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BERTELSMANN LAUNCHES SYNDICATION SUBSIDIARY

International Partners Sought

by Jim Sampson

Frankfurt- Improved international cooperation with programme suppliers and syndication services is being sought by German media giant Bertelsmann. This is needed for the new syndication subsidiary Deutscherfunk Programme Service (DFS).

The service was launched officially just before last week's Broadcast '86 Trade Fair here by the conglomerate's radio-ty division UFA. Bertelsmann is adopting a cautious approach toward news, sports and networking, due to the cost involved. However, strong interest from potential domestic clients and the launch of the new European direct broadcast satellite next summer could lead to activity in this area, too.

According to head Barbara Dickmann, a former network news anchor, the next nine months will see 100-200 new low power FM stations hitting the air in Germany. Many, perhaps up to half, will broadcast 'round the clock. 'After 7 pm, most radio listeners wander off to tv, and ad revenues will dwindle,' Dickmann says. 'For evenings and overnight, we provide a cost effective service. We are the pioneers, the first in Germany with radio syndication, but we have already had a strong response from prospective licensees.'

UFA head Bernd Schiphorst says programme prices will be based on market size and whether or not a programme contains pre-sold advertising. However Bertelsmann is not yet ready to commit himself to starting a radio news or sports operation. The official reason for the dynamic firm's unusual reticence is personnel costs.

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ISLAND JOINS RCA/ ARIOLA IN FRANCE

RCA/Ariola have just finalized a deal with Island in France to distribute

their products throughout this territory. RCA/Ariola have had an agreement with Island since 1st May 1971 and over these 15 years. Island products have been handled in the GAS countries, Benelux, Spain, Portugal and South America.

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Island will next year celebrate its 25th anniversary. Its founder, Chris Blackwell, the son of a plantation owner in Jamaica who saw the potential of ska music, had his first big success with Millie Small ('My Boy Lollipop') whom he took to the UK. His next project was the Spencer Davis group which then included Steve Winwood. The latter is still with associated Island and his new lp was released on 1st July, the same day as the partnership began. Island have a very successful history behind them with such acts as Grace Jones, Bob Marley and B-52's.

Island Products were previously distributed through PolyGram (Phonogram in France). Joe Kiener, international vice president marketing A&R RCA/Ariola, says of the new venture: "Given the long-term historical link we have had with Island, I am thrilled to welcome them as part of the RCA family in France. I am sure will continue to promote the best acts to the best of our capabilities."

Major releases on Island this year, apart from Steve Winwood, include new albums by Frankie Goes To Hollywood. Marianne Faithful, Tom Waits and Robert Palmer. Another successful UK act, Amazulu, which is expected to reach top 5 UK, is also being marketed through Island and two up and coming new Island acts include Thinkman, a project of Rupert Hine and Bourgeois Tagg, a US product.



Royal Billboard- Pictured here is an impressive "Queen" display at HMV's Flagship store in London's Oxford Street. The 30ft sq billboard will remain at "The World's Best Music Store" for six weeks, to coincide with Queen on Tour.

FALCO SWEEPS AUSTRIAN RECORD PRIZES

Possible IFPI Involvement In '87

by Manfred Schreiber

Vtenna- Almost inevitably in the light of his tremendous international successes last year, Falco was the winner of the top prize in the first Austrian Record Prizes collecting the "Pop Amadeus" statuette and \$6,700 in cash.

The awards ceremony, built into a gala in the Vienna Stadthalle, and continued on page 5

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Records by new acts as selected by the editorial team of Music & Media for the Pan-European market and beyond. Active radio/tv programmers, who want to programmer these records should be aware that these are not necessarily released in all territories. International A&R experts and music publishers on the look out for new deals could contact the original muster/publishing owners. Original country and telephone

Secret Service- Night City (Sonet) Sweden

For publishing and master owner contact: Lars-Olof Helen, tel. 8-7670150, tix 10037.

Swedish pop/rock band Secret Service (who mix so many Exile-ingredients in their repertoire), follow-up their 'When The Night Closes In' single, that achieved quite some success on the Continent. The new single has all the familiar cliches (the 'Oh Woah Oh' vocals, the Eurobeat drive), but cleverly mixed into a mainstream, catchy, if light-weight pop song.

Figo- Maikaefer (Papagayo) Germany For publishing and master owner contact Cliff Roles at Gerig Musik, tel. 221-234833; ttx. 8881233. A very cheerful poppy tune, especially the community singing at the end makes the record very 'hitverdaechtig', as the Germans so appropriately say. Six young lads who will be representing West-Germany at the fourth International Music Contest in Cesme, Turkey on the 5th of July. Figo comes from Italian and has the same meaning as the German word 'Geil'. English language version (out very soon) makes this single suitable for crossover, notably GAS countries and Scandinavia.

Easter House-Inspiration (Rough Trade) UK

publ. ATV Music; masterowner Rough Trade, tel. 8332133.

Already a big favourite on the UK indie scene, this four track EP, out since May. Manchester band couples polemic rock (with echoes of U2 and The Smiths) with politically committed lyrics. Passionate vocals and a guitarist that is regarded by many as the best since The Smiths' Johnny Marr. Album 'Contenders' out next

Bo Katzman Gang- Working On The Galley (EMI) Switzerland Publ. Musk Music; master owner: EMI. Contact Teddy Meier, tel. 1-4910010; tlx. 822150.

Very popular Swiss quartet who are receiving heavy airplay and entered the Swiss charts fast week at 25, Hard rock intro moves into an Opus-like pop single with a good timey chorus. Single deserves to be released by EMI all-over Europe. Germany has already committed itself to release the single and the upcoming album ('Katz-people') around autumn this year. An instant pop radio add that has huge potential to cross-over.

Rita Mitsouko- Andy/Un Soir, Un Chien (Virgin) France

Publ. Clouseau Musique. Master Owner: contact Monique Lajournade at Virgin, tel: 14-2394044. M&M's long time French favourites finally released the follow-up to the synthesizer dance ditty Marcia Baila with a double A-sided single, already a top add on France radio, both AM and FM. Andy is the most commercial of the two, although not having the same immediate impact as Marcia Baila. This time the avantgarde duo comes up with a funky Tony Visconti produced dance track. A repetitive theme in a rather mutant production.

Sista Spliff- Street Baby (Mercury) Germany

For publishing and master owner: contact Chas Warning, tel: A'dam, 20- 990869.

Curacao-born female singer with an infectious reggae/rock song with lean and modest arrangements. Overall sound (Dutch production) is polished and fresh. Deserves a release outside Germany,

Unknown Gender- The Letter (LP track) (Metronome) Germany

Publ. Francis, Day and Hunter Master owner: Metronome. Tel: 40-308704
A duo from New York's Lower East Side who have their album produced in Hannover, Germany. Slightly detached female vocats along a sparse and basic rhythm. Art Funk with doomed overtones. From their LP She Devil.

Hubert Kah- Limousine (Blow Up/Intercord) Germany

Publ. Moon On You (Mian Musik). Master Owner: Intercord, tel: 711470050

German singer who used to have hits in Germany like 'Rosemarie' and 'Engel 07'. With help of Sandra producer Michael Cretu (and co-producer Armand Volker) and session musicians like Curt Cress, Kah comes up with his most commercial effort as of yet. Accessible and danceable pop disco plus a catchy chorus effectively backed by a female choir. From the LP 'Tensongs'. Highest entry in Germany last week at 24!

Several New Talent selections from earlier issues. For detailed information on a particular record please check the corresponding magazine.

The Housemartins- Happy Hour (Go! Discs/Chrysalis) UK

Publ. Go Discs! Music; master owner: Go Discs!, tel.: 1-7433845. Good jump in the UK from 30 to 12!

Gaby Lang- Who's Side Are You On (Mega Records) Denmark
Publ. Megasong/Roses Music. Master owner Mega Records. Contact Martin Dodd/Annete Lueders, tel.
1-294140; tlx. 19532 (issue 24). Master placed in the US and Canada through Critique Records (a.o. Mai Tai).

La Puerta De Alcala- Ana Belen Y Victor Manuel (CBS) Spain For publ. and master owner contact Adrian Vogel at CBS, tel.: 1-4553845/4026; tlx. 228\(90 \) (issue 23). LP from which this single is taken, still no. 1 in Spain.

Bruce & Bongo- Hi-Ho-Heigh Ho, Whistle While You Work (Rush Records) Germany

Master available excl. Holland and GAS. Contact Brian Carter at Rush, tel. 2101-60040, ttx: 8517577 (issue 22). New in Germany last week at 30!

Cora- Amsterdam (Hansa) Germany

Publ. Hansa Music; master owner: Hansa. Contact Bruno Wendel at tel. 30-881081. Top 35 in France and rising.



Globe Theatre, Shaftesbury Avenue, London WI, Tel. 1-4377122/4372860

David Bowie is currently in Montreux, Switzerland, producing a new album for his old friend Iggy Pop. The two have written several songs together for the project.

Paul Young will start work shortly on his follow-up to 'The Secret of Association'. For this third solo album he'll end his collaboration with Laurie Latham and be working instead with Genesis producer Hugh Padgham. The LP will be recorded in Milan.

Rumours of more Duran rifts are rife this week with the cancellation of their 16 week booking at Maison Rouge studios here in London. A spokesman for the studios, co-owned by Nick Richard, lead singer from Boys Don't Cry, told ROL that the session had been put back to later in the year due to 'internal problems'. It seems that Andy Taylor is too busy working on his solo projects (including an album with ex-Sex Pistol Steve Jones) to devote 4 months of his life to a mere Duran Duran album!

More News about Wham's farewell. Nick Heyward will now join the boys, Elton John and Paul Young and everybody who couldn't get tickets will just have to be content to stand outside and watch the £60,000 firework display.

And a rival bash will be going on down in south London on the same Saturday with Sting, Boy George, Gary Kemp, Communards and Billy Bragg as some of the Artists Against Apartheid who'll be playing a free open air concert.

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BO KATZMAN GANG WORKING ON THE GALLEY





First single on EMI from one of Switzerland's most popular rock bands. New entry in Swiss charts and destined to be an international hit. From their just released album "Katz People". (EMI 1763881)

This page is meant to be a guide to European Radio Programmung. It contains suggestions for airplay on Rock, Pop, MOR and Dauce records, selected by the editornal staff of Music & Media with recommendations from some of the major Programme Directors throughout Europe

RECORDS OF THE WEEK:

TOM ROBINSON- THE REAL THING (Castaway/RCA) SOUTHSIDE JOHNNY & THE JUKES- WALK AWAY RENEE (RCA)

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SURE HITS:

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BALAAM & THE ANGEL- SLOW DOWN (Virgin) WAX- SHADOWS OF LOVE (RCA) BIG COUNTRY- THE TEACHER (Mercury)

EURO-CROSSOVER RECORDS:

EUROPE- THE FINAL COUNTDOWN (Epic)

SECRET SERVICE- NIGHT CITY (Sonet Sweden)

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Although Wham! are about to split up, the duo is still in the middle of all attention with their latest The Edge Of Heaven and a forthcoming farewell album. Last week their single was the highest debuting single in the European 100 Hot singles of this year (with its entry at 12), this week they top the European Airplay in a good move from 4 to 1, breaking the hegemony of the 4-weeks topper Invisible Touch.

A good contender for the top is Bowie's Underground, moving from 8 to 4. Bowie topped the European Airplay earlier this year with Absolute Beginners for 5 consecutive weeks.

The airplay of the Eurythmics' single When Tomorrow Comes is a bit disappointing although the release of the new album Revenge will make up for this. After wandering for 10 weeks in the European Airplay Top 50 there is renewed interest for Level 42's single Lessons In Love; it moves into Airplay Top 10 (8-11).

As predicted last week, Madonna's new single Papa Don't Preach has very much improved on the rather low entry in the Airplay Top 50 last week. The single is this week's fastest moving single in a spectacular jump from 39-11, only in its second week.

Another remarkable jump for Steve Winwood's Higher Love (13-40) and his latest Island album Back In The High Life is eagerly

Other Airplay gainers for A-Ha (17-25), Bangles (18-32), Alphaville (19-26) and Dr. & The Medics (21-29)

The highest debuting single in the Airplay Top 50 this week is for Owen Paul with My Favourite Waste Of Time. Apart from a hit in the U.K. other European stations are adding this Marshall Crenshaw written single to their playlists.

Watch out for the new single of Tom Robinson who continues his politically engaged stance with his anti-cocaine song (It Ain't Nothing Like) The Real Thing, much in the same vein as Grandmaster Flash's White Lines. A very powerful rap dance killer. Other remarkable releases for Southside Johnny & The Jukes' Walk Away Renee (a return for the Jersey band with their rendition of the Four Tops hit of 1967), Wax (joining

the talent of Andrew Gold and Graham Gouldman) with their second single from their splendid album Magnetic Heaven and the remarkable Sweet Bird Of Truth by The The, Matt Johnson's hardhitting noisy funk single.

In the Hot 100 singles Madonna keeps on reigning with Live To Tell for 6 consecutive weeks at the top. Two new singles in the Top 10, Bananarama (7-15) and Wham! (10-12). Other very good moving singles in the Hot 100 for David Bowie (12-34), A-Ha (13-41), Sandra Kim(16-26), Prince (17-25) and Modern Talking (20-29).

The highest entry in the Hot 100 is, as expect-

ed, for Madonna's Papa Don't Preach, entering at 24. It is already Madonna's 3rd entry in the Hot 100 this year with Borderline entering beginning of this year at 54 and Live To Tell at 18. This makes her, when it comes to new entries, the most successful artist in the European Hot 100.

It is striking to see that the next 4 new entries are all disco/dance related products. The second single from Jive artist Samantha Fox, Do Ya. Do Ya, enters at 67, the Solar dance epsemble Midnight Star come in at 72 with Headlines, and Sly Fox's Let's Go All The Way and The Real Roxanne's Bang Zoom! enter at 76 and 80 respectively.

the Singles route

Most recommended singles not yet showing in the European Hot 100.

Diana Ross / Experience (Capitol) Steve Winwood Higher Love (Island) Belinda Carlisle 3 Mad About You (I.R.S.) Billy Joel (Modern Woman (CBS)

Paul Hardcastle Footin' Yourself (Chrysalis)
Katrina & The Waves

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euro-crossover

Records by continental European Artists with strong

crossover potential for other markets Matia Bazar

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Trance Dance Do The Dance (CBS Sweden)
Alphaville Canana With Me (WEA Germany)

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Innocent Love (Virgin Germany)

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Body & Soul (Mekano Sweden)

Johan Lindell Condition (Slick/Mistlur Sweden)



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EUROPEAN HOT 100 SINGLES

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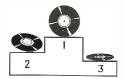
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ROD BEATS ON

Good old Rod (Stewart) is back with his 15th album entitled Every Beat Of My Heart. Already his 7th album for Warner Brothers, the album contains more rock 'n roll than his latest disco attempts on 'Body Wishes' and 'Camouflage'. Rock 'n Roll is here to stay, and tracks like Another Heartache (co-written by o.a. Bryan Adams), A Night Like This, Whose Gonna Take Me Home and Red Hot In Black are perfect examples of his return to the basics. The familiar rasp and the straight forward solid rock approach, make them all single contenders. Side 2 shows Stewart from a more restrained side and especially the title-track Every Beat Of My Heart and the striking cover of the Beatles track In My Life (is this the first time Stewart has recorded a cover version of a Beatles song?) are recommended. Produced by Bob Ezrin and featuring his old playmates Jim Cregan and Steve Cropper, it is definitely the hottest album around at the moment at Europe.

It is already one and a half years since the the German trio Alphaville had worldwide success with singles Big In Japan, Sounds Like A Melody and Forever Young. Over 3 million of these three singles have been sold worldwide and their debualbum also sold over 1 million. For their new album they teamed up with producers Steve Thompson (re-mixer of Elton Johnn, A-Ha etc.), Peter Walsh (Simple Minds, Saga), Wolfgang Loos (producer of the first Alphaville album) and Michael Barbiero. The new album holds the promise for several more singles most notably Sensations and Universal Daddy, both sparkling synth-dance tracks highly polished and with lots of appeal. The album entered the Hot 100 last week

at 48 and is now already at 39.

Eros Ramazzotti is one of the most successful Italian singers in Europe at the moment. The San Remo winning song Adesso Tu is charted in Austria. Switzerland, Belgium and Italy at the moment and picking up good reactions in Germany and France as well. His new album Nuovi Eroi features the latter and 8 new songs. The album sports a nice amalgam of ballads (A Mi Ribello, Con Gli Occhi Di Un Bambino) and more powerful material like Fuggo Dal Nulla and Lacrime Di Gioventu'.

The highest entry in the European Hot 100 albums is this week Stirng with his double live set, Bring On The Night, entering at 23, followed by the new album by The Smiths entitled The Queen Is Dead (38). It is their 3rd studio album and it feature their 2 hit-singles The Boy With The Torn In His Side and Bigmouth Strikes Again. Propably their best set so far, it features Morrissey's melancholic vocals on I Know It's Over, two more energetic master pieces like Vicar In a Tutu and The Queen is Dead.

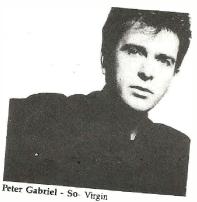
The Housemartins have a top 3 single in the U.K. and the release over their auspicious debutabum couldn't be more appropriate. The band already appeared twice in our New Talent column with their charming, simple and innocent pop songs. Four boys from Hull who play dead normal songs with an infectious enthousiasm and conviction. 12 songs (and 13 hits) of which especially We're Not Deep, Freedom, Flag Day (the debut single in a new version) and Sitting On A Fence are recommended playing.

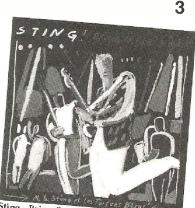
After only being charted for 3 weeks, Queen reach the no. 1 of the Hot 100, replacing Peter Gabriel whose So only remained at the top

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SYNDICATION - PROMISING FIELD FOR EURO RADIO

Despite Negative Connotations, First Signs Of Acceptance

by Machgiel Bakker

Whereas syndication is a common phenomenon in the US, in Europe there is still much resistance and misunderstanding surrounding this area of programming. One thing that clearly stood out at the IMMC panel in Montreux, is that European programmers fear the domination of American values and the American way of living. In addition language barriers, various local restrictions on advertising and a general fear of losing the station's identity by selling American syndicated programmes, are all hurdles against a successful and fruitful syndication supermarket.

Even the word 'syndication' in itself is very often misunderstood. Basically, syndication means an 'exchange of programmes' and this can be done in 2 ways; the sale or exchange of programmes to overseas buyers, either radio stations or other syndication companies or secondly the distribution of programmes in one territory, creating a 'network' of stations which take certain programmes, not necessarily broadcasting them at the same time, but all agreeing to broadcast them in their original form.

Only recently attitudes have changed drastically. And although syndication in Europe still has a long way to go, the recent relaxation by the LB.A. (Independent Broadcasting Authority) in the UK to allow sponsorship and bargain deals was a first sign. In a more general sense, European programmers are beginning to understand that by pooling financial resources and by getting more than one station involved in a project, one can create higher quality programmes.

Radio stations in the UK have always looked at overseas markets for their programmes and in fact the BBC Transcription Service was the first to syndicate and to establish success in this area. A few years back UK Independent Radio Stations become interested and some of the larger stations (especially Piccadilly, Capital and Clyde) had some success in finding overseas markets for programmes already broadcast in the UK. According to Simon Cole, chief executive of Piccadilly Productions, the future of syndication in the UK is very healthy. "I sense a change in the British radio industry and people are beginning to understand that syndication is a genuine way of producing quality programmes. Something that happened in tv much earlier, where a lively exchange of programmes is a very

common thing, now seems to be taking place, although very slowly, in the radio field as well."

Piccadilly Productions tries to act as a valuable marketing arm for any UK independent radio station overseas since stations often do not have the time, inclination or contacts to properly represent themselves. "We try to recognise this need," continues Cole, "by not just shipping out already existing material but looking at ways of customising it or even creating entirely new product to suit a particular overseas market."

At present Piccadilly Productions is working with American Public Radio on a series of Classical Concerts to be narrated by Edward Heath and they produce Paul Gambaccini's American chart programme for syndication. Piccadilly is also considering syndicating throughout Europe a show based on the European Hot 100 as compiled by M&M. To achieve these goals explains Cole "we get a sponsor to pay for the costs of the production and

syndicate the series to a number of stations. The sponsor gets the exposure he or she is looking for and the stations get a high quality programme that they would otherwise not have been able to afford."

Several independent producers are also very active in the UK producing special programmes. The most successful one is Rock Over London with its one-hour weekly series produced in London by Steven Saltzman and Paul Sexton, hosted by Graham Dene (the morning dj on Capital Radio) and syndicated to a great number of American and Canadian radio stations.

Not only in the UK but also in France, FM stations are producing programmes that are distributed, mostly within their own territory, Ofredia produces the weekly Kit Parade Societe Generale, a one-hour weekly programme with interviews and hit tracks, syndicated to 180 stations. At the moment producer Christian Savigny is looking for possible syndicators in Canada, Belgium and the Carribean. Although at the moment Savigny acknowledges that France FM stations do not have the same financial resources as the US and syndication at this stage mainly consists of getting sponsors, with no real possibilities as yet to sell programmes, this will definitely happen within a few years.

Conversely, to syndicate program-

mes from the US into Europe, is a much more tedious task. According to Suzanne Olson, international manager of Westwood One, "We still have a long way to go. We realize Europe is not around the corner, each territory has its own specific needs and its own rules and laws on advertising, but we still see a great future. In the end it will bring more advertising dollars for everybody, it is feasible and adventurous for all and in fact everybody can benefit from this procedure." The US company has most success with its concert series and exclusive radio interviews with the pop and rock stars of today. "There is much more resistance on regular programmes like weekly series and Countdown programmes. Lots of European stations don't broadcast 24 hours a day and it is therefore quite hard to squeeze in blocked programming. For that reason Westwood One tries to develop an individual style for each station and we have had quite some progress in Scandinavia, Italy and Belgium, mostly with the private or pirate stations."

Another US syndicator is Radio Express, the only company in the world who sells American material, exclusively to stations outside the US. The company represents all the ABC and NBC radio shows and is most successful with its American Top 40 with Casey Kasem, a.o. weekly broadcast on German WDR, national Austrian channel ORF and Radio Orwell in Ipswich, UK. Suzanne Barron of Radio Express thinks it is very important to keep on supporting a particular station and "to find ways of helping them in getting sponsors and in this way line up an individual way of programming for each station".

There is tremendous potential for quality programmes in Europe and although the radio system here is not as commercialized as in the US, it is only a matter of time before European programmers really start to open up the dialogue and to come to a successful and fruitful exchange of programming. Radio stations are still not very keen on giving away their airspace to programmes they have not produced themselves and sponsors should be convinced that there are other ways of buying their advertising space.



The Syndication Supermarket-Diccussing this issue at a panel at IMMC in Montreux were from 1. to r. Suzanne Olson, int. mng. Westwood One, Simon Cole, chief executive Piccadilly Productions UK, Suzanne Barron of Radio Express and Steven Saltzman, president Rock Over London UK. The panel was moderated by Sam Holdsworth, publisher and editor-in-chief Billboard.

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The Bangles- Liverpool SH Sensible Shoes- Empire

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AD Anita Baker- Sweet Love Audrey Hall Princess- Tell Me Tomorrow Gavin Christopher- Closer Southside Johnny 400 Blows Real Roxanne- Let's Go Go

BRMB - Birmingham Robin Valk- head of music AD Furniture- Brilliant Art Of Noise- Paranoimia

Bangles- Liverpool View From The Hill- No Screaming Blue Messiahs Princess- Tomorrow Peter Murphy- Blue Heart Shirley Murdock- Truth Sting- The Night

RADIO CLYDE - Glasgow Richard Park- music controller RW Rod Stewart- Every Beat

NE Madonna- Papa Katrina & Waves- Sun Street Steve Winwood- Higher Love Billy Joel- Modern Woman Lou Rawls- Stop Me Heart- Nothing At All Yarborough & Peoples- Lie Stevie Wonder- Land Of La La Bangles- Liverpool SOS Band- Borrowed Love Balaaın & The Angel- Slow El DeBarge- Who's Johnny Drum Theatre- Home Midnight Star- Headlines Anita Baker- Sweet Love Beatles- Paperback Writer The O'Jays- Love Train Earth Wind & Fire-Boogie Archie Bells- Don't Let Love, Fox The Fox- Little Diamond LP Sting The Night

SWANSEA SOUND - Wales Andy Lee- head of music AD Foster & Allen- I Dream
A. Bell & The Drells- Love Freda Payne- Band Of Gold Earth Wind & Fire-Boogie

DEVON AIR - Exeter Debbie Richards- head of music RW Queen- Friends OW Bob Seger- Like A Rock Force M-DS- Here I Go Again Katrina & Waves- Sun Street LP Genesis- Invisible Touch

SOUTHERN SOUND RADIO - Brighton AD Force MD's- Here I Go
Stevie Wonder- Land Of La La
Steve Winwood- Higher Love SOS Band- Borrowed Love Rod Stewart- Every Beat John Miles Band- Your Love View From The Hill

Maxi Priest- The Springtime Wax- Shadows Of Love

Juliette Roberts- One Night

GERMANY

SWF - Baden Baden Bruno Maeder- dj/prod. SH Kim Wilde- Schoolgirl RW Psychedelic Furs- Pink Steve Winwood Southside Johnny Frank Tovey- Snakes

SWF - Baden Baden Marc Uhlrich- dj/prod. SH Frost & Newton John Thinkman- Formula LP Glas Tiger- Red Line

SWF - Baden Baden Wilfried Longerich- dj/prod. AD Genesis- Invisible Touch INXS- Listen Like Thieves Phil Carmen- Rain Simply Red- Holding Back

LP The Nits- Henk Lucio Battisti- Don Giovanni

SWF - Baden Baden Achim Hebgen- dj/prod. AD Gabriel & Bush- Give up SH Nu Shooz- I Can't Wait Album tips: Genesis- Invisible

Lizzy Mercier Descloux PF Grace Jones- Private
Boys Don't Cry- A Cowboy The Cure- Boys Don't Cry

NDR - Hamburg Brigitte Rokkhol- dj RW Eurythmics- Tomorrow SH Joe Cocker- Your Hat Working Week- Rodrigo Bay

LP Anita Baker- Your Step Carmel- Sally Working Week- Rodrigo Bay

NDR - Hamburg Volker Thormaehlen- dj/prod.

RW Thinkman- Formula AD Heart- Nothing At All Steve Winwood- Higher Love Jan Cassuck- Who Dares Wins

Michel van Dijk- Physical Europe- Final Countdown Dream Syndicat

WDR - Koln Hans Holger Knocke- dj AD Frankie Miller- Tears Amazulu- Too Good Woodentops- The Good Thing Phil Carmen- Rain Nachts Nebel- Victoria 2000

SFB - Berlin Juergen Juergens- dj/prod. SH Kim Wilde- Schoolgril Midge Ure- Call Of The Wild Chico- Come Va AD Marquee Moon-Here Today
The Invisible Limit-Push

Soundtrack- Top Gun Stabilizers- Tyranny Alphaville- Utopia

SFB - Berlin Helmut Lehnert- dj/prod. SFBeat

The Prisoners- Whenever The Prisoners- whenever The Ferrets- Are You All John Kennedy- King Street The Fall Tops- Mona The Felt- The Shakes

The Jasmin Minks Dream Syndicate The Vietnam Veterans

SFB/DEUTSCHE WELLE/UFA-RTL - Berlin Horst Hartwich- dj/prod. SH Peter Wylie- Sinful Fra Lippo Lippi- Songs Sting- Bring On The Night

RIAS - Berlin Dennis King dj/prod. RW Bob Seger- Like A Rock AD Billy Joel- Modern Woman Peter Cetera- Glory Of Love Pet Shop Boys- Opportunities
NE Belinda Carlisle- Mad SH Boys Don't Cry- Cowboy LP Belinda Carlisle Van Halen- Dreams Bob Seger- Like A Rock John C. Mellencamp- Rain

RIAS 2 - Berlin Rik De Lisle-dj/prod. Power Rotation: Dr. & The Medics Heart- Nothing At All Joe Cocker- Your Hat

Viktor Lazlo- Loser Wham!- The Edge Of Heaven

RTL - Luxembourg Harald Rehmann- prod. RW The Catch- Soul Info LP Sting- The Night

RTL - Luxembourg Frank Eichner- prod. RW Art Of Noise LP Sting- The Night Bruce Hornsby- The Range Matia Bazar

BR - Munchen Fritz Egner- dj/prod.
RW INXS- Like Thieves AD Falco- Der Sound Bob Seger- Like A Rock Kim Wilde- Schoolgirl The Fixx- Walkabout

BR - Munchen Claus H. Kruesken-dj/prod. RW Blow Monkees- Wicked AD Rita Mitsouko- Andy Animotion- I Want You SH Wham- Edge Of Heaven LP El DeBarge- El DeBarge

SDR - Stuttgart Hans Thomas- prod. RW Bob Seger- Like A Rock SH David Bowie- Underground LP Genesis- Invisible Touch

HR- Frankfurt Joerg Eckrich- dj/prod. Genesis- Invisible Touch Sting- Bring On The Night Little River Band Queen- A Kind Of Magic White Wolf- Endangered of the week: Freddy Mercury- Time Jackson Brown- The Shape Carmel- Sally Bonnie Tyler- Band Of Gold Peter Gabriel- Sledgehammer

RB - Bremen Axel P. Sommerfeld- di RW Nick Heyward- Goodbye
Billie Bragg- Tears
The Real Roxanne- Bang, Zoom Woodentops- Giant Chakk- Ten Days Gene Loves Jezebel- Discover

BFBS - Koln Roger Dentith- musical dir. OW INXS- Like Thieves Phil Carmen- Rain FM- Love Lies Dying The Catch- Soul Information Michael Jeffries- Razzle LP David Foster

BRF - Eupen Guy Janssens- musikredacteur RW Roger Daltrey- The Pride AD El DeBarge- Who's Johnny Peter Sarstedt- Hemingway Johnny Nash- You're Mine Bucks Fizz- Bgeinning Black Uhuru- Train Robbery Chris De Burgh Genesis

OW Slizzy Bob- My Girl RADIO M1 - Munchen

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Top 5: Wild Blue- Blue Daze Stan Meissner- Lifeline Face To Face- Into The Fire continued on page 20

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STATION REPORTS

Hipsway- Bad Thing Longing Wax- Ball And Chain RW Jimmy Barnes- Heartbeat

RADIO GONG - Munchen Walter Freiwald- musikchef Top 3:

Modern Talking Chris Norman- Midnight Lady Mr. Mister- Is It Love NE Hubert Kah- Limousine

Prince- Mountains
Nu Shooz- I Can't Wait
Level 42- Lessons In Love
LP Genesis- Invisible Touch

FRANCE

RTL - Paris
Monique Le Marcis- head of progr.
RW Partenaire Particulier
Kumono- Tout Va Bien
Yves Duteil- La Langue
Niagara- L'Amour A La Plage
LP Bowie- Labyrinth OST
Kim Carnes- Lighthouse

WRTL - Paris Dominique Farran- progr. dir. Top 3:

Alisha- Baby Talk Regina- Baby Love Lucia- Marinero

NE Cock Robin- The Promise
Den Harrow- Charleston
Alphaville- Dance With Me
Pascal Rod- On En Fera
Arnold Turboust- Adelaide

WRTL - Paris Georges Lang Top 5 playlist:

5 playlist: Eurythmics- Tomorrow Stewart & Gaskin- Locomotion Status Quo- Rollin' Home AC/DC- Who Made Who GTR- When The Heart Rules

NE Album: Belinda Carlisle- Belinda

EUROPE 1 - Paris Albert Emsalem progr. dir. Top 5 Hitparade Des Clubs: Nicole- My Love Alisha- Baby Talk

Alisha- Baby Talk
Cora- Amsterdam
Regina- Baby Love
Diana Ross- Chain R

Diana Ross- Chain Reaction
NE Cock Robin- The Promise
C.C. Catch- You Are Young
Raft- Io (C'est Ca)
Fra Lippo Lippi-Like That

RMC Paris Yvonne Lebrun- progr. dir. Hitparade Top 3:

Jeanne Mas- En Rouge Jean J. Goldman- Pas Toi Sabine Paturel- Les Betises

NE Jokie Quartz- Le Bateau Cora- Amsterdam Sandy Marton- Exotic Fra Lippo Lippi- Like That Hit Des Clubs:

Janet Jackson
Luca Coveri- Do It Again
Peter Gabriel- Sledgehammer
Talk Talk- Another World
Sylvain Stabile- Quilty

SUD RADIO - Toulouse Marie Ange Roig- progr. dir. RW The Cure

Jeanne Mas Prince Gold Stephanie Madonna
Cock Robin
Tippa Irie
Talk Talk
Etienne Auberger
Stevie Wonder
Hit Des Clubs:

NE Spagna C.C. Catch Eros Ramazzotti SH Indochine- Tes Yeux

FUN FM -Network (15 cities) J.M. Avramoussi- progr. dir. Top Fun 5 Airplay:

Jeanne Mas- En Rouge Cock Robin- The Promise Bonnie Tyler- If You Were Madonna- Live To Tell Peter Gabriel- Sledgehammer AD Rod Stewart- Love Touch

AD Rod Stewart-Love Touch
Wham!- Edge Of Heaven
Madonna- Papa Don't Preach
Patrick Bruel- Non, J'veux
Belouis Some-Some People
Tippa Irie- Heilo Darling
El DeBarge- Who's Johnay
Alain Bastrung- Du Tour
Hongkong Syndikat- Too Much
PF ZZ Top- Rough Boy

HIT FM - Paris Catherine Costa- programmer RW Rod Stewart- Love Touch

Heavy Rotations:

Gold- Lumiere Labelle & McDonald- My Own Robert Tomasi- Sad Images Ike & Tina Turner- The City Catherine Lara- Magique Bonnie Tyler- A Woman Robert Palmer- Addicted Indochme- Tes Yeux Noirs

SKY ROCK - Paris Laurent Bouneau- progr. dir. RW Niagara- L'amour

AD Images- Les Demons
Double- Woman Of The World
Icehouse- No Premises
Trance Dance-The Dance
The Cure- Boys Don't Cry
Madonna- Papa Don't Preach
Hong Kong Syndikat
Depeche Mode- A Question
Miami Sound Machine- Bad Boy

RIVIERA 104 - San Remo Laurence John- music director RW Jimmy Ruffin- Foolish Everly Brothers

AD Neil Diamond- Beside You Kim Carnes- Rock Black White Moody Blues- Wildest Dreams Bob Seger- Inside My Heart

HOLLAND

NOS - Hilversum Frits Spits- dj/producer OW M. McDonald- Freedom Roger Daltrey- The Pride It Bites- All The Heroes Pasadena Dream Band State Of Play- Balancing

VERONICA - Hilversum
Lex Harding- progr. dir.
NE Paul Owen- Waste Of Time
NE Andre Van Duin- Barbeque
Bucks Fizz- New Beginning
Topper Headon- Leave It
Dennie, Mieke & Freddy
R. Jacketti & The Scooters
Koos Alberts- Ik Slaap
Pete Wylie- Sinful
Maywood- Look Into Your Eves

Rolling Stones- One Hit

VERONICA - Hilversum
Jeroen van Inkel- dj/prod.
LP Go West- Bangs & Crashes
PF Owen Paul- Waste Of Time
OW Kids In The Kitchen
Kum Wilde- Schoolgirl
A-Ha- Hunting High And Low
Pete Wylie- Sinful
Animotion- I Engineer

VERONICA - Hilversum Kees Baars- dj/prod. OW Boom Boom Mancini Level 42- Lessons (Remix) John Cafferty LP Big Country Gary Moore- Live Rocking Rod Stewart

Sting- Bring On The Night Dream Syndicate- Out Of Grey AVRO - Hilversum Meta de Vries- dj/prod. RTV Tip:

Bucks Fizz- Beginning Rod Stewart

OW Pete Wylie- Sinful Steve Winwood- Higher Love Roberto Jacketti- Soul Little River Band

VARA - Hilversum Light Music Department NE Secret Sounds- Promises New tips:

Chaka Khan- Lifetime Maxi Priest- Strolling On El DeBarge- Who's Johnny New Ego's:

Roel Koenders: Social Security Frank Klunhaar: The Jets- Crush On

KRO - Hilversum Paul van der Lugt- progr. dir. Speciale Aanbieding: OMD- If You Leave

NCRV - Hilversum Jan Rietman- dj/prod. Favorietschijf: Kim Wilde- Schoolgirl OW Peter Koelwewijn RW Gary Brooker- Homeloving

PF Kim Wilde- Schoolgir! Van Halen- Who Made Who R, Jacketti & The Scooters

Paradeplaat:
R. Jacketti- Soul
Nationale Hitparade:
NE Queen- Friends
Princess- Loving You
Sheila E.- Holly Rock
Modern Talking- Atlantis
Wham!- Edge Of Heaven

TROS - Hilversum

RW R. Jacketti- Soul
Na
CFN - Brunssum
Lou Rowland- music director
RW Pet Shop Boys
SH Drum Theatre- Home
Hipsway- Ask The Lord
Chris Rea- On The Beach
LP Randy Crawford- Emotions

BELGIUM

BRUXELLES 21 - Brussels J.P. Hautier- dj/prod. AD Lio- Les Brunes Niagara- L'amour A La Plage Wham!- The Edge Of Heaven Jaki Graham- Set Me Free Queen- Friends

BRT - Studio Brussels Jan Hautekiet/Frank Symoens Top 10 playlist: Rod Stewart- Every Beat Rolling Stones- One Hit

Rolling Stones- One Hit Steve Winwood- Higher Love Little Richard- A'Mighty The Smiths- Queen Is Dead Eurythmics- Tontorrow Genesis- Invisible Touch Chaka Khan- Lifetime Gasking & Stewart- Locomotion David Bowie- Underground

BRT 2 - Hasselt
Marc Brillouet- dj
RW Steve Winwood- Higher
AD Ramones- Something
Pete Wylie- Sinful
Sandie Shaw- Heartbroken
Loose Ends- Stay
LOOSE BAG- Stay

SH B. Stewart & B. Gaskin LP The Smiths- The Queen PF Wham!

RTBF - Hainaut Guy Geron- progr. dir (Prono-Hit) Top 3:

Sandra Kım- J'Aime Falco- Rock Me Amadeus Sam Cooke- Wonderful World

NE Cock Robin- My Side Labelle & McDonald- My Own Samantha Fox- Touch me

FM 56 - Luik
Pierre Bail- coordinator
RW Alain Baschung
NE Jacquie Quartz- Vivre
Rolling Stones- One Hit
Talk Talk- Give It Up
Kim Wilde- Schoolgirl
LP Alain Baschung

ROCK THIS TOWN MAGAZINE Alex Vital- editor LP Chris Rea- On The Beach Prince- Parade Arno- Arno

The Beat Farmers SH Pete Wylie- It's Simple

SWITZERLAND

DRS 3
C. Alispach- music coord.
AD Ivan Graziani- Sola
Bob Dylan- Band Of The Hand
Lio- Les Brunes Comptent
Book Of Love- Die Matrosen
Kim Wilde- Schoolgirl
Carmel- Sally

LP Johnny Taylor- Wall Hubert Kah- Tensongs

RSR- Geneve J.P.Allenbach/C.Colombara Hitparade:

Jeanne Mas- En Rouge Stephanie- Ouragan Bonnie Tyler- A Woman Madonna- Live To Tell Queen- A Kind Of Magic

NE Modern Talking- Atlantis Sweet People- Et J'Ai Le Mai Espoirs:

Ville De Lumiere- Gold Samantha Fox- Touch Me Pascal Zuger- Pharaon Finzi Kontini- O La La

AUSTRIA

OE 3 - Vienna Gunther Lesjak- dj/producer Top 10:

Chris Norman Modern Talking Samantha Fox- Touch Me Muenchener Freiheit- Du Queen- A Kind Of Magic George Michael Stephanie Johnny Nash- Rock Me Baby David Bowie- Beginners

Sandra Kim- Crazy of Life NE Peter Pan- On Your Side Animotion- I Engineer Miami Sound Machine Sly Fox Robert Palmer- Addicted Limahl- Love In Your Eyes

ITALY

RAI STEREO DUE - Roma Maurizio Riganti- director Deejays: F.Acampora; M. Catalani; M.S. Santasilia.

RW Madonna- Papa AD Modern Talking- Atlantis Genesis- In Too Deep Joan Armatrading- Jessie Wham!- Edge Of Heaven LP Eurythmics- Revenge

RADIO ONE - Firenze Stefano Damasceni- dj/prod. RW Steve Winwood- Love AD Drum Theatre- Home

Luba- The Best Labelle & McDonald Stewart & Gaskin- Locomotion

Eurythmics- Tomorrow SH Wham!Paul Hardcastle- Foolin

RADIO DEEIAY Thomas Damiani

RW Mick Jagger- Ruthless Loz Netto- Walking Hubert Kah- Drowning Machination- No Say In It

Sabrina- Sexy Girl No. 1:

Tom Hooker- Looking For Love

RADIO PETER FLOWERS - Milan Guido Monti- progr.dir RW Rod Stewart- Eternity

David Bowie- Underground Mingardi- To Trovero Drum Theatre- Home Queen

Eurythmics No.1 Peter Flowers: Level 42- Lessons

Stadhouderskade 35

No. 1 Italia: Lucio Battisti RADIO MILANO INT. 101 Massimo Braccialarghe/Patrizia Zani RW Madonna- Papa

SH Carmel- Sally Steve Winwood- Higher Love The Jamaica Girls- The Move Nu Shooz- Pool Side

Top 3: The Fixx- Separation Amri- Return To The Gold El DeBarge- Who's Johnny

RADIO SUBASIO - Assisi Sergio Menghini- progr.dir. Eugenio Bennato- Sole Sole Nada- Notte

SH Degada Saf- Trocadero NE Miguel Bose- Heaven

LP Marco Ferradini

RADIO SUBASIO - Assisi Gigi Mingarini- dj./prod AD Level 42

Peter Gabriel Matt Bianco Chris Rea

LP Lena Bioleati Alberto Radius Genesis Marco Ferradini

RADIO KISS KISS - Napoli

Sasa Capobianco- progr. dir. NE Genesis- Invisble Touch Nick Heyward- The Weekend P. Labelle & M. McDonald The Fixx- Secret Separation Culture Club- Woman

Lou Reed- Mistral

PF Communards- Disenchanted

RADIO ANTENNA DELLO STRETTO Messina - Antonio Leonetti

AD Five Star- Can't Wait
Novo Band- You Are Gonna Be
McFarland- Red Beer

Snowy White- For You Ami Stewart- Time Is Tight Talk Talk- Give It Up

SH Cinzia Farrol- Is Magic Icehouse

RADIO BLUE LAKE SOUND - Bergamo Silvia Colombo

RW Madonna- Papa Willie Colon- Set Fire To Me Jean Beauvoir- Feel The Heat

AD Chris De Burgh- Fire State Of Play- Natural Color Smiths- Bigmouthstrikesagain

NE Roaring Boys- House The Jets- Crush On You El DeBarge- Who's Johnny

RADIO ROSENGARTEN - Bolzano Stefano Carry- dj/prod. RW Eurythmics- Tomorrow

NE Rod Stewart- Love Touch David Bowie- Underground Device- 22B

Wham!- The Edge Of Heaven OW E.G. Daily- Say It LP Device

LUNA **RADIO** INT.-Trento Roberto Giampiccolo RW Drum Theatre- Home

AD Wham!- Edge Of Heaven Intimate Strangers- Raise David Bowie- Underground

NE Prince- Mountains Talk Talk- Give It Up

SH Roaring Boys- House Keep It Darl- Surrender LP Lou Reed- Mistrial

SPAIN

RADIO MADRID - SER Rafael Revert- musical manager RW Desperados- Molly Limahl- All My Days

Whitney Houston- Love Of All SH Desperados- Molly

Whitney Houston- Love Of All Various- Now -3

RADIO SEVILLA FM - SER Paco Enrique- dj/coordinator RW Ramoncin- Perversa

Kadetes- Vacaciones Genesis- Invisible Touch AD Falco- Rock Me Amadeus

Hipsway- The Honeythief Presuntos Implicados- Boogie Madonna- Live To Tell Alphaville- Dance With Me

SH Kimera- Opera Express Bolero Mix

Rosendo- Fuera De Lugar Miguel Bose- Salamandra

PORTUGAL

RADIO COMERCIAL - Lisbon

Antonio Sergio- dj/prod. RW S. S. Sputnik- 21st AC/DC- Who Made Who AD Siouxie & The Banshees

Shimas- Unlovable Go-Betweens- Head Full The Unforgiven

Steve Winwood- High Live The Cure- On A Beach

RADIO COMERCIAL - Lisbon Adelino Goncalves- dj/prod. RW Wham!- Edge Of Heaven

AD Eurythmics- Tomorrow David Bowie- Underground Queen- Friends The Outfield- Your Love Art Of Noise-Paranoimia

NE Cock Robin- The Promise Genesis- Invisible Touch Owen Paul- Waste Of Time Robert Palmer- Addicted

OW Nu Shooz- I Can't Wait Miami Sound Machine- Bad Boy Jaki Graham- Set Me Free

LP Peter Gabriel- So ERT 2 Thessaloniki Lefty Kongalides - dj/prod.

RW Simply Red- Holding Back LP P. Labelle- Winner

AD Dr. & The Medics- Spirit Modern Talking- Atlantis Sandra Kim- J'Aime La Vie Chris Norman- Midnight Lady Samantha Fox- Touch Me

SWEDEN

RADIO STOCKHOLM

Ulo Maasing- dj/prod. RW Peter Cetera- The Glory Steve Winwood- Higher Love

AD Wham!- Edge Of Heaven Basse Wickman- Trots Allt Device- Heart Attack The Big Supreme- Love Around Peter Cetera- The Glory

Wham!- Edge Of Heaven

LP Device- 22B3

VSD - Gothenburg Richard Hallifax- dj

RW Bananarama- Venus Dr. & The Medics- Spirit

AD Wham!- Edge Of Heaven SH Rolling Stones- One Hit Billy Ocean- Sad Songs Labelle & McDonald- My Own

Peter Gabriel- So

PF Rolling Stones- One Hit

OW Pointer Sisters- Back

NORWAY

NRK P1 - Oslo

H. A. Lund- dj/prod./progr./ed.

RW The Residents- Kaw-Liga
AD Primal Scream- Spirea-X
The Primitives- The Flowers
The Smiths- Queen Is Dead

SH Kid Death- A-hhh..
A stroke of genius from these Norwegian artists on their debutsingle, which deserves to be released on the continent and

Wolfgang Press- Straight The Smiths- Queen Is Dead Demon Edge- Grand Visions

NRK P2 - Oslo Vidar Lonn Arnesen- prod. Top 3: Johnny Nash- Mine Samantha Fox Falco

No. 1 Album:

Peter Gabriel- So

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STATION REPORTS

Upcoming album: Genesis

RADIO ONE - Oslo Jorn Dalchow- prod. RW Peter Gabriel SH Fra Lippo Lippi- Every A-Ha- Hunting High And Low AD David Bowie- Underground LP Fra Lippo Lippi- Songs

RADIO UNG - Oslo Ronald Borkamo- dj/prod. RW A-Ha- Hunting High NE Mr. Mister- Is It Love Genesis- Invisible Touch Johnny Nash- Rock Me baby Fra Lippo Lippi- Songs

RADIO VEST - Stavanger Tony Burton- music dir. RW A-Ha- Hunting High AD Pointer Sisters- Back Waterboys- Medicine Bow Chris Rea- On The Beach Golden Earring- Quiet Eyes Mai Tai- Turn Your Love Icehouse- Measure Queen- A Kind Of Magic

Genesis- Invisible Touch

DENMARK

RADIO VIBORG Stig Hartvig Nielsen- station manager RW A New Beginning AD Dr. & The Medics- Spirit El DeBarge- Who's Johnny Janet Jackson- Nasty Double- Woman Aπita, Kyle, Dom. & Julie The Flyers- Madonna Black Uhuru- Train Robbery Laban- Love In Siberia

LOKALRADIO HERNING I. Christensen

RW Eurythmics- Tomorrow

Wham!- Edge Of Heaven
AD El DeBarge- Who's Johnny
Moody Blues- Wildest Dreams The Real Thing- Without You Kenny Loggins- Danger Zone

NE Kim Larsen- Jutlandia Eurythmics- Tomorrow Sigue Sigue Sputnik- 21st

Wham!- Edge Of Heaven Tears For Fears- Everybody Bucks Fizz- New Beginning

FINLAND

DISCOPRESS - Tampere Pentti Teravainen- progr. dir. RW Wham!- Edge Of Heaven AD Bruce & Bongo- Geil Madonna- Live To Tell Miami Sound Machine- Bad Boy Joy- Touch By Touch Robert Palmer- Addicted SH Leningrad Cowboys- Rocky Genesis- Invisible Touch

Cable Programmes



MUSICBOX PLAYLIST

Sure Shot Wham! Hot Shots Belinda Carlisle- Mad Oueen- Friends

Andy Taylor- Take It Easy Psychedelic Furs- Pretty Gavin Christopher- One Step Screaming Blue Messiahs Art Of Noise- Paranoimia Paul Hardcastle- Fooling Loose Ends- Stay A While Stewart & Gaskin- Locomotion



SKY TRAX

Action tracks: Katrina & The Waves

Heavy Plays: Prince- Mountains Bananarama- Venus Nu Shooz- Can't Wait Queen- Friends Eurythmics- Tomorrow Tone Norum-Stranded Owen Paul- Waste Of Time Pet Shop Boys- Opportunities Falco- Vienna Calling Madonna- Papa Don't Preach Wham!- Edge Of Heaven Janet Jackson- Nasty



DEEJAY TELEVISION

CL Mr. Mister- Is It Love Little Richard- Great Gosh Wax- Right Between The Eyes It's Immaterial- From Home ZZ Top- Rough Boy Roaring Boys- House Of Stone Level 42- Lessons In Love The Cure- Boys Don't Cry



Countdown Sattelite Smash: Wham!- Edge Of Heaven Most aired clips:

Wham!- The Edge Of Heaven A-Ha- Hunting High And Low Queen- Friends Modern Talking- Atlantis David Bowte- Underground Janet Jackson- What Have You Madonna- Papa Don't Preach

MUSIC BOX GERMANY

CL Chris Norman Stephanie Modern Talking Van Halen- Why Can't This Peter Gabriel- Sledgehammer George Michael Miami Sound Machine- Bad Boy Janet Jackson- What Have You Mike & The Mechanics- Miracle Samantha Fox-Touch Me

TV Programmes

United Kingdom Top Of The Pops Michael Hurll Bucks Fizz- Beginning Amazulu- Too Good Nu Shooz- I Can't Wait CL Miami Sound Machine A-Ha- Hunting High And Low Housemartins- Happy Hour Dr. & The Medics-Spirit Banarama- Venus Queen- Friends Owen Paul- Waste Of Time

GERMANY **ARD** - Formel Eins Andreas Thiesmeyer

CL Bruce & Bongo Sigue Sigue Sputnik- 21st Prince- Mountains Nu Shooz- I Can't Wait Chris De Burgh- Fire The Outfield- Your Love Hipsway- Ask The Lord Animotion- I Want You Wall Of Voodoo- Far Side Joe Cocker- You Can Leave

FRANCE ANTENNE 2- Super Platine Catherine Puech- Producer

CL Jeanne Mas- En Rouge Bill Baxter- Din Dong Viktor Lazlo- Canoe Rose Alain Bashung- L'Arrivee Emmanuelle- Premier Baiser Bernie Bonvoisin- Jennifer Special:

Indochine

CANAL PLUS Brenda Jackson- Producer Most aired clips:

Alain Souchon- Jim A-Ha- Hunting High And Low Madonna- Live To Tell Prince- Kiss Peter Gabriel- Sledgehammer

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Jean-Luc Leviennois- prod. CL P. Labelle & M. McDonald

Hipsway Jeanne Mas A-Ha Sade Mike & The Mechanics Katrina & The Waves Janet Jackson The Communards Den Harrow Sam Cooke Level 42 Sade Peter Gabriel Al Corley O.M.D. Alphaville

HOLLAND

COUNTDOWN - Veronica CL Owen Paul- Waste Of Time Cock Robin- On My Side Janet Jackson Golden Earring- Why I Do Nu Shooz- Can't Wait E.G. Daily- Say It UB40- Our Own Song Kim Wilde- Schoolgirl

Golden Earring E.G. Daily Kim Wilde

BELGIUM R.T.B.F. - Rox Box Ray Cokes- producer IN Erasure Concert:

Neon Judgement CL New Order The Fixx It's Immaterial

Depeche Mode AC/DC Rod Stewart Mint Juleps O.M.D. Belles Stars

SWITZERLAND DRS - Tiparade Bruno Bieri- producer

CL Transit- Break Away GTR- When The Heart Rules John Cougar Mellencamp- Rain Wang Chung- To Live And Die Wax- Right Between The Eyes

ITALY VIDEO MUSIC Claudio de Tommasi

CL Peter Gabriel Art Of Noise- Peter Gunn Intimate Strangers- Raise Pet Shop Boys- Opportunities Picnic- We Need Protection Limahi- Love In Your Eyes Alphaville- Dance With Me Culture Club- God Thank You

SPAIN TOCATA Mauricio Romero ST Objectivo Birmania Alan Vega Pildera P. R. Vais

Katrina & The Waves CL Alphaville Psychedelic Furs Rolling Stones

UK RADIO TALK

by Howard Marks

Colin Burrows, the man at Capital Radio who has brought us such geins in the World of broadcasting as The Chris Tarrant show, and You Ain't Heard Nothing Yet' has left Capital Radio to become freelance. He will begin a three month contract for Radio One producing shows such as Janice Long, Bruno Brooks and Steve Wright throughout the summer. After that Colin will be working on some exciting new ideas. We wait with baited breath Colin, and wish you all the best of luck. Somehow Capital Radio will not seem the same without your smiling little face, but life will continue somehow, someway, somewhere.

John Sachs at Capital taking a well earned rest, sitting in for the last three weeks, has been David ram jam Rodigan. Nice to hear the Saturday evening Reggae show host sitting in daytimes. Well done David, and let's hear more of the man more often.

Radio London jock, the larger than life Steve Walsh has apparently become the owner of a Rolls Royce. Well done Steve, all those late nights working hard in the clubs of London

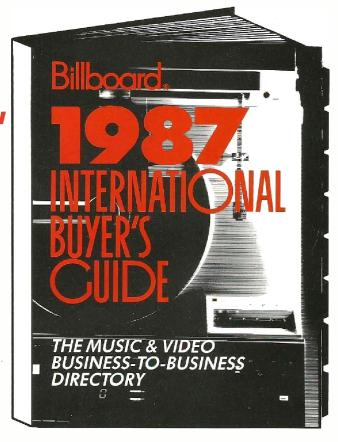
has paid of.

Talking of Radio London the last in the current series of Soul Night Out will take place to coincide with July 4th and Tony Blackburn alongside Dave Pierce will brodcast live from WBLS in New York, and there will be a host of stars at the Hammersmith Palais in London.

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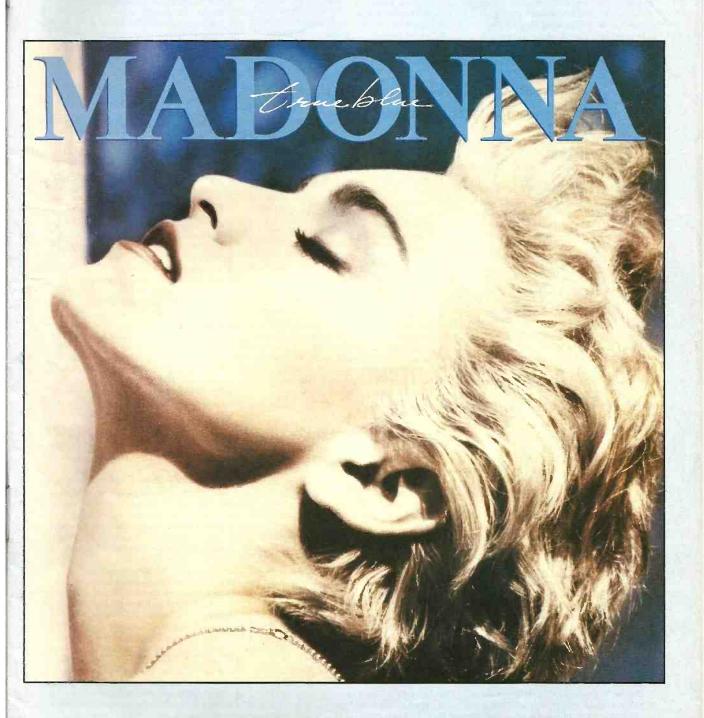
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- 1. Housemartins- Happy Hour
- 2. Dr. & The Medics-Spirit In The Sky
- 3. Madonna- Papa Don't Preach
- 4. Bucks Fizz- New Beginning
- 5. David Bowie- Underground
- 6. Steve Winwood- Higher Love
- 7. Suzanne Vega- Left Of Center
- 8. Wham!- The Edge Of Heaven
- 9. A-Ha- Hunting High And Low
- 10. Owen Paul- My Favourite Waste Of Time
- 11. Eurythmics- When Tomorrow Comes
- 12. Amazulu- Too Good To Be Forgotten
- 13. Pet Shop Boys- Opportunities
- 14. Peter Gabriel- Sledgehammer
- 15. Real Roxanne- Bang Zoom
- 16. Nu Shooz- I Can't Wait
- 17. Haywoode- Roses
- 18. Lovebuck Starsky- Amityville
- 19. Midge Ure- Call Of The Wild
- 20. Bananarama- Venus

MEDIA CONTROL GERMANY

From the airplay hitparade from Media Control including 29 radio channels. For more info please contact Media Control - Postfach 625, D-7570 Baden Baden, tel: (0)7221-33066.

- 1. Modern Talking- Atlantis Is Calling
- 2. Level 42- Lessons In Love
- 3. Johnny Nash- Rock Me Baby
- 4. Rod Stewart- Love Touch
- 5. Genesis- Invisible Touch
- 6. Sam Cooke- Wonderful World
- 7. Bangles- If She Knew What She Wants
- 8. Peter Gabriel- Sledgehammer
- 9. Miami Sound Machine- Bad Boy
- 10. Nicki- Wenn I Mit Dir Tanz
- II. Animotion- I Engineer
- 12. Chris Norman-Midnight Lady
- 13. Limahl- Love In Your Eyes
- 14. BAP- Time Is Crash- Time Is Money
- 15. Stephanie- Irresistible
- 16. Van Halen- Why Can't This Be Love
- 17. Eurythmics- When Tomorrow Comes
- 18. Trio Rio- New York- Rio- Tokyo
- 19. Engelbert- The Spanish Night Is Over
- 20. Whitney Houston- Greatest Love Of All

MEDIA CONTROL AUSTRIA

Most played records as checked by Media Control on the national channel OE 3 and Radio Brenner.

- I. Queen- A Kind Of Magic
- 2. Mike & The Mechanics- A Miracle
- 3. Modern Talking- Atlantis Is Calling
- 4. Whitney Houston- Greatest Love Of All
- 5. Alphaville- Dance With Me
- 6. P. Labelle & M. McDonald-On My Own
- 7. Johnny Nash- Rock Me Baby
- 8. Espresso-Say
- 9. Chris Norman- Midnight Lady
- 10. Bob Seger- American Storm
- il. Peter Gabriel- Sledgehammer
- 12. George Michael- A Different Corner
- 13. Bangles- Manic Monday
- 14. Stephanie- Irresistible
- 15. Johann K.- Ka Platz Im Herz

MEDIA CONTROL FRANCE

From the airplay hitparades provided by Media Control France. For more info please contact Media Control France - 29 Blv Tauler - 67000 Strasbourg - France - tel: (88)366580.

Radios Peripheriques (AM Stations):

- I. Alain Souchon- La Ballade De Jim
- 2. Catherine Lara- Nuit Magique
- 3. J.J. Goldman- Pas Toi
- 4. Jeanne Mas- En Rouge Et Noir
- 5. Gold- Ville De Lumiere
- 6. Madonna- Live To Tell
- Niagara- L'Amour A La Plage
- 8. Stephanie- Ouragan
- 9. Indochine- Tes Yeux Noirs
- 10. Sabine PatureI- Les Betises
- 11. Cock Robin- The Promise You Made
- 12. Rolling Stones- Harlem Shuffle
- 13. Daniel Balavoine- Sauver L'Amour
- 14. Bonnie Tyler- If You Were A Woman
- 15. Rose Laurens- Quand Tu Pars
- 16. Diana Ross- Chain Reaction
- 17. Lio- Les Brunes Ne Comptent Pas
- 18. Bernard Lavilliers- Exterieur Nuit
- 19. Cora- Amsterdam
- 20. Jean-Louis Aubert- Juste Une Illusion

Radios FM:

- l. Jeanne Mas- En Rouge Et Noir
- 2. Madonna- Live To Tell
- 3. Images- Les Demons De Minuit
- 4. Cock Robin- The Promise You Made
- 5. Etienne Daho- Epaule Tattoo
- 6. Spagna- Easy Lady Niagara- L'Amour A La Plage
- Alphaville- Dance With Me
- 9. Prince- Kiss
- 10. Queen- A Kind Of Magic
- 11. Communards- Disenchanted
- 12. George Michael- A Different Corner
- 13. Alisha- Baby Talk
- 14. Stephanie- Ouragan
- 15. Sting- Love Is The Seventh Wave
- 16. Nicole- Don't You Want My Love
- 17. Genesis- Invisible Touch
- 18. Gold- Ville De Lumiere
- 19. Sade- Never As Good As The First Time
- 20. Marc Lavoine- Le Parking Des Anges

MEDIA CONTROL SWITZERLAND

Most played records as checked by Media Control on the national channel DRS 3 and 5 private

For more info please contact Media Control, Post Passage 2 Basel 4002, tel: 61 - 228989.

- 1. Rod Stewart- Love Touch
- 2. Madonna- Live To tell
- Bangles- If She Knew What She Wants
- 4. Peter Gabriel- Sledgehammer
- 5. Jne Cocker- You Can Leave 6. Samantha Fox- Touch Me
- 7. Chris Norman- Midnight Lady
- 8. Mike & The Mechanics- All I Need
- 9. Genesis- Invisible Touch
- 10. Level 42- Lessons In Love
- II. Status Quo- Rollin' Home
- 12. Janet Jackson- What Have You Done 13. Queen- A Kind Of Magic
- 14. Johnny Nash- Rock Me Baby
- 15. George Michael- A Different Corner
- 16. Alphaville- Dance With Me
- 17. Animotion- I Engineer 18. Eros Ramazzotti- Adesso Tu
- 19. Bo Katzman- Working On The Galley 20. Diana Ross- Chain Reaction

STICHTING NEDERLANDSE TOP 40

Airplay checked on Radio 2 and 3, the Dutch national pop channels. For info contact Stichting Nederlandse Top 40, PO Box 706, 1200 AS Hilversum, tel: (0)35 - 231647.

- I. Topper Headon- Leave It To Luck
- 2. Madonna- Papa Don't Preach
- 3. Wham!- The Edge Of Heaven
- 5. Doobie Brothers- What A Fool Believes 6. Willem Duyn- Kom Nou Ellis
- 7. P. Labelle & M. McDonald- On My Own
- 8. Miami Sound Machine- Bad Boy
- 9. Het Goede Doel- Alles Geprobeerd
- 10. Satisfy- The Longest Time
- II. Ramones- Something To Believe In 12. Maarten Peters- After The Party
- 13. Janet Jackson- What Have You Done
- 14. Maywood- When I Look Into Your Eyes
- 15. Icehouse- No Promises
- 16. Rudy Crossman- No Pain
- 17. David Bowie- Underground
- 18. Mai Tai- Turn Your Love Around
- 19. Bananarama- Venus 20. Owen Paul- My Favourite Waste Of Time

SER - SPAIN

No new playlist received this week. The 20 best played records in Spain from Cuarenta Principales, covering the major Spanish stations.

- 1. Ole Ole- Bailando Sin Salir de Casa 2. V. Manuel & A. Velen-Puerta De Alcala
- 3. Hombres-G- Martha Tiene Un Marcapasos
- 4. Talk Talk- Living In Another World
- 5. Georgie Dann- Macumba
- 6. Jean Michel Jarre- Fourth Rendez-Vous
- 7. Queen- A Kind Of Magic 8. Modern Talking- Brother Louie
- 9. Augustin Pantoja- Te Esperare
- 10. Falco- Rock Me Amadeus
- II. Vicky Larraz- Yo Que Nunca Ame
- 12. Hipsway- The Honeythief 13. Danza Invisible- Mercado Negro
- 14. Pet Shop Boys- Love Comes Quickly
- 15. Madonna- Live To Tell 16. 091- Cuando Pierdo El Equilibrio
- 17. Joe Jackson- Right And Wrong
- 18. Loquillo & Los Trogloditas- Chanel 19. Video- Satisfecho 20. Katrina & The Waves- Is That It?

MAGNIFICENT TEN - ITALY Most played records as compiled from the national channel RAI.

- 1. Voice Of America- Hands Across America 2. Miguel Bose- Heaven
- 3. Eugenio Bennato- Sole Sole
- 4. A. Mingardo- Ti Trovero
- 5. Tom Hooker- Looking For love 6. Lorella Cunccarini- Kangaroo
- 7. Pet Shop Boys- Opportunities 8. Lena Biolcati- Io Donna Anch'io
- 9. Ivan Granziani- Ed E' Felicita 10. Wham!- The Edge Of Heaven

For the brand new European radio additions and the latest updates on station powerplays, sure hits and records of the week, please check the Station Reports in this issue.

STONES HIT PLATINUM/GOLD WORLDWIDE

CBS Act Participate In Film Promo

by Peter Jones

"Dirty Work", the Rolling Stones' first album for CBS, has already outsold its predecessor "Tattoo You", even without that album's advantage of a major European tour in support. That's the claim of CBS International executives, who say over 1.5 million units have been sold worldwide, more than 120,000 in CD format.

The album went platinum fast in Canada and Australia, gold in Britain, West Germany, France, Holland and Switzerland, and has topped charts in a Pan-European sweep which includes Holland, Belgium, Austria and Switzerland, as well as the Music & Media overall European Hot 100 (album was 3 weeks no. 1), with chart entries in no fewer than 15 European territories.

The first single from the LP, "Harlem Shuffle", is giving way to "One Hit", seen as a further sales boost. Additionally a one-hour documentary special made by BBC-TV is nearing completion and will be available round the world this autumn. The film takes in biographical material, but continued on page 7

Media: Due to the recent merge of Music Box Ltd. with Superchannel (see last week's issue) Charles Levison has become joint md of Superchannel, together with Richard Hooper (who was formerly sole md). Carol Haslam will be the new director of programmes for Superchannel Meanwhile at Music Box. Mike Hollingsworth has become md of Music Box (he used to be director of programmes & production) and Rob Jones (formerly with Skychannel) is the new head of programmes * Fred v.d. Graaf is the new radio director of NCRV radio in Holland*

Recording Industry: Gregory Fischbach has been named President of RCA/Ariola Records International Lieven v.d. Broek, ex prod. mng Virgin Belgium, will join Virgin Int. in London as international exploitation mng. His job will be taken by Firmin Michiels, who used to work for Phonogram Belgium as product mng. In return, his position will be filled by Ann Hajdu, once promotion mng for that company * Also in Belgium, Sonia Dufour has left WEA where she was in charge of public relations (French speaking media). Her successor is as yet unknown *

lon DUTCH VERONICA CARRY ORGANISES ZOMERDAG

Veronica's Zomerdag will coincide with UK The Tube's exclusive programme, Eurotube, to be transmitted live on July 5th from 19.30 - 0.30 hrs. The Dutch radio/tv channel Veronica will broadcast the first 3 hours of Eurotube and their input for the show says Lex Harding, programme director, will be Simply Red.

Before the show they will feature Miami Vice starring Phil Collins and between 15.00 and 20.00 hrs. from their Countdown studio in Bussum, 5 hours of music will be featured. This includes an entire hour of Wham! videos, Paul McCartney's version of We All Stand Together entitled Rupert & The Frog Choir, Dutch rock artists and OMD-

Veronica are also actively involved in arranging a concert on Scheveningen beach by The Hague for Golden Earring. It is a free concert expected to be attended by over 100,000 people and will be recorded live for radio and broadcast later on television.

FISCHBACH NAMED PRESIDENT RCA/ARIOLA INT.

QUEEN GIG ON UK NATIONAL

Gregory Fischbach has been named president of RCA/Ariola Records - International. In his new position, he will oversee all of RCA/Ariola's prerecorded music operations outside the US, including Canada. RCA/Ariola Records - International is one of three independent operating units established by Elliot Goldman, president and chief executive officer of RCA/Ariola, as part of the recently announced restructuring of RCA/ Ariola.

Prior to joining RCA/Ariola, Mr. Fischbach was president of Activision International and senior vice president of Activision, Inc., the Mountain View, California computer software and video game concern.



Gregory Fischbach, president, RCA/Ariola Records - International.

FALCO'S PRIZE

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transmitted live on Austrian radio and television, was sponsored for nearly \$30,000 by the Coca Cola company with the aim of promoting Austrian youth culture in general.

Every record released in 1985 on which an Austrian made a key contribution - be it as writer, producer, artist or whatever - was eligible for the competition. At the awards ceremony, with more than 250 big name guests, and an audience of 2,000, prominent personalities announced the winners.

Named best composer of the year was Rainhard Fendrich, with Gert X Steinbacker of pop group STS best lyricist. Other major winners: Peter Wolf (arranger), the Dolezal/Rossacher team (best video) and Ina (newcomer). There was a special award for the "Austria For Africa" fund-raising project.

The Pop Amadeus Awards followed the same organizational lines as America's Grammy ceremony, or the annual German Record Awards. A media jury picked the winners.

Stephan von Friendberg, president of the Austrian branch of IFPI, was on the jury but without voting powers. He is fully in favour of the newly-created awards, though some record industry heads are saying that it would be better, more prestigious, if there were official IFPI prizes instead.

Though it is not certain the Pop Amadeus Awards will continue next

year, there are already strong negotiations over possible sponsorship. The 1986 event was organized by Herbert Fechter and his company Profil Promotions. Says Fechter: "It is possible IFPI could be involved, but I have registered the trademark 'Austrian Record Prize' and I'm the only one who can use it."

BERTELSMANN

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But the German Federal Post Office monopoly is the most likely vilain. The post office charges exhorbitant prices for a stereo broadcast line, and one from New York to Washington would cost about \$ 70,000 per day. A live network alternative would be cooperation with Radio Luxembourg and use of a current RTL tv satellite subcarrier. Technically, this would make networking possible right now. But effectively, the German post office could veto the project. So UFA and DFS must wait for the new European DBS with broadcasting starting in late '87. DFS could then feed local stations directly with live programming.

State-chartered giants (BR in Munich and SWF in Baden Baden) have hinted they would let private stations carry some of their shows during off hours. DFS could soonface not only private but also public radio competition. (see also

Unless there are any unforeseen problems, Queen's July 12 Wembley Stadium concert in North London will be not only a memorable sell-out gig but also a unique broadcast event.

Plans have been completed to link UK independent radio and television in a national stereo simulcast.

With the television pictures carried on Channel Four, and stereo radio carried via satellite to the Independent Radio network, the broadcast will create several firsts for the UK media

Apart from being the first-ever nationwide stereo simulcast on the independent networks, the concert will also be the first time satellite distribution has been used for a network independent radio broadcast in the UK.

The concert, promoted by Harvey Goldsmith, is to be filmed by Tyne Tees Television's "Tube" team, directed by Gavin Taylor and will be recorded in digital stereo. It is said that the sound quality of the satellite distribution system will thus be equal to that of the digital stereo master tape

STEREO SIMULCAST and will allow the listener to experience the full impact of the original recording.

Participating UK independent radio stations will be equipped with satellite dishes and the visual signal from Channel Four will be electronically "locked" to the sound signal, broadcast over the ECS2 satellite just a fraction of a second ahead of the pictures, this to cut out satellite delay.

The scheme was initiated by Queen, living up to their reputation as one of the world's most innovative bands. It's recalled that their film, produced to accompany the 1975 smash "Bohemian Rhapsody" was an important landmark in the development of the pop video. Now, 11 years on, they are pioneering commercial broadcasting's big moment in terms of the UK's first national stereo link.

The event has been coordinated by Queen, manager Jim Beach, the promotions agency Creative Planners and the AIRC programming committee, in consultation with Channel Four.

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Highlights

UNITED KINGDOM

Wham! have their fourth no. 1 hit in the UK as their festive The Edge Of Heaven moves from 2 (new entry last week) to the no. 1 spot this week. The three weeks chart topper Spirit In The Sky has therefore been put back to no. 4. At 2 M&M's Disco/Dance tip Nu Shooz and Hull based band The Housemartins (yet another M&M New Talent tip) move from 12 to no. 3! (the band just released their debut album, Hull 0 London 4, this week). Amazulu move into Top 10 (5-9) and the Mar-Co shall Crenshaw written My Favourite Waste Of Time by Owen Paul streaks into Top 10 as well (7-14). Madonna enters straight in at 13 with Papa Don't Preach. In terms of chart entries, this is her 4th best entry in the UK charts after the entries of 'Groove' (last year straight in at 4), 'Live To Tell' (this year in at 10) and 'Dress You Up' (last year; 12). Good moves for Queen (14-21; in its 2nd week), Bananarama (15-22), Big Country (28-34) and Art Of Noise (38-46). Second best entry for Samantha Fox's latest Do Ya, Do Ya, entering at 24. Other entries for Midnight Starr (Headlines in at 29) and The Real Roxanne (Let's Go Go) entering at 31.

The Smiths' new LP The Queen Is Dead makes an enormous entry straight in at 2, even surpassing Sting's entry at 16 (the live double Bring On The Night).

GERMANY

Modern Talking again top both the single and album charts this week. The duo's Atlantis Is Calling is followed by Sam Cooke who moves up one notch and by Chris Norman. Level 42 move up to 4 after only being charted for 3 weeks and 2 incredible jumps into top 10 include Nu Shooz's I Can't Wait (7-53) and Bananarama's version of Venus (9-65). Also climbing steadily are Sandra with Innocent Love (14-48), The Cure's Boys Don't Cry (19-28) and the P4F medly of P.Machinery with Relax. A-Ha have highest new entry with Hunting High And Low (25) and Bowie's Underground also enters the German charts along with Marvin Gaye, Drafi Deutscher (Sensuality) and Wham!

FRANCE

Jeanne Mas has not succeeded in replacing Stephanie from the top where she remains for the

9th week. The only addition to the top 10 is Madonna's Live To Tell (at 7, up from 12) and other good moves for Alphaville with Dance With Me (23-38). Nicole (Don't You Want My Love: 31-43) and Prince with Kiss. Only 2 new entries this week: Images with Les Demons De La Nuit and local trio Niagara with their follow-up to Tchiki Boum, entitled L'Amour A La Plage. (The group took their name from a Henry Hathaway film starring Marilyn Monroe).

It is with regret that we learned of the death of Coluche who recently featured highly in the French pop scene thanks to his active participation in Les Restos Du Coeur, the charity single for French homeless.

HOLLAND

Already for 2 weeks at no. 1 Janet Jackson with the Jam/Lewis produced What Have You Done For Me Lately. Labelle & McDonald creep up one notch (2-3) and Level 42, last week in Holland for promotion, streak into top 10 (6-16). Jermaine Stewart's We Don't Have To Take Our Clothes Off is new in the top 10 (8-12) and a contender for next week top 10 entry is Wham! with The Edge Of Heaven (an enormous jump from 26 to 11). Other good moves for Samantha Fox (14-17), Bowie (15-22), Whitney Houston (27-20) and Bananarama (25-35).

Holland is probably the only country where Sheila E.'s Holly Rock is charted. The single enters at 29 and comes from the OST Krushgroove. Second best entry for the new Madonna single and other entries for Queen, E.G. Daily (Say It Say It), Muenchener Freiheit with Tausendmal Du and Stephanie.

ITALY

For the 4th week Madonna tops the Italian charts whose top 10 remains pretty static this week with only one addition: Peter Gabriel's Sledgehammer (at 10 from 13). Level 42's Lessons In Love is climbing well (13-25) as is Spanish singer Miguel Bose with his English-sung Heaven (15-26). David Bowie with Underground is the highest numerous new entries including Valerie Dore (Lancelot), Tom Hooker (Looking For Love), The Blow Monkeys and Samantha Fox.

SPAIN

Modern Talking sticks at 1 for the 4th consecutive week and is again followed by SSS's Love Missile and popular Spanish duo Victor Manuel & Ana Belen (an M&M New Talent tip). At 4 comes Stephanie who has zoomed up from 14 and other fast climbs for Angel with Dancing In The Street. Local quintet Ole Ole are currently doing well in the Spanish charts since the addition of new female vocalist, Marta. Their Lili Marlene is still charted and the follow-up Bailando Sin Salir De Casa is rising steadily. Only one new entry for Jose Luis Perales with La Primera Vez (The First Time).

GREECE

Although single sales are relatively low in the Greek market, Madonna has best selling single with Live To Tell followed by Modern Talking (Brother Louie) and Sandra's Little Girl. Best selling international albums for Prince, Stones, Whitney Houston, Sandra, Jean-Michel Jarre and A-Ha.

FINLAND

Most popular single is AC/DC's Who Made Who, making a big jump from 10 to the no. I spot this week. At 2 local artist Juce Leskinen. Samantha Fox has been put back to 3 and new entries for Eurythmics, Genesis, Dr & The Medics and Level 42

DENMARK

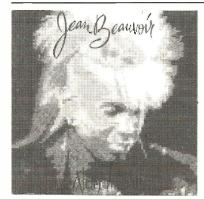
Two national products remain on top, VM-Holdet and Dansk Holdet, but Wham! is new at 3 with Edge Of Heaven. Alphaville drops one place to 4 and new in the top 10 is Prince with Mountains (9-19). Best moving single has Peter Gabriel (18-26) and Genesis enters at 25).

PORTUGAL

Lisbon).

Jennifer Rush is still no. 1 with The Power Of Love and the highest jump has George Michael with A Different Corner (2-21). New entries for Madonna's Live To Tell (12) and new at 15 is, although a bit outdated now, the hymn to the Portuguese soccer team by Jose Esteves entitled Vamos La Cambada, which can be roughly translated with 'Let's Go Lads'.

ALBUMS OF THE WEEK



Jean Beauvoir- Drums Along The Mohawk- Red Eye/Virgin



Alphaville- Afternoons In Utopia- WEA



Rod Stewart- Every Beat Of My Heart- Warner Brothers

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EUROCLIPS

The most aired music video clips throughout Europe in the week prior to publication. It includes more than 50 video-tv programmes and other tv shows partly using videos from 14 European countries.

VIDEO FAVOURITES

Wham!
The Edge Of Heaven
Queen
Friends Will Be Friends
Peter Gabriel
Sledgehammer

VIDEO HITS

A-Ha Hunting High And Low David Bowie Underground Modern Talking Atlantis Is Calling Janet Jackson What Have You Done Bananarama Venus Joan Armatrading Kind Words Level 42 Lessons In Love Alphaville Dance With Me Rod Stewart Love touch

WELL AIRED

Pet Shop Boys Opportunities The Cure Boys Don't Cry Culture Club God Thank You Woman Madonna Papa Don't Preach P. Labelle & M. McDonald On My Own Genesis Invisible Touch Eurythmics When Tomorrow Comes Miami Sound Machine Bad Boy Dr. & The Medics Spirit In The sky

MEDIUM ROTATION

Owen Paul
My Favourite Waste Of Time
Van Halen
Why Can't This Be Love
Stephanie
Irresistible
Kim Wilde
Schoolgirl
Madonna
Live To Tell
Prince
Mountains
Rolling Stones
One Hit To The Body
Depeche Mode

FIRST SHOWINGS

E.G. Daily Say It Psychedelic Furs Pretty In Pink

A Question Of Lust

EURO CABLE PENETRATION ON THE INCREASE UK Lags Behind

by Peter Jones

While the number of homes linked to cable television networks in western Europe generally grew by 4% last year to around II million, so creating a mood of high optimism, the British cable-tvindustry, worried by its snailspace progress, is looking for an urgent injection of financial aid from the government.

In the UK, only seven of the first II franchises granted in 1983 are in operation, whereas all should have been in action by now. And of the additional 10 granted by the new Cable Authority, only one (in East London) looks likely to be operating this year or next.

Operators say one reason only 150,000 British homes are cabled thus far is the lack of material fed into them by satellite. But the Dutch satellite service Europea will feed Britain from mid-summer and others will follow.

Operators say demand is similar to that, say, in West Germany where, in Frankfurt and Hamburg, the cable penetration was around 15%, but where there has been immense government subsidies. The cable companies have 15-year franchises, but the financial problems all come in the early years, hence the demand for government help.

But a new report covering the whole western Europe region suggest that about 16 % of European homes, or 21 million, will be linked to cable systems within the next 10 years. About 3% of homes are now on sophisticated cable networks capable of two-way communication, and this sector is expected to rise to 12% by 1995.

The report, from CIT, London-based communications consultancy, its fourth annual survey, says that if the UK had been excluded from the reckoning, the western European growth would have been 8% last year, not just 4%. Without the inclusion of slow-moving British cable, Europe would have seen record cable growth last year, says the report.

DUTCH VCR'S UP TO 23%

Amsterdam- According to a recent survey organized by NOS, the Dutch state-owned broadcasting organization, a total of 1.2 million Dutch households had a videorecorder at the end of 1985. The VCR penetration grade was therefore up to 23 %, a sixfold rise since 1981.

According to the NOS research, the VCR penetration was up to 30% in February this year and is expected to increase to 50% before 1990.

In recent years the number of rented pre-recorded video cassettes in Holland has also grown considerably. 70% of VCR owners now rent these cassettes on a regular basis.

Last year Dutch households with a VCR played an average number of 15 videotapes per month, 68% of which included taped television programmes and 14% of which were pre-recorded cassettes. Of the taped programmes drama represents some 50%, entertainment 18%, youth programmes 15% and information and sports the least of all. Of the pre-recorded video cassettes 56% were action films.



During the IMMC in Montreux, Italian radio station Radio Dimensione Suono interviewed many international stars. Pictured here from I. to r. are Silvio Piccinini, dj, Lidia Bonguardo, M&M's coordinator for Italy, and Eduardo Montefusco, general mng.

UK SALES BOOM FOR VIDEO CASSETTES

by Peter Jones

Blank and pre-recorded videocassette sales worldwide will reach 2.5 billion a year by 1989, according to a new report from Benn Electronics in London. In 1984, some 600 million twohour equivalents were sold.

The report predicts a major sales

boom as unit prices fall and video music starts making real movement into the mainstream audio-based music business. Videocassette purchases per VCR owner will rise from 15 hours per year in 1984 to over 25 hours per year in 1989 as a result, says

SKY EXPANDS TO AMSTERDAM

Amsterdam- At a press conference held here last week Sky Channel announced the signing of contracts with Caransa B.V. and the Escape management for the transfer of a major part of its production activities to the Escape Theatre complex in Amsterdam.

The Escape Theatre, formerly a cinema on the Rembrandtsplein in Amsterdam, will be totally redesigned to contain Europe's largest discotheque The Escape and Sky will also install a second studio available for local productions as well as Sky activities. The Eurochart Top 50 show, produced by John De Mol Productions will be produced directly at the Escape (the only discotheque in Europe designed exclusively with television in mind), as well as the Pop Formula shows which are to be co-produced by Dutch TROS and Sky Channel from October 1986.

On average a total of 10 hours a week of programming will be produced in Holland. To confirm their commitment to moving to the Continent Sky will have an office in the Escape Theatre accommodating around 15 Sky staff. This is just the beginning of the addition to the Continent and Sky executives say they hope to produce regular programmes from Scandinavia in the near future as well as entering into Flanders in Belgium this autumn where they hope to produce directly from Brussels.

Patrick Cokes managing director of Sky Channel said: "Sky Channel is making a major investment in the Netherlands based on the success of our production activities there over the last year."

STONES' SUCCESS

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centers on the new album, including its videos, and is produced by Mike Appleton.

Bunny Friedus, CBS International vice president of creative operations, says: "What really impressed us was the band's willingness to get involved in promotional work. Being living legends, it was assumed the Stones wouldn't want to be bothered with such things. But we know now that apart from being giants in the history of rock and roll, the Stones are prepared to work for their own success."

It was said, though it remains unconfirmed, that the CBS contract was worth a guaranteed \$25 million for the band.

Benn Electronics.

Over the same period, VCR ownership will increase from the 1984 figure of 65 million to some 140 million machines, VHS and Beta combined. And it says the manufacturing dominance of Japan will shift. Production of video hardware in Japan is expected to fall 10% this year, a further 13% in 1987 and 15.5% in 1988.

european ARPLAY top 50

The EUROPEAN AIRPLAY TOP 50 is compiled through all our correspondents tips received this week (*)Records of the week receive extra points. The airplay lists of the airplay report organisations within some of the European countries are also used in the calculations, as well as playlists of the major radio stations (*)Please note that not all received those annear in MISIC & MEDIA but they are all used for excludations of the AIRPLAY TOP 50.

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2 2 10	Sledgehammer Peter Gabriel - Charisma/Virgin (Cliofine Limited)	27 16 21 The Promise You Made Cock Robin - CBS (Edwin Ellis/Nurk Twins)
3 1 6	Invisible Touch Genesis - Virgin (Hit & Run Music)	28 23 5 Opportunities Pet Shop Boys - Parlophone (10 Music/Cage Music)
4 8 3	Underground David Bowie - Jones/Brookwood Music (EMI America)	29 28 7 All I Need Is A Miracle Mike & The Mechanics - WEA (Various)
5 7 4	Atlantis Is Calling (S.O.S. For Love) Modern Talking - Hansa/Ariola (Intersong)	30 37 2 Happy Hour The Housemartins - Go!Discs (Go!Disc Music)
6 3 4	When Tomorrow Comes Eurythmics - RCA (RCA Music/EMI Music)	My Favourite Waste Of Time Owen Paul - Epic (Warner Bros./Bug Music)
7 6 14	A Kind Of Magic Queen - EMI (Queen Music/EMI Music)	32 20 14 A Different Corner George Michael - Epic (Morrison Leahy Music)
8 11 10	Lessons In Love Level 42 - Polydor (Level 42/Chappell/Island)	33 31 2 Venus Banarama - London (Island Music/Nada)
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13) 40 2	Higher Love Steve Winwood - Island (Various)	38 33 2 Call Of The Wild Midge Ure - Chrysalis (Mood Music)
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21) 29 5	Spirit In The Sky Dr. And The Medics - IRS (Westminster Music)	46 Every Beat Of My Heart Rod Stewart - Warner Brothers (Cardinal/Carlin Music)
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