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Montreux - Music Capital Of The World

Montreux - More than 600 people invaded the convention centre here in Montreux to attend the second International Music & Media Conference (IMMC), held from May 13-16. As well as 48 superstars and emerging artists, radio and tv organisations from 16 countries, including the U.S., are gathering at what is becoming the international con-

ference for talent, media, marketing and advertising executives. This year's key-note speakers include Norman Pattiz, President of Westwood One, Stan Cornyn, President of The Record Group, Charles Garvin, President of Personics Corporation and Michael Kuhn, Head New Business Division of PolyGram International.

Almost all major record companies have organised press conferences for their artists and three live concerts are planned: Phonogram's IQ and The Rainmakers, A&M's Immaculate Fools and leading rock band Genesis, who will make a special appearance on the final night.

Theo Roos, IMMC Director, has seen an increase in the number of delegates compared to last year as well as a broader scope of music industry related topics for the seminars. He comments: "There is no doubt that for this week Montreux is the music capital of the world. I am very excited about the level of artists, speakers and dele-

gates that we have at this year's conference."

Visible Talent - Delegates to this week's IMMC in Montreux will be treated to a special performance by the super group Genesis who make this one-off appearance in the middle of a highly successful world tour.



Oh Brother! 100 Weeks In The Charts!

Dire Straits' Album Still A Winner

Dire Straits' fifth album, 'Brothers In Arms', released two years ago this week, is still in the European Hot 100 Albums chart enjoying its one hundredth week as a best seller. The album has sold a staggering 14 million copies worldwide (excluding the States where the band is signed to Warner), confirmed Mathieu Vanswevelt, Executive Vice President Popular Music Division of PolyGram International. From the total European sales of 7 to 8 million, the UK took the largest share with more than 2.5 million copies.

'Brothers In Arms' has the longest running chart life in the

history of the European Hot 100. At the end of 1985, just seven months after its release, the band had already broken several records; at that time they were the longest no. 1 runner in the Hot 100 Albums, a record only broken this year by Madonna's 'True Blue' which stayed at the top spot for 29 consecutive weeks, compared with Dire Straits' 25 weeks.

The band's front man, Mark Knopfler, is currently producing a solo album by Willie de Ville, to be released in September, as well as working on his own solo project in L.A., a soundtrack to a film.

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Mixed Reactions On Cassette Single

UK United, Continentals Divided

by Machgiel Bakker & Peter Jones

Although the introduction of the cassette single has met with unanimous approval in the UK, reactions in Europe have been divided. In the UK, companies like WEA, CBS, PolyGram and BMG are committed to a six month consumer trial for cas-

sette singles, starting in June this year. The tape format is seen as a way of countering declining sales of vinyl singles.

"The experiment with cassettes is not new at all; it was tried two years ago during my

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Cut Price CDs Launched In Italy

by Vittorio Castelli

The Italian record company Fonit Cetra is launching a CD series at the sensational retail price of around £6, including tax, which is the same price as LPs.

Managing Director Lucio Salvini says: "This was possible because at the time we started planning this operation, -we were sure costs would get lower, which is what has happened. Furthermore, we offer this series in cardboard sleeves. There is no point in charging our customers the cost of jewel plastic boxes. We feel the content is more important than the container."

Another important feature of the series which, according to Salvini, helps in keeping

costs low, is that released material is mostly historical which means many of the recordings belong to the public.

The first release of the series, which is called 'Grandi Scelte' (Great Choices), is all classical music. Future releases will also include pop recordings. A total of 50 CDs are scheduled for release in 1987.

"We believe that current CD prices are too high," says Salvini, "and that a cheaper product could sell much more. First market reaction has showed we are right. Up to yesterday we could count on 320-330 sales points but already by today our distributor, Dischi Ricordi, puts the figure at over 600!"

Slight Fall In Virgin Music Profits

by Peter Jones

London - Richard Branson's Virgin Group, publishing its first set of half-year figures since going public last November, shows pre-tax profits for the six months to January 31 at £18.5 million on a turnover of £161 million.

However, there was a slight fall in the music division, from £12.18 million in the same half of the previous financial year, to £11.5 million. But this is attributed to a lack of new releases in the period plus high investment in the new US operation - where Virgin has a debut number one hit single with Cutting Crew's 'I Just Died In Your

Arms'. Virgin is seeking a US listing of its shares.

The group's retail and video divisions both show profit upturns. And Branson points out that the half-year figures were achieved without releases by major stars and that the second half is running at a significantly higher level. On the retail side, Virgin now has 94 shops, with a target of 130 in a year's time.

In Memoriam

Milan- Eugenio Clausetti, one of the oldest and most respected figures of the Italian music scene, has died in Milan at the age of 82. Clausetti was President of the Ricordi publishing group, President of UNEMI (Union of Italian Music Publishers), Vice-President of Dischi Ricordi, and member of the board of directors of Arti Grafiche Ricordi and Editoriale Ricordi.

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MOVING

Media: Catherine Regnier has been named new Head Of Programming at France's M6 tv channel. She was previously Head Of Promotion at WEA France ★ **Thomas Bernd Stelling** is the new director of the NDR studio Niederlassheim in Hannover ★ **Heinrich C. Moeller** is the new Managing Director of Radio Rheinland-Pfalz in Ludwigshafen. He used to be MD at Bauer TV in Munich ★

Recording Industry: Stephen Shrimpton has been named Senior Vice-President, responsible for WEA Europe. The appointment follows the resignation of Sigi Loch (see M&M last week) and is effective July 1. Shrimpton joined WEA In-

ternational a year ago as Senior Vice-President International Marketing & Artist Development. Prior to that he was Managing Director of MPL Communications, the Paul McCartney group of companies. Shrimpton was also Managing Director for EMI Music Australia for six years ★ EMI's A&R Director **David Munns** has confirmed that he is moving to Polydor where he takes over from Richard Ogden as Managing Director. Munns was with EMI for 15 years and his position will now be filled by Nick Gatfield who joined the company in 1985 after a successful career as a musician with Dexys Midnight Runners ★

CHAIRS

Finnish Radio & TV Growth In Popularity

by Kari Helopaito

Helsinki- Radio, particularly the local commercial stations, has been making big gains as a leisure-time activity in Finland, according to a new survey published in Helsinki. The average Finn spends five hours daily reading newspapers, magazines and books, listening to the radio and watching television; radio picks up 32% of that time and television 28%.

The survey notes too that

around 15% of the country's 1.6 million households have now been linked to cable. Satellite and cable transmissions now pick up 4% of the five-hour recreational period.

The media survey also shows that the recently launched television venture Kolmoskanava (Third Channel) is currently available only in the Helsinki area and is getting 8%-9% of the potential one million viewers in southern Finland, after just two months in operation.

A spin-off from the success of radio in Finland is that local commercial radio stations and their union have decided to discontinue their existing GRAMEX Treaty as from January 1 next year. GRAMEX controls payments for radio airplay and the use of copyright mechanical music on radio and tv.

The independent stations claim that payments are far too high, specially when compared with other Scandinavian countries and the rest of western Europe. Payments currently range from £0.80 to roughly £3.10 per broadcast radio minute, based on audience potential and other factors.



ROAD TO SUCCESS- Italian band Via Verdi, who have enjoyed chart success with the singles 'Diamond' and 'Sometimes', sign a worldwide contract with WEA. From left to right: Claudio Cecchetto, producer; Remo Zito, Via Verdi; Massimo Giuliano, Promo Director WEA Italy; Stefano Senardi, International Dept Director WEA Italy; other Via Verdi band members.

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EUROPEAN AIRPLAY 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 main radio stations, and as well as playlists of the main radio stations. (*Please note that not all received tips appear in MUSIC & MEDIA but they are all used for the calculation of the AIRPLAY TOP 50)

- 1 1 8 **La Isla Bonita**
Madonna - Sire (WB/Elek Discque/Webo Gir)
- 2 4 8 **With or Without You**
U2 - Island (Blue Mountain Music)
- 3 3 8 **Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now**
Starship - Grunt/RCA (Realsongs/Albert Hammond)
- 4 2 5 **Let It Be**
Ferry Aid - The Sun/CBS (Northern Songs)
- 5 5 11 **You're The Voice**
John Farnham - Whesley/RCA (Rondor Music)
- 6 7 8 **Big Love**
Fleetwood Mac - Warner Brothers (Now Sounds)
- 7 9 8 **Lean On Me**
Cliff Novacek - King Jay/Warner Brothers (SBK/CBS Songs)
- 8 17 5 **Living In A Box**
Living In A Box - Chrysalis (Empire/Brampton Music)
- 9 13 2 **To Be With You Again**
Level 42 - Polydor (Level 42/Chappell Music)
- 10 10 10 **Everything I Own**
Boy George - Virgin (Screen Gems/EMI Music)
- 11 10 **Respectable**
Mai & Kim - Supreme (All Boys Music)
- 12 16 7 **Se La**
Lionel Richie - Motown (Brockman Music)
- 13 8 14 **Running In The Family**
Level 42 - Polydor (Chappell)
- 14 29 7 **If You Let Me Stay**
Terence Trent D'Arby - CBS (Virgin Music)
- 15 16 **Ordinary Day**
Curiosity Killed The Cat - Mercury (Curtis Sounds/Chester/WB)
- 16 23 7 **Heat Of The Night**
Bryan Adams - A&M (Adams Comm/Calypro Toonz)
- 17 26 5 **Eve's Volcano**
Julian Cole - Island (10 Music)
- 18 10 **Weak In The Presence Of Beauty**
Alison Moyet - CBS (Virgin Music)
- 19 13 5 **Why Can't I Be You**
The Cure - Fiction/Polydor (APB Music)
- 20 25 2 **Call Me**
Spagna - CBS (Capuccino/Labelle)
- 21 21 18 **I Know You Were Waiting (For Me)**
Aretha Franklin & George Michael - Epic (Chrysalis Music)
- 22 5 **Wanted Dead Or Alive**
Bon Jovi - Mercury (Bon Jovi/PolyGram Music)
- 23 17 **Dominoes**
Robbie Nevil - Manhattan (MCA/Bobby Hart Music)
- 24 14 10 **Sign Of The Times**
Princa - Paisley Park (Contrasty)
- 25 22 5 **Another Step (Closer To You)**
Kim Wilde & Junior - MCA (Rickim Music)

- 26 30 4 **Twilight World**
Swing Out Sister - Mercury (Copyright Control)
- 27 11 7 **Day In Day Out**
David Bowie - EMI America (Jones Music America)
- 28 24 7 **Let's Wait Awhile**
Janet Jackson - A&M (Flyte Tyme/Crush Club)
- 29 34 3 **Shattered Dreams**
Johnny Hates Jazz - Virgin (Copyright Control)
- 30 38 3 **The Slightest Touch**
Five Star - Tent/RCA (Famous Chappell/MCA)
- 31 **ME** **Bitter Fruit**
Little Steven - Manhattan (Little Steven Music)
- 32 38 4 **Real Fashion Reggae Style**
Carey Johnson - 101/Virgin (Oval/Cameron Music)
- 33 **ME** **Friday On My Mind**
Gary Moore - 101/Virgin (United Partnership)
- 34 27 5 **Keep Your Eye On Me**
Herb Alpert - Breakout/A&M (Copyright Control)
- 35 28 7 **Let My People Go-Go**
The Rainmakers - Mercury (Screen Gems/EMI Music)
- 36 **ME** **Strangelove**
Depeche Mode - Mute (Sone)
- 37 32 13 **What You Get Is What You See**
Tina Turner - Capitol (Rondor/Good Single/W.B.)
- 38 35 4 **(Something Inside) So Strong**
Labi Siffre - Chisla/Chrysalis (Empire/Xavier Music)
- 39 33 4 **J'Oublierai Ton Nom**
Johnny Hallyday & Carmel - Philips/Phonogram (J.R.G./Laurie)
- 40 48 2 **Live It Up**
Mental As Anything - Epic (Syrray Music)
- 41 43 2 **Sauvez-Moi**
Jeanne Mas - Pathe Marconi (Le Minotaure)
- 42 37 14 **The Right Thing**
Simply Red - WEA (SBK/CBS Songs)
- 43 **ME** **Back And Forth**
Cameo - Mercury (PolyGram Music)
- 44 **ME** **April Skies**
The Jesus & Mary Chain - Blanco & Negro/WEA (W.B. Music)
- 45 **ME** **Babacar**
France Gall - Apache/WEA (Apache MBM)
- 46 **ME** **Boops (Here To Go)**
Sly & Robbie - 4th & Broadway (SBK/CBS Songs)
- 47 **ME** **Can't Be With You Tonight**
Judy Boucher - Orbione (Reward Music)
- 48 **ME** **Meet El Presidente**
Duran Duran - EMI (EMI Music Publ.)
- 49 **ME** **Watchdogs**
UB40 - Def Int./Virgin (New Claims/ATV)
- 50 **ME** **Carrie**
Europe - CBS (Seven Doors/EMI Music)

WHITNEY HOUSTON - I WANNA DANCE WITH SOMEBODY (Arista)
TINA TURNER - BREAK EVERY RULE (Capitol)
CHRIS ISAAK - BLUE HOTEL (Warner Brothers)
VIKTOR LAZLO - BREATHELESS (Polydor)

HOT RADIO ADDS

The new hot radio adds on Euro-radio just prior to publication

RADIO RAP



by Cathy Inglis

NRJ's Jean-Paul Baudereux is making the most of French Prime Minister Jacques Chirac's proposal to donate a channel on the satellite Telecom 1. This is offered to anyone interested in forming a new music channel to replace the defunct TV6. NRJ owned an 18% share of TV6 and the station's percentage of the capital of the new venture

would remain the same. The number one FM station would be joined by artists, record companies, and cable distributors - their aim being to protect French repertoire, especially now that MTV Europe is a certainty.

British radio stations are certainly active when it comes to fund raising events. Last week saw Capital Radio's 'Help A London Child' campaign and now Southern Sound have launched an appeal called 'Lighter Laser' which the station's Lesley Borg-Cardona hopes will raise £70,000 by the end of the year. The money raised will go towards a new laser unit at the Brighton General Hospital to treat women with cervical cancer. Sponsored by the Alliance & General building society

GUEST COLUMN HEAD SETS



by Simon Cole

Simon Cole is Chief Executive of Piccadilly Productions, Britain's leading producer of network radio programmes.

The current sounds of internal squabbling amongst Britain's 46 commercial radio stations must have a familiar ring to observers on the continent.

Station take-overs, foreign investment in the industry, the arrival of 'networked' programmes, companies going bust, union difficulties, and deregulation - these are the kind of issues that occupy the mind of any self-respecting British radio executive at the moment. They are not, however, issues that are new to European radio. Indeed, in France and Italy such topics of conversation are more likely

and backed by American Express. Southern Sound has also attracted star names to support the event, including Annie Lennox of the Eurythmics, Wendy Richards of popular TV programme 'Eastenders', and the two female vocalists from Buck's Fizz. Good luck to all involved.

Berlin witnessed a fairly nasty riot last week and Radio 100, which is known as an 'alternative' station, is being partly blamed. It seems that the radio was inciting the looters and keeping their 'oo' well informed of events. The city senator is now demanding that the station's licence be revoked.

An official Danish survey organisation, the AIM, reveals that Radio Viborg has maintained its position as the leading local radio in

Denmark, with a daily reach of 67%. According to the survey only 6% never tune into the station, but Programme Manager Stig Hartvig-Nielsen warns, "we are working on them". He puts the good ratings down to their specific style of programming which incorporates more jingles and local news coverage than Danmarks Radio. As commercials are still illegal, their income comes from radio bingo and membership fees.

As part of the celebrations for Berlin's 750th anniversary, the Cologne-based dBFS station (British Forces Broadcasting Services) sent most of their DJs off to Berlin, from where they are doing outside broadcasts beamed over to Cologne.

excellent and have a proven track record in Europe, like the Radio Express 'American Top 40' programme. However I wonder how many of the big American syndication companies would be prepared to pay even a few dollars for a version of the 'European Hot 100' which is published in M&M every week - I know that the answer is none, because I know people who've tried for years to interest the Americans in programming from Europe.

The future, surely, for commercial radio in Europe lies not in learning lessons from each other and investigating ways of

producing pan-European programming.

Unfortunately a major commitment at the Cannes Film Festival where we are providing a radio studio for outside broadcasting has prevented us from attending at IMMC this year. I'm sure that much useful dialogue will take place, I hope at least one of it is concentrated on how European radio can work together in the coming years.

Articles appearing in this column serve as a forum for the expression of views of general interest and these are not necessarily those of the editors.

Deregulation For Local Irish Radio

by Peter Jones

Dublin - The new Fianna Fail government in Ireland has promised a deregulated system of local radio for the territory. Ray Burke, the Minister For Communications, told media people that the days of state monopoly in broadcasting were over.

With state network RTE executives in the audience, he said: "We're no longer in a situation where the state needs to dictate precisely what the public can hear on our broadcasting

services". He added, "There are business people and enterprises with the capability and talent to get involved in providing broadcasting services and it is our job to provide the environment so that they can gain entry." The new government's election manifesto contained a promise that all aspects of Ireland's present television service would be re-examined too.

MONTREUX ROCK TV SPECIAL - 4th EDITION

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Depeche Mode
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INXS
Simply Red
Spandau Ballet
UB 40
Wang Chung
David & David
Kim Wilde
Colin James Hay

MAY 13th, 20h30, ROCK 2

Basette Boys
Duran Duran
Erasme
Mental As anything
Nick Kamen
Level 42
Run-DMC
Swing Out Sister
Thompson Twins
Cock Robin
Vesta Williams
Gregory Abbott

MAY 15th, 20h30 IMMC MUSIC AWARD NIGHT

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Alison Moyet
Communards
Mel & Kim
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A-Ha
Jean Beauvoir
Bonnie Bianco
Boy George
Robbie Nevil
Teola
Helena Spring
Mental As Anything
Crowded House
John Farnham
Love And Money
John Christian
The Cure
Cutting Crew
Terence Trent d'Arby
Samantha Fox
Spagna
Smokey Robinson.

MAY 14th, 20h30, ROCK 3

Communards
A-Ha
Boy George
Bob Geldof
Banarama
Cameo
Curiosity Killed The Cat
Georgia Satellites
The Jets
Pretenders
Paul Young
Mel And Kim
Lou Graham

MAY 16th 21.00 hours

Genesis live
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La Isla Bonita - No Picnic
Chia Nouzeau
Lean On Me - Rox/Lease
Ferry Aid
Let It Be - MGM

VIDEO HITS

The Cure
Why Can't Be You - GLO
U2
With Or Without You - Island Pictures
David Bowie
Day In Day Out - Julia Temple
Level 42
To Be With You Again - Aubrey Powell Prod.

Brno Adams
Heat Of The Night - Wave Music
Shanley
Natalie's Great Strip '85 - Reunion & Film Film
Boo Jovi
Wanted Dead Or Alive - The Company
Diana Dora
Mere Et Presidente - Peter Ager & Paul Goff
Curiosity Killed The Cat
Ordinary Day - Linnegate

WELL AIRED

Nick Kamen
Loving You Is Sweeter Than Ever - Standard Prod.
Alison Moyet
Walk In The Presence Of Beauty - Foca Film Films
Fleetwood Mac
Big Love - Linnegate/Film Cannon
Kim Wilde & Junior
Another Step - MGG
Mel & Kim
Respectable - Wave End Miller
Five Star
The Slapdash Touch - Proton Production
Janet Jackson
Let's Wait Awhile - Propaganda Films
Laurel Richie
Se La - Not used

MEDIUM ROTATION

Prince
After The Times - Polygram Prod
Rainmakers
Let My People Go - Mark Freedman
Terrorist Train d'Arby
If You Let Me Stay - MOP
John Farnham
You're The Voice - Pro Image Australia
Europe
Carrie - Midgate Films
Living In A Box - Crush Productions
Peter Gabriel
Big Time - Peter Walker Prod.
Swing Out Sister
Twilight World - Big Film

FIRST SHOWINGS

The Damned
Alone Again Or - Helen Langford Aus.
Spagna
Call Me - Videogram
Spear Of Destiny
Never Take Me Alive - Anarseth Films

Canal Plus To Move Into Belgium?

French crypted pay television Canal Plus has every chance of being broadcast in the French speaking part of Belgium before the end of the year. This now looks more than likely following the firm backing of the Belgian project Teleplus, backed by Philippe Monfils, Minister-President of the French community in Belgium.

The channel will broadcast, in crypted form, the programmes of Canal Plus including films and sport but will also transmit live local programmes

Underground French Videos

by Philippe Crocq

Independent producers, representatives from the music industry and from each of the French television channels (TF1, A2, FR3, La Cinq, M6 and Canal Plus) have met the Minister of Culture & Communication to discuss possible political assistance to the ailing video clip industry in France.

The idea is to create a special official department devoted to promo videos, aided by government funds to the tune of 10 million francs.

Though all agree that it is an excellent initiative, the question now is who will broadcast these clips since all the channels together programme fewer clips than the now defunct TV6. Although a non-stop clip channel on satellite has been suggested as a possibility (see Ra-

dio Rap, page 5), nothing will happen in the near future. It is doubtless for this reason that the screening of clips in the French metro is gaining in popularity. According to a survey conducted by SOFRES, a large percentage of those using the metro watch these clips. Screens doubled in the stations last year and the size of these will be increased by 20 centimetres in 1987.

London-based video production company Fugitive has disbanded and all the directors and producers have been taken on by fellow companies. The main reason for the demise of Fugitive seems to be that the two principal directors, Dominic Anciano and Simon Milne decided to go in different directions, the former moving into feature films and the latter into commercials *

Thames All Night TV

by Peter Jones

London - Following a deal made with technicians over extra payments, Thames Television, Britain's largest commercial television company, will launch a full all-night service Mondays to Thursdays as from June 1. A mix of pop and chat shows, adventure series and films will run through to 6am, with a 15-minute gap before breakfast tv starts.

The financial deal is understood to include a one-off payment of £1,600 for each technician involved, followed by rates substantially below the original demands for 'golden hours' payments.

David Elstein, Thames Director Of Programmes: "We don't know how popular all-night tv will be, but we'll be spending up to £2 million for

Video News

Tree Of Life

by Cathy Inglis

At Limeight, Nick Brandt has directed video for XTC's 'Dear God', produced by Bridget Blake Wilson. It was shot on location on the outskirts of London and involved a lot of extras who spent the whole day wrapped around a 'tree of life' *

German act Rouven's new single, 'I Remember', has a clip to accompany it produced by Andreas Thiesmeyer and directed by Michael Betenle at Bavaria Atelier in Munich *

CBS signed artist Natalie Archangel had a promo to her new single, 'He's Mr Perfect For Me', shot on location in Majorca, produced by Nick Myers of AWG and directed by Donald Cammell *

The Los Angeles branch of AWG has just wrapped up the clip to Gino Vannelli's 'Wild Horses'. It was shot on location in LA, directed by Morris Phillips and produced by Kevin Townsend *

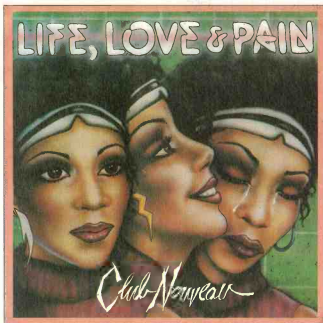
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Live In Australia - Elton John, as crazy as ever on the Virgin Video shot at the Sydney Entertainment Centre.

the slot." Channel 4 and Yorkshire TV are already operating until late at weekends, while Central TV has just started screening until 3am five nights a week, with 4am closdown on Fridays and Saturdays.

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TRACKING

by Alexandra van der Broek

FALCO's track 'Emotional' has now been released as the new single ★ NICK KAMEN has come out with his latest 45 called 'Nobody Else' ★ 'Is This Love' will be out as the new WHITESNAKE single in the near future. DAVID COVERDALE will be available for interviews at the IMMC in Montreux ★ TOM PETTY & THE HEARTBREAKERS have their eighth LP released entitled 'Let Me Up (I've Had Enough)' ★ German band RAILWAY are due to release their third LP in a few weeks, entitled 'Climax' ★ GARY MOORE has issued his latest single called 'Friday On My Mind', due to follow up his previous chart success ★ British newcomers IT BITES have issued their latest single under the banner: 'The Old Man And The Angel'. The band has already started recording for their second album ★ 'Water Under The Bridge' is the title of the just released new album by DENIECE WILLIAMS, pro-

duced by STEVE LEVINE ★ 'Loud And Clear' is the title to the latest LP from US rockers AUTOGRAPH, produced by ANDY JOHNS ★ 'Everyman' is the title to the just released album by DRUM THEATRE ★ Also out in Europe now is the OZZY OSBOURNE live LP 'Tribute', featuring RANDY RHOADES on guitar ★ THE TIME BANDITS are about to issue a new single called 'We'll Be Dancing' ★ DAVID KNOPFLER has released his second LP titled 'Cut The Wire', reviewed in M&M in issue 4

this year. DAVID will be playing some European dates in May ★ WALL OF VOODOO have issued their new album called 'Happy Planet' ★ Swedish rockers STALLION have come out with their debut single titled 'He!pless'. This is a taster for their forthcoming debut album ★ MICK JONES and DAVID KNOPFLER are guest musicians on BEN E. KING's currently recorded album, slated for release later this year ★ Dutch act TEN SHARP has issued a brand new single entitled

'Way Of The West' ★ SLADE have returned with an album called 'You Boyz Make Big Noise' ★ WANG CHUNG's new single release is called 'Let's Go' ★ 'Nomzamo' is the title of the second LP from IQ which has just been made available. The band will be touring the UK in May ★ 'Abigail' is the title of the brand new album by KING DIAMOND ★ LONDON have had their new album released entitled 'Don't Cry Wolf' ★

Canadian band HELIX are about to release a new album, produced by MIKE STONE ★ MARINO & THE AFTER FOREVER BAND will issue a new album in the near future. 'Gypsy At Heart' was produced by RICHARD GLAZEBROOKE and MARINO ★ Next week will see the release of a new LP from THE TYCERS OF PAN TANG, called 'Burning In The Shade'. The band have just started a UK club tour to promote the release ★ Out soon, the long awaited double live album by JUDAS PRIEST ★ 'Slip Of The Lip' is the latest 45er from RATT, accompanied by a great video clip ★



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Who Is This Brady Guy?

Irish Singer/Songwriter Escapes Cult Status

by Machgiel Bakker

Artists like Tina Turner, U2, Bob Dylan, Eric Clapton and Mark Knopfler are crazy over his songwriting talents, but although he has some devoted fans, his name is unknown to the wider audiences: we are talking about the contemporary Irish singer/songwriter Paul Brady, and if PolyGram have anything to do with it, his unknown status will change very soon. An impressive range of merchandising materials have been produced to support Brady's new album 'Primitive Dance'.

Tina Turner has recorded two of Brady's songs ('Steel Claw' for her 'Private Dancer' album and her latest single, 'Paradise Is Here', to be released soon) and Bob Dylan lists him as one of his six favourite musicians in his 'Biography' booklet, so who is this Brady guy and what is he up to? In the early 70s Brady was spotted in the band The Johnsons, whose cover of Joni Mitchell's 'Both Sides Now' charted in the US, and he released his first solo album, 'Welcome Here, Kind Stranger', in 1978. A second

album, 'Hard Station', was released in 1981 and critical acclaim was not confined to Ireland and with follow-up albums like 'True For You', the live album 'Full Moon' and last year's 'Back To The Centre', his cult status was in serious danger of exploding.

Brady's new album, 'Primitive Dance' which sports an exuberant and colourful work of art by Fraser Taylor on the cover, is out this week and features nine new recordings including the new single 'Eat The Peach', his own version of 'Paradise Is

Here' and, to return a compliment to Tina Turner, a version of the like & Tina Turner classic 'It's Gonna Work Out Fine'. With an eclectic style, ranging from energetic boogie and r&b ('Soul Commotion', 'Work Out Fine') to moody and restrained folk/pop ('The Awakening', 'In Case Of Accidents'), everything is topped by Brady's warm and distinctive vocals.

In May Brady is off on a 11 city tour through England, including a gig at London's Hammersmith Odeon. The UK tour will be followed by festival appearances in Europe, a proper European tour, including Germany, Holland, Austria, Switzerland, France, Belgium and Scandinavia, will follow in September/October. Tied in with the album's stunning art-work, posters, t-shirts and postcards have been produced. Other merchandising material includes a biopack for the cassette and a special CD single including

one extra track, 'The Loving Of A Stranger'.



Track-listing: *Steal Your Heart Away; The Soul Commotion; Paradise Is Here; It's Gonna Work Out Fine; The Awakening; Eat The Peach; Don't Start Knocking; In Case Of Accidents; The Game Of Love.* The CD has one extra track: *The Loving Of A Stranger.*

Paul Brady Festival Dates

Support gig for Tina Turner in Holland, Nijmegen (May 28); Glastonbury UK (June 20); Montreux, Switzerland (July 3); Roskilde, Denmark (July 4); Isle Of Calif, Norway (July 5); Cambridge UK (August 1-2).



Immaculate Fools, More Than 'Dumb Poets'

If there's one thing characterising A&M act Immaculate Fools, it's their penchant for richly textured, epic pop. After an absence of two years, the band, consisting of two sets of brothers (Kevin and Paul Weatherill & Andy and Peter Ross), are back with a second album, 'Dumb Poet', reviewed in M&M two weeks ago. While the UK press compares the talents of song-writer Kevin Weatherill with the works of Karl Wallinger (Talk Party) and Mark Hollis (Talk Talk), his style is also reminiscent of 70s 'art-rock' bands like Cockney Rebel. His passionate but sometimes affected vocals are the most prominent feature of the band's sound and the album yields highlights such as 'Don't Drive The Hope From My Heart', 'Tragic Comedy' and 'Dumb Poet'.

Formed in '83 the band released their debut album 'Hearts Of Fortune' in spring '85 and singles such as 'Immaculate Fools', 'Hearts Of Fortune' and 'Nothing Means Nothing' were culled from that album, establishing the band as a 'cult act' to watch. But the strains of rock and roll took its toll and the band had to cancel half of their '85 European tour when Kevin Weatherill became ill with a serious stomach disorder and not much has been heard of them since. But the 'dumb poets' are now back with a Russ Gullum produced album and the band will be playing in Montreux at the Pavillion on May 14, during International Music & Media Conference (IMMC) and a new full European tour is planned for early autumn.

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Cut Backs Affect Video Production Companies

Hope In Store From CD Video ?

by Cathy Inglis

The first two or three months of a new year are traditionally a quiet time in the video production business, but this year has been quieter than ever. Although record companies are loathe to admit that they are no longer automatically granting a video budget for each artist, all acknowledge that they are becoming more 'selective'. Both video production companies and the record industry are feeling the pinch due mainly to the decrease in the singles market, and if the former are to survive they will have to rethink their strategies.

All parties concerned agree that clips are essential promotional tools but one effect of the cut back in the budgeting allocated to promos is that the emerging artists are those most likely to suffer. Established acts are usually guaranteed a clip, whereas new acts now require an individual approach and a tactical decision, which, for financial reasons, could well be negative.

The total promotion budget at Virgin in Germany is 7.5% of the total turnover, 2% of which is spent on video clips. Managing Director Udo Lange admits that they are now rethinking their policy decisions when it comes to promos. "We are trying to decrease costs and decisions are obviously hard when it comes to newcomers," Lange believes that videos may well decrease in importance and he points out that in some countries they are already less important than they used to be. In Holland, for example, television shows tend to ask artists to appear live and in Scandinavia

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where there are so few promo outlets, the value of clips is negligible. If a video is needed for international exploitation, between £10,000 and £25,000 will be allocated for a promo, whereas German-speaking ar-

tists such as Nicki would not warrant a clip.

CBS UK's Jonathan Morrish is of a different opinion and feels that videos are as important now as they have ever been. "There is no getting away from the fact that the music business is now aural and visual and we wouldn't want to get away from that stand point." CBS's video manager, Geoff Goy, admits that the company is becoming more selective and also points out that the number of videos made in the industry are always on a par with the number of TV programmes showing videos in that particular country. In the UK there are few pop outlets and since the clips are made with the UK market in mind, the number of promos will never be excessively high.

"The number of videos are on a par with the number of TV pop programmes."

Video production companies in France are suffering more than most following the demise of TV6. Bruno Gerentes, Marketing Manager Domestic Repertoire Polydor France comments: "As there are now fewer pop possibilities, the volume of production has obviously diminished and many of our local production companies are having serious problems. The only ones to survive will be those who adapt to the situation and, from a financial point of view, are now turning to commercials and feature films to help them out. We are going

through a period of transition and have to resign ourselves to waiting for things to settle in the French industry."

Georges Bermann, Managing Director of Midi-Minuti, a leading production company based in Paris, is fairly outspoken on the disastrous consequences of the closure of the sixth channel. "It was not only a problem for the clip industry but for French creativity in general. It is tragic for French artists and will signify a lack of quality since productions will now come more and more from the US." Bermann had anticipated the National Commission on Communication & Freedom (CNCL) decision to change the format of TV6 ever since November last year, and his company has therefore turned to the production of fiction series and films.

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Although Germany's Bavaria Atelier's Andreas Thiesmeyer believes that the clip industry is not declining, only two clips this year have so far been made through Bavaria, whereas a total of 19 were produced at the studios in 1986. However he feels confident that further orders for clips will be received from record companies within the near future and that these are only pulling back from financial considerations and certainly not because they are not believed to be sufficiently viable promotional tool.

One of the few production companies to express unconditional optimism was DoRo Productions in Austria. This is largely thanks to the international reputation they have acquired due to their videos of Queen and Freddie Mercury. Says DoRo's Rudi Dolezal: "If we manage to get three interna-

tional videos per annum of the same dimension of Queen our costs for the year will be covered." Dolezal realises that record companies are cutting costs in the German market, but points out that Modern Talking's 'Geronimo's Cadillac',

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which was not promoted by means of a clip, was significantly their only song not to reach the no. 1 position of the German charts. Whereas a Queen promo could cost up to a £100,000, the budget for a German clip would only be £30,000. "In order to survive," says Dolezal, "people have to try to work efficiently from lower budgets which is a learning process that people have to go through. Sometimes only £10,000 is available for an Austrian artist and the directors and producers therefore have to be more flexible."

Although things possibly look grim, there is hope on the horizon. The advent of CD Video is expected to put pressure on the record companies to increase the production value of the clips. For the first time, record companies will be able to receive commercial remuneration from clips. "The minute you start having a commercial return by putting a clip out on a CD Video disc, the pressure relaxes and the clip is no longer of straight promotional value only," says Michael Kuhn, Head New Business Division PolyGram International. Kuhn points out that during a recent meeting with round 18 promo production companies, all were very enthusiastic about the advent of CD Video and, furthermore, many were opening up branches in Los Angeles where the video business is seemingly booming.

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Europe's Major Video Production Companies

A list of Europe's major video production companies (as opposed to distribution companies) follows. The UK is by far the leading country in the promo business, but continental European countries are also represented. Those with most chance of surviving what are widely regarded as difficult times in the industry, are the companies which produce clips for acts with international status. The list does not claim to be complete and will be supplemented in subsequent music video specials in M&M.

Company details are given in the following order: name, country, date founded, telephone number, chairman/director, video directors, video producers, outstanding clips (often award winners), foreign affiliates, and production of commercials and/or feature films.

LIMELIGHT, UK (1978)
1-4374166
Steve Barron
Video Directors:

Daniel Kleinman
John-Baptist Mondino
Stephen Johnson
Peter Care
Nicholas Brandt
Joanna Hogg
Julian Temple
Jim Blasfield
Producers:

Adam Whittaker
Alistair Bates
Bridget Blake-Wilson
Jenny Pollitt

A-Ha - Take On Me
Dire Straits - Money For Nothing
Peter Gabriel - Sledgehammer

MGMM, UK (1982)
1-4399527
Scott Millani
Video Directors:

Brian Grant
David Mallet
Russell Mulcahy
Matt Forrest
Nick Morris
Ralph Ziman
Jif Morrison
Producers:

Nina Robbins
Fiona O'Mahoney
Kate Thorne
Hilary Crozier

Duran Duran - Wild Boys, Rio,
Hungry Like The Wolf
Queen - I Want To Break Free
Freddie Mercury - Pretender
Elton John - Still Standing

Bowie & Jagger - Dancing
Paul Hardcastle - Just For Nena
Europe

Branch in New York
Commercials also produced,
and feature films directed by
Russell Mulcahy.

AWGO, UK (1985)
1-4379923

Martin Wyn Griffiths
Marcelo Anciano
Stuart Orme
Video Directors:
Marcelo Anciano
Stuart Orme
Maurice Phillips
Greg Masuak
Andrew Gillman
Phil McDonald
Carol Fletcher
Producers:

Adam Whittaker
Toby Courlander
Ruth Orme
Nick Myers
Kevin Townsend

Whitney Houston - Saving All
Berlin - Breath Away
Level 42 - Lessons In Love,
Something About You,
Running In The Family
Billy Ocean - When The Going
Luba - How Many
Viktor Lazlo
Avenue Talk

Branch in Los Angeles.
Commercials also produced.

VIVID, UK (1985)
1-4343886
Luke Roeg
Video Directors:
Andy Morahan
Tony Vandenberg

Anton Corbijn
Peter Scammell
Sam Hodgekin
Nicholas Roeg
Producers:

Richard Bell
Roger Hunt
Sidney Lainer

Wham - Edge Of Heaven
Pet Shop Boys - West End
Billy Ocean

Simply Red - Holding Back
Compagnie Creole
Golden Earring
Despche Mode
Tina Turner

Branch in the US.
Nicholas Roeg also directs feature films.

MIDNIGHT FILMS, UK (1976)
1-4343011

Michael Hamlyn
Video Directors:
Brian Ward
Meiert Avis
'Giblets'
Duncan Ward
Sandy Johnson
Richard Lowenstein

Producers:
Jain Brown
Paul Spencer
Juliet Naylor

Jaki Wilson - Reet Petite
U2 - With Or Without You,
Where The Streets Have No Name
Sade - Never As Good,
Sweetest Taboo,
Is It A Crime,
Hang On To Your Love

Branch in New York.
Commercials also produced.

GLO, UK (1981)
1-3870202
Gordon Lewis
Video Directors:

Tim Pope
Dario Poloni
Jake Scott
Producers:
Lisa Bryer
Barney Jeffrey

Branch in Los Angeles.
Commercials also produced.

Branch in Los Angeles
Commercials also produced.

MEDIA LAB, UK (1984)
1-3515814

John Gaidon
Kevin Godley
Lo Creole
Video Directors:

Godley & Creme team
Mark Lebon
Sebastian Harris
Mike Ross

Producer:
Lexi Godfrey

Duran Duran - Girls On Film
FGTH - Two Tribes
Godley & Creme - Cry,
History Mix (long form)
Howard Jones - Life In One

Commercials produced and feature film planned.

M-OCEAN PICTURES, UK (1985)
1-4817722

Paul McNally
Video Directors:
Tony Potts
Michael Goghegan

Billy Ocean
Prefab Sprout
Elkie Brooks
Bond
Linda Di Franco

Branch in New York.

BAVARIA ATELIER, Germany (1959)
89-64991
Harold Junge
Gunter Rohrbach
Director:

Michael Bentele
Hannes Rossbacher
Rudi Dolezal
Kai von Kotze
Roland Wliaert

Producer:
Andreas Thiesmeyer

Chris Norman - Midnight Lady,
Some Hearts Are Diamonds
Modern Talking - Atlantis,
You Can Win If You Want
Sandra - Hi Hi Hi,
In The Heat Of The Night,
Innocent Love

C.C. Catch - Strangers,
Heaven And Hell
Divide - I'm So Beautiful

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Top Names On IMMC Video Competition Jury

This year's International Music Video Competition at the International Music & Media Conference (IMMC) has attracted a record 120 entries and 20 of the most important tv producers from continental Europe are now busy choosing winners in both the short and long form categories.

Amongst key jury members are Tom Huybrechts, producer of the weekly 45-minute programme "Bingo" on BRT in Belgium; Rob de Boer, of Rob de Boer Productions, who is responsible for setting up the popular daily "Countdown" show on Super Channel and Dutch Veronica television; former Programme Director at France's TV6 and now embarking on a new solo career (details to be announced shortly in M&M); and Holm Dressler, producer of countless game, quiz and pop shows on the German ZDF channel, including the current popular music programme "Wetten Das" (which has been chosen by ZDF to represent the channel at the Golden Rose Of Montreux). Hannes Rossacher, half of the successful Austrian video production team of DoRo Productions in Vienna, is also on the jury; his partner Rudi Dolezal is speaking on one of the Conference's panels.

Representatives of satellite channel services are also participating in the selection of final winners: Ian Wiener from Sky Channel, Rob Jones from Music Box and Liz Nealon, Executive Producer MTV Europe. Other jury members include Patrick Allenbach from the Swits tv TSR, Billboard's Steve Dupler, and Music & Media's Machiel Bakker. And the list would not be complete without the producer and director of the four Montreux Galas, BBC's Head Of Light Entertainment, Michael Hurll.

The jury will award International Music Trophies for the following categories: Best Short Form, Best Long Form, Best Director, Best Performance Female Artist, Best Performance Male Artist and Best Performance Group. The jury may also, if they wish, award special prizes for the following: Best Documentary, Best Low Budget Short Form, Best Special Effects, Best Design, Best Storyline and Best Video From Continental Europe.

There will be public screenings of all entries throughout the Conference and, in addition, participants have authorised two to three minute excerpts of each competing video to be used free of charge in tv transmissions concerning the IMMC as well as during the worldwide Golden Rose Rock TV Special.

Georges Bermann
Directors:
Renaud Bertrand
Luc Pages
Bernard Malige
Eric Duret
Eric Lérang
Olivier Ringer

Niagara
Partenaire Particulier
Laurent Voulzy
Daniel Balavoine

Post-production: Eurythmics
Missionary Man; When Tomorrow Comes

Since demise of TV6, Midi-Minuit is now turning to fiction and films.

Commercials also produced.

MIDI-MINUIT, France (1986)
1-45332315

PMI Sales Double

Picture Music International (PMI) have been very busy recently on both the production side and the home video front. They recently topped the UK Music Video charts taking first, second and third positions. Recent productions include two clips for The Cult directed by Storm Thorgerson, clips for the Swits tv TSR, Billboard's Steve Dupler, and Music & Media's Machiel Bakker. And the list would not be complete without the producer and director of the four Montreux Galas, BBC's Head Of Light Entertainment, Michael Hurll.

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Virgin Strikes Deal With BBC

Virgin Music are continuing their strategy of becoming major suppliers and the General Manager Angus Margerison, describes the company as "multi-national and vertically integrated", signifying their distribution in a number of different outlets, from theatre and cinema to video, film, music video and cable and satellite. Though the company has no physical production facilities as such, they deal with production companies such as Lightmint and The Image Factory.

Virgin's output can be divided between children's videos

2-3474735
Claude Blumental
Video Directors:
Jean-Pierre Beckmanns
Eric Bastin
Producer:
Monique Sampermans

Richard Gossiner: La Mambro
Sheller: Que Je L'Aime
OMD: Locomotion
Heaven 17: Come Live With Me
We Live So Fast
Taco: Let's Take The Music

Branch in Paris.

Commercial and TV series also produced.

NORDISK FILM BROADCAST, Denmark (1986)
1-310313

Alliance
Skagacker- Don't Turn Me

Commercial and tv programmes also produced.

Branch in Paris.

According to PMI's Marketing Director, Gordon Mackenzie: "The video industry is booming and we have doubled sales ever since we dropped our prices." PMI were the first to slash the prices of music videos which in 1980 cost a staggering £40. One marketing policy which works particularly well for the company is joint ventures for big blockbusters. PMI joined up with CTR tv owned "Zenith" for Tina Turner and are about to produce a Maria Callas special with UK's Channel 4. Marketing of the videos is done by the EMI companies and international sales are on the increase. The major markets are the US and Japan, whilst Holland is the best European market, and PMI have recently completed a deal with French state channel Antenne 2.

(40%), music videos (25-30%), and special interest and films. The music video business, says Margerison, is going through a boom period: "Ever since we dropped our prices to £9.99 from £14.99, business has almost tripled." U2's latest compilation of video clips, "Now 9", has already sold 26,000 units, four times more than the previous compilation, "Now 8".

On the home front, Virgin Vision have just completed a co-production project with the BBC. Successful chart bands

Commercial and TV series also produced.

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

RECORDS OF THE WEEK:

SUZANNE VEGA - LUKA (A&M)
WHITNEY HOUSTON - I WANA DANCE WITH SOMEBODY (Arista)

SURE HITS:

WA WA NEE - STIMULATION (CBS)
HOLLYWOOD BEYOND - SAVE ME (WEA)
MERGE FEATURING DEBBIE A. - LET'S HAVE SOME FUN (Atlantic)

EURO-CROSSOVER RECORDS:

JO LEMAIRE - STAND UP (Mercury)



Our singles guide last week caused some confusion as, due to an editorial mistake, one paragraph was put in the wrong place. Last week's reference to the highest entry in the European Airplay Top 50 and the Hot 100 Singles was obviously referring to Spagna's *Call Me* and not to Viktor Lazlo. We apologise for any inconvenience caused.

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cover of the George Young/Harry Vanda (Easybeats) song from 1966 and with an inescapable drive it leaves the impact of the original song fully intact, despite a instrumental beat featuring Moore's wild guitars.

Although all at the lower end of the Airplay charts, many new entries including *Depeche Mode's Strangelow*, *Cameo's Back & Forth* and a cautious entry for *Europe's Currie*.

Australian act Wa Wa Nee are extremely popular in their home country and the single *Stimulation* has just been released here in Europe as well. Going by their looks and video presentation, they are Australia's own Kajagoogoo and the single, a tight dance rock single, is certainly worth checking into. Watch for a

The Singles route

Most recommended singles not yet showing in the European Hot 100

- Whitney Houston
I Wanna Dance With Somebody (Arista)
- UB40
Wildcats (Virgin)
- Little Steven
Bitter Fly (Manhattan)
- Viktor Lazlo
Breathless (Polydor)
- Falco
Emotional (Teldec/WEA Int.)
- Suzanne Vega
Luka (A&M)
- Debbie Harry
In Love With Love (Chrysalis)
- Donna Allen
Sirenes (Portrait)
- Wa Wa Nee
Stimulation (CBS)
- OMD
Shame (Virgin)
- Hollywood Beyond
Save Me (WEA)
- Sirenes
Painted Moon (RCA)
- Live & Mince
River Of Hope (Mercury)
- Paul Carrack
Who Am I From The (Chrysalis)
- That Petrol Emotion
Big Decision (Polydor)
- Zaïx
Bless Your Lucky Stars (Mercury)
- Ides Jaeger Fey
8th Wonder Of The World (Epic)
- Coma Todorov
Chorus Of Youth (Virgin)
- Tony
Echo Beach (EG)
- Desiree Belle
Dignity (CBS)

'Spotlight' in a future M&M issue.

Two good dance singles on Atlantic arrived on our desks this week: *Sache's Are You Attracted To Me?* and *Merge (featuring Debbie A.) Let's Have Some Fun*. The former is a teasingly slow pop ballad with a suggestive, lazy chorus from an LA female trio, all aged 16. The latter has Madonna-like pop leanings coupled with an irresistible, cheerful drive.

Debbie Harry's new single, *In Love With Love*, the third one from the "Rockbird" album, was additionally produced by Stock, Aitken & Waterman (main producer is still Seth Justman) and again features Harry's familiar, slightly floating, vocals against a bubbling synthesizer drive.

euro-crossover

Records by continental European Artists with strong crossover potential for other markets.

- You Want Love (EMI Electrola)
- Spagna
Call Me (CBS Italy)
- Den Harrow
Don't Break My Heart (Baby Records Italy)
- Piet Vermaas
Sailing Home (CBS Holland)
- Richard
Dance Around The World (CBS Holland)
- Elios Wacht
Don't Get Mad, Get Even (Megadisc Holland)
- Jo Lemaire
Stand Up (Mercury)
- Jeanne Mas
Sauvez Moi (EMI France)
- Ivan Michel Jarni
Rendez Vous (Dreyfus/Polydor France)
- Ronnie Bianco
Miss You So (Metromone)
- Yvanna Katsoulou
Les Autres Sont Jaloux (Ariola France)
- Les Innocents
Jolie (Virgin France)
- France
Latin Fire (Metromone Germany)
- Corynne Charly
File Ou Face (Polydor France)
- Pierre Cosso
Face Your Life (Vigilante France)
- Estrelab
Blue Moon (Vertigo Germany)
- Friza Brand
Personal Confession (Pappagayo/EMI France)
- Ronnie Singh
Dove, The Bird To Forget (CBS Germany)
- Niagara
Quand La Route (Polydor France)
- Paul Lekakis
Boon Boom (Zy's Germany)



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THIS WEEK		LAST WEEK		WKS ON CHARTS		TITLE	COUNTRIES CHARTED	ARTIST - ORIGINAL LABEL - (PUBLISHER)
1	1	6				Let It Be Ferry Aid- The Sun/CBS (Northern Songs)	UK.FG.B.H.I.Ch.Sw.D.Ir.N.F.I	
2	2	6				La Isla Bonita Madonna- Sire (WB/Bleu Disque/Webo Girl)	UK.G.B.H.I.Sp.Ch.Sw.D.Ir.N.F.I	
3	3	10				Respectable Mel & Kim- Supreme (All Boys Music)	UK.G.B.H.I.A.Ch.Sw.D.Ir.N.F.I	
4	4	6				Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now Starship- Grunt/RCA (Realsongs/Albert Hammond)	UK.G.B.H.A.Ch.Sw.D.Ir.N.F.I	
5	5	7				With Or Without You U2- Island (Blue Mountain Music)	UK.FG.B.H.Sp.Ch.Sw.Ir.F.I	
6	6	7				Lean On Me Club Nouveau- King Jay/Warner Brothers (SBK/CBS Songs)	UK.G.B.H.F.I	
7	8	6				Day In Day Out David Bowie- EMI America (Jones Music America)	UK.FG.B.H.I.Sp.A.Sw.Po.D.F.I	
8	7	10				Everything I Own Boy George- Virgin (Screen Gems/EMI Music)	FG.B.H.I.Sp.A.Ch.Sw.Po.D.N.F.Gr	
9	34	4				Big Love Fleetwood Mac- Warner Brothers (Now Sounds Music)	UK.G.H.Sw.D.Ir	
10	12	17				Electrica Salsa (Baba Baba) Off- ZYX (Intersong/Mikrolski)	FG.B.I.A.F.Gr	
11	14	10				You're The Voice John Farnham- Wheatley/RCA (Rondor Music)	UK.G.Ch.Sw.D	
12	15	8				Ever Fallen In Love Fine Young Cannibals- London (Virgin Music)	UK.G.Ir	
13	NE					Strangelove Depeche Mode- Mute (Sonet)	UK.G	
14	16	13				Stand By Me Ben E. King- Atlantic (Rightsong/Trio/WB Music)	FG.B.A.Ch.Sw.D	
15	32	2				Call Me Spagna- CBS (Capuccino/Labelle)	F.B.I.Sp.Ch.Po.F.I	
16	9	10				Weak In The Presence Of Beauty Alison Moyet- CBS (Virgin Music)	UK.G.B.H.I.Ch.D	
17	11	8				Let's Wait Awhile Janet Jackson- A&M (A&M/Club)	UK.G.H	
18	40	9				Sign Of The Times Prince- Paisley Park (Controversy)	UK.FG.H.I.Ch.Sw.D.N.Gr	
19	18	22				Rock The Night Europe- Epic (Seven Doors/EMI Music)	F.I.Sp.A.Po	
20	23	3				To Be With You Again Level 42- Polydor (Level 42/Chappell Music)	UK.B.H.D.Ir	
21	21	6				I Love To Love Tina Charles- Black Scorpio/CBS (Scorpio)	FB	
22	22	7				Thai Na Na Kazero- RCA/Ariola (Laurent Music)	FB	
23	24	17				On Se Retrouvera (B.O. Le Passage) Francis Lalanne- Pathe Marconi (Atreyou Adele Music)	FB	
24	49	5				Dominoes Robbie Nevil- Manhattan (MCA/Bobby Hart Music)	UK.G.I.F.I	
25	28	8				Il Faudra Leur Dire Cabrel Et Les Enfants- CBS (Editions Chantelle)	FB	
26	44	4				Why Can't I Be You The Cure- Fiction/Polydor (APB Music)	UK.B.H.Ir	
27	25	8				Les Divas Du Dancing Philippe Cataldo- Polydor (Editions Flamophone)	FB	
28	17	13				Running In The Family Level 42- Polydor (Chappell)	FG.I.Sp.A.Ch.Po.D	
29	27	7				Tu Dis Que Tu L'M Dennis Twist- Vogue (Not Listed)	FB	
30	50	11				You Want Love Mixed Emotions- EMI Electrola (Hanseatic/Intersong)	G.B.H.A.Ch.Sw	
31	26	30				Walk Like An Egyptian Bangles- CBS (Southern Music)	F.I.Sp	
32	29	9				Sauvez-Moi Jeanne Mas- Pathe Marconi (Le Minotaure)	FB	
33	36	6				Can't Be With You Tonight Judy Boucher- Ortone (Reward Music)	UK.Ir	
34	20	20				Reet Petite Jackie Wilson- SMP (Burlington Music)	FG.I.Sp.A.D	
35	42	4				A Boy From Nowhere Tom Jones- Epic (Morrison Leamy/Malador)	UK.Ir	
36	36	2				Rien Que Pour Toi M'Endormir Emmanuelle- AB Hit/PolyGram (Abedition)	FB	
37	37	4				The Slightest Touch Five Star- Tent/RCA (Famous Chappell/MCA)	UK.Ir	
38	71	3				Crockett's Theme Jan Hammer- MCA (MCA Music)	G.B.H	
39	35	11				Carrie Europe- CBS (Seven Doors/EMI Music)	UK.B.A.Ir	
40	39	5				Living In A Box Living In A Box- Chrysalis (Empire/Brampton Music)	UK.Ir	
41	41	8				Viens Boire Un P'tit Coup A La Maison License IV- Talar (Charles Talar Music)	F	
42	52	4				(Something Inside) So Strong Labi Siffre- China/Chrysalis (Empire/Xavier Music)	UK.Ir	
43	46	2				Babacar France Gall- Apache/WEA (Apache MBM)	FB	
44	60	2				April Skies The Jesus & Mary Chain- Blanco Y Negro/WEA (Warner Bros. Music)	UK.Ir	
45	19	10				Fight For Your Right Beastie Boys- Def Jam/CBS (Def Jam/Brooklyn Dust)	UK.G.B.H	
46	40	5				Another Step (Closer To You) Kim Wilde & Junior- MCA (Rickim Music)	UK.Ir	
47	47	6				Keep Your Eye On Me Herb Alpert- Breakout/A&M (Copyright Control)	UK.B.H	
48	43	8				If You Let Me Stay Terence Trent D'Arby- CBS (Virgin Music)	UK.Ir	
49	48	5				J'Oublierai Ton Nom Johnny Hallyday & Carmel- Philips/Phonogram (J.R.G./Lauria)	F	
50	33	9				Loving You Is Sweeter Than Ever Nick Kamen- WEA (Jobete/Black Bull Music)	G.B.H.I.Ch.D	
51	63	3				Don't Break My Heart Don Harrow- Baby Records (E. Chapulin/Allione)	G.I.Ch.F.I	
52	66	3				Meet El Presidente Duran Duran- EMI (EMI Music Publ.)	UK.B.Ir	
53	45	3				Sheila Take A Bow The Smiths- Rough Trade (Warner Brothers Music)	UK.Ir	
54	NE					Notorious Medley with Le Freak P4F- Ibiza Records (EMI Music/Chic Music)	F.B.I	
55	51	4				Diamond Lights Glenn & Chris- Record Shack (Record Shack Music)	UK	
56	55	5				Change Of Heart Cyndi Lauper- Portrait (Stone & Muffin/Rella)	FG.Ir	
57	88	2				Back And Forth Cameo- Mercury (PolyGram Music)	UK	
58	31	7				Big Time Peter Gabriel- Virgin (Clio/line Ltd.)	UK.FG.H	
59	13	10				The Great Pretender Freddie Mercury- Parlophone (Southern Music)	G.B.I.Sw.Po.D	
60	93	2				Lil' Devil The Cult- Beggars Banquet (Chappell Music)	UK	
61	58	6				Concrete & Clay Hong Kong Syndikat- Teldec/Carrere (EMI Music)	F	
62	76	3				You Can Call Me Al Paul Simon- Warner Brothers (Paul Simon)	F	
63	53	2				So Cold The Night The Communards- London (Rown/Bong/Mistra/Rocket)	F.Sp	
64	69	4				Never Take Me Alive Spear Of Destiny- 10/Virgin (Virgin Music)	UK	
65	73	2				Premiers Frissons D'Amour Christine Roque- CBS (Alma Music)	FB	
66	79	11				C'est Comme Ca Rita Mitsouko- Virgin (Virgin/Clouseau/Musique)	F	
67	68	7				Stone Love Kool & The Gang- Mercury (Delightful Music)	G.H.Sp.Ch	
68	83	3				Boops (Here To Go) Sly & Robbie- 4th & Broadway/Island (Various)	UK	
69	54	14				Laissez-Nous Chanter Gold- WEA (Agone)	F	
70	64	9				Duel Au Soleil Etienne Daho- Virgin (Satori Song/Lonely Boppa)	F	
71	84	12				The Right Thing Simply Red- WEA (SBK/CBS Songs)	FG.I.Sp.Ch.D.Gr	
72	59	14				Corps A Corps Images- Flarenash/WEA (Flarenash Music Editions)	F	
73	74	2				Le Pull-Over Blanc Graziella De Michele- Virgin (Not Listed)	F	
74	NE					Real Fashion Reggae Style Carey Johnson- 10/Virgin (Oval/Cameron Music)	UK	
75	30	12				Live It Up Mental As Anything- Epic (Sgray Music)	G.A.N.F.I	
76	65	6				Ordinary Day Curiosity Killed The Cat- Mercury (Curios Sounds/Chesleg/WB)	UK.I	
77	61	30				In The Army Now Status Quo- Vertigo (Island Music/Nada Music)	F	
78	75	9				I Come Undone Jennifer Rush- CBS (Shipwreck/Wavemaker)	G.Sp.Ch	
79	92	2				Heat Of The Night Bryan Adams- A&M (Adams Comm/Calyppo Toonz)	G.H.Ch.Sw.Po	
80	70	14				Coming Around Again Carly Simon- Arista (Famous Chappell)	G.Sp.A	
81	80	3				Alone Again Or The Damned- MCA (Southern Music Publ.)	UK	
82	72	10				Stay Bonnie Bianco & Pierre Cossu- Teldec (Magister Music)	G.A.Ch	
83	78	6				Body Physical Buzzy- Romance M/Philips (You You/Source Musique)	F	
84	NE					Wishing I Was Lucky Wet Wet Wet- Precious Org./Phonogram (Chrysalis/Precious Music)	UK	
85	89	2				Ballerina Girl Lionel Richie- Motown (Brockman Music)	F	
86	NE					Shattered Dreams Johnny Hates Jazz- Virgin (Copyright Control)	UK	
87	RE					When A Man Loves A Woman Percy Sledge- Atlantic (Warner Brothers Music)	G.B.Ch	
88	77	17				Fallait Pas Commencer L10- Polydor (West Indies Music)	F	
89	98	4				A Bailar Calypso Elii Medeiros- Barclay (Katabami)	F	
90	91	7				Open Your Heart Madonna- Sire (WB/Bleu Disque/Webo Girl)	F	
91	99	2				Twilight World Swing Out Sister- Mercury (Copyright Control)	UK.Ir	
92	94	2				Tristana Mylene Farmer- Polydor (PolyGram/B. Le Page)	F	
93	86	20				T'En Va Pas Elsa- GM/Carrere (Georges Mary)	F	
94	57	5				Wanted Dead Or Alive Bon Jovi- Mercury (Bon Jovi/PolyGram Music)	UK.Ir	
95	62	16				You Sexy Thing Hot Chocolate- EMI (Chocolat/RAK Publishing)	G.A	
96	RE					Bring Back (Shanana) Mixed Emotions- EMI Electrola (Intersong)	G.A.Ch	
97	NE					Pepito Patrick Sebastien- Pathe Marconi (Sefra Music)	F	
98	NE					Let Yourself Go Sybil- Champion (Intersong Music)	UK	
99	85	14				Magie Noire Philippe Russo- Pathe Marconi (EMI Music Publishing)	F	
100	NE					Changing Minds 16 Bit- Ariola (Hanseatic/Fellow)	G.B	

UK = United Kingdom, G = Germany, F = France, Ch = Switzerland, A = Austria, I = Italy, Sp = Spain, H = Holland, B = Belgium, Ir = Ireland, Sw = Sweden, D = Denmark, N = Norway, Fi = Finland, Po = Portugal, Gr = Greece
 ○ = FAST MOVERS NE = NEW ENTRY RE = RE-ENTRY

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TOP 3 in EUROPE

COUNTRY	1	2	3
UNITED KINGDOM	Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now Starring (GWR/CA)	Can't Be With You Tonight Judy Boucher (Dot/DG)	La Isla Bonita Madonna (Sire)
GERMANY	La Isla Bonita Madonna (Sire/CA)	You're The Voice John Farnham (Wheat/CA)	Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now Starring (GWR/CA)
FRANCE	Viens Boire Un P'tit Coup A La Maison Lancee IV (Tair)	I Love To Love Tina Charles (Black Scorpio/CBS)	Il Faudra Leur Dire Francis Cabrel (CBS)
ITALY	Loving You Is Sweeter Than Ever John Farnham (Mersey/CA)	Call Me John Farnham (Mersey/CA)	Everything I Own Boy George (Virgin)
SPAIN	The Multimax The Commodores (London)	Running In The Family Level 42 (Polygram)	The Final Countdown Europe (Epic)
HOLLAND	Crockett's Theme Pat Williams (MCA)	Sailin' Home Pat Williams (CBS)	Let It Be Ferry Aid (CBS)
BELGIUM	Let It Be Ferry Aid (CBS)	Respectable Mek & Kim (Sire/mer)	Sailin' Home Pat Williams (CBS)
SWEDEN	You're The Voice John Farnham (Mersey/CA)	Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now Starring (GWR/CA)	See You Later Alligator Dr. Frogg (GPR)
DENMARK	Let It Be Ferry Aid (CBS)	Vand Kajakket Kim Larsen (Mersey)	En Lille Melodi Anne Cathine & Drenge (Pneapip)
NORWAY	Let It Be Ferry Aid (CBS)	Respectable Mek & Kim (Sire/mer)	Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now Starring (GWR/CA)
FINLAND	Respectable Mek & Kim (Sire/mer)	Let It Be Ferry Aid (CBS)	La Isla Bonita Madonna (Sire)
IRELAND	Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now Starring (GWR/CA)	The Slightest Touch The Star (Bell/CA)	La Isla Bonita Madonna (Sire)
SWITZERLAND	Let It Be Ferry Aid (CBS)	Respectable Mek & Kim (Sire/mer)	La Isla Bonita Madonna (Sire)
AUSTRIA	Some Girls Are Ladies Singer (Epic)	Electrica Salsa GPR (ZYX)	Bungalow In Santa Nirgendwo Ito (Bellaphor)
GREECE	I Knew You Were Waiting (For Me) Aretha Franklin & George Michael (Epic)	Sign Of The Times Prince (Paisley Park)	Everything I Own Boy George (Virgin)
PORTUGAL	Lover Why Century (Cesari-Care)	Pirilampo Magico Various (RCP)	Is This Love Alison Moyet (CBS)

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Babacar	Electra Salsa (Saba Babar)	10	Meat & Potatoes	42	The Heat	22
Back And Forth	Ever Fallen In Love	12	Never Tell Me Alive	64	The Great Pretender	57
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Body Physical	Fallin' Pies Commencer	48	Notorious Medley with Le Freak	54	The Slightest Touch	37
Bring Back (Spanans)	Fight For Your Right	79	Open Your Heart	72	To Be With You Again	20
Brung Comme Ca	Home Of The Night	63	Ornary Day	29	Tringa	80
Call Me	I Come London	78	Premiere Frigions D'Amour	65	Tu Dis Que Tu L'Im	29
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David Bowie	Jani Jackson	43	Queen	21	Warlock	90
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Drak Deutscher	Jeanne Mas	60	Robbie Neil	85	William Shatner	80
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ALBUMS OF THE WEEK:

CURIOSITY KILLED THE CAT - KEEP YOUR DISTANCE (Mercury)
TIM SCOTT - THE HIGH LONESOME SOUND (Geffen)
RICHENELL - A YEAR HAS MANY DAYS (CBS)
IN TUA NUA - VAUDERVILLE (Virgin)

SPEAR OF DESTINY - OUTLAND (D Records)
BASIA - TIME AND TIDE (Portrait)
MOM PATTY AND THE HEARTBREAKERS - LET ME UP (I'VE HAD ENOUGH) (MCA)
DWIGHT YOAKAM - HILL BILLY DE LUXE (Reprise)

The Albums route

Most recommended new albums as chosen by the editorial team of Music & Media.

Suzanne Vega
Solitude Standing (A&M)
Yello
One Second (Vertigo)
Curiosity Killed The Cat
Keep Your Distance (Mercury)
Danny Wilson
Meet Danny Wilson (Virgin)
Tim Scott
The High Lonesome Sound (Geffen)
Spear Of Destiny
Outland (D Records/Virgin)
In Tua Nua
Vauderville (Virgin)
Fatty Smith
Never Enough (CBS)
Prince
Sign 'O' The Times (Paisley Park)
Mel & Kim
F.L.M. (Supreme)
Marc Almond
Time & Tide (Portrait)
Mother Fisi And Her Five Daughters (Virgin)
Viktor Lazlo
Viktor Lazlo (Polygram)
Del Fuegos
Stand Up (Shah/London)
Dwight Yoakam
Hillbilly De Luxe (Reprise)
Blow Monkeyz
She Was Only A Grocer's Daughter (RCA)
Fleethouses
Realities Vs. Reality (Emerges)
Marter Lebow
Love's A Lie (Atlantic)
Immediate Foods
Dumb Poet (A&M)
Richard
A Year Has Many Days (CBS)

Keep Your Distance

The major event this week for album programmers is the release of the second batch of Beatles CDs *Help*, *Rubber Soul* and *Revolver*. The latter especially shows the value of the CD as at its best; the band had already moved into the second phase of their recording career and the "Revolver" CD displays their unique way of structuring a song and their unbridled will to experiment. It's the only CD out of the three that digitally remastered as large parts of the album were recorded live and so George Martin had to confine himself to 'cleaning up' the original tapes.

The debut album with **Curiosity Killed The Cat**. *Keep Your Distance* depicts exciting danceable soul pop and is impressively mature. The songs have clear and open structures with solid funky bass lines underneath and gritty lead vocals providing the drive. Apart from containing the hit singles *Down To Earth* and *Ordinary Day*, other recommended tracks include the very soulful, atmospheric *Free* (produced by Sly & Robbie), *Swing Memory* with its addictive disco edge and exciting interaction between lead and female backing vocals, and the title track with its muscular vocals.

Dublin based act **In Tua Nua**, whose excellent single *Heaven Can Wait* was previewed in issue 15, deserves your attention for their striking debut album *Hauderville*. Consisting of folk tinged rock songs, female lead singer Leslie Dowdall's dramatic vocals are backed by christal clear guitars, hypnotic violins and elastic drums. Check out the mesmerising *Seven Into The Sea*, the ballads *No Solution* and *Rain*,

and the uptempo *Valuable Lessons*.

Southern US born **Tim Scott** teamed up with producer Mitchell Form (Del Fuegos, Crowded House) for his debut solo album *The High Lonesome Sound*. Scott's self-composed songs are very much in a Chris Isaak, country-rock vein. A remarkable album with highlights such as *Sound Of Thunder*, an up tempo track with sharp guitars, *I Could Be Anything*, the bluesy and restrained *The Great Escape*, and *Easy Time* with its yearning vocals and warm guitars in a crisp production, as well as the brooding *High Hopes*.

Hillbilly De Luxe, the second album by Dwight Yoakam and the follow up to the critically acclaimed *Guitars, Cadillac, Etc. Etc.* consolidates Yoakam's position as one of the most promising and progressive representatives of the so called 'New Country' style. The album features sophisticated, yet fresh country music with rollicking C&W guitar lines, supplemented with Yoakam's straight, yearning vocals. Best tracks include the bluesy *Smoke Along The Track*, the up tempo R&R of Presley's *Little Sister* and the slick cut of *Little Ways*.

The fourth album of cult act **Spear Of Destiny**, fronted by Kirk Brandon, is recorded in a complete new line up. An excellent album with strong, polished rock tracks featuring the driving vocals of Brandon in a glossy production by Simple Minds' producer Zues B. Held. Best tracks include *The Traveller*, a good single candidate, the solid *Was That You?*, and *Miami Vice*, a spoof on the popular American TV police series.

EURORADIO ALBUM SMASHES

This week's most played albums on European Radio.

1		2		3	
	David Bowie - Never Let Me Down - EMI America		Prince - Sign 'O' The Times - Paisley Park		Fleetwood Mac - Tango In The Night - Warner Brothers

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THIS WEEK	LAST WEEK	WEEKS ON CHART	ARTIST	COUNTRIES CHARTED	TITLE	ORIGINAL LABEL	THIS WEEK	LAST WEEK	WEEKS ON CHART	ARTIST	COUNTRIES CHARTED	TITLE	ORIGINAL LABEL				
1	8	2	U2	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	The Joshua Tree - Island	G,Sw,D	35	34	5	Latin Quarter	MI,CK,AND,Caroline - Arista	G	Sw,D				
2	4	8	Simply Red	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Men And Women - WEA	G,Sw,D	36	43	4	Wolfgang Niedecken & Compizian	G	Sw,D	69	83	33	Bruce Hornsby & The Range	The Way It Is - RCA
3	7	7	Alton Jones	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Running In The Family - Polygram	UK,H,F	37	NE	1	Curiosity Killed The Cat	UK,H,F	Sw,D	70	78	7	Ettne Daho	Pop Salon - Virgin
4	2	33	Paul Simon	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Graceland - Warner Brothers	G,H,A	38	42	19	Soundtrack - Miami Vice	Miami Vice 1 - MCA	G,H,A	71	77	24	Jean-Jacques Goldman	En Public - Epc
5	5	5	Prince	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Sign Of The Times - Paisley Park	G	39	38	1	Juliane Werding	Jensetts Der Nacht - MantoWEA	G	72	79	3	James Last	By Request - Polydor
6	6	4	Madonna	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	True Blue - Sire	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN	40	45	1	Barry White & Love Unlimited	Barry's Love - MCA	G	73	83	34	Huey Lewis & The News	For I - Chrysalis
7	4	7	Alison Moyet	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Raindancing - CBS	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	41	35	10	The Smiths	The World Won't Listen - Rough Trade	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	74	88	25	Engelbert	Traktament Mit Engelbert - Arista
8	12	2	David Bowie	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Never Let Me Down - EMI America	UK,FG	42	39	4	Chris De Burgh	Into The Light - AM	UK,FG	75	89	4	Gigster Tiger	The Thin Red Line - Capitol
9	11	3	Fleetwood Mac	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Tango In The Night - Warner Brothers	UK,H,IR	43	46	4	Janet Jackson	Control - AM	UK,H,IR	76	72	21	Eric Clapton	August - Duck Records/Warner Bros
10	8	5	Bryan Adams	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Into The Fire - AM	UK,FG,H,A,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	44	36	19	Dan Johnson	Heartbeat - Epic	GA	77	86	15	Erste Allgemeine Verunsicherung	Oh! Oder Lieben - EMI
11	9	33	Bo Diddley	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Shippin' When Wet - Vango	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	45	41	10	Soundtrack - Cinderella '87	Cinderella '87 - MCA	UK,FG	78	85	10	Halloween	Keeper Of The Seven Keys - Noise
12	10	38	Europe	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	The Final Countdown - Epic	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	46	NE	1	Suzanne Vega	Solitude Standing - AM	UK,H,IR	79	75	15	Udo Lindenberg	Phoenix - Polydor
13	33	1	Tina Turner	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Break Every Rule - Capitol	UK,FG,H,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	47	40	15	Joe Cocker	Shine Like A Diamond - 1989 - Dmg Music	UK,FG	80	73	21	William Sheller	Shellers - Phonogram
14	18	1	Whitesnake	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Whitesnake 1987 - EMI	UK,FG,H,A,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	48	37	21	Kool & The Gang	Forever - Mercury	UK,FG	81	87	87	Whitney Houston	Whitney Houston - Arista
15	17	44	Genesis	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Invisible Touch - Virgin	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	49	49	1	Julien Clerc	Les Aventures A L'Eau - EMI	FR	82	85	16	Michael McDonald	Sweet Freedom - Warner Brothers
16	8	1	Mel & Kim	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	F.L.M. - Supreme	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	50	43	19	Draft Deutscher	Gemischte Geliebte - EMI Electrola	GA	83	85	16	Rondo Veneziano	Casanova - Baby Records
17	16	5	Enature	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Circus - Sire	UK,FG,H,A,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	51	47	11	Santana	Freedom - CBS	GA,UK,H,F	84	91	3	Jean-Louis Aubert	Paris - MCA
18	15	9	Gary Moore	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Wild Frontier - 10 Records/Virgin	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	52	52	16	Michel Sardou	Michel Sardou - Tema	FR	85	82	40	Juliane Werding	Sehnsucht Ist Unheilbar - MantoWEA
19	10	10	Dire Straits	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Brothers In Arms - Vango	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	53	50	4	LadySmith Black Mambazo	Shaka Zulu - Warner Brothers	UK,H,IR	86	84	17	Johnny Halliday	Gargi - Phonogram
20	51	1	Percy Simon	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Coming Around Again - Arista	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	54	NE	1	France Gall	Comme d'habitude - WEA	FR	87	71	31	The Housemartins	London O'Hull & Gelfincks/Chrysalis
21	23	48	Peter Gabriel	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	So - Virgin	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	55	52	12	Beastie Boys	Licensed To Ill - Def Jam/CBS	UK,FG,H,IR	88	95	18	Simply Red	Picture Book - EMI
22	23	1	The Communards	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	The Communards - London	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	56	53	22	Muenchener Freiheit	Muenchener Freiheit - Virgin	UK,FG	89	90	3	Warlock	Burning The Witches - Phonogram
23	25	1	Hot Chocolate	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	The Very Best Of Hot Chocolate - EMI	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	57	52	2	Five Star	Silk & Steel - Teldec	UK	90	14	Luther Vandross	Give Me The Reason - Epic	
24	20	4	The Blow Monkeys	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	She Was Only A Grocer's Daughter - RCA	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	58	50	7	Pillagers	Stigma, Liebe, Sehnsucht - Beltzton	UK,FG	92	NE	1	Claude Francis	Hommage Polygram
25	27	36	Lionel Richie	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Dancing On The Ceiling - Motown	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	59	86	21	Duran Duran	Femmes D'J'aujourd'hui - Pathe Marconi	FR	93	76	23	Kate Bush	The Whole Story - EMI
26	10	10	John Farnham	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Whispering Jack - WEA/RCA	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	60	59	51	Jeanne Mas	Femmes D'aujourd'hui - Pathe Marconi	FR	94	58	20	Queen	Live Magic - EMI
27	28	4	Culture Club	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	The Time - The First Four Years - Virgin	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	61	70	11	Alice	Control - EMI	G,IA,CH	95	93	4	Bruce Willis	The Return Of Bruno - Motown
28	41	11	Jennifer Rush	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Heart Over Mind - CBS	G,Sw,D,FIN	62	64	2	Walter Scholz	Wunschmelodien - Intercom	G	96	94	2	D. Parton, L. Ronstadt, E. Harris	Trio - Warner Brothers
29	33	4	The Cult	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Electric - Beggars Banquet	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	63	66	2	Spear Of Destiny	Outland - 10 Records	UK	97	NE	1	Ell Medeiros	Born Born - Barclay
30	21	18	A-Ha	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Scoundrel Days - Warner Brothers	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	64	69	12	Soundtrack - The Phantom Of The Opera	The Phantom Of The Opera - Polydor UK	UK	98	NE	1	Sly & Robbie	Play'n My Killers - EMI & Broadway
31	22	4	Nick Kamen	UK,FG,BH,SEA,CH,SP,DK,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Wish - Warner Bros	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	65	61	8	Soundtrack - Zabou	Zabou - Schimanski 2 - EMI Electrola	G	99	NE	1	Yello	One Second - Vango
32	30	17	Soundtrack - Miami Vice	G,H,A	Miami Vice 2 - MCA	G,H,A	66	67	14	Gold	Calicoeba - WEA	FR	100	NE	1	Claude Francis	Double Album Souvenir - CBS
33	32	22	Spandau Ballet	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Through The Barricades - CBS	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	67	74	13	Robbie Nevil	Robbie Nevil - Manhattan	G,Sw,D,FIN					
34	29	4	Anthrax	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	Among The Living - Island	UK,FG,H,IR,Sw,D,FIN,GR,IR,IS	68	54	9	Ben E. King & The Drifters	Sing By Me (The Ultimate Collection) - Atlantic	G,H					

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Rita Bennett- Will It Ever Stop (Target/EMI) Italy

For all info contact Duane D. Zigliotto on tel. 2-8692183, tx. 325054.
Denure medium paced ballad in a mainstream and rather unobtrusive production. Well established in her home country, Australia, this female singer has toured with The Supremes, Cliff Richard and John Farnham.

Pierre Cosso- Face Your Life (Vigath) France

For all info contact Jacques Marchand on tel. 145220339/45220035.
Although this song was already a "Euro Crossover" in issue no. 15, it is still worth mentioning in this column. A huge hit in Germany at press time, the French version, "Vis Ta Vie", has just been released. The Scandinavian countries will release the English version as well. With the German success in mind, there is no reason why this colourful, imaginative ballad shouldn't break big in other markets. Needs two or three plays, but a guaranteed hit. This French singer has already enjoyed a chart topping single in the German charts, the duet with Bonnie Bianco, "Stay" (out on Teldec).

Danuta- Touch My Heart (Zyx) Germany

Publ. Ed. Candida/B. Mikulski Publ.; masterowner Zyx, contact Reinhardt Piel on tel. 6436-4052; tx. 482364.
If there is one company in Europe specialising in "Eurobeat" productions, it's Zyx Records and this looks like becoming another hit for the German independent. With all the right ingredients, catering for the mainstream disco market: a very consistent pop/disco beat, vocals in the Gloria Gaynor, Donna Summer tradition by very attractive Polish female singer (typed) to be the next Samantha Fox) and the familiar squeezed Modern Talking-like backing vocals in the chorus.

Blue August Project- Oxygen (12 inch White Label) (Blue August) UK

For all info contact John D. McDonald on tel. 1-5902524.
Already in the Top 20 "Eurobeat" as published weekly in UK's Record Mirror, this thrusting, driving High Energy single, sporting cheerful, contagious female vocals, will certainly be a welcome addition to many European programmer's playlist.

Ceejay- Could This Be Love (Noir Records) UK

For all info contact Howard Marks, at tel. 1-9354965.
Smooth, polished disco song, with a ultra commercial production by Bernard Oates and Rob van Schaik (The Limit, Five Star). Written by the latter, the succinct harmonies and the danceable groove make this a likely contender for many disco/DJ programmers.

Tony Wilson- Part Of What You'll Get

For all info contact Gregg Rogers at Wildlife Entertainment, London 7392400.
Beautiful slow ballad by former member and founder of Hot Chocolate, for whom he wrote/co-wrote over 15 Top 20 hits as well as the number one US million seller "Brother Louie" (The Stories). The sensuous vocals, coupled with lingering saxophone, make this a perfect late-night smoother. The strength of the song is further proved by its slowly moving into another key, hardly noticeable. The song is from a four-track demo tape of which all record rights are still available.

Unknownmix- mix 3 (lp)(RecRez) Switzerland

For all info contact Daniel Waidler at 1-2415955.
Avant-garde group from Zurich who have been touring with their "multi media concept" since autumn 1983. Cool and informative female vocals set against a weird mix of galloping, jittery synthesizer rhythms and odd percussion effects. Although definitely something for die-hard, their music does have moments of accessibility, especially in the track "You And Me" with its thumping, obsessive, film theme.

Plage- Move A Little Closer (Ideo) Germany

For all info contact Gunter Baumgartner at Ideo, tel. 40-409244, tx. 2165935.
Repetitive guitar theme complemented by a solid disco base leads the song into a very danceable groove. The r&b influenced female vocals fare well in this up tempo disco song with poppy chorus.

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

Michael Majzen- Simon On The Wall (PolyGram) Austria

For all info contact Juergen Mueller on tel. 122-831524; tx. 114577 (issue 17).

Wurzel- Bess (GWR) UK

For all info contact Doug Smith on tel. 1-2899021 (issue 17).

Style- Run For Your Life (Alpha) Sweden

For all info contact Stuart Ward on tel. 8-7300400; tx. 10551 (issue 17).

Mogg- In And Out Of Love (Air) Sweden

For all info contact Martin Ingestrom on tel. 8-630720; tx. 12335 (issue 17).

Cardiacs- Big Ship (mini LP) (Alphabot) UK

For all info contact James Stevens on tel. 17883072 (issue 16).

Lee Prentiss- You Plus Me (The Einstein Song) (Funkin' Marvellous/Priority) UK

For all info, contact tel. 1-2477293; tx. 886280 (issue 16).

Bilgeri- Some Girls Are Ladies (Music Pool) Austria

For all info contact Gottfried Indra on tel. 2244-458082 (issue 16).

NEW TALENT UPDATE

This column will give a weekly update on the progression of M&M New Talent Tips in Europe

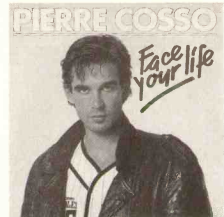
Loyal readers of M&M's New Talent Section will certainly not have failed to notice our passion for current Scandinavian pop music. Apart from the obvious examples of Europe and A-Ha, there is so much happening - often unnoticed by other European countries. Mark our words, a new Scandinavian wave of pop acts is about to happen and one of the best representatives of that wave is Swedish duo Roxette. Roxette were featured in this section last year (see issue no. 36, September 13) with the single "Never Ending Love" (EMI), a perfect pop pastiche. Since the release of that single things have gone extremely well for Marie Fredriksson and Per Gessle, with the single reaching good status in Sweden and the album "Pearls Of Passion", released some months later, selling over 140,000 copies (platinum).

Check out their new single "Soul Deep"; although shamelessly exploiting a Motown riff (but didn't Wham! do exactly the same?), its arresting vocals and contagious arrangements are aiming at the top 40.

EMI Sweden have just sent us a special version of "Pearls Of Passion" called "Dance Passion", including new 12" versions of seven album tracks, including the two singles mentioned above. Listening to it, it only confirms the duo's status as Sweden's next big thing.

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PIERRE COSSO FACE YOUR LIFE



AFTER the success in France of "VIS TA VIE", the English version "FACE YOUR LIFE" is now a smash hit in Germany and is going to be released very soon in Scandinavia and Italy (the video of "FACE YOUR LIFE" is available).

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Debut album by this young rock group, featuring the extraordinary talents of vocalist Regi Sage and Heinz Reutlinger on keyboards. Recorded in Köln (by Harald Leptschies) and St. Gallen (by Victor Waldburger).



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ROCK OVER LONDON

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One of London's top rock venues, the Hammersmith Odeon, is back in trouble again this week with local residents up in arms about the noise and litter caused by Odeon patrons. When the venue's entertainment licence comes up for renewal, a group of locals will petition the licensing committee on the local council to limit the number of gigs at the Odeon, which currently features major bands most nights of the week.

We have to give the promotion boys at EMI Records a big hand for the hype they managed to create over a new single called 'Coming On Strong' which sounds exactly like Mick Jagger. They sent out a quiz with membership of a top London health club as a prize, one of the questions being, "What's the connection between this band and Marianne Faithfull?"

That fuelled the feeling that Mick had somehow snuck back to EMI and released a real powerhouse piece of rock &

roll. But no - the connection is 'Broken English', the title of a Faithfull LP and the name of the mysterious band. Anyway, no matter who it is, it's a strong single - and the band are being managed by Colin Johnson, the man behind Status Quo for most of their extraordinary career. He tells us he hasn't felt so strongly about a new band since he parted company with Quo. The single was out in Britain on May 11.

U2 are to headline the largest ever open-air concert in Scotland. It takes place at the Murrayfield Stadium in Edinburgh on Saturday, August 1.

Bowie has added another football venue to his UK itinerary: Manchester City Football Ground, Maine Road, on July 14. Bowie had to settle for a new entry at number six in the British LP chart for 'Never Let Me Down', which has met with generally poor reviews (but not from us). Still, it gives him his 18th UK Top Ten album which is a pretty good way of answering the critics.

We'll shortly be seeing soul legend Curtis Mayfield back in the UK singles charts, because the track on the Blow Monkey LP 'She Was Only A Grocer's

Daughter' that features Curtis, 'The Day After You', is being released as a single in the next couple of weeks.

Kate Garner, once of Haysi Fantasyce, and Stephen Luscombe, one of the similarly defunct Blancmange, have teamed up in a new band called Deep Space, together with a third member called Miss Julia.



Bowie has 18th Top Ten album.

An all-Scottish charity record has been cut to raise money for the Caterpillar Truck Company in Glasgow, featuring such major label names as Hipsway, Love & Money, Hue & Cry, the McClusky Brothers, Big Dish, Fruits Of Passion, Jesse Rae, The Bathers, The Pastels and Britain's Eurovision

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Song Contender Rikki.

Artista draw a discreet veil over the British failure of 'Get That Love' this week by hastily releasing another Thompson Twins single from the 'Close To The Bone' album, 'The Long Goodbye'.

Scottish foursome Wet Wet Wet make their international debut in the ROL Top 5 this week but already they've played six nights at Wembley Arena supporting Lionel Richie. The current release 'Wishing I Was Lucky' is their first single, produced and mixed by themselves with a little help from a chap called Wif Smarties - they've also worked with soul producer Willie (Al Green/Tina Turner) Mitchell. From a small independent label to a major signing - looks like these lads are headed in the right direction. Not bad considering they're only 21.

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UNITED KINGDOM

Even **Madonna's** *La Isla Bonita* was not able to stop **Starship** going to the top and **Madonna** dropped to third place. In second position is **Judy Boucher's** smooth *Can't Be With You Tonight*. **Labi Siffre's** declaration against apartheid (*Something Inside*) **So Strong** and **Level 42's** *To Be With You Again* are the only additions to the top 10, jumping from 18 to 7 and 24 to 10 respectively. Other fast movers are **Fleetwood Mac's** *Big Love* (13-21), **Camel's** *Back And Forth* (16-30), **The Cult's** *Lil' Devil* (17-32), **Carey Johnson's** *Real Fashion Reggae Style* (31-25) and **Wet Wet Wet** with *Wishing I Was Lucky*. Important entries are **Depeche Mode's** *Srangelow*, **Zodiac's** *Mindwarp's* *Prime Mover*, **The Fall** with *There's A Ghost In My House* (check the single sleeve for the beautiful hologram), **UB40's** *Watchdogs* and **Go West's** *I Want To Hear It From You*. Nice to see too that **Curiosity Killed The Cat's** album *Keep Your Distance* entered straight in at no. 1 of the album charts and **Suzanne Vega's** *Solitude Standing* came straight in at no. 2.

GERMANY

The battle between **Starship** and **Madonna** continues in Germany and this week the latter is the winner: **Madonna** jumps to no. 1 while **Starship** sticks at 3. In second position is **John Farnham**. Additions to the top 10 are for **Mental As Anything's** song from the "Crocodile Dundee" movie called *Live It Up* (6-13) and **U2's** *With Or Without You* (9-12) (their album the "Joshua Tree" jumped to no. 1). The Miami Vice series track by **Jan Hammer**, **Crockett's** *Theme* is this week's fastest mover, jumping from 46 to 20. Highest new entry is for **Depeche Mode** with a track from their forthcoming album (to be released in September) called *Strangelow*. Other entries are for **Bonnie Bianco** (*Miss You-So*), **Fleetwood Mac**, and **Falco's** title song from his latest album called *Emotional*. Highest entry in the album charts is **Yello's** *Second*.

FRANCE

The French charts are quite steady this week: **Licence IV** is still on top followed by **Tina Charles' I Love To Love**. In third position is

Francis Cabrel with *Il Faudra La Leur Dire* (coming from 4). The only new entry is **Mel & Kim's** *Showing Out*. Good jumps for **Paul Simon's** *You Can Call Me At* (06-22), **Emanuel's** *Kren Que Tot Pour M'Endormir* (Nothing But You To Send Me To Sleep)(21-26), **Nick Kamen's** *Each Time You Break My Heart* and **Christine Roque** with *Premiers Frissons D'Amour* (35-42).

BELGIUM

Ferry Aid stick at one for the second consecutive week. At two are **Mel & Kim** (*Respectable*) and in third position is **Dutch Piet Veerman's** *Sailing Home*. **Viktor Lazlo's** *Breathless* jumps from 18 to 13, and other good jumps are for **Starship** (14-22), **Dutch Riechel** with *Temptation* (15-21), **Frederic Francois** with *Tu M'A Laisse* and **Level 42** with *To Be With You Again*. Four new entries: **Claudio Cocchetto** produced *P4F* with *Madley Notorious/Le Freak*, **La Compagnie Creole** with *AIE*, **Duran Duran** and **German duo Mixed Emotions' You Want Love**.

SPAIN

Communards' The Multmix is steady on top for the second consecutive week. The *Multmix* is a 12" with "Don't Leave Me This Way", "So Cold The Night" and "Disenchanted". The maxi single has been released throughout Europe, but a just finished tour through Spain is the reason for the immense popularity of the track here. The singles *So Cold The Night* and *Don't Leave Me This Way* are still at 12 and 38 respectively. At no. 2 is **Level 42's** *Running In The Family* (their "Lessons In Love" is still at 28 and their "To Be With You Again" will probably enter next week). **Europe's** *Final Countdown* is in its 23rd week(1) still in third position. And **Europe** appears again at no. 11 with *Rock The Night*. Only three additions this week: **Italian Silver Pozzoli** enters at 35 with *Pretty Baby*, **Mirage** with a cover from **Steve Silk Hurley's** *Jack Your Body* enters at 45 and **Orquestra Mondragon** enters at 48 with *Conanza De Neon*.

SWITZERLAND

Ferry Aid have replaced the four week chart

topper **Mel & Kim**, who are now in second position. In third place is **Madonna** (coming from 4). **Yello** are doing quite well in their home country: they move from 9 to 6. The only other good move is for **French Desireless** with *Yoyage Voyage*. New entries for Nations with *Italo Boot Mix* and **Arabella** with *Shame Shame Shame*.

SWEDEN

Steady on top for the fifth consecutive week is **John Farnham**. **Starship** follows at two and **Dr. Feelgood's** cover of **Bill Haley's** *See You Later Alligator* is at 3. **Ferry Aid** is highest entry at 10. Other entries are for **Freddie Mercury**, **Madonna** and **Lotta Engberg**, the Swedish Eurovision entry with 4 **Buggs** & **En Coca Cola**, which was censored for the contest as the lyrics contain an advertisement for **Coca Cola** (the lyrics were slightly altered for the contest).

IRELAND

Starship needed just three weeks to reach the top. In second position is **Five Star** with the sixth single from their "Silk And Steel" album called *The Slightest Touch*. **Madonna** follows at 3. Two new additions to the top 10: **The Smiths** are storming up from 17 to 4 and the man with the hairy chest, **Tom Jones' A Boy From Nowhere** jumps from 11 to 5. More good jumps for **Labi Siffre** with (*Something Inside*) **So Strong** (11-19) and **Fleetwood Mac's** *Big Love* (17-22). New entries this week are for **Level 42** (in at 9), **Jesus & Mary Chain** with *April Sires*, **Judy Boucher**, **Bagatelle** with *Paradise Is Half As Nice* and **Elvis Presley's Ain't That Loving You**. **U2** has a re-entry with *With Or Without You*.

GREECE

Aretha & George are steady on top for the eighth consecutive week. They are followed by **Prince** and **Boy George**, both new entries. Other new entries include **London Boys** with *I'm Gonna Give My Heart*, **Jody Watley** (*Looking For A New Love*), **William Pitt** (*City Lights*), **Dutch Oscar Benton** with *Oh What A Night* (an ex-M&M New Talent tip of more than a year ago) and **German Sandra's** producer **Michael Cretu** with *School's Out*.

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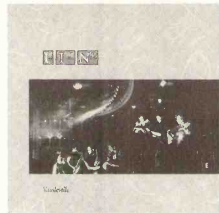
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ALBUMS OF THE WEEK



Carioity Killed The Cat - Keep Your Distance - Mercury



In Tua Nua - Vaudeville - Virgin



Tim Scott - The High Lonesome Sound - Geffen

STATION REPORTS

Updated reports and playlists
additions from the major radio
& TV stations from 16 European
countries.

RW: Record of the week
AD: Additions to the playlist
NE: New Entry
SH: Sure hit
LP: Latest of the week
PF: Personal favourite
OW: One to watch
CL: Clip
ST: Story
IN: Interview

UNITED KINGDOM

BBC RADIO 1 - London
Paul Williams - 1st
Chartbusters:

Cutting Crew - Any Colours
Depeche Mode - Strange Love
Georgia Satellites - Chain
Hot House Flowers - This Way
Al Jarreau - Tell Me How
Little Seven - Bitter Fruit
Mint Tulpas - Every Kind
QMD: Shame
Carly Simon - All Night
Wang Chung - Let's Go

BBC RADIO LONDON
Tony Blackburn - 4/1prod.
AD Robert Bookings - Only Knew
Zabbi - Surprise Surprise
Al Jarreau - Tell Me
Shannon - Dancing
Freeze - Southern Freeze
Mason - Double & Exposure
Ruba Turner - I'm In Love
Nona Hendrix - Why Should I

CAPTAL RADIO - London
**Debian Mehan/Joe Myer/Mark
Perry/Mike Chiles**
Climbers:

Robert Bookings - Only Knew
Whitney Houston - Wanna Dance
Paul Johnson - Half a Word
Nick Kamen - Nobody Else
Debbie Harry - In Love With
Blondie

Extra:
John Farnham - The Voice
Georgia Satellites - Chain
Little Seven - Bitter Fruit
Mint Tulpas - Every Kind
Ricky L - Lisa - When You Gonna

RTL 28 - London
Paul West-Lange - prog. dir
RW Tom Petty - Jammin' Me
Debbie Harry - In Love With
Fall - Ghost In My House
7th Heaven - Hunky Punky
AD Sybil - Let Yourself Go
Go West - I Want To Hear
Nick Kamen - Nobody Else
Ruba Turner - I'm In Love
Gary Moore - Friday
LP Curiosity KTC - Distance

RADIO CITY - Liverpool
Dave Lincote - 4/1prod.
AD Cutting Crew - Any Colours
Lisa Lisa - Head To Toe
UB40 - Watchdogs
Ruba Turner - I'm In Love
Nick Kamen - Nobody Else
Wire Train - Driving
Wang Chung - Let's Go
LP Curiosity KTC - Distance

Living In A Box
OST: Over The Top
Fleetwood Mac - Tango

PICCADILLY RADIO - Manchester

Robin Ross - head of music
AD Nick Kamen - Nobody
Carly Simon - All Night
Wang Chung - Let's Go
Stone Free - Can't Say Bye
Ruba Turner - I'm In Love
Isley Jasper Isley - Wonder
Mint Tulpas - Every Kind
Gary Moore - Friday
Impossible Dreamers - Hands

METRO RADIO - Newcastle
Giles Squire - 4/1senior prod.
AD GAP Band - Going In Circles
Carly Simon - All Night
Debbie Harry - In Love With
Depeche Mode - Strange Love
Nick Kamen - Nobody
Cutting Crew - Any Colours

SWANSEA SOUND - Wales
Kevin King - head of music
AD Cary Johnson - Real Ragga
Depeche Mode - Strange Love
Ruba Turner - I'm In Love
Debbie Harry - In Love With
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UB40 - Watchdogs
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SOUTHERN SOUND RADIO - Brighton
L. Borg-Cardona - head of music
LP Carly Simon - Coming Around
PF Chris Isaak - Let's Go
Mint Tulpas - Every Kind
Suzanne Vega - Standing

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W. Niedecken - Maat Et Jood

WDR - Köln
Stephan Schlabritzer - 4/1prod.
AD Paul Simon - Graceland
SH Tina Turner - Every Rule
LP Slade - Big Noise
PF Chicago - Faithful

WDR - Köln
Hans Holzer Knöchel - 4/1prod.
RW Go West - I Want To Hear
SH Paul Simon - Graceland
PF Shilpa Chakrabarti - Love
OW Baby Amphitruon - Cherobelli
AD The New Mill' Devil
Cult - Local Action - 51st State

BR - München
Fritz Egner - 4/1prod.
AD Boy - Wounded Dead
Living In A Box - Living
Isley Jasper Isley - Wonder
LP Late July - Drummer
ST Lou Lumenax
Dieter Meier (Yello)

BR - München
Claus H. Krukenz - 4/1prod.
RW ST Of The Art - A Rebel
OW Moore & Reed - Soul Man
AD Jeanne Mas - Sauvez Moi
Glo Hoblin - Goodies
Billy Holl - Sweet Sixteen
LP Lisa Lisa & Cult Jam - Fly
ST Colin James

BR - München
**C. Krukenz, P. Ilman, S. Theeking
B-Drive**
Fab Five
AD Chris Isaak - Let's Go
With Or Without You
Cameo - Back & Forth
Living In A Box - Living
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Barbra Streisand - One Voice

RADIO GONG 2000 - München
Walter Freiwald - music dir.
NE Italo Boy Mix - Vol. 8
Hot Chocolate - A Winner
LP Slade - Big Noise
Beastie Boys - Your Right

RADIO GONG - Nürnberg
Auro Mueller - music dir.
Popsway:
Lionel Richie - Se La
RW William Pitt - City Lights
LP Fleetwood Mac - Tango
NE Nick Kamen - Loving You
NE Peter Gabriel - Big Time
16 Bi - Changing Minds
Kiel & Chris Garden - Frieden

RSH - Kiel
Sabine Neu - head of music
RW Peter Wolf - Come As You Are
NE Level 42 - Be With You Again
NE Jan Hammer - Crockett's Theme
AD U2 - With Or Without You
Fleetwood Mac - Big Love
IN Erasure

RADIO 1 - München
Gary Decker - head of music
HipHick:
Viktor Lazlo - Breathless
SH Tina Turner - Every Rule
NE Strayhorn - Pool
Alpha - Red Rose
Paul Carrack - In The Room
LP Viktor Lazlo

RADIO CHARIVARI - München
Reinhold Ziegler - 4/1prod.
AD Judy Boucher - Can't Be With
Phil Carmen - This Is My
Spider Murphy Gang - KP
Tina Turner - Every Rule
OW Magic Platters - Let Me Go

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RADIO KANAL - München
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LP Yello - One Second
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Ferry Aid - Let It Be
Les Innocents - Jodel
Niagara - Quand La Ville
Corycne Charly - Pie Ou Face

EUROPE 1 - Paris
Albert Ensalmen - prog. dir.
NE France Gall - Babacar
Communards - So Cold
Mylena Farmer - Triptona

EUROPE 1 - Paris
Ferry Aid - Let It Be
Nick Kamen - Each Time
Spassig - Call Me
Emmanuelle - Rien Que Toi
Christe De Jeunor - Ret Petite
Christine Roque - Premiers

EUROPE 1 - Paris
Yves Bigot - 4/1producer
RW Bryan Adams - Into The Fire
AD Tom Petty - Jammin' Me
IN Joe Jackson
Alison Moyet

RMC - Paris
Yves Lebrun - prog. dir.
Hilparade:
NE Michel Sardou - Feminin Comme
HH Des Chats
NE Adame - Some Music Play
Les Innocents - Jodel
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OW Gary Moore - Friday
Phil Saechi - Fortune
Depeche Mode - Strange Love
Paulo Conti - Impermeabile

VERONICA - Hilversum
NE Hardtling - prog. dir.
RW Lou Gramm - Midnight Blue
NE Victor Lazlo - Breathless
Whitney Houston - Wanna Dance
Andre Sharon - Short Track
Goede Dool - Nooduigang
George Koojamins - The Beat
David Ray - High Society
Chris Isaac - Blue Hotel

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Baars - 4/1prod.**
OW George Koojamins - The Beat
Dolly Dots - Make It Up
Bryan Adams - Heat Of
Living In A Box - Living
Rainmakers - Let My People Go
Ten Sharp - Way Of The West
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Van Halen - Love Walks In
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RADIO PETER FLOWERS - Milan
Gadio Monti - prog/dt
 RW Jasper Isley - Wonder
 NE Nona Hendrix - Why Should I
 Whispers - Rock Steady
 Little Steven - Bitter Fruit
 Cult - Electric
 No. 1 International:
 Fleetwood Mac - Big Love
 No. 1 Italian:
 Edoardo Bennato - Italia

RADIO MILANO INT. 101
Patrizia Zani
 RW Jill Jones - Mia Bocca
 SH Well Red - Honey
 Klymaxx - Say Yes
 Little Steven - Bitter Fruit
 Top 3:
 Chubb Rock - Rock & Roll
 Prince - Sign Of The Times
 Breakfast Club - Right On

RADIO RTL - Milan
 Flavio Vignati - Guidotti - Bustelli
 RW Richened - Dance Around
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
 LP Gino Vannelli - Big Dreamers
 PF Prince - Sign Of The Times
 IN Off
 Brother Beyond

RADIO KISS KISS - Napoli
Licia Niespolo - prog. dir.
 RW Picnic ATWII - Showcase
 Little Steven - Bitter Fruit
 Tom Petty - Jammin' Me
 AD David Bowie - Shining Star
 Carly Simon - At The Close Goes By
 SH Whitney Houston - Wanna Dance
 LP Bryan Adams - Into The Fire
 OW Mango - Bella D'Este

RADIO ANTENNA NORD
Mauro Berteloni - dj
 RW William Pitt - City Lights
 AD Fleetwood Mac - Big Love
 The Other Ones - Holiday
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
 LP David Bowie - Let Me Down

RADIO ANTENNA DELLO STRETTO
Massimo - Antonio Lorenzetti
 RW Whitney Houston - Wanna Dance
 AD Hollywood Beyond - Save Me
 Randy Cameron - At The Close Goes By
 NE Breakfast Club - Right On
 Via Verdi - You & Me
 Duran Duran - Presidente
 OW Giuseppe - Sex Appeal
 Living In A Box - Living
 Fabio - Emotional
 SH David Bowie - Day In Day Out

RADIO BABBOLEO - Genova
Giovanni Barco - dj/prod.
 RW Maria Bazza - No
 AD The Cure - Kiss Me
 Depeche Mode - Strange Love
 Cenerfidi - Intimate Climate
 Curiosity KTC - Free
 SH Whitney Houston - Wanna Dance
 No. 1 International:
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 No. 1 Italian:
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RADIO BILBAO - Bilbao
Silvia - Edoardo
 RW Depeche Mode - Strange Love
 Esquire - Be Rescued
 Belouis Some - Be With You
 AD Shockz - Lock Out
 T. Pao - Heart And Soul
 Climie Fifer - Mystery
 NE Fery Aid - Let It Be
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SPAIN
RADIO MADRID - SER
Rafael Revier - musical manager
 RW Julio Iglesias - Lo Mejor
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 Hombres G - Y Cayo La Bomba
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 NE Love Monkeys - Have To Be
 LP Orquesta Mondragon - Gordas
 Ui Ultimo De La Fila - Ultimo
 Nacha Pop - El Momento
 SH David Bowie - Day In Day Out

RADIO 80 - SERIE 80 - Madrid
 Jose Maria Genti - musical manager
 NE Duran Duran - El Presidente
 Kool & The Gang - Stone Love
 Level 42 - Be With You Again
 Freddie Mercury - Pretender
 RW Mel & Kim - Respectable
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
 SH Tina Turner - What You Get
 H2O - Blue Diamond
 Inmaculate Fools - Tragic
 Danny Wilson - Mary's Prayer
 IN Off

SWEDEN
SR - Norrkepping
 Kaj Lindvall - dj/prod. Tracks
 AD Gary Moore - Friday
 Ronstadt & Ingram - Somewhere
 Little Steven - Bitter Fruit
 Dan HARROW - Don't Break
 Terence Trent D'Arby - Stay
 Labi Siffre - So Strong
 Amotz - Hungry Soul
 Dalton - Loving You
 Sandra - Midnight Man
 SH Level 42 - Be With You
 NE Gemini - T.I.C.
 Breakfast Club - Right On
 Latin Quarter - Nonzamo
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
 Curiosity KTC - Ordinary

SSM - Stockholm
 Bjorn Melin - dj/prod.
 Massimo - Antonio Lorenzetti
 AD Soul Club - Your Guy
 Nancy Martinnes - Move Out
 PF Whispers - Rock Steady

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NRK P - Oslo
Vidar Lønn-Arnesen - prod.
 Playlist Top 3:
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
 Gary Moore - Wild Frontier
 Alison Moyet - Beauty
 NE Gary Moore - Wild Frontier
 Tomboy - The Heat

RADIO ONE - Oslo
Bjorn Faarvang - dj
 Top 5:
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
 Mel & Kim - Respectable
 Prince - Sign Of The Times
 Living In A Box - Living
 Starship - Gonna Stop Us Now
 NE TNT - 10,000 Hours
 Elvis Presley - Loving You
 RW Depeche Mode - Strange Love
 Duran Duran - Presidente

RADIO ONE - Oslo
Jan Dalchow - dj/prod.
 AD Shockz - Lock Out
 T. Pao - Heart And Soul
 Climie Fifer - Mystery
 NE Fery Aid - Let It Be
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DENMARK
RADIO VIBORG
Sig Hartvig Nielsen - station manager
 RW Lora Engberg - Fyra Bugt
 AD Duran Duran - El Presidente
 Jeanne Mas - Sauvet Moi
 Diana Ross - Dirty Looks
 Peter Vesth - Little Love
 Fun Fun - Balla Bolero
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 Whitney Houston - Wanna Dance
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Lars Poulsen - dj/prod.
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 David Bowie - Julie
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 LP Chico Chack - Night Angel

Cable Programmes

MUSICBOX PLAYLIST

Sure Shot:
 Depeche Mode - Strange Love
Hot Shots:
 Hollywood Beyond - Save
 Fun Fun - Balla Bolero
 The Cult - L'il Devil
 57A - Low Rider
 Aerosmith - Show - New York
 Zodiaco - Mindwarp - Mover
 UB40 - Wadabouts
 Kenny Loggins - Meet Me
 Joe & Charlie - Baby Grand
A List:
 The Damned - Alone Again
 Level 42 - Be With You Again
 Toyah - Echo Beach
 Jesus & Mary Chain - April

SKY CHANNEL SKY TRAX

No new report received.
Sky flyer:
 Well Red - Honey
 TW - I'm Kissed
 Kim Wilde & Junior - Another
 Living In A Box - Living
 Madonna - La Isla Bonita
 Starship - Gonna Stop Us Now
 Labi Siffre - So Strong
 Fleetwood Mac - Big Love
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 Circus Custers - Monica
 Living In A Box - Living
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 Siohse - Passenger
 Starship - Gonna Stop Us Now
 The Cure - Why Can't I Be You
 W. Sheller - Le Nouveau Monde
 Cindy Lauper - What's Going
 Timbuk 3 - Life Is Hard
 IN Niagara

BRT - Bingo
Tom Huybrechts - Producer
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 Robin Williams & Junior - Another
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UNITED KINGDOM
RADIO CLYDE - Glasgow
Richard Park - music controller
Top 5 playlist:
 Big Dish - Slide
 Fleetwood Mac - Big Love
 FFC - Ever Fallen In Love
 Swing Out Sister - World
 Tom Jones - A Boy

GERMANY
RADIO M1 - Munchen
Armed Presser - prog. coord.
Top 5 playlist:
 John Philip - If You Want Me
 Billy Vera - Let You Get Away
 Lou Gramm - Heartache
 Leslie Man - Endless Nights
 John Philip - Crazy World

SR2/EUROPAWELLE SAAR
Adam Hahne - dj/prod.
 Hard & Heavy Charts
NE Anbrax - Among The Living
 Running Wild - Jolly Rager
 Gary Moore - Wild Frontier
 IN Hollowen
 Overkill

AUSTRIA
ORF 3 - Vienna
Christian Ludwig - dj/prod.
 RW Victor Lazoo - Breaks
 AD Crowded House - Don't Dream
 NE Starship - Gonna Stop Us Now
 SH Bonelli - Bianca - Miss You So
 PF Alice - Conoscesi
 CL Falco - Emotional

SPAIN
RADIO BILBAO - SER
Carlos Arko - musical manager
RW Various - Mix 40
 The Cure - Why Can't I Be You
 Viceressa - Susanna
 SH George Dann - Logo Tempo
 LP La Union - 4 x 4

SWEDEN
STUDIO 102 - Stockholm
John Bredal - prog. dir.
 RW Lennox - Allright
 AD Cindy Lauper - What's Going
 Jeanie Mars - Sauvet Moi

FINLAND
DISCOPRESS - Tampere
Pentti Tervalainen - prog. dir.
Finland Disco Charts
 Madonna - La Isla Bonita
 Peter Gabriel - Big Time
 David Bowie - Day In Day Out
 Fun Fun - Balla Bolero
 Freddie Mercury - Pretender
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
 Robbie Nevil - Dominos

GERMANY
FRANCE
ANTENNE 2 - Les Enfants Du Rock
Bernard Lenoir - producer
 This week there are specials on
 The Cure and The Cult.

IRGIN DEAL
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CASSETTE SINGLE
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 Hertzog, Managing Director of
 Polygram Holland. "The image
 of cassettes here in Holland is
 very bad and consumer accept-
 ance is low. We are just trying
 to study the impact of the CD
 single and I am not very keen on
 the idea of introducing another
 format. No, I'm not even going
 to investigate its possible suc-
 cess," says Hertzog.
 Juergen Otterstein, Market-
 ing Director WEA Europe, is
 more cautious: "We are going
 to dip our toe in the water, at
 least in the major markets. We
 look out at all the opportuni-
 ties to combat the declining sin-
 gles sales market, a problem
 that is not confined to the UK
 market. Therefore it might be
 useful to study its effects; I will
 discuss it at our next work-
 shop." And although not really
 crazy on the idea, Pierre Siss-
 sman, Marketing Manager CBS
 France, feels that if it works in
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RADIO 80 - SERIE 80 - Madrid
 Jose Maria Genti - musical manager
 NE Duran Duran - El Presidente
 Kool & The Gang - Stone Love
 Level 42 - Be With You Again
 Freddie Mercury - Pretender
 RW Mel & Kim - Respectable
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
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DEEJAY TELEVISION

First Show:
 FGTH - The Wild Life
 CL Peter Gabriel - Big Time
 Then Jericho - Let Her Fall
 Madonna - Burning Up
 Tears For Fears - Everybody
 Vasco Rossi - Ce Chi Dice No
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
 Little Steven - Bitter Fruit
 Christians - Forgotten Town
 U2 - With Or Without You
 Rita Mitsouko - C'est Comme
 Richened - Dance Around
 Lionel Richie - Se La
 Spagna - Call Me

POLSKIE RADIO - Warsaw
Bogdan Fabianski - dj
Poweryly
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
 RW Yello - Call It Love
 Bolland & Bolland - My Life
 Steve Miller - Wait To Make
 Wilson - Dance With Me
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
 London Boy - Harlem Desire
 SH David Bowie - Day In Day Out
 FVC - Ever Fallen In Love
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
 CD's of the week:
 Red Box
 The Doors

COUNTDOWN MUSIC BOX

CL Beastie Boys - Your Right
 Janet Jackson - Wait Awhile
 Prince - Sign Of The Times
 Alison Moyet - Beauty
 David Bowie - Day In Day Out
 Boy George - Everything I Own
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 The Cure - Why Can't I Be You
 IN The Cure

BELGIUM
R.T.B.F. - Rox Box
 Ray Cousins - producer
 CL Madonna - La Isla Bonita
 Siohse - Passenger
 Starship - Gonna Stop Us Now
 The Cure - Why Can't I Be You
 W. Sheller - Le Nouveau Monde
 Cindy Lauper - What's Going
 Timbuk 3 - Life Is Hard
 IN Niagara

BRT - Bingo
Tom Huybrechts - Producer
 CL Presidents - My Baby
 Terence Trent D'Arby - Stay
 Robin Williams & Junior - Another
 Jan Jackson - Let's Wait
 Club Nouveau - Lean On Me
 Chaka Kahn - Feel For You
 F. Grigard - Drunken Sailor
 Sky Blasters - Don't Leave
 The Cure - Why Can't I Be You

UNITED KINGDOM
RADIO CLYDE - Glasgow
Richard Park - music controller
Top 5 playlist:
 Big Dish - Slide
 Fleetwood Mac - Big Love
 FFC - Ever Fallen In Love
 Swing Out Sister - World
 Tom Jones - A Boy

GERMANY
RADIO M1 - Munchen
Armed Presser - prog. coord.
Top 5 playlist:
 John Philip - If You Want Me
 Billy Vera - Let You Get Away
 Lou Gramm - Heartache
 Leslie Man - Endless Nights
 John Philip - Crazy World

SR2/EUROPAWELLE SAAR
Adam Hahne - dj/prod.
 Hard & Heavy Charts
NE Anbrax - Among The Living
 Running Wild - Jolly Rager
 Gary Moore - Wild Frontier
 IN Hollowen
 Overkill

AUSTRIA
ORF 3 - Vienna
Christian Ludwig - dj/prod.
 RW Victor Lazoo - Breaks
 AD Crowded House - Don't Dream
 NE Starship - Gonna Stop Us Now
 SH Bonelli - Bianca - Miss You So
 PF Alice - Conoscesi
 CL Falco - Emotional

SPAIN
RADIO BILBAO - SER
Carlos Arko - musical manager
RW Various - Mix 40
 The Cure - Why Can't I Be You
 Viceressa - Susanna
 SH George Dann - Logo Tempo
 LP La Union - 4 x 4

SWEDEN
STUDIO 102 - Stockholm
John Bredal - prog. dir.
 RW Lennox - Allright
 AD Cindy Lauper - What's Going
 Jeanie Mars - Sauvet Moi

FINLAND
DISCOPRESS - Tampere
Pentti Tervalainen - prog. dir.
Finland Disco Charts
 Madonna - La Isla Bonita
 Peter Gabriel - Big Time
 David Bowie - Day In Day Out
 Fun Fun - Balla Bolero
 Freddie Mercury - Pretender
 Fery Aid - Let It Be
 Robbie Nevil - Dominos

GERMANY
FRANCE
ANTENNE 2 - Les Enfants Du Rock
Bernard Lenoir - producer
 This week there are specials on
 The Cure and The Cult.

IRGIN DEAL
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 embarking on UK tours will be
 shot at a very high production
 level with five cameras, screen-
 ed live on the BBC and will
 then be available for European
 TV stations in 40-minute ver-
 sions. A different 60-minute
 version with extra tracks will
 be released at a later date on the
 video market, through Virgin.
 The company also intends to be-
 come involved in European co-
 productions in the near future,
 following considerable interest
 at the recent MIP TV conference
 in Cannes.
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 Manager at Virgin, comments
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 MIP: "It was interesting to see
 that many of the light entertain-
 ment buyers rather than the
 music buyers were keen on
 several of our latest music home
 videos. 'Elton John Live In
 Australia' was particularly
 popular and countries such as
 Australia, France and Bulgaria
 have all expressed an interest."

CASSETTE SINGLE
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 time with CBS," comments Paul
 Hertzog, Managing Director of
 Polygram Holland. "The image
 of cassettes here in Holland is
 very bad and consumer accept-
 ance is low. We are just trying
 to study the impact of the CD
 single and I am not very keen on
 the idea of introducing another
 format. No, I'm not even going
 to investigate its possible suc-
 cess," says Hertzog.
 Juergen Otterstein, Market-
 ing Director WEA Europe, is
 more cautious: "We are going
 to dip our toe in the water, at
 least in the major markets. We
 look out at all the opportuni-
 ties to combat the declining sin-
 gles sales market, a problem
 that is not confined to the UK
 market. Therefore it might be
 useful to study its effects; I will
 discuss it at our next work-
 shop." And although not really
 crazy on the idea, Pierre Siss-
 sman, Marketing Manager CBS
 France, feels that if it works in
 the UK, the cassette single
 should at least be considered for
 France. "But it is a bit strange to
 talk about yet another format
 ed live on the BBC and will
 then be available for European
 TV stations in 40-minute ver-
 sions. A different 60-minute
 version with extra tracks will
 be released at a later date on the
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U.K. RADIO AIRPLAY REPORT

Most played records in England during the week of publication on the following stations: BBC 1, BBC 2, Capital Radio, Radio London and the major independents.

1. Level 42- To Be With You Again
2. Five Star- The Slightest Touch
3. Madonna- La Isla Bonita
4. Little Steven- Bitter Fruit
5. Jesus & Mary Chain- April Skies
6. Cutting Crew- Any Colours
7. UB40- Watchdogs
8. Duran Duran- Meet El Presidente
9. Cameo- Back & Forth
10. Fleetwood Mac- Big Love
11. Starship- Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now
12. Living In A Box- Living In A Box
13. Wet Wet Wet- Wishin I Was Lucky
14. Q.M.D.- Shame
15. Kim Wilde & Junior- Another Step
16. Depeche Mode- Strange Love
17. Carey Johnson- Real Fashion Reggae Style
18. Gary Moore- Friday On My Mind
19. The Damned- Alone Again Or
20. Terence Trent D'Arby- If You Let Me Stay

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. Madonna- La Isla Bonita
2. John Farnham- You're The Voice
3. Starship- Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now
4. Fleetwood Mac- Big Love
5. Mental As Anything- Live It Up
6. Alison Moyet- In The Presence Of Beauty
7. Mel & Kim- Respectable
8. Wolfgang Niedecken- Maat Et Jood
9. U2- With Or Without You
10. Ferry Aid- Let It Be
11. Boy George- Everything I Own
12. The Kinks- Lost And Found
13. Lionel Richie- Se La
14. Club Nouveau- Lean On Me
15. Level 42- To Be With You Again
16. Heinz Rudolf Kuenze- Finden Sie Mabel
17. Living In A Box- Living In A Box
18. Bryan Adams- Heat Of The Night
19. Franklin & Michael- You Were Waiting
20. Pierre Cosso- Face Your Life

MEDIA CONTROL AUSTRIA

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

1. Starship- Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now
2. Madonna- La Isla Bonita
3. Gary Lux- Nur Noch Gefuehl
4. Klaus Preenster- Zeig Mir Den Weg
5. Carly Simon- Coming Around Again
6. Franklin & Michael- You Were Waiting
7. Mc- Send Me Roses
8. Bryan Adams- Heat Of The Night
9. Ferry Aid- Let It Be
10. Europe- Carrie
11. John Farnham- You're The Voice
12. Pepsi & Shirley- Hearache
13. Level 42- Running In The Family
14. A-Ha- Manhattan Skyline
15. Manfred Holsub- Schwarzer Engel

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):

1. Rita Mitsouko- C'est Comme Ca
2. France Gall- Babacar
3. Julien Clerc- Mon Ange
4. Kazero- Thai Na Na
5. Johnny Hallyday & Carmel- J'Oublierai
6. Jeanne Mas- Sauvez Moi
7. Philippe Cataldo- Les Divas Du Dancing
8. Elenne Daho- Duet Au Soleil
9. Tina Charles- I Love To Love
10. Hong Kong Syndikat- Concrete And Clay
11. Eille Medeiros- A Bailar Calypso
12. Nick Kamen- Each Time You Break
13. Madonna- La Isla Bonita
14. Les Innocents- Jodie
15. Catherine Lara- Encore Une Fois
16. Buz- Body Physical
17. A-Ha- Cry Wolf
18. U2- With Or Without You
19. Lionel Richie- Ballerina Girl
20. Patrick Bruel- Tout Le Monde

Radios FM:

1. Nick Kamen- Each Time You Break
2. U2- With Or Without You
3. Cyndi Lauper- Change Of Heart
4. Spagna- Call Me
5. France Gall- Babacar
6. Tina Charles- I Love To Love
7. Elenne Daho- Duet Au Soleil
8. Level 42- Running In The Family
9. Hong Kong Syndikat- Concrete And Clay
10. Eille Medeiros- A Bailar Calypso
11. A-Ha- Cry Wolf
12. Johnny Hallyday & Carmel- J'Oublierai
13. Jeanne Mas- Sauvez Moi
14. Off- Electrica Salsa
15. Communards- So Cold The Night
16. Prince- Sign Of The Times
17. Mylene Farmer- Tristana
18. Pet Shop Boys- Suburbia
19. Lionel Richie- Ballerina Girl
20. Julien Clerc- Mon Ange

MEDIA CONTROL SWITZERLAND

Most played records as checked by Media Control on the national channel DRS 1, DRS 3, Couleur 3 and 3 private stations. For more info please contact Media Control, Post Passage 2 Basel 4002, tel: 61 - 228989.

1. Madonna- La Isla Bonita
2. Starship- Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now
3. Ferry Aid- Let It Be
4. John Farnham- You're The Voice
5. Prince- Sign Of The Times
6. Hot Chocolate- You Sexy Thing
7. Simply Red- The Right Thing
8. Boy George- Everything I Own
9. U2- With Or Without You
10. Sara Sahara- Don't Ask Me
11. Bryan Adams- Heat Of The Night
12. Club Nouveau- Lean On Me
13. Kool & The Gang- Stone Love
14. Edoardo Bennato- OK Italia
15. Level 42- Running In The Family
16. The Cure- Why Can't I Be You
17. Carly Simon- Coming Around Again
18. Jennifer Rush- I Come Undone
19. Fleetwood Mac- Big Love
20. Tina Turner- What You Get Is What

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 - 23647.

1. Circus Custers- Myself
2. Rainmakers- Let My People Go Go
3. Madonna- La Isla Bonita
4. Terence Trent D'Arby- If You Let Me Stay
5. Richenel- Temptation
6. Het Goede Doel- Nooduitgang
7. Little Steven- Bitter Fruit
8. Starship- Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now
9. Nancy Boy- Let's Hang On
10. Fleetwood Mac- Big Love
11. Victor A.Lazio- Breathless
12. Piet Veerman- Sailing Home
13. U2- With Or Without You
14. Manke Nello- Knieze Jodjodjodjen
15. Curiosity KTC- Ordinary Day
16. Level 42- Running In The Family
17. Chris Isaak- Blue Hotel
18. Lionel Richie- Se La
19. Conny van den Bos- Liefde Bestaat
20. Boy George- Everything I Own

SER - SPAIN

The 20 best played records in Spain from Cuarenta Principales, covering the major Spanish stations.

1. Spagna- Call Me
2. Bangles- Walk Like An Egyptian
3. Ramoncino- Como Un Surturo
4. Bon Jovi- Livin' On A Prayer
5. Radio Futura- 37 Grados
6. Gregory Abbott- Shake You Down
7. Simply Red- The Right Thing
8. Erasure- Sometimes
9. Robbie Nevil- C'est La Vie
10. Jackie Wilson- Reti Petite
11. U2- With Or Without You
12. Madonna- La Isla Bonita
13. Europe- Rock The Night
14. La Union- De Aqui Alla
15. Spandau Ballet- How Many Lies
16. Nacha Pop- Vistete
17. Hosenmartins- Caravan Of Love
18. Paolo Salvatore- No Tengo Que Mijer
19. Mecano- No Es Serio Este Cementerio
20. Level 42- Running In The Family

RAI - ITALY

Most played records as compiled from RAI Stereo Due.

1. Edoardo Bennato- OK Italia
2. Vasco Rossi- Ciao
3. Level 42- Children Say
4. Pooh- Goodbye
5. U2- With Or Without You
6. Ferry Aid- Let It Be
7. Mel & Kim- Respectable
8. Johnny Hates Jazz- Shattered Dreams
9. Peter Wolf- Come As You Are
10. Boy George- Everything I Own
11. Club Nouveau- Lean On Me
12. Mavardi, Ruggieri & Tozzi- Si Pao Dare Di
13. Spagna- Call Me
14. David Bowie- Never Let Me Down
15. Simply Red- Men And Women
16. Prince- Sign Of The Times
17. Enrico Ruggeri- Vai Rouge
18. Locaschilli- Clandestina
19. Alison Moyet- In The Presence Of Beauty
20. Andy Taylor- Life Goes On

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