Island) • THE KOOKS Listen (Virgin/Emi)
- MAROON 5 V (A&M/Octone)
- THE PIERCES Creation (Polydor) SWEDISH HOUSE MAFIA Leave The World

SEPTEMBER 8

Behind (Virgin/Emi)

- AFROJACK FT SNOOP DOGG Dynamite
- BELLOWHEAD Let Her Run (Islana)
- LITTLE DRAGON Pretty Girls (Because) • RAY FOXX FT RACHEL K COLLIER Curious
- STROMAE Papaoutai (Islana)
- WHILK & MISKY Clap Hands (Island)

(Strictly Rhythm/Island

- RYAN ADAMS Ryan Adams (Columbia)
- PAUL CARRACK The Best Of (Carrack Uk)
- INTERPOL El Pintor (Soft Limit)
- QUEEN Queen: Live At The Rainbow '74

SEPTEMBER 15

- AL BUMS
- ERASURE The Violet Flame (Mute)
- HOZIER Hozier (klana) • LENNY KRAVITZ Strut (Roxie/Proper)

SEPTEMBER 29

SINGLES

 JESSIE J, ARIANA GRANDE, NICKI MINAJ Bang Bang (Islana)

• WEEZER Everything Will Be Alright In The End (Islana)

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PRIDES | Should Know You Better (Island)

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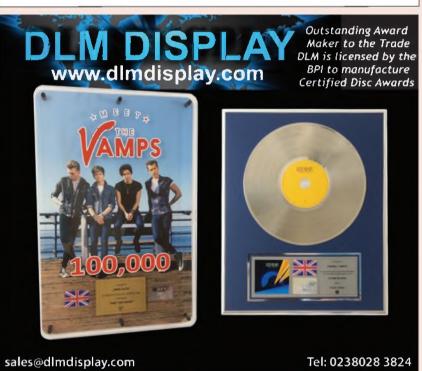
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▲ WELCOME ANDY C

The glasses were raised at Atlantic once more this week when the Warner label welcomed drum 'n' bass DJ Andy C to its roster. The obligatory post-signing smile and snap can be seen above L to R: Mark Mitchell (general manager, Atlantic Records UK), Scott Bourne (Andy C's manager), Andy C, Ben Cook (president, Atlantic Records UK), Joe Barbe (A&R manager Atlantic Records UK) and lawyer Dean Marsh.



◆ ON-SCREEN SHEP

Legendary manager Shep Gordon isn't short of friends and here he is with Kilimaniaro's Stuart Galbraith and The Agency Group's Neil Warnock at the UK premiere of Supermensch: The Legend Of Shep Gordon at the BFI earlier this month. The Mike Myers-directed documentary is in cinemas now and looks back across Gordon's career managing music acts including Alice Cooper and Luther Vandross.

► THE AMERICANA DREAM

The second Americana Music Association UK conference took place at the beginning of July at Suffolk's Easton Park Farm as part of The Maverick Festival. There was plenty of time to enjoy the good weather between the programmed events and networking sessions. Pictured [L-R]: Paul Fenn (Asgard/AMA-UK associate director), Alan West (musician/ NEO Music), Bob Paterson (BPA Live/ AMA-UK co-vice chair), MC Hansen (musician) and Bob Harris (BBC Radio 2).



KEY SONGS IN THE LIFE OF

Simon Napier-Bell



Manager, Songwriter, Producer and Author

What was the first record you remember buying?

Pretty Little Black-Eyed Susie by Guy Mitchell, when I was ten. Seeing myself mime to it in the mirror put me off pop music for a decade and I turned to jazz.

Which song was (or would be) the first dance at your wedding? Put Your Records On by Corrine Bailey (pictured).



Which track would you like played at your funeral?
The Winner Takes It All by Abba.
The perfect "I give up" song.

What's your karaoke speciality? Refusing to sing!

What was the best artist meeting of your life?

Age 18, at a London airport. I was leaving to emigrate to Canada and Count Basie's band were in the lounge.

Recommend a track Music Week readers may not have heard?

Stay With Me Baby by Lorraine Ellison. The ultimate balance between singing and having an emotional breakdown.

What's your favourite single/ track of all time?

Impossible to answer. There are dozens, so I'd better go for something that made me money - You Don't Have To Say You Love Me by Elvis.



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HEADLINE NEWS

Majors are set to breathe life into the depressed mid-price popular music market. High quality repertoire - including chart names - extensive marketing campaigns and heavy emphasis on tape are all key elements in the effort. One release. A&M's £1.79 Hamlet line out this month, has been on the drawing board for more than six months. A&M marketing director Keith Lewis said: "We haven't rushed into it because we wanted to get the packaging and repertoire right."

ALSO

Warner Bros. Records has taken drastic steps and cut back eight staff roles in its reorganisation efforts to combat the national economic crisis. The announcement follows the axing of 43 staff in the US.

NEW RELEASES RECOMMENDED 12.07.75

Who doesn't love a good pun? Michael Murphey's ad team

certainly must, as he's "Riding high with his amazing new single",

which just so happens to be about a horse. Not the horse in the

advert though. No, Murphey's single Wildfire is about an escaped

pony of the same name, which is being searched for by its owner,

a ghostly young woman, during a blizzard. Presumably because

both woman and pony are ghosts, they are invisible and that's

why they're not in the advert. Written in in the advert in a font

which could be either fire or a horses's mane. Wildfire is also

Radio 1 Breakfast Show host Noel Edmond's record of the week.

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Doing Alright With **GARY GLITTER** The Boys

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WINDSOR Whispering Grass DAVIES

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ROGER DALTRY RIDE A ROCK HORSE

Daltry's second solo album is a chart certainty this week, for the sheer

technical quality of the recording if nothing else. Producer Russ Ballard

band. Highlights include the driving Get Your Love, the passionate Proud and the tender Oceans Away. With the exception of Rufus Thomas oldie

has given Daltry's voice a majestic clarity, rather than another muddy

Walking The Dog, every song is patriotically an English copyright. The album sleeve of Daltry as a centaur is just another plus in its favour.

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Written for Band Aid (Do They Know It's Christmas?). Ultravox and Stephen **Emmer**

their history with songs

Midge Ure

What was the first song you ever wrote?

Like most first stabs at writing it was very derivative and sounded like whatever I was listening to at that moment.

And the last song you wrote?

A track I co-wrote with Stephen Emmer for the International Blue project, Taking Back My Time.



What is the song you're proudest of and why? Ultravox's All Fall Down (pictured) stands out; it was one of the first songs I realised would stand up performed 'stripped down'.

Which song do you wish you'd written and why?

I've always found 'old school' arrangements fascinating. They're not just a verse and chorus, like I'll Be Seeing You by Sammy Fain and Irving Kahal.

Where do you write and what do you write on/with?

I tend to write in the studio with all my 'toys' around me: guitars, computer and Logic.

Who is your favourite songwriter of all time? Kate Bush. Unique and not

restrained by pop limitations

And your favourite songwriter of the moment?

Elbow seem to have a style all of their own.

Chester Music is delighted to announce a new relationship with **Gustavo Dudamel**.

We congratulate Gustavo on his first film score for The Liberator – Libertador and the world premiere of his *Libertador Suite* at the Hollywood Bowl on July 31.

