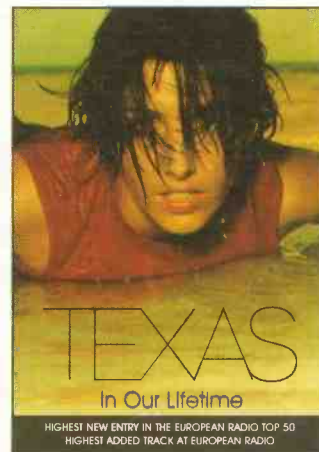


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Innovative rock/techno sextet Fruit hail from Frankfurt, the birthplace of German techno, but their debut album, *Exposures Left*, is pulling down the genre barriers and achieving high rotation on German music TV. **Page 7**

Universal fills in the gaps

by Fredrik B. Nilsson

STOCKHOLM — Details are starting to emerge of the Universal Music Group in Sweden, the only major European country where the post-merger Universal/PolyGram company has yet to take shape.

Although the company's staffing and structure are still not yet official,

M&M understands that, under already-confirmed managing director Gert Holmfred (pictured), Universal Music Group Sweden (UMGS) will consist of six main departments—business, sales, finance, A&R, commercial, marketing & promotion.

Former head of Sweden Music Ingemar Bergman is set to become A&R director, with a brief to strengthen the merged

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by Christian Lorenz

LONDON — The line-up of Universal Music International's management team was virtually completed this week, with two out of four vice-president positions being filled.

Universal Music International (UMI) senior VP strategic marketing Wolf Urban has appointed Linda Greenhalgh as VP commercial and consumer marketing, and Julian Huntly

as VPO catalogue marketing. Both appointments were effective March 30. A third VP position in Urban's strategic marketing division dealing with TV merchandising has yet to be filled.

A fourth vacant vice-presidency at UMI will apparently be that of VP promotions, the holder of which will report directly to UMI senior VP marketing and A&R Max Hole. Accord-

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New Radicals promote U.S. rock's new manifesto

by Paul Sexton

LONDON — As international tastes turn back in favour of U.S. rock, New Radicals are flying the American modern rock flag in Europe with their out-of-the-box smash *You Get What You Give* (MCA/Universal).

With European playlists looking more welcoming of late for bands such as the Goo Goo Dolls and Sugar Ray, *You Get What You Give* is proving unstoppable. It climbs 10-8 on M&M's European Radio Top 50 this week and enters the Eurochart Hot 100 Singles at number 16, evoking memories of pop-rock favourites from World Party to ELO in the process.

The track has been an instant



Gregg Alexander

radio hit in Spain, the Netherlands, Denmark, Portugal, Ireland and the U.K., where New Radicals frontman Gregg Alexander undertook a week of promotion from March 22, the single's release date. The work was immediately rewarded with a new entry at number five on the U.K. sales chart. Airplay in Italy, Sweden and Norway is also growing by the day.

Johan Vosmeijer, staff producer at Dutch alternative rock station Kink FM, was one of the first to support the track. "I imported the record myself from the States," says Vosmeijer, "and we've been playing it since January. Every time I hear it, thoughts of summer are blossoming in my head." He

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CSA starts music TV investigation

by Rémi Bouton

PARIS — The relationship between music and TV is officially on the agenda of French broadcasting authority the CSA for the first time, following its decision to appoint one of its nine members to oversee the sector.

CSA member Véronique Cayla is heading up a new working group within the authority entitled Music and Audiovisual. The group has already concluded its first investigation, into commercial TV channel M6, and will be looking at the music-related activities of other broadcasters in the coming weeks. It has also made a ruling which could affect the future viability of French TV stations' "summer hits" campaigns.

The appointment of a member to oversee music TV output within the CSA has been asked for by the music industry for some time, and echoes

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Upfront

by Emmanuel Legrand, Music & Media editor-in-chief

A few publications, not least the Wall Street Journal, have recently reported that it's getting tougher for U.K. artists to have breakfast in America these days.

In fact, there were strong suggestions that Billboard's decision to put a greater emphasis on airplay in its Hot 100 singles chart has hindered the chart performances of U.K. acts in the U.S. Main reason given: U.S. radio stations prefer to play domestic acts rather than "aliens."

It's probably easy to blame it on the charts (quite a habit for an industry which produces the most controversial chart this side of the Atlantic). The charts are not the problem, they are only the expression of the problem.

The truth of the matter is that crossing over to the U.S. is no easy journey, just as many U.S. acts find it harder to break in Europe (and the U.K. in particular) these days. But if it is getting tougher, it's not because of the charts, but because the U.S. market has changed and is getting tougher for everyone.

The biggest change is in the U.S. radio market. There are

now even more formats, more niches, and fewer outlets offering a broad-based mix of music genres. This makes it harder for labels to market records in general, and particularly music that doesn't fall neatly into format categories.

Even U.S. Top 40 stations are not necessarily embracing pop songs—a genre in which the U.K. is well versed—the way they used to, while some of the dominant musical genres in the U.S. (mainly country, R&B/rap) are out of reach for British acts.

Brits have made exceptional contributions to music and will certainly continue to do so. Life goes in cycles—you need the right artists at the right time, a bit of luck and a lot of hard work.

U.K. artists also know that they need to spend both time and energy to break America—Robbie Williams' attempts to crack the U.S. will be particularly interesting to watch. Give a few months and a couple of hits, and the papers will talk about another British invasion.

In the meantime, U.K. labels can at least have the satisfaction of noting that the song on top of Billboard's singles chart for the fourth consecutive week is Cher's *Believe*, an American artist signed to a U.K. label...



PIMs reward Rossi's return to form

by Mark Dezzani

MILAN — Veteran Italian rocker Vasco Rossi scooped three prizes at the Premio Italiano Della Musica (PIM) Italian music awards at Milan's Rolling Stone Club on March 24.

Rossi, whose album *Canzone Per Me* (EMI) was amongst the top three best selling albums in Italy last year, collected the awards for Italian record of the year and Italian tour of the year, plus the music critics' prize.

The PIM awards are organised annually by CHR network Radio DeeJay and Musica!, the weekly music supplement of La Repubblica newspaper, all of which are part of the Espresso media group. Apart from the music critics' award, all of the categories were voted for by DeeJay listen-

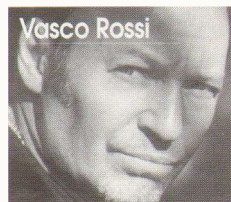
ers and Musica! readers. Some 60,000 votes were received, 70 percent of which were sent via the Internet.

The awards were broadcast live on the national commercial TV network Italia 1, as well as on Radio DeeJay, and were hosted by Serena Dandini and Radio DeeJay programme director Linus. The live spectacle attracted an average TV audience of 2.2 million, representing an 11 percent viewing share during the mid-evening prime-time slot.

EMI Italy president Riccardo Clary says that Rossi's last album represented a return to strong songwriting. "It was an album of great songs with strong emotions like his early material," he says. "The award for best tour was also well deserved. His concert at Imola last year has gone down in Italy as one of the

most mythical concerts of all time alongside Bob Marley's famous concert at Milan's San Siro stadium."

In the absence of an "official" industry-backed awards ceremony, the PIMs are seen as Italy's leading pop music accolades. Clary says that plans for industry body FIMI to create official music industry awards have been suspended for the time being because of an anti-trust ruling against Italy's major labels (currently the subject of an appeal), but are likely to be revived in the near future. "The PIM awards are sponsored by a major media group [Espresso] and therefore represents valid recognition, but we are still thinking of creating a new official awards ceremony," reveals Clary.



PIM Winners '99

Italian Record Of The Year: Vasco Rossi *Canzoni Per Me* (EMI)

Italian Song Of The Year: Ligabue *Ho Perso Le Parole* (WEA)

Discovery Of The Year: Alex Britti (Universal)

Italian Tour Of The Year: Vasco Rossi

Italian Video Of The Year: Articolo 31 *La Fidanzata* (Ricordi/BMG Ricordi)

International Record Of The Year: U2 *Best Of 1980-1990* (Island)



The voice of 13-year-old Charlotte Church is being featured in U.K. charity the NSPCC's "Full Stop" TV campaign, which aims to end cruelty to children. Church (third from right) is pictured at the campaign's launch in London with (l-r) composer Andrew Lloyd Webber (whose *Pie Jesu* Church sings); TV star Cilla Black; U.K. prime minister Tony Blair; Spice Girl Emma B and HRH Prince Andrew.

Danish stars TV-2 form own label

COPENHAGEN — Danish pop/rock act TV-2, former EMI-Medley head of promotions Anne Marie Buch, and TV-2's management/booking agency Aarhus Musikkontor have come together to form a new record label called Pladeselskabet.

TV-2, one of Denmark's biggest-selling acts, were previously signed to EMI-Medley, which will distribute Pladeselskabet. The new label, based in Copenhagen, will start operations at the end of this month, with Buch as general manager and the members of TV-2 as creative directors. The first release on Pladeselskabet will be a TV-2 double live album, due out on May 5.

TV-2 founded Aarhus Musikkontor earlier this year; the agency now manages around 20 Danish acts. Bo Andersen is managing director of that company as well as the new label.

Capital gains in latest Audiradio

by Mark Dezzani

MILAN — Italian AC network Radio Capital has registered its first significant audience gains since it was acquired by the Espresso publishing group in January 1997 from the entertainment impresario Claudio Cecchetto.

The positive results come in the wake of major staffing and programming changes at the network, which is based in Milan and Rome.

Official ratings compiled by Audiradio for the first quarter of 1999 show that Radio Capital's average daily audience grew by almost 200,000 listeners to 848,000, compared to the fourth quarter of 1998.

The Audiradio survey period (January 16-February 19) coincided with a number of significant changes at the station. Luca Galli has been appointed programme director replacing Linus, who will continue to programme sister CHR network Radio DeeJay.



Galli, who was formerly head of Creahits, the commercial production unit of RTL 102.5 Hit Radio, has implemented a series of changes in music policy and air talent, and says that more changes are planned.

"Our 25-40 year-old target audience remains the same, but I'm implementing a tighter music format, with less emphasis on specialist music such as R&B than before," says Galli, who adds that the network's core 50/50 mix of current and classic hits will remain.

Galli has simplified the schedule to four hour slots for each presenter, and signed two new DJs, Thomas Damiani and Stefano Gallarini, who both

come from CHR network Station 1. British presenter Marianne and specialist R&B DJ Massimo Oldani have both left Capital, with Oldani's afternoon slot going to Giacomo Valenti.

Elsewhere in the ratings sweep, public full-service station RAI RadioDue maintained the audience gains it made at the end of last year (M&M, March 6), but the leading commercial CHR networks all sustained losses.

Top 10 Italian networks

(Average daily listeners, in millions)

Station (format)	Q1 '99	Q4 '98
RAI RadioUno (news/talk)	8.30	8.27
RAI RadioDue (full-service)	6.01	6.01
Radio Dimensione Suono (CHR)	4.73	5.17
RTL 102.5 Hit Radio (CHR)	4.22	4.30
Radio DeeJay (CHR)	4.09	4.16
Radio Italia SMI (nat. music)	3.77	3.96
Radio 105 (CHR)	3.29	3.30
Radio Montecarlo Italia (AC)	2.33	2.29
Radio Lattemiele (nat. music)	1.81	1.94
RAI RadioTre (cultural)	1.60	1.91

Source: Audiradio

U.K. departures at Columbia, Virgin

LONDON — Three U.K. labels have been affected by senior executive changes.

The unrelated moves involve two executives: Columbia Records U.K. managing director Ged Doherty and Mark Hutton, general manager of Virgin Records U.K.



Ged Doherty

Doherty left Columbia on March 26 to become managing director of Arista Records at BMG, having reached an agreement with Sony Music over the final months of his contract, which expires this summer.

Doherty has been recruited by BMG U.K. chairman Richard Griffiths to fill a position which has been vacant since the departure of Martin Heath at the end of 1997. The two previously

worked together at Epic Records U.S., when Griffiths was the label's president. Doherty, who joined Sony Music U.K. in June 1996, will take up his BMG slot in late April.

No replacement for Doherty has been announced by Sony Music U.K. & Ireland chairman Paul Burger but a Sony Music U.K. spokesman says that Burger "won't be rushed" to find a successor. In the meantime, Columbia's general manager/head of A&R David Balfe and marketing director Graham Ball will assume day-to-day duties at the label.

Meanwhile, Hutton, GM of Virgin Records U.K. since July 1997, exited his post abruptly at the end of last month following a meeting with Virgin Records

U.K. chairman Paul Conroy. Sources at the company say there was increasing friction between Hutton and Virgin's A&R director David Boyd, who is also managing director of Hut, the label of The Verve.

However, Hutton says the departure was "amicable." He explains: "It was probably a culmination of a lot of things. I have no regrets—I had a fantastic time at Virgin, with an outstanding bunch of people."

Hutton says he plans to take time to consider his next move and that "the focus will most likely be on the music business."

Virgin Records U.K. chairman Paul Conroy says Hutton's departure is "sad, but probably best for us and for him." Conroy adds that he plans to aid Hutton—who joined Virgin in 1982—in his search for new employment, and says he has no plans to replace the executive.

ON THE BEAT

MCM IS FRANCE'S MOST-WATCHED

PARIS — Despite growing competition, MCM Euro-musique remains France's most popular music TV channel, according to latest audience figures released by Médiamétrie. The cable and satellite channel is watched by 1.18 million weekly viewers. MTV has 788,600 weekly viewers; M6 Music 235,100; Fun TV 277,900; Nostalgie La Télé 226,500; and Muzik 99,100. France has 7.7 million households hooked up to cable or satellite TV, still a long way behind the 17 million in neighbouring Germany.

STUDENT RADIO CHART LAUNCHES

STOCKHOLM — Seven of the largest student radio stations in Sweden have started to compile a bi-weekly playlist chart. The initiative came from Sony Music Sweden, which recently gathered representatives from seven of the largest student stations with the purpose of increasing cooperation between themselves. The chart is compiled by Eric Paglia at Stockholm's student station Rocket, and is based on playlist reports from the other participating stations. Student stations in Sweden have a (combined) estimated audience of 150,000.

DONNA'S HITCLUB DEAL

BRUSSELS — TV compilation specialists EVA and Universal Music Belgium have linked up with public Flemish CHR station VRT Radio Donna to help promote their *Hitclub* compilation albums. *Hitclub* was launched as a chart compilation series in 1997, with five volumes appearing every year. Radio Donna is now including a daily three-hour chart music show, Donna's *Hitclub*, each evening as part of the cooperation deal. "Although initially we didn't want to refer to the albums [on air], the current association works out very well," says Radio Donna station manager Bert Geenen.



Bert Geenen

MOVING CHAIRS

LONDON — Mercury Records U.K. has appointed Sian Thomas as director of international marketing. She replaces Bert De Ruiter, who departed last month. Thomas, a 17-year veteran of the PolyGram group, has been senior international marketing manager since 1994. She reports to Mercury Records U.K. managing director Howard Berman.

MADRID — José Luis Sainz is the new director general of Spain's SER commercial radio group, and its management arm, Union Radio. He replaces Augusto Delkader, who was promoted to managing director of the two companies last December. Sainz joined SER last year as deputy DG.

NEW YORK — Steve Barnett has been promoted to executive VP, worldwide marketing, at Epic Records and 550 Music. He joined Epic in 1996 from Hard To Handle Management, where he had been president since 1988. Also at Sony, Michael Schwerdtman has been named VP, finance, Sony Music International.



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trade secrets



Jan Hautekiet

Programme director, VRT Studio Brussel (Belgium)

What was your first ever job?
Account executive for a PR company.

What was your worst ever job?
That one.

What was your first break in the radio business? Producer in 1979 for BRTN.

What has been the highlight of your career to date? Every day is a gas!

Three words that describe you best. Tall, excitable, hungry.

What makes you mad? People who think of themselves as being at the centre of the universe.

What other career would you have liked to have followed? Full-time musician.

What keeps you awake at night? My wife.

Apart from your own, what radio station do you listen to most? VRT Radio 1.

What was first record you bought? Trini Lopez, *If I Had A Hammer*.

When was the last time you bought a record? And what was it? *A Go Go* by John Scofield, last December.

Describe, in three words, the radio business. A wonderful world.

How do you relax? Intensely.

What is your favourite holiday destination? Tuscany.

What offends you? Short sightedness.

What's been your greatest mistake or regret? Non, je ne regrette rien.

What phrase or saying do most over-use? "Yes!"

What's the best piece of advice you've ever been given? Be yourself.

What's the best gig you've ever seen? Traffic, Brussels in 1978....

What is your favourite all-time album? Donald Fagen's *The Nightfly*.

What is your favourite book? *On The Road* by Jack Kerouac.

Who would you most like to have dinner with? Joni Mitchell.

What is your favourite newspaper? New York Times.

How would you like to be remembered? Dearly.

Interview by Marc Maes

Swedes to face ownership restrictions?

by Johan Lindström

STOCKHOLM — The age of unrestricted media ownership in Sweden, which has benefited a number of major European media and radio groups, could be coming to an end.

Changes are being proposed to Swedish media laws which would bring the country into line with similar legislation regulating broadcast and print media ownership in other EU countries.

A parliamentary committee consisting of Sweden's ruling Social Democrats plus the Green Party, the Left Party and the Centre Party wants the country's Competition Act to be applicable to the media, in some cases overruling the country's Freedom of the Press Act and the Fundamental Law on Freedom of Expression, which have

traditionally ensured freedom of media ownership in Sweden.

Under the proposals, the Swedish Competition Authority would be given the right to go to court in order to stop mergers between media companies, if the merger in question is seen to diminish competition and "it is feared there is an intention to impede a free and broad exchange of opinion and comprehensive information." There would also be compulsory notification of company acquisitions in cases where the merged media company would have a joint annual turnover of more than Skr4 billion (euros 450 million). Existing media ownership concentrations would not be affected by the plans.

Culture minister Marita Ulvskog has given a positive reaction to the committee's proposals, which are

expected to be put forward by the government in the autumn. But because the plans would involve rewriting parts of Sweden's constitution, they would have to be ratified by the parliament after the next election in 2002, delaying the legislation's introduction until 2003 at the earliest.

Opposition parties could delay the reforms further by exercising their right to put constitutional questions to a national referendum. The report has already been heavily criticised by the Liberals, Christian Democrats and the right-wing Moderates. They claim that the new legislation is not needed, and that it would not reduce media concentration but instead create new problems by giving the Competition Act precedence over the country's constitutional laws for the first time.

Rival stations promote Flemish cable radio

by Marc Maes

BRUSSELS — Under the banner of "Radio 2000," cable radio broadcasters in Flanders have come together for a major awareness campaign to promote the medium.

Mid-February saw the launch on cable of CHR/dance station Radio 538 Vlaanderen (a Belgian variant of the similarly-named Dutch station), gold station Radio BOB (De Beste Oldies in Belgie), Radio Magdalena (gold) and S&SI Hitmix (CHR).

Those launches follow the debut, almost a year ago, of northern Belgium's first cable-only station, Radio Flandria. The AC station's cumulative audience reach has climbed from just over 50,000 in April

1998 to just over 300,000 at the end of last year, according to Sobemap audience figures.

"With this campaign, we want to target the audience that doesn't know their cable [TV] connection can provide radio output as well—and we hope the cable companies will co-operate with us in this," says Peter Van Dam, managing director of Radio Flandria and sister gold station Radio BOB.

Van Dam cites the introduction of

"infomercials" on cable TV, as well as off-air activities, as major tools to "open up" the cable radio audience. The inclusion of promotional literature with cable network mail-outs is also being considered.

Wim Van Putten, project manager of Radio 538 Vlaanderen, says of his station's involvement in the project: "We teamed up as Radio 2000 because we believe cable will be the radio-carrier of the future."

Adds Radio 538 managing director Erik De Zwart: "The big advantage for Radio 538 Vlaanderen is that we have one frequency [106.8] for the whole Flemish region, whereas in the Netherlands, each city has its own frequency. This will help us market the product."



Peter Van Dam

Pay-deal problem for regional Dutch publics

by Robbert Tilli

HILVERSUM — Regional public radio in the Netherlands is facing a possible financial crisis following the signing of a new labour agreement which will give its employees a 5.75 percent salary raise from June of this year.

Management at regional public stations is unhappy with the outcome of the pay talks, which were negotiated nationally between public broadcasting umbrella organisation NOS and the CNV Media trade union. The agreement is applicable to both national and regional radio and TV.

Huub Elzerman, managing director of Amsterdam-based full-service station Radio Noord-Holland, predicts that financial problems for his station will arise in the very near future as a direct result of the deal. "It [the pay deal] is actually half a percent more than we can afford on an annual basis," he says.

But the real problem, contends Elzerman, is the way regional public radio is financed in the Netherlands. Every household in the country has to

pay a Dfl204 (euros 92.72) licence fee each year for all public broadcasting services, but only Dfl10 from this sum is earmarked for regional radio. "For the past decade, this amount has never been index-linked to inflation," notes Elzerman.

Regional radio lobbying group ROOS has presented a report to Dutch secretary of state for media Rick van der Ploeg which proposes structural solutions to the sector's financial problems. The report is likely to be discussed in parliament later this month.

internet in-site

Emap Radio
www.hallamfm.co.uk
www.radiocity967.com
www.manchester.fm

Official web sites of the local FM stations which form part of the Emap Radio group in the U.K. use fundamentally the same template, with local logos and graphics as appropriate. There's a poll in which visitors are invited to vote on a topical issue, local news, sport, traffic, entertainment listings, a message board area and other similar features. The overall impression is of a very useful, well-executed local magazine. Information about the stations themselves is curiously low-key, however. Visitors seeking this section must follow an internal link midway down the menu bar rather than the more instinctive action of clicking on the station logo, and at present there is no way of hearing the station's output.

Chris Marlowe

Dance grooves

by Gary Smith

TRYPNOTIC

Combining trippy textures, a clutch of cute melodies and a naive, lo-fi approach to vocal sampling, Indocinate's *Feeling You* (Tranceportation/Belgium) also has a superb middle eight breakdown. The latter features a big piano and also serves to change the whole nature of the song. From hard trance over the first four minutes, *Feeling You* suddenly turns into a bubbly slice of euro trance pop for the final section.

SLAMMER

The Netherlands' DJ Misjah is one of that country's very best hard house/techno deckmeisters. He also regularly turns out minimal but slammin' tracks. Such is the case with the double A-side EP *Nimphia/Knallenheid* (X-Trax/Holland), which features two thumping floorfillers with one foot in the Detroit sound and the other firmly planted in the rather more melodic Dutch approach. Hard but genuinely inspired.

CROSSOVER

After the success of *Feels Real*, The Mudmen's latest track, *Thriller* (eXstatische/U.K.), is an important one which shows that you can keep it hard and credible whilst delivering hook-laden records. With its insistent vocal sample and phat, riffy bass line the *Break That House* mix touches various stylistic bases. Thanks to the laid back, housey breakbeat and wall-to-wall hooks it could work on the radio, whereas the *Feel My House* version is 100 percent dancefloor.

PERCHANCE TO DREAM

Norwegian artist Geir Jenssen, a.k.a. Biosphere, needs little introduction since he's been one of the very few ambient acts both to cross over to a mainstream audience—with *Patashnik* (Apollo/Belgium)—and to have a track—*Novelty Waves*—used in a Levi's TV campaign. He is also a clever and inventive remixer, as shown on *Biosystems—The Biosphere Remixes* (Beat-service/Norway). This intriguing, downbeat album includes work for name artists such as

James on the moody ballad *She's A Star*, and ex-Massive Attack singer Nicolette's *No Government*, alongside reworkings for interesting local acts such as Download, Front Line Assembly and Mind Over MIDI.

MEDICINAL

Following a series of top class hard house EPs for Paris-based Pro-Zak Trax, Jordi Grau's latest recording for the label under the name Psyback, *Combneishon/Nino Colado*, is a radical departure. Combining soul voices, warped, mutant strings and a flares'n'afro disco groove, the two tracks are examples of underground nu-disco at its bizarre, funky best.

"The track is currently on Radio FG's Hitlist," says Pro-Zak Trax export manager Luc Charles, "plus it's doing well on the Future Mix Chart which is compiled from the playlists of 25 radio stations around Paris and in Provence." Despite the French media's enthusiasm for *Combneishon*, this comparatively light-hearted departure is, so far, strictly a one-off.

Meanwhile another act from the label, Kojak, whose Midem '99 appearance consolidated their reputation as part of the next wave of French house, are to release their debut album, *Crime In The City*, on April 13. Through Pro-Zak Trax's deal with Barclay, the album will also be released in Sweden and Norway. According to Charles, the U.K. and Germany are also expressing interest in the album.

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Orbital re-entry to the airwaves

by Sally Stratton

This spring sees the return of three heavyweights of British electronica—Underworld, the Chemical Brothers and Orbital—all of them guaranteed a measure of radio support and all of them now regarded as mainstream acts.

Orbital's fifth album, *The Middle Of Nowhere* (FFrr/London), due out on April 5, is the follow-up to their British top five album *In Sides*. Between albums they have toured extensively, reinterpreted the theme music of *The Saint* for the movie and worked with film composer Michael Kamen.

Several tracks on the new album have a cinematic quality, especially the opener, *Way Out*, which Phil Hartnoll, the elder of the two Orbital brothers, describes as "a neon cowboy riding off into the sunset." There is also a sense of fun in the new material, nowhere more evident than in the *Big Pipe Style* remix of the first single, *Style*, with its sampled bagpipes and a slice from Suzi Quatro's UK chart topper *Devil Gate Drive*.

It is this version—out of several remixes—which U.K. radio has picked to support. "Radio had a choice," points out Hartnoll. "This was a remix, it was the b-side and we did the video to the other version. So we've got radio playing one version and MTV playing the other."



Hartnoll is amused at the scale of popularity which his music and the electronica genre in general have achieved. "Look back a few years and you'd have to be in a club to hear these things, but now it's on national Radio 1, so it has definitely infiltrated."

"That's right," affirms BBC Radio 1 music scheduler Alex Jones-Donnelly. "When they made *Chime* [Orbital's first U.K. hit] in 1990, only pirate radio stations would play that kind of stuff. Things have changed since. It's become part of the public consciousness. So when there's a new project by the Chemical Brothers, Orbital, Underworld or Leftfield, we get just as excited by that as we would by something from an established, guitar-oriented band."

"Over the last 10 years there have been so many spin-offs and variations on a theme in electronic music," observes Hartnoll, "and they're just regurgitations of what's been around before."

Despite Hartnoll's world-weariness, *Big Pipe Style* is already causing a stir in the media and has been picked up by various TV sports programmes in the U.K., especially those with a Scottish element—such as coverage of the Five Nations rugby football tournament.

However, Hartnoll has to admit that perhaps they've peaked just a little early. "*Big Pipe Style* was actually going to be our bid for the millennium new year," he confesses. "We'll drag it out again and dust it off around November time."

Hybrid Fruit ripens with Exposure

by Christian Arndt

The borders between techno and rock are breaking down further on *Exposures Left* (Monitor/EMI Electrola), the debut album by innovative Frankfurt sextet Fruit.

Coming from a city which is, arguably, the birthplace of German techno—it still harbours some of Europe's most adventurous techno labels with Milles Plateaux and Force Inc.—and which also has a thriving rock community, Fruit combine the best of both worlds.

Of the band's name, frontwoman Catenia Quentin says: "We wanted something short and pithy. Something that has meaning everywhere in the world. Not a technical term but something organic which keeps growing." Hence the two former hard rockers, two techno producers, a versatile session drummer and Quentin—a graphic designer by background—find themselves storming genre barriers under the moniker Fruit.

The band is managed by Fitz Braum of Four Music, the management company, record label and booking agency of hip hop act Die Fantastischen Vier. Fruit are signed to EMI Electrola's progressive imprint Monitor, "mainly because our A&R man at Monitor, Richard Wernicke, used to work for Four Music as well," says guitarist Frank Rill, one

of Fruit's main songwriters.

It's not only management and label who believe that the Frankfurt-based band have a lot of potential. They have also enjoyed massive support from German music TV networks VIVA and VIVA2. Both channels selected Fruit's second single, *Firewalker*, for N1 rotation, the highest entry level for new titles.

Asked if there had been friction between the techno side and the rockers within the band, Andreas Velte recalls, "strangely enough, there have never been great musical differences. Most of the time, two or three of us come up with an idea for a song, and then we develop it together with the others. We've always managed to work on a song together until it's finished. Which means that each band member could make his or her contribution during every stage of production."

Yet, as guitarist Rill adds, "[songwriting] is not a democratic process. It can't be. But the right ideas just came naturally to us. For myself, I can say that I've learned a lot about the way you compose techno music."

What ultimately made the project Fruit ripen into a bona-fide band was when the sextet went on tour supporting the alternative all-girl-band Lemonbabies. "When you spend two weeks together on the same bus, you really get to know one another," recalls Rill.



Eurochart Hot 100® Singles

this week	last week	TITLE	ARTIST	countries charted	this week	last week	TITLE	ARTIST	countries charted	this week	last week	TITLE	ARTIST	countries charted
	no. of wks		original label (publisher)			no. of wks		original label (publisher)			no. of wks		original label (publisher)	
1	9	...Baby One More Time	Britney Spears - Jive (Grantsville/Zomba)	A.B.D.K.D.G.R.C.I.R.L.I.N.L.N.S.C.H.U.K.H.U.N	34	31 12	Fly Away	Lenny Kravitz - Virgin (Miss Bessie/EMI)	A.D.G.R.C.I.R.L.C.H.U.K	68	85 2	We're Going To Ibiza	Vengaboys - Violent/Jive (Violent/Peermusic)	B.N.L
2	13	Pretty Fly (For A White Guy)	The Offspring - Columbia (Underachiver/Wixen)	A.B.D.K.F.D.G.R.C.I.R.L.I.N.L.N.S.C.H.U.K	35	29 5	Tender	Blur - Food (EMI)	D.G.R.C.I.R.L.I.N.L.N.E.S.U.K	69	69 5	Tell Me What You Like	Jessica Folcker - Jive (Grantsville/Zomba)	F
3	8	Changes	2Pac - Jive/Amaru (Joshua's Dream/MCA/Zappo/Warner Chappell)	A.B.D.K.D.I.R.L.N.L.N.S.C.H.U.K	36	28 3	Better Best Forgotten	Steps - Jive (EMI/All Boys/BMG)	B.I.R.L.N.L.U.K	70	38 2	My Love	Kele Le Roc - 1st Avenue/Wild Card/Polydor (Warner Chappell/Windswept Pacific)	U.K
4	26	Big Big World	Emilia - Rodeo/Universal (EMI)	A.B.F.D.I.R.L.I.N.L.C.H.U.N	37	9 2	Blame It On The Weatherman	B*witched - Glow Worm/Epic (19/BMG/PolyGram/MCA/Chrysalis)	I.R.L.U.K	71	73 3	Put Your Hands Up	The Black & White Brothers - United Music/Edel (Copyright Control)	F.I.R.L
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5	8	Maria	Blondie - Beyond/RCA (Dick Johnson)	A.B.F.D.G.R.C.I.R.L.N.L.E.S.C.H.U.K	38	35 12	Parisien Du Nord	Cheb Mami & K-Mel - Virgin (BMG)	B.F	72	54 15	Respect	Spike - What's Up/Polydor (Maximum/Warner Chappell)	A.D.C.H
6	NEW	Flat Beat	Mr. Ozio - F Communications (Wak)	I.R.L.I.N.L.U.K	39	37 9	Ma Baker	Boney M. vs. Sash! - Lautstark/BMG (Far/Intro)	A.B.D.K.D.G.R.C.N.L.S.C.H	73	95 2	Don't Stop	ATB - Motor (Not Listed)	D.N.L
7	6	Strong Enough	Cher - WEA (Rive-Droite/Warner Chappell)	A.B.D.K.F.D.G.R.C.I.R.L.I.N.L.N.E.S.C.H.U.K	40	33 20	Heartbeat/Tragedy	Steps - Jive (All Boys/BMG)	B.G.R.C.I.R.L.N.L.S.U.K	74	NEW	China In Your Hand	Fusion - RCA (EMI)	D.C.H
8	24	Believe	Cher - WEA (Rive-Droite/Warner Chappell)	B.D.K.F.D.G.R.C.I.N.L.N.S.C.H.U.K.H.U.N	41	15 2	Strong	Robbie Williams - Chrysalis (EMI/BMG)	D.I.R.L.U.K.H.U.N	75	75 12	Elle Pleure	Ophélie Winter - East West (Not Listed)	B.F
9	17	Tu M'Oublieras	Larusso - DLA/EMI (Not Listed)	B.F	42	36 15	Enjoy Yourself	A+ - Kedar/Universal (Valentino/EMI)	B.D.K.I.R.L.N.L.S.U.K	76	64 6	Ex-Factor	Lauryn Hill - Ruffhouse/Columbia (BMG/EMI)	D.I.R.L.N.L.S.C.H.U.K
10	23	Boom, Boom, Boom, Boom	Vengaboys - Violent/Jive (Violent/Peermusic)	A.D.K.F.D.I.N.L.E.S.C.H	43	NEW	Colour The World	Sash! feat. Dr. Alban - X-IT (Step By Step)	B.D.I.R.L.N.L.U.K	77	79 2	(Du Är Så) Yeah Yeah Wow Wow	Martin - Polar (Not Listed)	S
11	NEW	Witchdoctor	Cartoons - Flex/EMI-Medley (Reuter/Reuter)	B.I.R.L.S.U.K	44	40 26	Chanter Pour Ceux Qui Sont Loin De Chez Eux	Laam - DLA (Not Listed)	F	78	71 11	I Wish	Oli P. - Hansa (EMI/BMG Ufa)	A.D.C.H
12	4	As	George Michael & Mary J. Blige - Epic (Jobete/EMI)	B.D.K.F.D.G.R.C.I.R.L.I.N.L.E.S.C.H.U.K.H.U.N	45	NEW	Out Of The Blue	System F - Essential (Not Listed)	D.N.L.U.K	79	81 10	Die Längste Single Der Welt 2	Wolfgang Petry - Na Klar!/BMG (Various)	D
13	NEW	Honey To The B	Billie - Innocent/Virgin (Chrysalis)	I.R.L.U.K	46	41 2	Heartbreak Hotel	Whitney Houston - Arista (EMI/Various)	F	80	63 5	Can I Get A...	Jay-Z feat. Amil & Ja - Def Jam/Island (EMI/Li Lu Lu/DJ Irv/Ja)	F.D.N.L
14	5	It's Not Right But It's OK	Whitney Houston - Arista (EMI/Famous)	B.D.I.R.L.N.L.E.S.C.H.U.K	47	43 10	A Klana Indiana	A Klana Indiana - EMI (Tuti Frutti)	A	81	51 3	Oggi Sono Io	Alex Britti - Universal (Not Listed)	I
15	9	You Don't Know Me	Armand Van Helden - frrr (Copyright Control)	B.F.D.G.R.C.I.R.L.N.L.S.C.H.U.K	48	32 19	Miami	Will Smith - Columbia (Notting Hill/Sony ATV/Warner Chappell)	A.B.D.N.L.S.C.H	82	77 4	I Won't Forget You	Princessa - East West (Warner Chappell)	D.C.H
16	NEW	You Get What You Give	New Radicals - MCA (EMI)	I.R.L.I.N.L.E.S.U.K	49	44 10	La Difference	Lara Fabian - Polydor (Not Listed)	B.F	83	76 7	Protect Your Mind	D.J. Sakin & Friends - Club-Tunes/Intercord (EMI)	B.D.K.N.L.U.K
17	5	Nie Wieder	Sara@Tic Tac Two - RCA (Manuskript)	A.D.C.H	50	45 15	Mais Qui Est La Belette	Manau - Polydor (BMG)	B.F	84	70 16	Chocolate Salty Balls	Chef - American/Columbia (Hilarity Music)	B.D.K.I.R.L.N.L.N.S
18	3	L'Amé-Stram-Gram	Mylène Farmer - Polydor (Not Listed)	B.F	51	34 10	Lean On Me	2-4 Family - Epic (EMI)	A.D.C.H	85	86 4	On Ne Change Pas	Celine Dion - Columbia (Not Listed)	F
19	8	King Of My Castle	Wamdue Project - Airplane (Not Listed)	B.F	52	48 7	Tous Les Maux D'Amour	Norma Ray - M6 Int. (Not Listed)	F	86	82 3	Boy You Knock Me Out	Tatyana Ali feat. Will Smith - M&J/Epic (Notting Hill/Windswept Pacific)	F.U.K
20	8	You Are Not Alone	Modern Talking - Hansa (Blue Obsession/Warner Chappell/Intro)	A.D.E.S.C.H	53	56 5	Erase/Rewind	The Cardigans - Trampoline/Stockholm (MCA/PolyGram)	D.G.R.C.I.R.L.I.N.L.C.H.U.K.H.U.N	87	50 3	You Stole The Sun From My Heart	Manic Street Preachers - Epic (Sony ATV)	I.R.L.U.K
21	4	When The Going Gets Tough	Boyzone - Polydor (Zomba/Aqua)	I.R.L.U.K	54	47 6	Whiskey In The Jar	Metallica - Vertigo (MCA/PolyGram)	A.D.I.R.L.N.L.N.S.H.U.N	88	74 3	I Still Believe	Mariah Carey - Columbia (Tom Sturges/Chrysalis/Colegms/EMI/WC)	B.F.D.G.R.C.N.L.E
22	17	When You Believe	Mariah Carey & Whitney Houston - Columbia (SKG/Sons Of SKG/Cherry Lane)	A.B.F.D.N.L.S.C.H.U.K	55	52 9	Vi Drar Till Fjällen	Markoolio - CNR (Not Listed)	N.S	89	84 18	Hard Knock Life (Ghetto Anthem)	Jay-Z - Roc-A-Fella/Northwestside (EMI/Warner Chappell/MPL)	F.C.H
23	17	When You're Gone	Bryan Adams feat. Melanie C. - A&M (Badams/Sony ATV)	A.B.D.K.F.D.I.R.L.N.L.S.C.H.U.K	56	55 2	Real Life	Bon Jovi - Reprise (Not Listed)	A.D.N.L.C.H	90	88 11	Cassius 1999	Cassius - Virgin (Various)	F.I
24	5	La Vie Ne M'Apprend Rien	Liane Foly - Virgin (Not Listed)	B.F	57	NEW	MFG	Die Fantastischen 4 - Columbia (Not Listed)	A.C.H	91	RE	If You Believe	Sasha - WEA (Click/BMG Ufa)	D.N.L.S.C.H
25	NEW	No Scrubs	TLC - LaFace/Arista (EMI/Windswept Pacific)	D.I.R.L.N.L.S.C.H.U.K	58	59 14	Lilali	Kim Kay - DLA (Not Listed)	B.F	92	91 9	Elle Est	Patrick Fiori - Tristar (Not Listed)	B.F
26	20	Narcotic	Liquido - Virgin (Deuman)	A.D.I.N.L.C.H	59	60 5	The Launch	DJ Jean - Mo'Bizz/Digidance (Not Listed)	B.N.L	93	80 5	Written In The Stars	Elton John & LeAnn Rimes - Rocket/Mercury (Wonderland/Happenstance/Evador)	A.D.C.H.U.K
27	11	Westside	TQ - Clockwork/Epic (Various)	A.B.D.K.D.I.R.L.N.L.N.S.C.H	60	61 11	Sikidim	Tarkan - Istanbul Plak Universal (Not Listed)	B.F	94	65 6	Runaway	The Corrs - 143/Lava/Atlantic (MCA/PolyGram)	U.K
28	4	Nothing Really Matters	Madonna - Maverick/Warner Bros. (Warner Chappell/EMI)	A.B.F.D.G.R.C.I.R.L.I.N.L.E.C.H.U.K	61	67 6	Phuture Vibes	Mellow Trax - Zeitgeist/Polydor (PolyGram/MCA)	A.D	95	92 6	Les Vallees D'Irlande	Helene Segara - Orlando/East West (Not Listed)	F
29	32	We Like To Party	Vengaboys - Violent/Jive (Violent/Peermusic)	F.I.R.L.U.K	62	NEW	Windowlicker	Aphex Twin - Warp (Chrysalis)	I.R.L.U.K	96	46 2	Push Upstairs	Underworld - Junior Boy's Own/V2 (Underworld/Sherlock Holmes)	I.R.L.N.L.U.K
30	8	Tarzan & Jane	Toy-Box - Spin/Edel (Spin Off Songs)	A.D.K.D.N.L.N.S.C.H	63	62 5	Lullaby	Shawn Mullins - Columbia (EMI)	D.I.R.L.N.L.S.U.K	97	94 2	Pulverturm	Niels Van Gogh - Kosmo (Kosmo/BMG Ufa)	F
31	8	Wish I Could Fly	Roxette - Roxette Recordings/EMI (Hip Happy/EMI)	A.B.D.I.N.L.S.C.H.U.K.H.U.N	64	58 17	9 P.M. (Till I Come)	ATB - Motor (Sony ATV)	D.K.I.N.L.N	98	99 2	Tuesday Afternoon	Jennifer Brown - Ricochet/RCA (BMG Ufa/Warner Chappell)	A.F.D
32	RE	You Gotta Be	Des'ree - Dusted Sound/Sony S2 (Sony/CC)	D.N.L.E.U.K	65	53 19	Get Freaky	Music Instructor feat. AB - Fuel/East West (Triple M/EMI)	A.D.C.H	99	72 4	Same Ol' G/What's So Different	Giunwine - 550 Music (EMI/Warner Chappell)	D.N.L.U.K
33	10	How Will I Know (Who You Are)	Jessica Folcker - Jive (BMG Ufa/Grantsville/Zomba)	A.B.D.N.L.S.H.U.N	66	68 42	Belle	Daniel Lavoie - Pomme/Sony/Universal (Not Listed)	B.F	100	NEW	We Can Leave The World	Sasha - WEA (Not Listed)	A.D
					67	39 2	Music To Watch Girls By	Andy Williams - Columbia (Keith Prowse/EMI)	I.R.L.U.K	A = Austria, B = Belgium, CZE = Czech Republic, DK = Denmark, FIN = Finland, F = France, D = Germany, IRL = Ireland, I = Italy, HUN = Hungary, NL = Netherlands, N = Norway, P = Portugal, E = Spain, S = Sweden, CH = Switzerland, UK = United Kingdom. ○ = FAST MOVERS NEW = NEW ENTRY RE = RE-ENTRY				

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European Top 100 Albums

this week	last week	no. of wks	ARTIST	TITLE	original label	countries charted	this week	last week	no. of wks	ARTIST	TITLE	original label	countries charted	this week	last week	no. of wks	ARTIST	TITLE	original label	countries charted
1	2	2	Blur	13 - Food / Parlophone	AUT.BDK.FIN.FD.IRL.I.NL.N.P.E.S.CH.UK		34	35	5	TLC	Fanmail - Laface / Arista	A.F.D.NL.S.CH.UK		68	70	32	Westernhagen	Radio Maria - WEA		D
2	1	22	Cher	Believe - WEA	A.B.DK.FIN.FD.GRC.IRL.I.NL.N.P.E.S.CH.UK.HUN.CZE	2	35	25	2	Pino Daniele	Come Un Gelato All'Equatore - CGD		I	69	95	6	Des'ree	Supernatural - Sony S2		F.PE.UK
3	3	5	Britney Spears	Baby One More Time - Jive	A.B.DK.FIN.D.GRC.IRL.NL.N.S.CH.UK		36	47	2	Eva Dahlgren	Lai Lai - Anderson		FIN.N.S	70	61	9	Liquido	Liquido - Virgin		A.D.NL.CH.CZE
4	4	19	The Offspring	Americana - Columbia	A.B.DK.FIN.FD.GRC.I.NL.N.P.E.S.CH.UK.CZE		37	36	4	Toto	Mindfields - Columbia		A.B.DK.FIN.FD.NL.S.CH	71	57	45	Boyzone	Where We Belong - Polydor		A.B.D.IRL.NL.UK
5	7	75	The Corrs	Talk On Corners - 143 / Lava / Atlantic	B.F.IRL.NL.E.S.UK	2	38	28	4	Underworld	Beaucoup Fish - Junior Boy's Own / V2		A.B.F.D.GRC.IRL.NL.S.UK.CZE	72	72	19	Original Cast	Notre Dame De Paris (Integral) - Pomme / Sony		B.F
<p>☆☆☆☆ SALES BREAKER ☆☆☆☆</p>							39	33	19	Mariah Carey	#1's - Columbia		B.FIN.D.GRC.IRL.I.NL.E.CH.UK.HUN	73	65	15	Guano Apes	Proud Like A God - Ariola		A.D.CH
6	86	2	Andrea Bocelli	Sogno - Sugar / Polydor	A.B.FIN.I.NL.N.P.CH.CZE		40	31	2	Silverchair	Neon Ballroom - Epic		F.D.GRC.NL.UK	74	68	3	Ilse DeLange	World Of Hurt - Warner Bros.		B.NL
7	5	5	Roxette	Have A Nice Day - Roxette Recordings / EMI	A.R.DK.FIN.D.GRC.I.NL.N.P.E.S.CH.HUN.CZE		41	41	4	Manu Chao	Clandestino - Virgin		F	75	81	3	Clouseau	In Stereo - EMI		B.NL
8	6	26	Lauryn Hill	The Miseducation Of Lauryn Hill - Ruffhouse / Columbia	A.B.DK.FIN.FD.GRC.IRL.NL.N.P.E.S.CH.UK.CZE	1	42	30	10	Cartoons	Toonage - Flex / EMI-Medley		DK.I.S	76	NE		Victor Manuel	Cada Es Como Es - Ariola		E
9	8	5	Modern Talking	Alone (The 8th Album) - Hansa	A.FIN.D.GRC.E.CH.HUN.CZE		43	23	3	Kula Shaker	Peasants, Pigs & Astronauts - Columbia		A.B.FIN.D.GRC.IRL.NL.N.S.UK	77	77	28	Göla	Ut U Dervo - Sound Service		CH
10	15	21	George Michael	Ladies & Gentlemen, The Best Of George Michael - Epic	B.DK.D.IRL.I.NL.E.S.CH.UK.HUN	4	44	34	22	Alanis Morissette	Supposed Former Infatuation Junkie - Maverick / Warner Bros.		A.B.F.D.IRL.NL.N.CH	78	37	2	Lucio Battisti	I Miti Musica: Lucio Battisti - Numero Uno / BMG Ricordi		I
11	11	57	Madonna	Ray Of Light - Maverick / Warner Bros.	A.B.DK.F.D.GRC.IRL.NL.N.E.S.CH.UK.HUN.CZE	5	45	NE		Elton John	Elton John & Tim Rice's Aida - Rocket / Mercury		A.N.CH.UK	79	RE		Zucchero	Blue Sugar - Polydor		A.I.CH
12	12	5	Falco	The Final Curtain - The Ultimate Best Of - EMI	A.D.CH		46	40	9	Litfiba	Infinito - Ira / EMI		I	80	92	2	Brydenfelt Og Hannibal	Memory - CMC		DK
13	NE		Skunk Anansie	Post Orgasmic Chill - Virgin	A.FIN.I.NL.N.P.CH.UK		47	56	2	Deus	The Ideal Crash - Island		B.F.D.IRL.NL.P.UK	81	85	2	Artistes Divers	Première Classe - Hostile / Virgin		F
14	13	3	Stereophonics	Performance & Cocktails - V2	F.GRC.IRL.UK		48	71	19	Sasha	Dedicated To... - WEA		A.FIN.D.NL.CH	82	NE		Primal Scream	Screamadelica - Creation		IRL.UK
15	16	23	Robbie Williams	I've Been Expecting You - Chrysalis	B.DK.F.D.IRL.NL.S.CH.UK	2	49	66	6	Abba	Gold - Greatest Hits - Polar		IRL.UK	83	48	4	R.E.M.	Up - Warner Bros.		B.D.GRC.IRL.N.UK.CZE
16	10	13	The Cardigans	Gran Turismo - Trampolene / Stockholm	B.DK.FIN.D.GRC.IRL.I.NL.N.S.UK.CZE		50	43	19	Metallica	Garage Inc. - Vertigo		B.D.NL.N.S.CH	84	NE		Blackstreet	Finally - Interscope		NL.UK
17	9	3	Van Morrison	Back On Top - Exile / Pointblank / Virgin	B.DK.D.GRC.IRL.NL.N.E.S.CH.UK		51	51	9	Liane Foly	Acoustique - Virgin		B.F	85	79	10	Fiorella Mannoia	Certe Piccole Voci - Harpo / Sony		I
18	14	20	Whitney Houston	My Love Is Your Love - Arista	B.F.D.NL.S.CH.UK		52	45	19	Emilia	Big Big World - Rodeo / Universal		A.DK.D.PE.CH.HUN.CZE	86	87	2	Everlast	Whitey Ford Sings The Blues - Tommy Boy		D.GRC.CH
19	17	17	Manic Street Preachers	This Is My Truth Tell Me Yours - Epic	B.DK.FIN.D.GRC.IRL.NL.N.S.UK	1	53	53	7	Hevia	Tierra De Nadie - Hispavox		E	87	89	2	Dusty Springfield	The Best Of - Mercury		UK
20	20	11	2Pac	Greatest Hits - Jive / Amaru	A.B.D.GRC.IRL.NL.N.S.CH.UK		54	38	22	U2	The Best Of 1980 - 1990 / B Sides - Island		A.B.D.IRL.NL.P.CH.CZE	88	80	13	Robbie Williams	Life Thru A Lens - Chrysalis		IRL.UK
21	19	5	Lara Fabian	Live - Polydor	B.F		55	46	5	The Chieftains	Tears Of Stone - RCA Victor		F.D.IRL.NL.PE	89	75	2	Udo Jürgens	Ich Werde Da Sein - Ariola		D
22	18	46	Lenny Kravitz	5 - Virgin	A.DK.D.GRC.IRL.I.NL.P.S.CH.UK		56	49	4	Schürzenjäger	Es Hört Nicht Auf - Koch / Ariola		A.D.CH	90	RE		B*witched	B*witched - Glow Worm / Epic		IRL.UK
23	50	17	Vengaboys	Up & Down - Greatest Hits - Violent / Jive	A.B.F.D.IRL.NL.UK.HUN.CZE		57	55	6	Hélène Segara	Coeur De Verre - Orlando / East West		B.F	91	62	13	Laura Pausini	La Mia Risposta - CGD		DK.I
24	22	13	Fatboy Slim	You've Come A Long Way Baby - Skint / Epic	A.B.D.GRC.IRL.NL.CH.UK		58	91	2	Tracy Chapman	Tracy Chapman - Elektra		IRL.UK	92	84	3	Gnags	Greatest - Genlyd		DK
25	21	43	Original Cast	Notre Dame De Paris - Pomme / Sony / Universal	B.F		59	44	13	Biagio Antonacci	Mi Fai Stare Bene - Mercury		I.CH	93	78	11	Garbage	Version 2.0 - Mushroom		D.IRL.E.UK
26	39	12	The Corrs	Forgiven Not Forgotten - 143 / Lava / Atlantic	B.IRL.E.UK	1	60	58	12	La Oreja De Van Gogh	Dile Al Sol - Epic		E	94	94	3	Markoolio	Sticker Hårdt - CNR		S
27	24	7	Blondie	No Exit - Beyond / RCA	A.B.F.D.GRC.IRL.P.E.S.CH.UK.CZE		61	NE		D.J. BoBo	www.djbobo.ch - The Ultimate Megamix '99 - Metrovinyl		CH	95	96	5	Bisso Na Bisso	Racines - V2		F
28	NE		Fabrizio D'Andre	De Andre In Concerto - Ricordi	I		62	54	4	Alex Britti	It. Pop - Universal		I	96	97	9	BAP	Comics & Pickups - Electrola		D
29	27	35	Xavier Naidoo	Nicht Von Dieser Welt - 3P / Epic	A.D.CH		63	NE		Lene Marlin	Playing My Game - Virgin		N	97	59	8	Gotthard	Open - Ariola		A.CH
30	42	29	Steps	Step One - Jive plat	B.IRL.NL.UK	1	64	67	3	El Chaval De La Peca	El Chaval De La Peca - WEA		E	98	63	29	Bee Gees	One Night Only - Polydor		IRL.NL.UK
31	29	37	Manau	Panique Celtique - Polydor	B.F		65	64	30	Celine Dion	S'Il Suffisait D'Aimer - Epic / Columbia		B.F	99	RE		Oasis	Definitely Maybe - Creation / Sony		UK
32	26	13	Will Smith	Big Willie Style - Columbia	A.B.DK.F.D.NL.CH.UK	1	66	52	14	Alejandro Sanz	Mas - WEA		PE	100	RE		Heinz Rudolf Kunze	Korrekt - WEA		D
33	32	25	Vonda Shepard	Songs From Ally McBeal - Epic	A.DK.FIN.F.IRL.NL.N.S		67	60	18	Savage Garden	Savage Garden - Columbia		FIN.F.GRC.NL.S.UK							

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UNITED KINGDOM

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	NE	Mr. Ozio - Flat Beat (PIAS)	
2	NE	Cartoons - Witchdoctor (EMI)	
3	NE	Billie - Honey To The B (Innocent/Virgin)	
4	3	Britney Spears - ...Baby One More Time (Jive)	
5	NE	New Radicals - You Get What You Give (MCA)	
6	2	Boyzone - When The Going Gets Tough (Polydor)	
7	NE	TLC - No Scrubs (Arista)	
8	5	Vengaboys - We Like To Party (Positiva)	
9	1	B*itched - Blame It On The Weatherman (Epic)	
10	RE	Des'ree - You Gotta Be (Sony S2)	
ALBUMS			
1	1	Blur - 13 (Food)	
2	3	The Corrs - Talk On Corners (East West)	
3	2	Stereophonics - Performance & Cocktails (V2)	
4	4	Robbie Williams - I've Been Expecting You (Chrysalis)	
5	8	The Corrs - Forgiven Not Forgotten (East West)	
6	9	Steps - Step One (Jive)	
7	7	Manic Street Preachers - This Is My Truth Tell Me Yours (Epic)	
8	5	Britney Spears - Baby One More Time (Jive)	
9	6	Lauryn Hill - The Miseducation Of Lauryn Hill (Columbia)	
10	12	Fatboy Slim - You've Come A Long Way Baby (Skint)	

SPAIN

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	1	Madonna - Nothing Really Matters (WEA)	
2	3	Blondie - Maria (Ariola)	
3	2	Whitney Houston - It's Not Right But It's OK (Ariola)	
4	NE	Chayanne - Salome (Columbia)	
5	4	Des'ree - You Gotta Be (Epic)	
6	8	Cher - Strong Enough (WEA)	
7	5	Modern Talking - You Are Not Alone (Ariola)	
8	6	George Michael & Mary J. Blige - As (Epic)	
9	11	Hevia - Busindre Reel Asap (Remixes) (Hispavox)	
10	13	Stars On 54 - If You Could Read My Mind (Blanco/Negro)	
ALBUMS			
1	1	Hevia - Tierra De Nadie (Hispavox)	
2	2	La Oreja De Van Gogh - Dile Al Sol (Epic)	
3	3	El Chaval De La Peca - El Chaval De La Peca (WEA)	
4	10	Victor Manuel - Cada Es Como Es (Ariola)	
5	5	Cher - Believe (WEA)	
6	4	Alejandro Sanz - Mas (WEA)	
7	13	Chayanne - Atado A Tu Amor (Columbia)	
8	8	Jarabe De Palo - Depend (Virgin)	
9	9	Pedro Guerra - Raiz (Ariola)	
10	NE	Blur - 13 (EMI)	

DENMARK

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	1	Britney Spears - ...Baby One More Time (Jive/Virgin)	
2	2	Blå Øjne - Romeo (Edel)	
3	3	The Offspring - Pretty Fly (For A White Guy) (Sony)	
4	4	ATB - 9 P.M. (Till I Come) (Edel)	
5	7	D.J. Sakin & Friends - Protect Your Mind (Flex/EMI-Medley)	
6	6	Toy-Box - Tarzan & Jane (Edel)	
7	5	Chef - Chocolate Salty Balls (Sony)	
8	8	Infernal - Your Crown (Flex/EMI-Medley)	
9	10	Boney M. vs. Sash! - Ma Baker (BMG)	
10	NE	Vengaboys - Boom, Boom, Boom, Boom (Virgin)	
ALBUMS			
1	1	Cher - Believe (Warner)	
2	3	Brydenfelt Og Hannibal - Memory (CMC)	
3	2	Gnags - Greatest (BMG)	
4	6	Vonda Shepard - Songs From Ally McBeal (Sony)	
5	4	Cartoons - Toonage (Flex/EMI-Medley)	
6	13	George Michael - Ladies & Gentlemen, The Best Of George Michael (Sony)	
7	9	The Offspring - Americana (Sony)	
8	7	The Cardigans - Gran Turismo (Universal)	
9	19	Britney Spears - Baby One More Time (Jive/Virgin)	
10	5	Van Morrison - Back On Top (Virgin)	

SWITZERLAND

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	1	Britney Spears - ...Baby One More Time (Jive/Musikvertrieb)	
2	2	2Pac - Changes (Musikvertrieb)	
3	7	Blondie - Maria (BMG)	
4	8	Sara@Tic Tac Two - Nie Wieder (BMG)	
5	4	The Offspring - Pretty Fly (For A White Guy) (Sony)	
6	NE	Die Fantastischen 4 - MfG (Sony)	
7	5	Cher - Strong Enough (Warner)	
8	6	Mariah Carey & Whitney Houston - When You Believe (Sony)	
9	3	Emilia - Big Big World (Universal)	
10	35	Fusion - China In Your Hand (BMG)	
ALBUMS			
1	1	Britney Spears - Baby One More Time (Jive/Musikvertrieb)	
2	NE	DJ. BoBo - www.djbocho.ch - The Ultimate Megamix '99 (EMI)	
3	NE	Andrea Bocelli - Sogno (Universal)	
4	4	Gölä - Ut U Dervo (Phonag)	
5	2	Gotthard - Open (BMG)	
6	3	Züri West - Super 8 (Witra)	
7	6	Falco - The Final Curtain - The Ultimate Best Of (EMI)	
8	9	The Offspring - Americana (Sony)	
9	8	Cher - Believe (Warner)	
10	7	Modern Talking - Alone (The 8th Album) (BMG)	

GERMANY

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	1	Britney Spears - ...Baby One More Time (Jive/Rough Trade)	
2	2	2Pac - Changes (Jive/Rough Trade)	
3	3	The Offspring - Pretty Fly (For A White Guy) (Columbia)	
4	4	Blondie - Maria (RCA)	
5	5	Sara@Tic Tac Two - Nie Wieder (RCA)	
6	6	Vengaboys - Boom, Boom, Boom, Boom (Motor)	
7	7	Cher - Strong Enough (WEA)	
8	8	Modern Talking - You Are Not Alone (Hansa)	
9	9	Emilia - Big Big World (Universal)	
10	10	Wolfgang Petry - Die Längste Single Der Welt 2 (Hansa)	
ALBUMS			
1	1	Modern Talking - Alone (The 8th Album) (Hansa)	
2	2	Cher - Believe (WEA)	
3	3	Falco - The Final Curtain - The Ultimate Best Of (EMI)	
4	4	Modern Talking - Baby One More Time (Jive/Rough Trade)	
5	5	Roxette - Have A Nice Day (EMI)	
6	6	Blur - 13 (EMI)	
7	7	Xaxier Naidoo - Nicht Von Dieser Welt (Epic)	
8	8	The Offspring - Americana (Columbia)	
9	9	2Pac - Greatest Hits (Rough Trade)	
10	10	Lenny Kravitz - 5 (Virgin)	

HOLLAND

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	1	Britney Spears - ...Baby One More Time (Jive/Zomba)	
2	2	DJ Jean - The Launch (Digidance)	
3	3	Toy-Box - Tarzan & Jane (Edel)	
4	5	Vengaboys - We're Going To Ibiza (Zomba)	
5	9	Mathilde Santing - Wonderful Life (Epic)	
6	4	2Pac - Changes (Jive/Zomba)	
7	7	Liquido - Narcotic (Virgin)	
8	8	De Kast - In De Wolken (CNR)	
9	12	George Michael & Mary J. Blige - As (Epic)	
10	6	Tarkan - Simarik (Polydor)	
ALBUMS			
1	9	Andrea Bocelli - Sogno (Polydor)	
2	1	Ilse DeLange - World Of Hurt (Warner)	
3	13	George Michael - Ladies & Gentlemen, The Best Of George Michael (Epic)	
4	6	Mathilde Santing & The Oversoul 13 - To Others... (Epic)	
5	7	Herman Brood - Back On The Corner (BMG)	
6	16	2Pac - Greatest Hits (Jive/Zomba)	
7	15	Britney Spears - Baby One More Time (Jive/Zomba)	
8	NE	Golden Earring - Paradise In Distress (CNR)	
9	4	Bee Gees - One Night Only (Polydor)	
10	3	Alda & De Munnik - Naar Huis (S.m.a.r.t)	

NORWAY

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	1	Britney Spears - ...Baby One More Time (Jive/Virgin)	
2	12	Maddrugada - New Depression E.P. (Virgin)	
3	3	Van Eijk - Living My Life Without You (Sony)	
4	2	Lene Marlin - Sitting Down Here (Virgin)	
5	6	Markoolio - Vi Drar Tjll Fjllnen (Arcade)	
6	4	ATB - 9 P.M. (Till I Come) (Universal)	
7	5	The Offspring - Pretty Fly (For A White Guy) (Sony)	
8	7	Metallica - Whiskey In The Jar (Universal)	
9	8	A+ - Enjoy Yourself (Universal)	
10	13	2Pac - Changes (Virgin)	
ALBUMS			
1	NE	Lene Marlin - Playing My Game (Virgin)	
2	NE	Andrea Bocelli - Sogno (Universal)	
3	1	Blur - 13 (EMI)	
4	3	Vonda Shepard - Songs From Ally McBeal (Sony)	
5	2	Van Morrison - Back On Top (Virgin)	
6	4	Lauryn Hill - The Miseducation Of Lauryn Hill (Sony)	
7	9	Cher - Believe (Warner)	
8	NE	Skunk Anansie - Post Orgasmic Chill (Virgin)	
9	6	Ulf Lundell - Når Jeg Kysser Havet - Best (EMI)	
10	15	Britney Spears - Baby One More Time (Jive/Virgin)	

AUSTRIA

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	1	Britney Spears - ...Baby One More Time (Jive/Rough Trade)	
2	2	A Klana Indiana - A Klana Indiana (EMI)	
3	3	The Offspring - Pretty Fly (For A White Guy) (Sony)	
4	8	Jessica Folcker - How Will I Know (Who You Are) (Rough Trade)	
5	7	Modern Talking - You Are Not Alone (BMG)	
6	4	Cher - Strong Enough (Warner)	
7	16	Blondie - Maria (BMG)	
8	9	Sara@Tic Tac Two - Nie Wieder (BMG)	
9	11	2Pac - Changes (Jive/Rough Trade)	
10	6	2-4 Family - Lean On Me (Sony)	
ALBUMS			
1	1	The Offspring - Americana (Sony)	
2	4	Britney Spears - Baby One More Time (Jive/Rough Trade)	
3	2	Falco - The Final Curtain - The Ultimate Best Of (EMI)	
4	3	Modern Talking - Alone (The 8th Album) (BMG)	
5	16	Sasha - Dedicated To... (Warner)	
6	7	Xaxier Naidoo - Nicht Von Dieser Welt (Sony)	
7	NE	Andrea Bocelli - Sogno (Universal)	
8	5	Cher - Believe (Warner)	
9	NE	Skunk Anansie - Post Orgasmic Chill (Virgin)	
10	NE	Elton John - Elton John & Tim Rice's Aida (Universal)	

FRANCE

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	1	Larusso - Tu M'Oublieras (EMI)	
2	2	Emilia - Big Big World (Universal)	
3	3	Cher - Believe (WEA)	
4	4	Mylène Farmer - L'Ame-Stram-Gram (Polydor)	
5	5	Liane Foly - La Vie Ne M'Apprend Rien (Virgin)	
6	6	Warmude Project - King Of My Castle (Private)	
7	7	Armand Van Helden - You Don't Know Me (Barclay)	
8	8	Cheb Mami & K-Mel - Parisien Du Nord (Virgin)	
9	9	Laam - Chanter Pour Ceux Qui Sont Loin De Chez Eux (EMI)	
10	10	Whitney Houston - Heartbreak Hotel (Ariola)	
ALBUMS			
1	1	Lara Fabian - Live (Polydor)	
2	2	Original Cast - Notre Dame De Paris (Pomme)	
3	3	Manau - Panique Celtique (Polydor)	
4	4	Manu Chao - Clandestino (Virgin)	
5	5	The Corrs - Talk On Corners (East West)	
6	6	Liane Foly - Acoustique (Virgin)	
7	7	Helene Segara - Coeur De Verre (East West)	
8	8	Cher - Believe (WEA)	
9	9	Celine Dion - S'Il Suffisait D'aimer (Columbia)	
10	10	Original Cast - Notre Dame De Paris (Integral)(Pomme)	

BELGIUM

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	1	Britney Spears - ...Baby One More Time (Jive/Zomba)	
2	2	The Offspring - Pretty Fly (For A White Guy) (Sony)	
3	3	Warmude Project - King Of My Castle (Arcade)	
4	4	Cher - Strong Enough (Warner)	
5	5	Poco Loco Gang - Poco Loco (Arcade)	
6	6	Vanessa Chinitor - Like The Wind (CNR)	
7	7	2Pac - Changes (Jive/Zomba)	
8	8	Larusso - Tu M'Oublieras (EMI)	
9	9	A+ - Enjoy Yourself (Universal)	
10	10	Volumia! - Afscheid (BMG)	
ALBUMS			
1	1	Clouseau - In Stereo (EMI)	
2	2	Deus - The Ideal Crash (Universal)	
3	3	Lara Fabian - Live (Universal)	
4	4	Cher - Believe (Warner)	
5	5	Original Cast - Notre Dame De Paris (Universal)	
6	6	2Pac - Greatest Hits (Jive/Zomba)	
7	7	The Corrs - Talk On Corners (Warner)	
8	8	Roxette - Have A Nice Day (EMI)	
9	9	Britney Spears - Baby One More Time (Jive/Zomba)	
10	10	Underworld - Beaucoup Figh (V2)	

FINLAND

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	1	Aikakone - Anna Mun Bailaa (BMG)	
2	4	Nightwish - Walking In The Air (Spinefarm)	
3	3	Don Huonot - Tule Sellaisena Kuin Olet (BMG)	
4	2	Children Of Bodum - Downfall (Spinefarm)	
5	6	CMX - Surunmurhaaja (EMI)	
6	NE	Ne Luumäet - Autopartio 525 (Poko)	
7	5	Nightwish - Sacrament Of Wilderness (Spinefarm)	
8	7	Amorphis - Divinity (Spinefarm)	
9	9	Nightwish - The Carpenter (Spinefarm)	
10	10	69 Eyes - Wasting The Dawn (Poko)	
ALBUMS			
1	1	Ultra Bra - Kalifornia (Megamania)	
2	2	Kirka, Hector, Pave & Pepe - Mestarit Arenalla (EMI/BMG)	
3	3	Janne Tulkki - Janne Tulkki (BMG)	
4	4	The Offspring - Americana (Sony)	
5	15	Maggie Reilly - The Best Of Maggie Reilly (EMI)	
6	5	J. Karjalainen Electric Sauna - Electric Picnic (Poko)	
7	NE	Andrea Bocelli - Sogno (Universal)	
8	7	Nylon Beat - Valehtelijä (MTV-Musiikki)	
9	9	Modern Talking - Alone (The 8th Album) (BMG)	
10	12	The Cardigans - Gran Turismo (Universal)	

PORTUGAL

TW	LW	ALBUMS	
1	3	Andrea Bocelli - Sogno (Universal)	
2	1	Abba - Love Stories (Universal)	
3	4	Cher - Believe (Warner)	
4	2	Alejandro Sanz - Mas (Warner)	
5	6	The Offspring - Americana (Sony)	
6	5	Ala Dos Namorados - Solta-Se O Beijo - Ao Vivo (EMI)	
7	NE	Skunk Anansie - Post Orgasmic Chill (Virgin)	
8	12	Blondie - No Exit (BMG)	
9	13	Silence 4 - Silence Becomes It (Universal)	
10	7	Queen - Greatest Hits I & II (EMI)	
11	9	Lenny Kravitz - 5 (Virgin)	
12	8	Emilia - Big Big World (Universal)	
13	18	Lauryn Hill - The Miseducation Of Lauryn Hill (Sony)	
14	10	Lloyd Cole - The Collection (Universal)	
15	15	Joe Cocker - Greatest Hits (EMI)	
16	19	Bryan Adams - On A Day Like Today (Universal)	
17	14	Banda Cheiro De Amor - Ao Vivo (Universal)	
18	17	U2 - The Best Of 1980 - 1990/B Sides (Universal)	
19	20	Daniela Mercury - Eletrica (Sony)	
20	16	Fafa De Belem - Coraáao Brasileiro (Warner)	

ITALY

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	3	The Offspring - Pretty Fly (For A White Guy) (Columbia)	
2	2	Britney Spears - ...Baby One More Time (Virgin)	
3	10	Mr. Ozio - Flat Beat (Level One/Universal)	
4	1	Alex Britti - Oggi Sono Io (Universal)	
5	4	Anggun - La Neige Au Sahara (Epic)	
6	5	Vengaboys - Boom, Boom, Boom, Boom (Time/Dance Pool)	
7	6	Ann Lee - 2 Times (Energy)	
8	7	Gigi D'Agostino - Bla Bla Bla (Media)	
9	18	The Cardigans - Erase/Rewind (Polydor)	
10	8	George Michael & Mary J. Blige - As (Epic)	
ALBUMS			
1	NE	Fabrizio D'Andre - De Andre In Concerto (BMG Ricordi)	
2	1	Pino Daniele - Come Un Gelato All'Equatore (CGD)	
3	NE	Andrea Bocelli - Sogno (Sugar)	
4	3	Litfiba - Infinito (EMI)	
5	NE	Skunk Anansie - Post Orgasmic Chill (Virgin)	
6	5	Alex Britti - It. Pop (Universal)	
7	4	Biagio Antonacci - Mi Fai Stare Bene (Mercury)	
8	2	Lucio Battisti - I Miti Musica: Lucio Battisti (BMG Ricordi)	
9	15	Blur - 13 (EMI)	
10	8	Fiorella Mannoia - Certe Piccole Voci (Columbia)	

SWEDEN

TW	LW	SINGLES	
1	1	Britney Spears - ...Baby One More Time (Jive/Virgin)	
2	2	Markoolio - Vi Drar Tjll Fjällen (Arcade)	
3	3	Martin - (Du Är Så) Yeah Yeah Wow Wow (Universal)	
4	4	Steps - Heartbeat/Tragedy (Virgin)	
5	5	The Offspring - Pretty Fly (For A White Guy) (Sony)	
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U.K. release date: April 6

Are you ready for the latest pop craze? Technobilly—the combination of '50s rock'n'roll elements and a straight, electronic dance beat—is the sound of Denmark's Cartoons.

Toonage is already past platinum in Italy with 110,000 albums sold, and the U.K. has gone overboard for *Witch Doctor*, the band's first single release in England, which entered the U.K. charts at number 2 last week and already qualifies for a silver sales award for some 200,000 copies shifted in its first week. Belgium and Holland look like the next two markets which will catch the Cartoons-fever. Admittedly, it may not be the freshest sound on the block since Swedish dance act Rednex (*Cotton Eye Joe*) and U.K. duo The Grid (*Swamp Thing*) both shot to international fame back in 1994 with the same idea. But they do add a new dimension with their over-the-top cartoon styling and singalong doo wop harmonies. This is strictly for 5-12-year-old Nickelodeon kids. *Toonage* features the single hits *Witch Doctor* and *DooDah*, as well as *Let's Go Childish* with its Eddie Cochran guitar intro, and the stand-out number *Listen To My Heart*, possibly the band's chance to cross over into a more adult market. CL

ROBERT CRAY BAND TAKE YOUR SHOES OFF

Rykodisc

U.K. release date: April 26

Marking 25 years as a bandleader—and his first outing on new label Rykodisc after a 13-year stint with Mercury—*Take Your Shoes Off* represents another watershed in Cray's prolific career. It is the most convincing proof yet that his rich, soul-drenched voice and chiming, stabbing, blues-based virtuoso guitar work defies genre-typing. Quality will tell, and radio-friendly tunes, a strong U.S. and European fanbase and long shelf-life have brought him double-platinum and multiple gold album sales in the past dozen years, plus an impressive seven consecutive Grammy-nominated releases. To record *Take Your Shoes Off* the band went to Nashville and were produced by Steve Jordan. The result is a soul-heavy mixture which showcases the maturity of Cray's vocals, and the band's ability to mix funk, Stax and Motown style grooves with instinctively felt Blues. "We had fun doing this, and it was great to have Steve [Jordan] in the studio getting us to groove, doing for the band what we had become used to doing for ourselves," says Cray. Standout tracks *24-7 Man*—designated as the choice for first single—and the Cray-penned, wryly humorous *What About Me* have a future on mainstream AC radio, and spearhead the Cray Band's best chance for a double platinum album since 1986's *Strong Persuader*. TH



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Erase/Rewind	53	Strong Enough	7
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Get Freaky	65	The Launch	59
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Lullaby	63	You Don't Know Me	15
Ma Baker	39	You Get What You Give	16
Mais Qui Est La Belette	50	You Gotta Be	32
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Billboard

TOP 20 US SINGLES TOP 20 US ALBUMS

APRIL 3, 1999 Note: April 10 charts not available at press time

THIS WEEK	LAST WEEK	TITLE LABEL/DISTRIBUTING LABEL	ARTIST
1	1	BELIEVE WARNER BROS.	CHER
2	2	HEARTBREAK HOTEL ARISTA	WHITNEY HOUSTON FEAT. FAITH EVANS & KELLY PRICE
3	7	EVERY MORNING LAVA/ATLANTIC	SUGAR RAY
4	8	WHAT'S IT GONNA BE?! FLIP/MODE/ELEKTRA/EEG	BUSTA RHYMES FEATURING JANET
5	4	I STILL BELIEVE COLUMBIA	MARIAH CAREY
6	5	KISS ME SQUINT/COLUMBIA	SIXPENCE NONE THE RICHER
7	3	ANGEL OF MINE ARISTA	MONICA
8	6	NO SCRUBS LAFACE/ARISTA	TLC
9	11	ALL NIGHT LONG BAD BOY/ARISTA	FAITH EVANS FEATURING PUFF DADDY
10	9	ALL I HAVE TO GIVE JIVE	BACKSTREET BOYS
11	14	STAY THE SAME C2	JOEY MCINTYRE
12	10	ANGEL ARISTA/WARNER SUNSET/REPRISE	SARAH MCLACHLAN
13	12	SLIDE WARNER BROS.	GOO GOO DOLLS
14	13	...BABY ONE MORE TIME JIVE	BRITNEY SPEARS
15	16	IF YOU (LOVIN' ME) ELEKTRA/EEG	SILK
16	—	WHEN I CLOSE MY EYES LAFACE/ARISTA	SHANICE
17	—	C'EST LA VIE EPIC	B*WITCHED
18	15	HARD KNOCK LIFE (GHETTO ANTHEM) ROC-A-FELLA/DEF JAM/MERCURY	JAY-Z
19	—	THE ANIMAL SONG HOLLYWOOD/COLUMBIA	SAVAGE GARDEN
20	—	SWEET LADY RCA	TYRESE

THIS WEEK	LAST WEEK	TITLE LABEL/DISTRIBUTING LABEL	ARTIST
1	1	FANMAIL LAFACE/ARISTA	TLC
2	4	THE SLIM SHADY LP WEB/AFTERMATH/INTERSCOPE	EMINEM
3	3	...BABY ONE MORE TIME JIVE	BRITNEY SPEARS
4	5	THE MISEDUCATION OF LAURYN HILL RUFFHOUSE/COLUMBIA	LAURYN HILL
5	NEW	100% GINUWINE 550 MUSIC/EPIC	GINUWINE
6	6	COME ON OVER MERCURY (NASHVILLE)	SHANIA TWAIN
7	9	AMERICANA COLUMBIA	THE OFFSPRING
8	7	BELIEVE WARNER BROS.	CHER
9	8	WIDE OPEN SPACES MONUMENT/SONY (NASHVILLE)	DIXIE CHICKS
10	NEW	LIFE ROCK LAND/INTERSCOPE	SOUNDTRACK
11	10	WHITEY FORD SINGS THE BLUES TOMMY BOY	EVERLAST
12	2	BOSSALINIE NO LIMIT/PRIORITY	C-MURDER
13	15	VOL. 2... HARD KNOCK LIFE ROC-A-FELLA/DEF JAM/MERCURY	JAY-Z
14	12	FLESH OF MY FLESH BLOOD OF MY BLOOD RUFF RYDERS/DEF JAM/MERCURY	DMX
15	14	'N SYNC RCA	'N SYNC
16	16	400 DEGREEZ CASH MONEY/UNIVERSAL	JUVENILE
17	17	GREATEST HITS AMARU/DEATH ROW/INTERSCOPE	2PAC
18	—	FOLLOW THE LEADER IMMORTAL/EPIC	KORN
19	—	BIG WILLIE STYLE COLUMBIA	WILL SMITH
20	20	14:59 LAVA/ATLANTIC/AG	SUGAR RAY

Records with greatest sales and/or airplay gains. © 1999, Billboard/BPI Communications.

Top 100 albums

2Pac	20	Lenny Kravitz	22
Abba	49	Kula Shaker	43
Biagio Antonacci	59	Heinz Rudolf Kunze	100
Artistes Divers	81	Liquido	70
B*Witched	90	Litfiba	46
BAP	96	Madonna	11
Lucio Battisti	78	Manau	31
Bee Gees	98	Manic Street Preachers	19
Bisso Na Bisso	95	Fiorella Mannoia	85
Blackstreet	84	Victor Manuel	96
Blondie	27	Markoolio	74
Blur	1	Lene Marlin	63
Andrea Bocelli	6	Metallica	50
Boyzone	71	George Michael	10
Alex Britti	62	Modern Talking	9
Brydenfelt Og Hannibal	80	Alanis Morissette	44
The Cardigans	16	Van Morrison	17
Mariah Carey	39	Xavier Naidoo	29
Cartoons	42	Oasis	99
Manu Chao	41	The Offspring	4
Tracy Chapman	58	La Oreja De Van Gogh	60
El Chaval De La Peca	64	Original Cast - Notre Dame De Paris	25
Cher	2	Original Cast - Notre Dame De Paris	72
The Chieftains	55	Laura Pausini	91
Clouseau	75	Primal Scream	82
The Corrs	26	R.E.M.	83
The Corrs	5	Roxette	7
D.J. BoBo	61	Alejandro Sanz	66
Fabrizio D'Andre	28	Sasha	48
Eva Dahlgren	36	Savage Garden	67
Pino Daniele	35	Scharzenjäger	56
Ilse DeLange	74	Hélène Segara	57
Des'ree	69	Vonda Shepard	33
Deus	47	Silverchair	40
Celine Dion	65	Skunk Anansie	13
Emilia	52	Fatboy Slim	24
Everlast	86	Will Smith	32
Lara Fabian	21	Britney Spears	3
Falco	12	Dusty Springfield	87
Liane Foly	51	Steps	30
Garbage	93	Stereophonics	14
Gnags	92	TLC	34
Göla	77	Toto	37
Gotthard	97	U2	54
Guano Apes	73	Underworld	38
Hevia	53	Vengaboys	23
Lauryn Hill	8	Westernhagen	68
Whitney Houston	18	Robbie Williams	15
Elton John	45	Robbie Williams	88
Udo Jürgens	89	Zucchero	79

Power layers

Each week, M&M brings you the latest airplay additions from market leaders and taste-makers at radio across Europe—the Power Players (figures in brackets are the predicted number of plays for the current week)

Spain: Cadena 40 Principales

FORMAT: CHR
SERVICE AREA: National
PLAYLIST MEETING: Friday AM
GROUP/OWNER: Cadena 40 Principales

Jaime Baro
Music manager

Playlist Additions

Sunflowers/Happy Birthday (n/a)
The Faculty/Another Brick In The Wall (n/a)
Sargento Garcia/Amor Pa' Mi (n/a)
Jonestown/Tonite (n/a)
Five/Until The Time Is Through (n/a)
Texas/In Our Lifetime (n/a)
Los Piratas/My Way (n/a)
La Fabrica De La Luz/Sonic Love (n/a)
Coque Malla/Tu Y Yo (n/a)



U.K.: Kiss 100 FM

FORMAT: Dance
SERVICE AREA: London
PLAYLIST MEETING: Thursday PM
GROUP/OWNER: Emap Radio

Simon Sadler
Head of music

Playlist Additions

Busta Rhymes & Janet Jackson/What's It Gonna Be? (n/a)
Dee-Tah/El Paraiso Rico (n/a)
Fatboy Slim/Right Here Right Now (n/a)
Azaman/Celebration (n/a)
Billie/Honey To The Bee (n/a)
Groove Armada/If Everybody Looked The Same (n/a)
Texas/Once In A Lifetime (n/a)
Armand Van Helden/Flowerz (n/a)



Norway: NRK P3

FORMAT: CHR
SERVICE AREA: National
PLAYLIST MEETING: Tuesday AM
GROUP/OWNER: Public Broadcaster



Marius Lillelien
Head of music

Playlist Additions

Sugar Ray/Every Morning (15)
Cranberries/Promises (15)
DJ Tiesto/Theme From Norefell (15)
Madrugada/Higher (8-10)
Finn Coren/The Smile (8-10)



U.K.: Galaxy 105

FORMAT: Dance
SERVICE AREA: Yorkshire
PLAYLIST MEETING: Wednesday AM
GROUP/OWNER: Chrysalis Radio



Ande MacPherson
Programme director

Playlist Additions

Honeyz/Love Of A Lifetime (n/a)
BMR/Check It Out (n/a)



Denmark: Radio P3

FORMAT: CHR
SERVICE AREA: National
PLAYLIST MEETING: Wednesday AM
GROUP/OWNER: Public Broadcaster



Morten Rindholt
Music controller

Playlist Additions

Ken/Mamma (23)
Sunny Face/The Sunny Cha Cha Cha (2-3)
Nikolaj & Piloterne/Jeg Har Det Fint (2-3)
Velocette/Bitter Scene (2-3)
Jessica Folcker/Under (2-3)
Gene/In Love With Love (2-3)
Line/Longing For Leaving (2-3)
Skunk Anansie/Secretly (2-3)
Robyn/Electric (2-3)



UK: BBC Radio 1

FORMAT: CHR
SERVICE AREA: National
PLAYLIST MEETING: Thursday 11:30
GROUP/OWNER: Public Broadcaster



Jeff Smith
Head of music

Playlist Additions

Bryan Adams/Cloud Number Nine (15-18)
Faith Evans & Puff Daddy/All Night Long (15-18)
Stereophonics/Pick A Part That's New (15-18)
Kula Shaker/Shower Your Love (15-18)
TQ/Bye Bye Baby (15-18)
Mr. Oizo/Flat Beat (15-18)
BMR/Check It Out (15-18)
Cast/Beat Mama (15-18)

97-99 FM B.B.C. RADIO 1

Germany: Eins Live

FORMAT: CHR
SERVICE AREA: Regional (North Rhine/Westphalia)
PLAYLIST MEETING: Friday AM
GROUP/OWNER: Public Broadcaster



Jochen Rausch
Music director

Playlist Additions

ATB/Don't Stop (14)
Jay-Z/Can I Get A... (7)
Suede/Electricity (7)
Mr. Oizo/Flat Beat (7)
Blue Nature/A Life So Changed (7)
Eminem/My Name Is (7)
Echt/Fort Von Mir (7)



Turkey: Number One FM

FORMAT: CHR
SERVICE AREA: National
PLAYLIST MEETING: Friday 14:00
GROUP/OWNER: The Media Group, Karacan & RAKS



Emre Yönter
Music & Programming director

Playlist Additions

Bryan Adams/Cloud Number Nine (25-30)
Mansun/Six (20-25)
Lenny Kravitz/Thinking Of You (20-25)



Belgium: Radio Contact F

FORMAT: CHR
SERVICE AREA: French Speaking Belgium
PLAYLIST MEETING: varies
GROUP/OWNER: CLT-UFA



Jean-Lou Berfin
Programme & music director

Playlist Additions

Mariah Carey/I Still Believe (21)
Boyzone/I Love The Way You Love Me (6-7)
Cardigans/Erase/Rewind (6-7)
Ace Of Base/Always Have, Always Will (6-7)
Helene Segara/Les Vallees D'Irlande (6-7)
Another Level feat. Ghostface Killah/I Want You For Myself (6-7)
Robert Palmer/True Love (3-4)
Zazie/Chanson D'Ami (3-4)
'N Sync/I Want You Back (3-4)
Monifah/Touch It (3-4)
98 Degrees/Because Of You (3-4)



Italy: RTL 102.5

FORMAT: CHR
SERVICE AREA: National
PLAYLIST MEETING: varies
GROUP/OWNER: RTL



Luca Viscardi
Group programme director

Playlist Additions

Lene Marlin/Unforgivable Sinner (18)
Zucchero/You Make Me Feel Loved (18)
Mina/Grande Amore (18)
Negrita/In Ogni Atomo (11)



France: Skyrock

FORMAT: CHR/Urban
SERVICE AREA: National
PLAYLIST MEETING: no meeting
GROUP/OWNER: Orbus



Laurent Bouneau
GM/Programme director

Playlist Additions

Jean Paul Jacques/Jean Paul Jacques (n/a)
L'Univers Des Lascars (Artistes Divers)/6 Minutes (n/a)



U.K.: Capital Radio

FORMAT: CHR
SERVICE AREA: London
PLAYLIST MEETING: varies
GROUP/OWNER: Capital Radio PLC



Richard Park
Group programme director

Playlist Additions

Basement Jaxx/Red Alert (30-40)
Faith Evans & Puff Daddy/All Night Long (30-40)
Sugar Ray/Every Morning (30-40)
Shanks & Bigfoot/Sweet Like Chocolate (30-40)
BMR/Check It Out (30-40)
UB40/The Train Is Coming (30-40)
Powerhouse/What You need (30-40)



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Most added Music & Media

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- B'witched** Blame It On The Weatherman (Glow Worm/Epic) 18
- TLC** No Scrubs (LaFace/Arista) 16
- Sugar Ray** Every Morning (Atlantic) 14
- Texas** In Our Lifetime (Mercury) 14
- Bon Jovi** Real Life (Reprise) 12
- Honeyz** Love Of A Lifetime (Mercury) 12
- Emilia** Good Sign (Rodeo/Universal) 10
- Mr. Oizo** Flat Beat (F Communications) 9
- Blondie** Maria (Beyond/RCA) 8
- Beverley Knight** Made It Back (Parlophone Rhythm) 8



Most Added are those songs which received the highest number of playlist additions during the week. In the case of a tie, songs are listed alphabetically by artist.

Station Reports include all new additions to the playlist. Some reports will also include "Power Play" songs, which receive special emphasis during the week. All Power Play songs are printed, whether they are reported for the first time or not. Some lists include featured new albums, as indicated by the abbreviation "AL." Within each country, stations are grouped by ranking and listed alphabetically. Rankings include: platinum (P), Gold (G), Silver (S) and Bronze (B). All playlists must be received by Monday at 13.00 h. CET.

GERMANY

- DELTA RADIO/Kiel G** CHR
Adam Hahne - Prog Dir
A List Addition:
Blondie - Maria
Stereophonics - Pick A Part That's New
Echt - Fort Von Mir
Mellow Siirens - Breeze
- HIT RADIO N1/Nuremberg G** CHR
Stefan Meixner - Prog Dir
Power Rotation Add:
Ro-Cee - That's The Way We Do It
A List Addition:
Bon Jovi - Real Life
Kani & Purple Schulz - Ich Will Raus
Jennifer Brown - Tuesday Afternoon
- HUNDERT 6/Berlin G** CHR
Rainer Gruhn - Music Dir
A List Addition:
Sarah Brightman - So Many Things
Meat Loaf - Is Nothing Scared
Looona - Donde Vas
Faith Hill - This Kiss
Robbie Williams - Millennium
Stars On 45 - If You Could Read My Mind
Jennifer Brown - Tuesday Afternoon
Madonna - The Power Of Goodbye
Ace Of Base - Always Have, Always Will
Sting - Another Pyramid
Maxim Rad - Sunny
Udo Jürgens - Alles Was Gut Tut
- N-JOY RADIO/Hamburg G** CHR
Thorsten Engel - Programme Director
A List Addition:
Fantastischen Vier - MFG
Xavier Naidoo - Sie Sieht Mich Nicht
- ORB/FRITZ/Potsdam G** CHR
Bernd Albrecht, Frank Menzel,
A List Addition:
Gus Gus - Ladyshave
Metallica - Whiskey In The Jar
- ORB/FRITZ, FRITZ ROADSHOW/Potsdam G** CHR
Bern Albrecht, Frank Menzel,
A List Addition:
Creed - What's This Life For
Marilyn Manson - I Don't Like The Drugs
Liquidio - Doubledecker
Members Of Mayday - Sountropolis
Robbie Williams - Strong
Blöchin 81 - Groovy Time
Subway To Sally - Henkersbraut

- RADIO ARABELLA/Munich G** CHR
Matthias Friedrich - Prog Dir
A List Addition:
Schürzenjäger - Es Hirt Nicht Auf
Wind - Lost In Love
- RADIO FFN/Hannover G** CHR
Rainer M. Cubanis - Prog Dir
A List Addition:
Collective Soul - Run
Julio Iglesias Jr. - One More Chance
98 Degrees - Because Of You
- RADIO GONG/Nuremberg G** CHR
Peter "Marc" Stingl - Prog Dir
Power Rotation:
Britney Spears - Baby One More Time
Bryan Adams - When You're Gone
Cher - Strong Enough
A List Addition:
Cardigans - Erase/Rewind
Everlast - What It's Like
Sasha - We Can Leave The World
- RADIO RPR 2/Ludwigshafen G** CHR
A List Addition:
Petra Frey - Heut Nacht...
Guido Hoffmann - Eine Kleins...
Wind - Lost In Love
Horny Unlimited - Engel Schweigen
- RADIO SALÜ/Saarbruecken G** CHR
Jan-Michael Meinecke - GM/Prog Dir
A List Addition:
Boyzone - I Love The Way You Love Me
George Michael & Mary J. Blige - As
E. John & L. Rimes - Written In The Stars
TLC - No Scrubs
Sara@Tic Tac Two - Nie Wieder
Celine Dion - Treat Her Like A Lady
Bon Jovi - Real Life
- RADIO SAW/Magdeburg G** CHR
Mario Liese - Programme Director
A List Addition:
Whitney Houston - It's Not Right But It's OK
Faray - Back To Back
Fantastischen Vier - MFG
Lynden David Hall - Sexy Cinderella
- ANTENNE BAYERN/Munich P** CHR
Stephan Offerowski - Programme Director
A List Addition:
Lenny Kravitz - Fly Away
Dee'ree - You Gotta Be
- HR:3/Frankfurt P** CHR

- Hans-Jörg Bombach - Programme Director**
A List Addition:
Toybox - Tarzan & Jane
Robbie Williams - Strong
Sugar Ray - Every Morning
Modern Talking - You Are Not Alone
B'witched - Blame It On The Weatherman
ATB - Don't Stop
Bon Jovi - Real Life
Madonna - Nothing Really Matters
Bruce Hornsby - The Way It Is
- NDR 2/Hamburg P** CHR
Jörg Bollmann - Programme Director
A List Addition:
Nek - Se Una Regala CE
Blondie - Maria
Fusion - China In Your Hand
Sara@Tic Tac Two - Nie Wieder
Lynden David Hall - Sexy Cinderella
Celine Dion - Treat Her Like A Lady
- RADIO NRW/Oberhausen P** CHR
Carsten Hoyer - Head Of Music
A List Addition:
Fusion - China In Your Hand
- RADIO RPR 1/Ludwigshafen P** CHR
Uwe Frigge - Programme Director
A List Addition:
BAP - Ahnunnfarsich
Bon Jovi - Real Life
Down Low - H.L.V.
4 The Cause - Everytime You Go Away
Liquidio - Doubledecker
- SWR 3/Baden-Baden/Stuttgart P** CHR
Gerold Hug - Programme Director
A List Addition:
Pauline Taylor - The Letter
Blur - Tender
Fantastischen Vier - MFG
Xavier Naidoo - Sie Sieht Mich Nicht
Cape feat. M. Leonard - Feel So Perfect
Celine Dion - Treat Her Like A Lady
Boyzone - You Needed Me
Banana Fish Bones - Easy Day
- JAM FM/Berlin S** CHR
Frank Nordmann - Programme Director
A List Addition:
Faith Evans & Puff Daddy - All Night Long
Mariah Carey - I Still Believe
Tevin Campbell - Another Way
Tayana All feat. Will Smith - Boy You Knew Me Out
Zindy - Round 'N Round
G's Incorporated - Who's Knocking
Case - Happily Ever After

- RADIO F/Nuremberg S** CHR
Ziggie Hoga - Prog Dir
A List Addition:
Truck Stop - Echte Kerle
Rosanna Rocci - Ritornale
Nicole - Starke Frauen Weinen
Celine Dion feat. The Bee Gees - Immortality
Hoi - In Guat'N Und In
- UNITED KINGDOM**
107.7 CHELMER FM/Chelmsford B
CHR
David Baker - Head Of Music
A List Addition:
Texas - In Our Lifetime
Matthew Marsden - Walk My Way
Jennifer Brown - Tuesday Afternoon
Elvis Costello & Burt
Bacharach - Toledo
- MORAY FIRTH RADIO/Inverness B** CHR
Thomas Prag - Prog Cont/MD
A List Addition:
Elliott Smith - Baby Britain
Sound 5 - Ala Kaboo
Abi - Thanking You For Your Ways
Technique - Sun Is Shining
Dee-Tah - El Paradiso Rico
System F - Out Of The Blue
Westside - Swear It Again
Mike Oldfield - Secrets
- ORCHARD FM/Taunton B** CHR
Bob McCreadie - Programme Controller
A List Addition:
Texas - In Our Lifetime
Ace Of Base - Everytime It Rains
Martina Mccutcheon - Perfect Moment
Andy Williams - Music To Watch Girls
Des'ree - You Gotta Be
The Corrs - Runaway
Tina Cousins - Killin' Time
Natalie Imbruglia - Torn
All Saints - Never Ever
Celine Dion - My Heart Will Go On
Beverley Knight - Made It Back
Touch & Go - Would You...
- THE WAVE/Blackpool/Blackpool B** CHR
Simon Tate - Programme Controller
A List Addition:
Emilia - Good Sign
Catalena - Dead From The Waist Down
Texas - In Our Lifetime
Westside - Swear It Again
Spice Girls - My Strongest Suit
Andy Williams - Music To Watch Girls
Various - Thank ABBA For The Music
Meat Loaf - Is Nothing Scared

- Beverley Knight - Made It Back**
XFM 104.9/London B
CHR
Amanda Law - Music Editor
A List Addition:
Manic Street Preachers - Tsunami
Collective Soul - Heavy
Liz Horsman - Heavy High
Sprung Monkey - Get 'Em Outta Here
- CITY FM/Liverpool G** CHR
Paul Jordan - Programme Director
A List Addition:
Spacedust - Let's Get Down
Reef - I've Got Something To Say
Eminem - My Name Is...
Cranberries - Promises
Bus Stop - Jump
System F - Out Of The Blue
Fool Boona - Popped
Alisha's Attic - Barbarella
- COOL FM/Belfast G** CHR
John Paul Ballantine - Head Of Music
A List Addition:
Goo Goo Dolls - Slide
Bryan Adams - Cloud Number Nine
Ace Of Base - Everytime It Rains
Honeyz - Love Of A Lifetime
Cast - Beat Mama
Tina Arena - Burn
- FORTH FM/Edinburgh G** CHR
Tom Wilson - Music Co-ordinator
A List Addition:
George Michael & Mary J. Blige - As
Ace Of Base - Everytime It Rains
Fish - Incomplete
Cast - Beat Mama
Tina Cousins - Killin' Time
Beverley Knight - Made It Back
Sound 5 - Alakaboo
- HALLAM FM/Sheffield G** CHR
Tony McKenzie - Programme Controller
A List Addition:
Fun Lovin' Criminals - Korean Bodega
Fatboy Slim - Right Here Right Now
Honeyz - Love Of A Lifetime
Gene - Fill Her Up
Cast - Beat Mama
Kula Shaker - Shower Your Love
Blackstreet with Janet - Girlfriend/Boyfriend
- INVICTA FM/Whitstable G** CHR
Tim Stewart - Head Of Music
A List Addition:
Texas - In Our Lifetime
Fierce - Dayz Like That
UB40 - The Train Is Coming
- ROCK FM/Preston/Blackpool G** CHR
Andy Roberts - Acting Programme Director
A List Addition:
TLC - No Scrubs
Eminem - My Name Is...
Mr. Oizo - Flat Beat
Honeyz - Love Of A Lifetime
Texas - In Our Lifetime
- 96.4FM-BRMB/Birmingham P** CHR
Paul Jackson - Programme Controller
A List Addition:
Black Velvet Band - Lullaby
Sugar Ray - Every Morning
Armand Van Helden - Flowerz
Westside - Swear It Again
Beverley Knight - Made It Back
Bananaed Ladies - One Week
Hepburn - I Quit
- ATLANTIC 282/Dublin P** CHR
David Dunne - Programme Director
A List Addition:
Dee-Tah - El Paradiso Rico
Texas - In Our Lifetime
Electronic - Vivid
Underworld - Push Upstairs
- METRO FM/Newcastle P** CHR
Sean Marley - Programme Controller
A List Addition:
New Radicals - You Get What You Give
Fatboy Slim - Right Here Right Now
Technique - Sun Is Shining
Fool Boona - Popped
Electronic - Vivid
Honeyz - Love Of A Lifetime
D.J. Sakin & Friends - Protect Your Mind
- VIRGIN RADIO/London P** CHR
Bobby Bain - Programme Director
A List Addition:
Sugar Ray - Every Morning
Mishka - Give You All The Love
Kula Shaker - Shower Your Love
David Castedo - Solo Un Camina
- CENTURY FM/Gateshead S** CHR

- John Myers - Managing Director**
A List Addition:
Shawn Mullins - Lullaby
Texas - In Our Lifetime
Layla Kalif - Shakespeare In Love
Honeyz - Love Of A Lifetime
Corrs - Runaway
- ESSEX FM/Southend-On-Sea S** CHR
Paul Chantler - Prog Dir
A List Addition:
Sash! feat. Dr.Alban - Colour The World
Sound 5 - Ala Kaboo
Dee Patten - Who's The Badman
Meja - Intimacy
Various - Thank ABBA For The Music
Ace Of Base - Always Have, Always Will
Kele Le Roc - My Love
- KIX 96/Coventry S** CHR
Chris Brooks - Head Of Music
A List Addition:
Bryan Adams - Cloud Number Nine
Brooke Russell feat. Mr. Gentleman - So Sweet
Mariah Carey - I Still Believe
Blood - Just Say It
Another Level - Holding Back The Years
Westlife - Swear It Again
Fierce - Dayz Like That
Horny Unlimited - Somebody Dream
- Q 102.9 FM/Londonderry S** CHR
Steve Kirk - Head Of Music
A List Addition:
Emilia - Good Sign
Faith Evans & Puff Daddy - All Night Long
TLC - No Scrubs
Incognito - Nights Over Egypt
Billie - Honey To The Bee
Vasco Rossi - E Il Mattino
- ITALIA NETWORK: LOS CUARENTA/Bologna P** CHR
Michele Menegon - Prog Dir
A List Addition:
Bob Sinclair - My Only Love
Mauro Picotto - Pulsar
Avant Gardé - Get Down
Albavista - Your Love Makes Me Up
- RADIO 105/Milan P** CHR
Angelo De Robertis - Head Of Music
A List Addition:
Sugar Ray - Every Morning
DC Talk - Consume Me
Noemie Deo - Out Of My Soul
- RADIO DEEJAY NETWORK/Milan P** CHR
Dario Uselli - Head Of Music
Power Rotation Add:
Funky Green Dogs - Body
A List Addition:
Johnson - Say You Love Me
Incognito - Nights Over Egypt
Eminem - My Name Is...
Texas - In Our Lifetime
Bon Jovi - Real Life
Jay-Z feat. Aali & J. Co - I Get A...
Skunk Anansie - Secretly
- RADIO DIMENSIONE SUONO/Rome P** CHR
Carlo Mancini - Music Dir
Power Rotation:
Cardigans - Erase/Rewind
Pino Daniele - Neve Al Sole
Alex Britti - Oggi Sono Io
A List Addition:
Cher - Strong Enough
Marina Rei - Un Inverso Da Baciare
Skunk Anansie - Secretly
- WIT FM/Bordeaux G** CHR
Gérard Babu - Programme Director
A List Addition:
Texas - In Our Lifetime
Tori Moore - Star
Patricia Kass - Ma Liberté/Contre La Tenne
Francis Cabrel - Presque Rien
Lene Marlin - Unforgivable Sinner
- IPSO5 CHART/Paris P** CHR
A List Addition:
Down Low - Once Upon A Time
Lauryn Hill - Ex-Factor
Bon Jovi - Real Life
Pooh - Se Balla Da Sola
Eminem - My Name Is
Liftiba - Mascherina
- NRJ NETWORK/Paris P** CHR
Max Guaszini - Dir
A List Addition:
Lauryn Hill - Ex-Factor
Frees Lamiers - Etre Ne Quelque Part
Matmatah - Emma
Florent Pagny - Est-Ce Que Tu Me Suis
- RTL/Paris P** CHR
Alain Tibolla - Head Of Prog
A List Addition:
As - Enjoy Yourself
Echo & The Bunnymen - Rust
Arielle - Les Bains Brillant
Gianmarie Testa - Polvere Di Gesso
Deus - Instant Street

- P. Lafontaine - Elle M'A Fait Danser**
Webb - Ce Que Les Fous Nous Disent
Texas - In Our Lifetime
Danny Brilliant - Toi & Moi
Keziah Jones - I'm Known
- RTL 2/Paris P** CHR
Christian Lefebvre - Programme Director
A List Addition:
Francis Cabrel - Presque Rien
Supertramp - Free As A Bird
- OUI FM/Paris S** CHR
Michael Gentile - GM
Power Rotation:
Shawn Mullins - Lullaby
New Radicals - You Get What You Give
R.E.M. - Lotus
Blur - Tender
Cranberries - Promises
- A List Addition:**
Suede - Electricity
- ITALY**
RV1 FM/Turin G
CHR
Max Desiato - Head Of Music
Power Rotation Add:
Beth Orton - Stolen Car
A List Addition:
Incognito - Nights Over Egypt
Billie - Honey To The Bee
Vasco Rossi - E Il Mattino
- ITALIA NETWORK: LOS CUARENTA/Bologna P** CHR
Michele Menegon - Prog Dir
A List Addition:
Bob Sinclair - My Only Love
Mauro Picotto - Pulsar
Avant Gardé - Get Down
Albavista - Your Love Makes Me Up
- RADIO 105/Milan P** CHR
Angelo De Robertis - Head Of Music
A List Addition:
Sugar Ray - Every Morning
DC Talk - Consume Me
Noemie Deo - Out Of My Soul
- RADIO DEEJAY NETWORK/Milan P** CHR
Dario Uselli - Head Of Music
Power Rotation Add:
Funky Green Dogs - Body
A List Addition:
Johnson - Say You Love Me
Incognito - Nights Over Egypt
Eminem - My Name Is...
Texas - In Our Lifetime
Bon Jovi - Real Life
Jay-Z feat. Aali & J. Co - I Get A...
Skunk Anansie - Secretly
- RADIO DIMENSIONE SUONO/Rome P** CHR
Carlo Mancini - Music Dir
Power Rotation:
Cardigans - Erase/Rewind
Pino Daniele - Neve Al Sole
Alex Britti - Oggi Sono Io
A List Addition:
Cher - Strong Enough
Marina Rei - Un Inverso Da Baciare
Skunk Anansie - Secretly
- WIT FM/Bordeaux G** CHR
Gérard Babu - Programme Director
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Texas - In Our Lifetime
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Max Guaszini - Dir
A List Addition:
Lauryn Hill - Ex-Factor
Frees Lamiers - Etre Ne Quelque Part
Matmatah - Emma
Florent Pagny - Est-Ce Que Tu Me Suis
- RTL/Paris P** CHR
Alain Tibolla - Head Of Prog
A List Addition:
As - Enjoy Yourself
Echo & The Bunnymen - Rust
Arielle - Les Bains Brillant
Gianmarie Testa - Polvere Di Gesso
Deus - Instant Street

- Crash Test Dummies - Keep A Lid On Things**
Texas - In Our Lifetime
Pedro Guerra - Otra Forma De Sentir
Vonda Shepard - Searching My Soul
Lenny Kravitz - Thinking Of You
- CADENA 100/Madrid P** CHR
Jordi Casoliva - Director Of Programming
Power Rotation:
Van Morrison - Precious Time
A List Addition:
Rolling Stones - Memory Motel
E. John & L. Rimes - Written In The Stars
Navajita Platea - Piderne
Texas - In Our Lifetime
Australian Blonde - Cool Drive
Sery Sadie & Big Tonic - You Know...
David Castedo - Solo Un Camina
Medina Azahara - Solo Un Camino
- CADENA DIAL/Madrid P** CHR
Paco Herrera - Prog Dir/Music Programmer
Power Rotation:
Siempre Asi - Vivir Amandados
A List Addition:
Victor Manuel - Donde Caben Dos
Rocio Durcal - Para Todo La Vida
Azul - Vuelvo A Casa
Raul Paz - Policia
Chonchi Heredia - Ven A Mi
Quinke - Luna
Nek - No Preguntas Por Qué
Los Del Rio - Bala Baila
Los Ninos - Quédala Mas Bonito
Ecos Del Rio - Y Se Aman A Escandalos
Carlos Cano - Ay, Peña Penita
Juan Pardo - Canto Para U
Yarci - Contigo
Jarana - Marciano
Hilario Camacho - Fuego Y Rumba
Javier Alvarez - Tan Real
Jackson Browne - Tu Tranquilo
- PORTUGAL**
ANTENA 3/Lisbon P
CHR
José Marinho - Head Of Music
A List Addition:
Emilia - Good Sign
Shania Twain - That Don't Impress Me Much
Stereophonics - Pick A Part That's New
Underworld - Push Upstairs
Rui Veloso - Jura
- RFM/Lisbon P** CHR
Pedro Tojal - Head Of Music
A List Addition:
Edyta Gorniak - One & One
Seal - Lost My Faith
Crash Test Dummies - Keep A Lid On Things
Boyzone - When The Going Gets Tough
Despe & Siga - Masad De Cole
Tarkan - Simarik
Rui Veloso - Jura
Lenny Kravitz - Thinking Of You
- HOLLAND**
KINK FM/Hilversum B
CHR
Jan Hoogesteijn - Station Manager
Power Rotation:
Cranberries - Promises
A List Addition:
Citizen King - Better Days
Creatures - Say
Stone Roses - Pools Gold (Remix)
Beth Orton - Central Reservation
Lenny Kravitz - Thinking Of You
KRS-One - 5 Burrrroghs
KRS-One - Central Reservation
- LOVE RADIO/Amsterdam B** CHR
A List Addition:
Whitney Houston - It's Not Right But It's OK
Mariah Carey - I Still Believe
Tyresse - Sweet Lady
TLC - No Scrubs
Deborah Cox - Nobody's Supposed To Be Here
- RADIO 10 GOLD/Amsterdam G** CHR
Tom Mulder - Prog Dir
A List Addition:
De Kast - In De Wolken
- AIRCHECK NETHERLANDS/Hilversum P** CHR
A List Addition:
Emilia - Good Sign
Marlayne - One Good Reason
DJ Jurgen - Better Off Alone
Blackstreet with Janet - Girlfriend/Boyfriend
- RADIO 2/Hilversum P** CHR
Ron Stoeltje
A List Addition:
Robbie Williams - Strong
Robert Palmer - True Love
Ike De Lange - When We Don't Talk
David Castedo - Solo Un Camina
- RADIO 538/Hilversum P** CHR
Erik de Zwart - Managing Director

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Power Rotations: South Side Spinners... DJ Jürgen... A List Addition: Emilia... Good Sign... Blondie... Maria... Supercar... Tonite... Steps... Better Best Forgotten... TQ... Bye Bye Baby... Five... How Do Ya Feel...

SKY RADIO 100.7FM/Buassum P CHR Ton Lathouwers - Managing Director A List Addition: Emilia... Good Sign... Lighthouse Family... Lifted... Ace Of Base... Always Have, Always Will... Gordon... Never Nooit Meer...

BELGIUM

RADIO MOL/Mol B CHR Sonja Celen - Producer Power Rotation Add: Wendy Fiercé... Never Give Up A List Addition: All Seeing I... Walk Like A Panther... Risky... Upside Down... Shania Twain... That Don't... Alanis Morissette... Joining You... Eagle-Eye Cherry... Permanent Tears...

BEL-RTL/Brussels G CHR Serge Jonckers - Music Manager A List Addition: Jerome Cotta... L'Article Et Le Fruit... Whitney Houston... Heartbreak Hotel... Junior Falcon... Les Heures De Naples... Manau... L'Amor Est Un Long Passe... Francis Cabrel... Presque Rien... Jane Birkin... A La Légère...

RADIO 21/Brussels P CHR Christine Goor - Head Of Music Power Rotation Add: Mr. Oizo... Flat Beat A List Addition: Le Tone... Joli Dragon... DJ Hell... Copa... Shantell... Oh So Lovely... Deus... Instant Street... Electronic... Vide... Lenny Kravitz... Thinking Of You...

RADIO CONTACT N/Brussels P CHR Danny de Bruyn - Prog Dir A List Addition: Faith Evans... Love Like This... Risky... Upside Down... New London Beat... I've Been... 39... Billie... Honey To The Bee... Robert Palmer... True Love... Atlantis 6... Life Is A Mystery... Absolom... The Air... Buzzy Bus... You Don't Stop... Milk Incorporated... Promise... Des'ree... You Gotta Be... Jennifer Brown... Tuesday Afternoon... Mariah Carey... Don't Need... Viper... Blue Sunshine... Tatyana Ali feat. Will Smith... Boy... Salsaracher... Can't Get Enough... Nunca... House Of Doom...

VRT RADIO DONNA/Brussels P CHR Jan van Hooreickx - Head Of Music A List Addition: Lamar... Shine... Robert Palmer... True Love... Black & White Brothers... Pump It Up... Marlayne... One Good Reason... Imaani... You Got A Way... Bobbie Singer... Reflection... Tina Cousins... Killin' Time... Petra... Diep In Mijn Huid...

VRT STUDIO BRUSSEL/Brussels P CHR Jan Hautekiet - Producer A List Addition: Shawn Mullins... Lullaby... Mr. Oizo... Flat Beat... Krewcial... The A.L... Backstreet with Jazze... Girlfriend/Boyfriend... Soulwax... Saturday... Herbaliser... Road Of Many Signs...

BRF/Eupen S CHR Guy Janssens - Producer A List Addition: Manic Street Preachers... You Sole... Boyzone... I Love The Way You Love Me... Jennifer Paige... Sober... Killer... Bring It On... Down Low... H.I.V... Duran Duran... Electric... Barbarella... Goo Goo Dolls... Iris... Jennifer Brown... Tuesday Afternoon...

FAMILY RADIO/Brussels S CHR Denny De Bruyn - Prog Dir A List Addition: Corrs... So Young...

Risque - Upside Down... A. Bocelli & E. Raimondi... Cantu Della Terra... Des'ree... You Gotta Be... Volumina... Hou Me Vast... Voice Male... This Is My Life... Willy Sommers... Bred Ze Weer... Gunther Neels... The Wind Beneath My Wings... Lisa Del Bo... Zeldraam Gevoel... Lester & Denwood... Sing Sing... Enzo... Ambixim...

AUSTRIA

RADIO W4/Gmünd B CHR Peter Jungmann - Programme Director A List Addition: No Mercy... More Than A Feeling... Emmie... More Than This... La Bouche... S.O.S.

Ö 3/Vienna P CHR Alfred Rosenauer - Head Of Music A List Addition: B'witched... Blame It On The Weatherman... Andrea Donatelli... All Out Of Love...

SWEDEN

K103 - GOTHENBURG STUDENTRADIO/Göteborg B CHR Johan Olafsson - Head Of Music A List Addition: Redman... Da Goodness... Alex Gopher... The Child... Cast... Beat Mama... Robyn... Electric... Twin... Bring Back The Funk... Head... Seldom Seen... Beanie Man... Rock Reggae... Bob Hund... Heigen V. 48... Foreign Legion... Full Time B-Boy...

RADIO STOCKHOLM/Stockholm G CHR Robert Selberg - Music Director A List Addition: B'witched... Blame It On The Weatherman... Spice Girls... My Strongest Suit... Next Of Kin... 24 Hours From You... Savage Garden... Animal Song... Dilla... You And I... Lenny Kravitz... Thinking Of You... Sting... Another Pyramid... Together... Kungen... Zifa... On The Road Again...

RIX FM/Stockholm G CHR Anders Svensson - Head Of Music A List Addition: George Michael & Mary J. Blige... As...

MIX MEGAPOL/Stockholm P CHR Mikael Dahl - Music Director A List Addition: New Radicals... You Get What You Give... George Michael & Mary J. Blige... As... E. John & L. Rimes... Written In The Stars... Shania Twain... That Don't...

SVERIGES RADIO P3: MEST SPELAD MELODIER/Stockholm P CHR Mats Grimberg - Producer A List Addition: R.E.M... At My Most Beautiful... Faith Evans & Puff Daddy... All Night Long... David Sylvian... I Surrender... Eva Dahlgren... Rik Och sk'nd... Robyn... Electric... Vengaboys... Boom, Boom, Boom, Boom... Everlast... What's It Like... Busta Rhymes feat. Janet... What... D.J. Saktin & Friends... Protect Your Mind... Miss Papaya... Operator... II Caesar... La Musica Electronica... Lazzarus Lakeyer... Yakra Dyer Gi Pula Sakar... Car... Bad Enough...

HIT FM 94.2/Bromma/Bromma S CHR Jocke Bring - Prog Dir A List Addition: Shawn Mullins... Lullaby... Mr. Oizo... Flat Beat... Krewcial... The A.L... Backstreet with Jazze... Girlfriend/Boyfriend... Soulwax... Saturday... Herbaliser... Road Of Many Signs...

POWER 106/Stockholm/Stockholm S CHR Niklas Ehring - Prog & Head Of Music A List Addition: Cher... Strong Enough... Sugar Ray... Every Morning... Princesse... I Won't Forget You... Topi Sorra... Onkko... Oljasta Yhdessä Tasa...

FINNISH AIRPLAY TOP 30/Tampere P CHR Pentti Teräsvainen - Director A List Addition: Cher... Strong Enough... Sugar Ray... Every Morning... Princesse... I Won't Forget You... Topi Sorra... Onkko... Oljasta Yhdessä Tasa... YLE 2/RADIOAFIA/Helsinki P CHR Jukka Haarma - MD A List Addition: Bryan Adams... Cloud Number Nine... Rova feat Erykah Badu... You Got Me...

DENMARK

RADIO HOLBÆK/Holbæk B CHR Jacob Damkjær - Prog Dir A List Addition: Gene... As Good As It Gets... Catatonia... Dead From The Waist Down... Me & My... Let The Love Go On...

RADIO HØLSTED/Hølsted B CHR René Larsen - Programme Director A List Addition: B'witched... Blame It On The Weatherman... Meja... Intimacy... Dede... Everybody... Eric Benet & Faith Evans... Georg Porgy... Toto... Melanie... BeePop... Sig-Jeg Ska' Bli...

ANR/Aalborg G CHR Lars Trillinggaard - Head Of Music A List Addition: B'witched... Blame It On The Weatherman... Catatonia... Dead From The Waist Down... Bon Jovi... Real Life... Spice Girls... My Strongest Suit... Thomas Helmig... Flower Child...

RADIO UPTOWN/Copenhagen G CHR Jan Brodde - Music Coord A List Addition: Jessica Folcker... I Do... Blondie... Maria... Beautiful South... How Long's A Tear Takes... Cranberries... Promises... Eric Benet & Faith Evans... Georg Porgy... Spice Girls... My Strongest Suit... Joey McIntyre... Stay The Same... Thomas Helmig... Flower Child... Beverly Knight... Made It Back... Alberta... Brøder Sol... Cantina... Watching Old Movies... Petra Frey... Heut Nacht... Foreign Legion... Full Time B-Boy...

THE VOICE/Århus G CHR Jesper Raab - Music Director A List Addition: Lene Marlin... Sitting Down Here... Bon Jovi... Real Life... Thomas Helmig... Flower Child...

RADIO 102/Haugesund G CHR Egil Houeland - Head Of Music A List Addition: Savage Rose... Planet Of Paradise... New Radicals... You Get What You Give... Lars Fredrikson... I Promised Myself... Ace Of Base... Always Have, Always Will...

NORWAY

RADIO 102/Haugesund G CHR Egil Houeland - Head Of Music A List Addition: Savage Rose... Planet Of Paradise... New Radicals... You Get What You Give... Lars Fredrikson... I Promised Myself... Ace Of Base... Always Have, Always Will...

FINLAND

KISS FM/Helsinki/Helsinki G CHR Toni Yrjölä - Prog Dir A List Addition: Whitney Houston... It's Not Right But It's OK... Boyzone... When The Going Gets Tough... Céline Dion... Trust Her Like A Lady...

FINNISH AIRPLAY TOP 30/Tampere P CHR Pentti Teräsvainen - Director A List Addition: Cher... Strong Enough... Sugar Ray... Every Morning... Princesse... I Won't Forget You... Topi Sorra... Onkko... Oljasta Yhdessä Tasa... YLE 2/RADIOAFIA/Helsinki P CHR Jukka Haarma - MD A List Addition: Bryan Adams... Cloud Number Nine... Rova feat Erykah Badu... You Got Me...

Busta Rhymes... What's It Gonna Be... Bon Jovi... Real Life... Roxette... Anyone... Everlast... What's It Like... Ricky Martin... Lavin' La Vida Loca... Don Huonot... Tahiti... Super... Love Was A Bomb...

RUSSIA

RADIO MAXIMUM/Perm/Perm G CHR Alexey Glazatov - General Director Power Rotations: Madonna... Nothing Really Matters... ATB... 9 PM (Till I Come)... Britney Spears... Baby One More Time... Cardigans... Erase/Rewind... Cher... Strong Enough... E. John & L. Rimes... Written In The Stars... Blondie... Maria... Roxette... Wish I Could Fly A List Addition: Vengaboys... Boom, Boom, Boom, Boom... Sash! feat. Dr. Alban... Colour The World... Sash!... Better Best Forgotten... Mechtat... Vse Budet Khorosho... Sasha Ch... Ty Segodnya Ne Prashol... Vostok... Erunda...

RADIO EUROPA PLUS NETWORK/Moscow P CHR François Deymeier - Programme Director A List Addition: E-17... Each Time... Cardigans... Erase/Rewind... Armand Van Belden... You Don't Know Me... Britney Spears... Baby One More Time... Ecbt... Fort Von Mir...

RADIO MOSCOW/Moscow/St. Petersburg P CHR Mikhail Eidelman - Programme Director A List Addition: Sash! feat. Dr. Alban... Colour The World... Céline Dion... Trust Her Like A Lady... Megapolis... Gde Taveti... Sashach... Ti Segodnya Ne Pridesh...

POLAND

RADIO GRA/Torun B CHR Krzysztof Komenda - Head Of Music A List Addition: R. Kelly... When A Woman's Fed... Meat Loaf... Is Nothing Scared... Kataryna Skrzypczka... Kieley Roman Spt... Raz, Dwa, Try... Ona Palomna Dotyka... Garbage... The Trick Is To Keep Breathing... Thinkadelic... Zdobycz...

RADIO ROSZALIN/Koszalin G CHR Przemyslaw Mroczek - DJ/Producer Power Rotation Add: Temptations... Stay... Sputnuk... Janek A List Addition: Jessica Folcker... How Will I Know... Supercar... Tonite... Monica... Inside... R. Kelly... When A Woman's Fed Up... Kataryna Skrzypczka... Kieley Roman Spt... DJ Bobo... This World Is Magic... Garbage... The Trick Is To Keep Breathing... Thinkadelic... Zdobycz...

RADIO LUBLIN/Lublin G CHR Wiktor Jachacz - DJ/Producer Power Rotation Add: Jan Pawel II... Pater Noster... Kataryna Skrzypczka... Kieley Roman Spt... Akron... 07 Odeslas... Garbage... The Trick Is To Keep Breathing... R. Kelly... When A Woman's Fed... Propellerheads... Crash... Monica... Inside... John Lee Hooker... Burnin' Hell... Meat Loaf... Is Nothing Scared... Shakin' Dudi... Gdy Wracam Pono... Not For Boyz... Na-Na-Na... Raz, Dwa, Try... Ona Palomna Dotyka... DJ Bobo... The World Is Magic...

RADIO MERKURY/Poznan G CHR Ryszard Gloger - Head Of Music A List Addition: Lauryn Hill... Ex-Factor... Beth Orton... Stolen Car... Princesse... I Won't Forget You... Sara... Fic Tac Two... Niu Wieder... Tin Star... Raincheck... Sasha... We Can Leave The World... Moffatts... Girl Of My Dreams... Jennifer Rush... Ring Of Ice... Fuel... Shimmer... La Bouche... S.O.S... Kataryna Skrzypczka... Kieley Roman Spt... Dima Chanack... Hej Sokoly... Los Umbrellos... Drive...

RADIO PLUS/Gdansk G CHR

CHR Piotr Felgentreu - Head Of Music Power Rotation Add: A. Bocelli & E. Ramazotti... Cantu... Meat Loaf... Is Nothing Scared A List Addition: Garbage... The Trick Is To Keep Breathing... Shawn Mullins... Lullaby... Princesse... I Won't Forget You... Gashinski... Cy Croyez Cassem... Kataryna Skrzypczka... Kieley Roman Spt...

RADIO ZACHOD/Zielona Gora G CHR Eugeniusz Banachowicz - Head Of Music Power Rotation Add: Princesse... I Won't Forget You A List Addition: Garbage... The Trick Is To Keep Breathing... DJ Bobokarel Gott... This World Is Magic... Gus Gus... Ladyshave... R. Kelly... When A Woman's Fed... Propellerheads... Crash... Monica... Inside... Down Low... H.I.V... John Lee Hooker... Burnin' Hell... Sunclub... Wezuit... TSA... Jodyna... Black Attack... Survival... Creatures... Say... Maryla Rodowicz... Co Sie Szals Z Man... Jennifer Rush... Ring Of Ice... Shakin' Dudi... Gdy Wracam Pono... Gashinski... Cy Croyez Cassem... Jan Pawel II... Pater Noster... Bananafishbones... Come To Sin... Thinkadelic... Zdobycz... Two Marx... Deszcze Niespokone... Sarah Jane Morris... I Don't Wanna...

CHR Michał Tsouanosopoulos - Prog Dir Power Rotation Add: New Radicals... You Get What You Give A List Addition: Bob Sinclair... My Only Love... Tina Cousins... Killin' Time... Britney Spears... Baby One More Time... Electronic... Vivid

CZECH REPUBLIC

CITY 93.7 FM/Prague/Prague G CHR Peter Kral - Prog Dir A List Addition: R.E.M... At My Most Beautiful... New Radicals... You Get What You Give... Princesse... I Won't Forget You... Texas... In Our Lifetime... Jennifer Brown... Tuesday Afternoon...

EVROPA 2/Prague/Prague G CHR Michal Pokorny - Head Of Programming A List Addition: Metallica... Whiskey In The Jar... Anna K... Nebe... Bryan Adams... Cloud Number Nine... Mansun... Six... Lenny Kravitz... Thinking Of You...

FREKVENCE 1/Prague G CHR Rene Emilicka - Music Manager A List Addition: Mnaas... Zdeop... Spasie Svje Duse... Savage Garden... Tears Of Pearls... FUNKY/Prague G CHR Jan Hanousek - Head Of Music A List Addition: Anna K... Nebe... Kisha... Why?

RADIO RELAX/Kladno S CHR Milan Hanus - Head Of Programming A List Addition: Emilia... Good Sign... Eagle-Eye Cherry... Permanent Tears... Princesse... I Won't Forget You... B'witched... Blame It On The Weatherman... Zucchero... If Not Tonight... Hona Caskova... Tornado... Barenaked Ladies... One Week... Savage Garden... Tears Of Pearls...

SLOVAKIA

FUN RADIO/Bratislava/Bratislava S CHR Peter Graus - Music Director A List Addition: Touch & Go... Would You... Dave Stewart... Happy To Be Here...

HUNGARY

RADIO BRIDGE/Budapest G CHR Orsolya Megyeri - Head Of Music A List Addition: Honeyz... End Of The Line... Eagle-Eye Cherry... Permanent Tears... Sarah McLachlan... Angel... Charlie... Ha Vanz... Nem Laza A Tied... Aubi Caila & Szokolai Peter... Felicia... Keresettes Hildko... Nem A Menk Az Eg...

HUNGARIAN TOP 20 AIRPLAY CHART/Budapest G CHR A List Addition: Céline Dion & R. Kelly... In Your Angel... Hands... Cher... Strong Enough... Des'ree... What's Your Sign...

IRELAND

FM 104/Dublin B CHR Dave Kelly A List Addition: Garbage... When I Grow Up... Sash! feat. Dr. Alban... Colour The World... Mr. Oizo... Flat Beat... Blackout... Gotta Have Hope... The Black & White Brothers... Pat The Hands Up...

GREECE

GREEK RADIO CORFU/Corfu B CHR Spyros Hytiris - Head Of Music A List Addition: Tarnation... There's Someone... Mensclub... Following You... Chuck Prophet... Ooh Wee... Manolis Fameles... Water Rain... The Orange Peel... Something Strange Happens... Micro... Stagnos... Scott 4... Miss Goddess Nr. 2...

KISS 90.9 FM/Athens G CHR Michael Tsouanosopoulos - Prog Dir Power Rotation Add: New Radicals... You Get What You Give A List Addition: Bob Sinclair... My Only Love... Tina Cousins... Killin' Time... Britney Spears... Baby One More Time...

TURKEY

RADIO 5/Istanbul G CHR Tim Verheyen - Supervisor A List Addition: Baby Bird... Back Together... TLC... No Scrubs... B'witched... Blame It On The Weatherman... Electronic... Vivid

RADIO NUMBER ONE FM/Istanbul P CHR Emre Yinter - Music & Programme Director A List Addition: Bryan Adams... Cloud Number Nine... Mansun... Six... Lenny Kravitz... Thinking Of You...

ESTONIA

RADIO KUKU/Tallinn G CHR Jaan Riikioja - Head Of Music A List Addition: Rod Stewart... Faith Of The Heart... Duncan Sheik... That Says It All...

LATVIA

RADIO SWH/Riga G CHR J. Sipkevics - Prog Dir A List Addition: Robert Palmer... True Love... Bon Jovi... Real Life... Roddy Frame... Sister Shadow...

LITHUANIA

RADIO M-I/Vilnius G CHR Asta Gajyte - Prog Dir A List Addition: Feeder... Day In Day Out... Fool Boons... Popped... Electronic... Vivid... Tina Cousins... Killin' Time... Beverly Knight... Made It Back... The Black & White Brothers... Pat The Hands Up... Zas... Po Stikluka...

LUXEMBOURG

ELDORADIO/Luxembourg S CHR Luc Melsen - Head Of Music A List Addition: Mariah Carey... I Still Believe... Mylene Farmer... L'Amour-Stram-Gram... Boyzone... When The Going Gets Tough... Bon Jovi... Real Life... Mr. Oizo... Flat Beat... Flyud... Inferno...

RTL RADIO LETZEBURG/Luxembourg S CHR Christiane Kremer - Programme Director A List Addition: Whitney Houston... Heartbreak Hotel... Johnson... Say You Love Me... Liane Foly... La Vie Ne M'Apprend Rien... Larusso... Tu M'oublieras... Stereophonics... Pick A Part That's New... Jean-Jacques Goldman... Elle Ne Me Va Pas... Axelille Red... Ce Matin... Bruce Springsteen... I Wanna Be With You... Anna Oxa... Senza Pietà... Habit... Soundalike...

Patricia Kaas... Ma Liberté Contre La Trésine... Francis Cabrel... Presque Rien... Jennifer Brown... Tuesday Afternoon... TQ... Westside... Savage Garden... Tears Of Pearls... Laam... Assel... Backstreet with Jazze... Girlfriend/Boyfriend... Lenny Kravitz... Thinking Of You... Voice Male... This Is My Life... Scorpions... Eye To Eye...

PROGRAMME SUPPLIERS

FM RADIO NETWORK/Germany G CHR Armin Weis - Prog Dir Power Rotation Add: Kavana... Will You Wait For Me... Xavier Naidoo... Site Sekt: Mich Nicht A List Addition: TLC... No Scrubs... Bon Jovi... Real Life

MUSIC TELEVISION

THE BOX/London G CHR Francis Currie - Programme Director Box Taps: 'N Sync... I Want You Back... Vengaboys... We Like To Party... Cartoons... Witchdoctor... Britney Spears... Baby One More Time... Offspring... Pretty Fly (For A White Guy) Stepz... Tragedy... Robbie Williams... Strong... Chef... Chocolate Salty Balls... 2Pac... Changes... Whitney Houston... It's Not Right But It's OK... Steps... Better Best Forgotten... B'witched... Blame It On The Weatherman... Boyzone... When The Going Gets Tough... Billie... Honey To The Bee... Eminem... My Name Is... Bus Stop... Jump... TQ... Bye Bye Baby...

New Videos: Basement Jaxx... Red Alert... Faith Evans & Puff Daddy... All Night Long... 2-4 Family... Lean On Me... Honeyz... Love Of A Lifetime... Beat-Boy... Roof Is On Fire... Pheebe One... Get On It... Matchbox 20... Real World... Texas... In Our Lifetime... Justin... It's All About You... Phats & Small... Got To Turn Around...

Hot: Lenny Kravitz... Thinking Of You... Liquid-o... Narcotic... Monifah... Touch It... Ginuwine... Same O'G... Britney Spears... Baby One More Time... New Radicals... You Get What You Give... Destiny's Child feat. Tank... Get On The Bus... George Michael & Mary J. Blige... As... Cher... Strong Enough... Whitney Houston... It's Not Right But It's OK... Roxette... Wish I Could Fly... Backstreet with Jazze... Girlfriend/Boyfriend... New Videos: Corrs... So Young... Offspring... Why Don't You Get A Job?... Blur... Tender... Resonance... Come Around... Suede... Electricity... MTV/Nordic/Nordic Feed P CHR Hans Hagman - Head Of Music Heavy Rotation: Madonna... Nothing Really Matters... Savage Garden... Tears Of Pearls... Music Street Preachers... You Sole... The... Cardigans... Erase/Rewind... Jennifer Brown... Alive... Sheryl Crow... Anything But Down...

Hot: Lene Marlin... Unforgivable Sinner... A+... Enjoy Yourself... Mike Koglin... The Silence... Shawn Mullins... Lullaby... New Radicals... You Get What You Give... Goo Goo Dolls... Slide... Cher... Strong Enough... Mariah Carey... I Still Believe... Texas... In Our Lifetime... New Videos: Offspring... Why Don't You Get A Job?... Catatonia... Dead From The Waist Down... Bon Jovi... Real Life... Suede... Electricity... Kask... Boy & Girl Nation... MTV/Southern/Southern Feed P CHR Cheve Evan - Head Of Music Heavy Rotation: Madonna... Nothing Really Matters... Britney Spears... Baby One More Time... Robbie Williams... Strong... Litfiba... Il Mio Corpe Che Cambia... Alex Britti... Oggi Sono Io... Hot: Lenny Kravitz... Thinking Of You... Liquid-o... Narcotic... Cardigans... Erase/Rewind... Jennifer Paige... Sober... Jennifer Brown... Alive... Cher... Strong Enough... Roxette... Wish I Could Fly... Sotta Tono... Amor De Mi Vida... Blair... Tender... Boyzone... When The Going Gets Tough... Max Gazzar... Una Musica Pul Pura... New Videos: Gus Gus... Ladyshave... Stereophonics... Just Looking... Irene La Medice... Quando Lei Non CE... Madre Blu... Reiko...

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Due to earlier deadlines linked to the U.K.'s Easter bank holiday, the number of stations included this week in the Station Reports is smaller than normal. For the same reason, this week's Eurochart and European Top 100 Albums do not include the latest charts from France, Germany, Sweden and Belgium.

On the air

M&M's weekly airplay analysis column

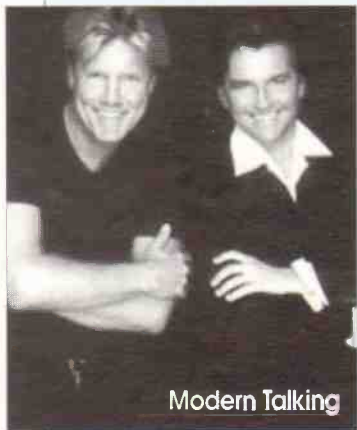
Eminem is the highest new entry in the European Radio Top 50 this week. The catchy hip-hop namecheck-tune *My Name Is...* (Interscope) by American rapper Slim Shady, alias Eminem, calls in at 39 this week. Programmers are especially keen on playing it in the U.K., where the song is a contender for the number one spot in the sales chart for next week. In the local airplay chart for the UK it's already number 18. Benjamin Nilsson at Swedish dance station Power 106 in Stockholm is also supporting the track, since he noticed Eminem riding high in the U.S. charts.

"I think it's a really good song, but at the moment we play it mainly in the afternoons after 4pm," says Nilsson. "When our audience gets more used to it, we'll also play it earlier in the day." Nilsson doubles on the station as the breakfast show presenter. He describes the programme as a "funny, crazy show, with lots of listener participation. It's very important for me," he adds, "to have listeners participating in the show, because I haven't got a sidekick. And, I think, with a lot of audience participation, you create more listeners, because people just want to hear other people."

On top of the airplay charts it's just another week for Britney Spears' *...Baby One More Time* (Jive), now enjoying a sixth week at the summit. The song is currently number one in the regional charts in Italy and the G/S/A countries. Madonna's *Nothing Really Matters* (Maverick/Warner Bros.) takes a tumble to number 4, and the George Michael and Mary J. Blige cover of Stevie Wonder's *As* (Epic) moves in at number two to become Britney's nearest competitor. Other potential threats to her premier position still seem just that little bit too far away, although Texas at number 14 picks up 14 adds with *In Our Lifetime* (Mercury), Bon Jovi, now at number 20, gains 12 adds with *Real Life* (Reprise), and further ahead, at 31, B*Witched are looming with their *Blame It On the Weatherman* (Glow Worm/EMI), this week's "most added" song with 18 new entries.

At 44, we find the other "real" new entry, *You Are Not Alone* (Hansa) by Modern Talking, and they've certainly got company now that the track is spreading all over Europe, from Greece to Denmark, and is this week's Roadrunner in the Border Breaker's chart. The German duo, which had many hits in the mid-eighties, are making a successful comeback with new material, following a revival of interest in their past glories. And at 48, there's a re-entry for Irish folk-pop stars The Corrs, who are back in with *So Young* on the strength of delayed interest in southern Europe, following a previous 14-week chart-run, peaking at number 10, in February this year.

A quick glance at the regional charts shows that the records with a good chance of appearing on the European Radio Top 50 in the coming weeks are: *Unforgivable Sinner* by Lene Marlin (Virgin), *Good Sign* by Emilia (Rodeo/Universal) and *Love Of A Lifetime* by The Honeyz (1st Avenue/Mercury).



Modern Talking

Menno Visser

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European Radio Top 50

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TW	LW	WOC	Artist/Title	Original Label	Total Stations	New Adds
1	1	11	BRITNEY SPEARS/...BABY ONE MORE TIME	(JIVE)	103	0
2	3	10	George Michael & Mary J. Blige/As	(Epic)	92	3
3	5	9	Cher/Strong Enough	(WEA)	88	4
4	2	9	Madonna/Nothing Really Matters	(Maverick/Warner Bros.)	84	0
5	4	12	Roxette/Wish I Could Fly	(Roxette Recordings/EMI)	82	0
6	6	7	Robbie Williams/Strong	(Chrysalis)	84	2
7	8	6	TLC/No Scrubs	(LaFace/Arista)	73	16
8	10	7	New Radicals/You Get What You Give	(MCA)	65	7
9	9	8	Blur/Tender	(Food)	66	1
10	11	12	The Cardigans/Erase/Rewind	(Trampoline/Stockholm)	62	3
11	7	12	Blondie/Maria	(Beyond/RCA)	60	8
12	13	5	The Cranberries/Promises	(Island)	52	3
13	14	8	Shawn Mullins/Lullaby	(Columbia)	57	3
14	24	2	Texas/In Our Lifetime	(Mercury)	49	14
15	15	8	Alanis Morissette/Joining You	(Maverick/Warner Bros.)	46	2
16	18	7	Lauryn Hill/Ex-Factor	(Ruffhouse/Columbia)	50	4
17	12	11	Whitney Houston/It's Not Right But It's OK	(Arista)	51	3
18	20	4	Mariah Carey/I Still Believe	(Columbia)	49	7
19	17	11	Armand Van Helden/You Don't Know Me	(ffrr)	39	1
20	35	2	Bon Jovi/Real Life	(Reprise)	43	12
21	21	5	Manic Street Preachers/You Stole The Sun From My Heart	(Epic)	44	1
22	29	5	Sugar Ray/Every Morning	(Atlantic)	36	14
23	16	6	2Pac/Changes	(Jive/Amaru)	38	1
24	19	9	Jennifer Brown/Tuesday Afternoon	(Ricochet/RCA)	33	0
25	23	21	Emilia/Big Big World	(Rodeo/Universal)	24	0
26	22	12	TQ/Westside	(Clockwork/Epic)	37	0
27	21	21	Bryan Adams feat. Mel C./When You're Gone	(A&M)	30	0
28	27	18	Lenny Kravitz/Fly Away	(Virgin)	28	1
29	33	14	The Offspring/Pretty Fly (For A White Guy)	(Columbia)	30	1
30	30	9	Ace Of Base/Always Have, Always Will	(Mega/Polydor)	35	0
31	50	2	B*Witched/Blame It On The Weatherman	(Glow Worm/Epic)	35	18
32	34	15	Jessica Folcker/How Will I Know	(Jive)	33	1
33	32	9	Elton John & LeAnn Rimes/Written In The Stars	(Rocket/Mercury)	31	3
34	31	7	Sheryl Crow/Anything But Down	(A&M)	29	0
35	36	18	Sasha/If You Believe	(WEA)	23	0
36	46	3	Edyta Gorniak/One & One	(Orca/EMI)	22	1
37	39	3	Boyzone/When The Going Gets Tough	(Polydor)	28	3
38	44	14	Fatboy Slim/Praise You	(Skint/Epic)	27	0
39	>	NE	Eminem/My Name Is...	(Interscope)	25	5
40	42	3	Catatonia/Dead From The Waist Down	(Blanco Y Negro)	31	5
41	41	2	Sasha/We Can Leave The World	(WEA)	23	4
42	49	2	Billie/Honey To The Bee	(Innocent/Virgin)	32	3
43	26	7	Liquido/Narcotic	(Virgin)	24	0
44	>	RE	Modern Talking/You Are Not Alone	(Hansa)	25	2
45	45	2	Sash! feat. Dr.Alban/Colour The World	(X-IT)	30	4
46	37	8	Tatyana Ali feat. Will Smith/Boy Knock Me Out	(MJJ/Epic)	25	0
47	48	3	Everlast/What It's Like	(Tommy Boy)	20	2
48	>	RE	The Corrs/So Young	(143/Lava/Atlantic)	18	1
49	28	8	Jennifer Paige/Sober	(Edel)	24	1
50	40	25	Cher/Believe	(WEA)	14	0

The European Radio Top 50 chart is based on a weighted scoring system. Songs score points by achieving airplay on all of M&M's reporting stations with contemporary music fulltime or during specific dayparts. Stations are weighted by market size and by the number of hours per week.

TW = This Week, LW = Last Week, NE = New Entry, TS = Total Stations
 ■ Indicates singles which previously featured in the Border Breakers chart
 □ Highest new entry
 ■ Greatest chart points gainer

New Radicals' new manifesto

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adds: "I don't think they are a one hit wonder. They do sound a bit '70s, a bit like World Party, but New Radicals are fresh and honest. I hope MCA will release *I Hope I Didn't Just Give Away The Ending* as the next single."

Lars Trillingsgaard, head of music at CHR station ANR in Aalborg, Denmark, playlisted *You Get What You Give* in late February, and says the song's adult pop style made it a perfect add. "You don't catch the real strength of it the first time you hear it. It has attitude, and at the same time it sounds like the Electric Light Orchestra."

Fellow Dane Jesper Raab, music director at CHR network The Voice, agrees with Trillingsgaard that "[*You Get*] is a tad old fashioned," but says "that only adds to its appeal. The New Radicals have found an excellent formula and they have a great future ahead of them."

"It's the kind of single that makes you want to buy an album," hopes Universal Music International VP international marketing Yoel Kenan. "We presented this project to the territories last September, and everyone was so excited. The plan was always to let the U.S. develop it a little bit, then launch in the new year. It's an infectious song, and it also has a

great video which MTV has backed from day one."

The buzz around *You Get What You Give* is indeed stirring interest in the parent album *Maybe You've Been Brainwashed Too*, released in Europe on March 15 and due in British stores on April 5. Germany goes with the album on April 19. In Portugal, the initial shipment on the long player was 8,000 copies, which Kenan points out is almost halfway towards the territory's gold threshold of 20,000 units.

The European acclaim for *You Get What You Give* echoes its reception both in the U.S. and further afield. The song was described by Rolling Stone magazine as "one of 1998's most pleasant surprises," and it debuted on Billboard's Modern Rock Tracks chart on October 31, peaking at number eight in mid-January. It's also ringing a bell in such wide-ranging territories as Australia, Mexico, Singapore and Japan.

"It's very much an album-driven project," says Kenan. "Every record company will tell you that, but we've got three, four, five potential singles here."

Additional reporting by Siri Stavenes and Menno Visser.

Universal Music International

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ing to company sources, potential candidates for the job have been identified, but no further details could be confirmed at presstime.

Greenhalgh, who moves from PolyGram's special marketing division PolyMedia where she held the title of vice president, will continue to be in charge of Insight, the European direct response TV and mail order division she established for PolyGram in 1994.

Huntly joins UMI from Universal Music's international department, where he was responsible for TV-advertised projects, compilations and full-price catalogue as concept manager for strategic

marketing.

Each VP will be supported by three managers. At presstime, it was known that former PolyGram International manager promotion & production Carol Benny has been appointed to the new role of UMI manager, catalogue marketing. In the promotion department, the three freshly-appointed UMI promotion managers are: Ruth Flower, who will be responsible for Universal and associated labels such as Motor Music and Barclay; Eva Adams, who will handle Mercury; and Shelley Clarke, who will look after artists on Polydor and Stockholm Records.

UMG Sweden

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company's local repertoire. Nina Hansdotter will be staying on as Universal marketing manager, with all product managers and the head of promotion reporting to her.

Commercial manager Ludwig Werner will be responsible for the company's strategic marketing, and its classical/jazz department. Rodeo Records (the independent label marketed and distributed by Universal) will also report to Werner. Bengt E. Petersson becomes sales director, the position he previously held at PolyGram Sweden.

But mystery still surrounds the future of Stockholm Records (majority-owned by the former PolyGram Sweden) and its large stable of artists. It is understood

that discussions are still taking place about the role Stockholm Records will perform within UMGs. By creating a powerful new



UMGS A&R department, insiders say that Holmfred is signalling a strong desire to find new local artists to "internally compete" with both Stockholm Records and Rodeo Records.

CSA starts music TV investigation

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various calls made by industry groups for the CSA to draw up a clear code for broadcasters to follow in their music industry dealings.

"We are happy to see that the CSA is more and more involved in the musical area, because until now it was totally absent from this field, except with regard to the radio quotas," comments Jérôme Roger, general manager of independent labels' body UPFI.

The UPFI and label's body SNEP have been worried about TV channels' involvement in the music business for some time. Broadcasters have developed label subsidiaries which are using their TV channel's promotional power to expose their own acts, or cut specific deals with labels, effectively offering free advertising in exchange for cuts in royalties.

M6 has a 30 percent music content, and has developed a very efficient and profitable music-related business via its subsidiary M6 Interactions. In its first task, Cayla's working party investigated the amount of airtime M6 was giving to acts signed to M6 Interactions.

Following a meeting with M6 management, the CSA concluded that the M6 Interactions roster has "a fair exposure in M6's programming, but not a dominant one."

Robin Leproux, general manager of M6 Interactions and M6 deputy general manager, is happy with the verdict. "Our acts only represent two percent of the total programming output," he comments. "I view the CSA's decision as an approval of

M6's music strategy."

However, not all channels are as happy with the results of the CSA's intervention in music TV matters.

Starting March 1, the authority has indicated to all channels that the broadcast of excerpts of music videos less than one and a half minutes long will be considered as illegal advertising. Commercial TV channels in France have traditionally broadcast these short video clips throughout the day as part of promotional campaigns to support hits which the channel is associated with, particularly during the summer holiday season when each channel promotes its own "summer hit."

Roger says this decision was made by the CSA without any discussion with the music industry. "In this case, the CSA was not interested in monopolistic practices, but in illegal advertising." However, he thinks that the CSA's decision "will limit the impact of the summer campaigns, and I don't know whether that is good news."

At leading commercial channel TF1, the management team is already looking for ways around the CSA's ruling. "We have already signed deals for our summer hits this year," explains Pierre-Yves Garcin, sales manager of TF1's record label affiliate Une Musique. "It will be difficult to find space in our schedule [for longer video extracts]. It was much easier to programme 30-40 second video excerpts. Fewer, longer excerpts will have less impact."

Edel expands classical division

HAMBURG — German indie edel music is planning to invest some DM 100 million (euro 55 million) over the next few years to expand its classical activities.

To foster this expansion plan, edel chairman Michael Haentjes has appointed Chris Wemcken, former managing director of PolyGram Austria, to the new post of president of edel classics audio/visual. Based in Vienna, Wemcken, who was in charge of the marketing for BMG Classics International in New York for three years, reports directly to Haentjes. Comments Haentjes: "Edel is very happy to have brought such an experienced expert on board for the expansion of the classical music division."

The company has had a foothold in the market since it bought the Deutsche Schallplatte catalogue in 1993. According to a statement, edel plans to rework its classical catalogue and expand it by acquisition and through distribution joint ventures, with the aim of ultimately covering 98 percent of current classical repertoire.

But, "the company does not plan to make expensive new recordings with the superstars of the classical world," says the statement. Edel will also develop its first Internet distribution system for the digital download of classical music—"the key to tapping customers who cannot be reached through specialised retail."

For The Record


In Germany, the Underworld's current album *Beaucoup Fish* (JBO/V2) is distributed via V2 Germany and not by Rough Trade, as reported in Music & Media, March 27.

Also, in M&M's Hotline column of that issue, it was stated that Chrysalis Radio's 100.7 Heart FM would not be broadcast on the Birmingham digital radio multiplex proposed by Emap Radio and Capital Radio's joint application to the Radio Authority. While this is correct, Chrysalis wishes to point out that, along with its digital radio partners Border Radio Holdings, it intends to apply for the West Midlands regional digital multiplex (which includes the city of Birmingham in its TSA) expected to be advertised by the Radio Authority in August 2000.

Border Breakers

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Mainland European records breaking out of their country of signing

TW	LW	WOC	Artist/Title	Original Label	Country Of Signing	TS
1	1	12	ROXETTE/WISH I COULD FLY (ROXETTE RECORDINGS/EMI)		SWEDEN	82
2	2	13	The Cardigans/Erase/Rewind (Trampoline/Stockholm)		SWEDEN	62
3	3	11	Jennifer Brown/Tuesday Afternoon (Ricochet/RCA)		SWEDEN	32
4	4	22	Emilia/Big Big World (Rodeo/Universal)		SWEDEN	24
5	5	16	Jessica Folcker/How Will I Know (Jive/Zomba)		SWEDEN	33
6	6	19	Ace Of Base/Always Have, Always Will (Mega/Polydor)		DENMARK	34
7	9	10	Sasha/If You Believe (WEA)		GERMANY	23
8	>	NE	Sasha/We Can Leave The World (WEA)		GERMANY	23
9	14	7	Liquido/Narcotic (Virgin)		GERMANY	24
10	10	5	Sash! feat. Dr.Alban/Colour The World (X-IT)		GERMANY	30
11	19	4	Modern Talking/You Are Not Alone  (Hansa/BMG)		GERMANY	24
12	11	13	ATB/9 P.M. (Till I Come) (edel)		GERMANY	16
13	7	9	Eagle-Eye Cherry/Permanent Tears (Superstudio/Polydor)		SWEDEN	22
14	13	5	Emilia/Good Sign (Rodeo/Universal)		SWEDEN	25
15	15	9	Venga Boys/Boom, Boom, Boom, Boom! (Violator/Jive)		HOLLAND	19
16	22	3	Mr. Oizo/Flat Beat (F Communication)		FRANCE	17
17	>	NE	Lene Marlin/Unforgivable Sinner (Virgin)		NORWAY	13
18	16	2	Anggun/Snow On The Sahara (Columbia)		FRANCE	9
19	>	RE	Supercar/Tonite (Time/Zomba)		ITALY	16
20	20	8	Nek/Se Una Regola C'E (WEA)		ITALY	9
21	23	4	Axelle Red/Ce Matin (Virgin)		BELGIUM	11
22	>	NE	Oli P./I Wish (Ariola)		GERMANY	14
23	>	NE	Die Fantastischen Vier/MFG (Columbia)		GERMANY	12
24	>	NE	Mylene Farmer/L'Ame-Stram-Gram (Polydor)		FRANCE	10
25	12	15	Cassius/Cassius 1999 (Virgin)		FRANCE	14

TW = This Week, LW = Last Week, WOC = Weeks On Chart, TS = Total Stations, NE = New Entry, RE = Re-Entry. Titles registering a significant point gain are awarded a bullet.

 Indicates the Road Runner award, assigned to the single with the biggest increase in chart points.

Hotline

Edited by Jonathan Heasman

A feud between Universal's affiliate in the Czech Republic and the country's leading commercial TV channel TV Nova shows no sign of abating. At the Czech Music Academy Awards on March 6, which was shown live on TV Nova, Universal act Lucie criticised the channel's decision to ban one of its videos (M&M, March 20). In answer to reporters' questions on the matter after the show, TV Nova programming director Ivan Rossler declared the ban on Lucie videos had been lifted. But Hotline has discovered that Rossler has now announced a blanket ban on videos from all Universal artists and affiliated labels on its chart show ESO and breakfast programme Snidanes Novou. The only artists exempt from the ban are Andrea Bocelli, the biggest-selling international artist in the Czech Republic, and, ironically, Lucie. But both Universal and TV Nova management are keeping tight-lipped about the matter for the time being.



Bernt von zur Muehlen, the embattled former managing director of Berlin's 104.6 RTL, is refusing to go quietly after being fired by parent company CLT-UFA following his station's prank phone call to German Chancellor Gerhard Schroeder (M&M, April 3). Von zur Muehlen, who sent written apologies to both the chancellor and the federal president, says he will take legal action against CLT-UFA in an attempt to get his job back, describing his dismissal without notice as being "null and void and totally unjustified."

EMI Music Italy has joined the race to buy Italian indie RTI Music, part of the Mediaset group which is 51 percent owned by media magnate Silvio Berlusconi. RTI Music managing director Roberto Magrini has already confirmed that negotiations are underway with Warner Music Italy, but reliable sources inform Hotline that EMI are also interested in acquiring the label, whose core artists include 883, Mina, Adriano Celentano and PFM. Mediaset intend to retain RTI's publishing operation and catalogue, and negotiations for the sale of the label are expected to continue for several more weeks.

Rumours—which have been circulating in the U.K. radio business this week—that London's alternative rock station Xfm is to withdraw from the official RAJAR audience survey for a year are "totally untrue" according to parent company Capital Radio. As a Capital spokesperson points out, withdrawal from RAJAR would mean an instant loss of national advertising revenues for Xfm, which has struggled to get above the one percent share of listening mark since its launch in September 1997.

And still with British radio, the Independent Radio Group has announced a 17 percent reduction in operating losses to £2.4 million (euros 1.4 m) in its financial results for 1998. The group's roster of stations includes central Scotland AC/talk station Scot FM plus a number of local stations in Scotland and north west England.

Finally, rumour has it that former Ariola/Vogue France general manager Matthieu Lauriot-Prévoist will soon be relocating to New York to join the Universal Music Group in an international capacity. Prior to his BMG appointment, Lauriot-Prévoist worked for PolyGram International in London as vice president, catalogue marketing.

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UNITED KINGDOM

TW	LW	WOC	Artist/Title	Original Label	TS
1	4	6	ROBBIE WILLIAMS/STRONG	(Chrysalis)	22
2	5	6	Manic Street Preachers/You Stole The Sun From My Heart	(Epic)	20
3	3	4	New Radicals/You Get What You Give	(MCA)	20
4	13	3	Billie/Honey To The Bee	(Innocent/Virgin)	20
5	>	NE	Honeyz/Love Of A Lifetime	(1st Avenue/Mercury)	20
6	7	8	Blur/Tender	(Food)	19
7	12	3	Catatonia/Dead From The Waist Down	(Blanco Y Negro)	18
8	8	2	Phats & Small/Turn Around	(Multiply)	15
9	1	8	George Michael & Mary J. Blige/As	(Epic)	20
10	10	4	B*witched/Blame It On The Weatherman	(Glow Worm/Epic)	19
11	6	3	Beverly Knight/Made It Back	(Parlophone)	15
12	14	3	TLC/No Scrubs	(La Face/Arista)	15
13	>	NE	Kele Le Roc/My Love	(1st Avenue/Mercury)	18
14	2	9	Britney Spears/...Baby One More Time	(Jive)	19
15	>	NE	Dee-Tah/El Paradiso Rico	(frr)	9
16	>	NE	Cranberries/Promises	(Island)	12
17	>	NE	Texas/In Our Lifetime	(Mercury)	15
18	>	NE	Eminem/My Name Is...	(Eminem)	9
19	15	3	Steps/Better Best Forgotten	(Jive)	15
20	>	RE	The Cardigans/Erase/Rewind	(Trampoline/Stockholm)	12

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GSA

TW	LW	WOC	Artist/Title	Original Label	TS
1	1	8	BRITNEY SPEARS/...BABY ONE MORE TIME	(Jive)	27
2	2	6	Madonna/Nothing Really Matters	(Maverick/Warner Bros.)	23
3	5	3	Sasha/We Can Leave The World	(WEA)	21
4	7	8	George Michael & Mary J. Blige/As	(Jive/Amaru)	15
5	8	5	Robbie Williams/Strong	(Chrysalis)	21
6	9	4	TLC/No Scrubs	(LaFace/Arista)	18
7	4	8	Cher/Strong Enough	(WEA)	21
8	3	11	Roxette/Wish I Could Fly	(Roxette Recordings/EMI)	18
9	14	3	2Pac/Changes	(Jive/Amaru)	15
10	6	7	Blondie/Maria	(Beyond/RCA)	18
11	11	8	Ace Of Base/Always Have, Always Will	(Mega/Polydor)	16
12	12	3	Sara*Te Tac Two/Nie Wieder	(RCA)	12
13	17	5	Alanis Morissette/Joining You	(Maverick/Warner Bros.)	14
14	>	NE	Whitney Houston/It's Not Right But It's OK	(Arista)	14
15	16	6	TQ/Westside	(Clockwork/Epic)	14
16	20	2	Lenny Kravitz/Fly Away	(Virgin)	11
17	>	NE	Bon Jovi/Real Life	(Reprise)	14
18	19	2	'N Syne/Thinking Of You	(Ariola)	11
19	>	NE	Everlast/What It's Like	(Tommy Boy)	11
20	10	6	Jennifer Brown/Tuesday Afternoon	(Ricochet/RCA)	12

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FRANCE

TW	LW	WOC	Artist/Title	Original Label	TS
1	1	16	EMILIA/BIG BIG WORLD	(UNIVERSAL)	27
2	2	8	George Michael/Mary J. Blige/As	(Epic)	23
3	3	9	Cher/Strong Enough	(WEA)	23
4	4	8	Whitney Houston/Heartbreak Hotel	(BMG)	23
5	5	14	Larusso/Tu M'Oublieras	(DLA)	23
6	6	7	Madonna/Nothing Really Matters	(WEA)	23
7	7	19	Jessica Folcker/Tell Me What You Like	(Virgin)	23
8	8	10	Celine Dion/On Ne Change Pas	(Columbia)	23
9	9	11	Norma Ray/Tous Les Mieux D'Amour	(M6)	23
10	10	7	Armand Van Helden/You Don't Know Me	(Barclay)	23
11	11	8	Mylene Farmer/L'Ame-Stram-Gram	(Polydor)	23
12	12	5	Britney Spears/Baby One More Time	(Virgin)	23
13	13	14	Shelby/1+1	(EMI)	23
14	14	5	Florent Pagny/Est-Ce Que Tu Me Suis	(Mercury)	23
15	15	8	Tatyana Ali/Boy You Knock Me Out	(Epic)	23
16	16	18	Will Smith/Just The Two Of Us	(Columbia)	23
17	17	11	Lara Fabian/La Difference	(Polydor)	23
18	18	17	Lauryn Hill/Can't Take My Eyes Off Of You	(SMALL)	23
19	19	2	Wandue Project/King Of My Castle	(Private Life)	23
20	20	2	Janet Jackson/Everytime	(Virgin)	23
21	21	9	Cheb Mami/Parisien Du Nord	(Virgin)	23
22	22	3	So Young/The Corrs	(East West)	23
23	23	11	Louise Attaque/Les Nuits Parisiennes	(Atmospherique)	23
24	24	2	Bisso Na Bisso/Bisso Na Bisso	(V2)	23
25	25	15	Des'ree/What's Your Sign	(Epic)	23

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SCANDINAVIA

TW	LW	WOC	Artist/Title	Original Label	TS
1	2	9	CHER/STRONG ENOUGH	(WEA)	15
2	3	11	Britney Spears/...Baby One More Time	(Jive)	14
3	5	7	New Radicals/You Get What You Give	(MCA)	15
4	1	8	Madonna/Nothing Really Matters	(Maverick/Warner Bros.)	15
5	>	NE	George Michael & Mary J. Blige/As	(Epic)	14
6	4	12	Roxette/Wish I Could Fly	(Roxette Recordings/EMI)	13
7	8	9	Shawn Mullins/Lullaby	(Columbia)	14
8	6	7	Robbie Williams/Strong	(Chrysalis)	13
9	7	13	The Cardigans/Erase/Rewind	(Trampoline/Stockholm)	9
10	10	2	Lene Marlin/Unforgivable Sinner	(Virgin)	8
11	18	2	Sugar Ray/Every Morning	(Atlantic)	10
12	9	2	Texas/In Our Lifetime	(Mercury)	11
13	17	3	Sheryl Crow/Anything But Down	(A&M)	9
14	11	2	Shania Twain/That Don't Impress Me Much	(Mercury)	10
15	>	RE	Blondie/Maria	(Beyond/RCA)	9
16	15	2	Faith Hill/This Kiss	(Warner Bros.)	8
17	13	6	TLC/No Scrubs	(LaFace/Arista)	10
18	>	NE	Drömhuss/Stjarna På Himlen	(Arcade)	11
19	>	NE	Modern Talking/You Are Not Alone	(Hansa)	8
20	16	2	Blackstreet & Janet Jackson/Boyfriend Girlfriend	(Interscope)	8

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THE NETHERLANDS

TW	LW	WOC	Artist/Title	Original Label	TS
1	1	8	JESSICA FOLCKER/HOW WILL I KNOW	(ZOMBA-ROUGH TRADE)	27
2	13	5	Matilde Santing/Wonderful Life	(Epic)	14
3	3	13	George Michael/Mary J. Blige/As	(Epic)	14
4	4	5	Blief/Harder Dan Ik Hebben Kan	(EMI)	14
5	1	10	Britney Spears/...Baby One More Time	(Zomba-Rough Trade)	14
6	8	7	De Kast/In De Wolken	(CNR)	14
7	37	3	Ruth Jacott/Leun Op Mij	(Dino)	14
8	49	16	Marcopostol/Speeltuin	(Polydor)	14
9	40	21	Arthur Ubbogrove/Contact	(SMART)	14
10	53	23	Cher/Believe	(Warner)	14
11	35	3	Vengaboys/We're Going to Ibiza!	(Zomba-Rough Trade)	14
12	7	6	Liquido/Narcotic	(Virgin)	14
13	12	8	Ginuwine/Same Ol' G	(Epic)	14
14	10	8	New Radicals/You Get What You Give	(Universal)	14
15	9	11	DJ Jean/The Launch	(Digidance)	14
16	18	11	Whitney Houston/It's Not Right But It's OK	(BMG)	14
17	139	19	Trijntje Oosterhuis/Vlieg Met Me Mee	(BMG)	14
18	15	6	Madonna/Nothing Really Matters	(Warner)	14
19	6	9	Armand Van Helden/You Don't Know Me	(Polydor)	14
20	42	9	Sasha/If You Believe	(Warner)	14
21	20	17	Bryan Adams/Mel C./When You're Gone	(Polydor)	14
22	86	25	Anthony/Arena/I Want To Spend My Lifetime	(Columbia)	14
23	11	9	2Pac/Changes	(Zomba-Rough Trade)	14
24	17	4	Cher/Strong Enough	(Warner)	14
25	58	8	98 Degrees/Because Of You	(Polydor)	14

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ITALY

TW	LW	WOC	Artist/Title	Original Label	TS
1	2	9	BRITNEY SPEARS/...BABY ONE MORE TIME	(JIVE)	7
2	16	3	Marina Rei/Un Inverno Da Baciare	(Virgin)	7
3	7	6	Pino Daniele/Neve Al Sole	(CGD)	6
4	3	4	Alex Britti/Oggi Sono Io	(Universal)	5
5	5	7	New Radicals/You Get What You Give	(MCA)	6
6	4	5	The Cranberries/Promises	(Island)	6
7	1	7	Blur/Tender	(Food)	6
8	6	7	The Cardigans/Erase/Rewind	(Trampoline/Stockholm)	4
9	13	7	Alanis Morissette/Joining You	(Maverick/Warner Bros.)	5
10	11	7	Lauryn Hill/Ex-Factor	(Columbia)	4
11	8	9	George Michael & Mary J. Blige/As	(Epic)	4
12	12	4	Anna Oxa/Senza Pietà	(Columbia)	5
13	>	NE	Cher/Strong Enough	(WEA)	4
14	>	NE	Phoeb/Se Balla Da Sola	(CGD)	4
15	>	NE	Renato Zero/Figaro	(Epic)	3
16	>	NE	Giorgia/Il Cielo In Una Stanza	(Ricordi)	3
17	9	3	Madonna/Nothing Really Matters	(Maverick/Warner Bros.)	4
18	>	NE	Lene Marlin/Unforgivable Sinner	(Virgin)	3
19	>	NE	Skunk Anansie/Secretly	(Virgin)	3
20	15	3	Robbie Williams/Strong	(Chrysalis)	4

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SPAIN

TW	LW	WOC	Artist/Title	Original Label	TS
1	1	6	COMPLICES/HOY NECESITO	(WEA)	4
2	>	NE	Cranberries/Promises	(Island)	4
3	10	4	Sergio Dalma/La Vida Pasa	(Mercury)	4
4	6	2	Ricky Martin/Po Arriba, Por Abajo	(Columbia)	4
5	7	7	Especialistas/El Panadero	(Hispanavox)	4
6	3	3	Los Cucas/La Ultima Carta	(Arcade)	4
7	>	NE	Azul/Vuelvo A Casa	(Columbia)	4
8	>	NE	Australian Blonde/Cool Dive	(Ariola)	3
9	>	NE	Sexy Sadie & Big Toxic/You Know That's The Way I Like It	(Ariola)	3
10	9	5	Rachel/Que Estemos Puntos	(EMI)	4
11	4	7	La Barberia Del Sur/Dime	(WEA)	3
12	11	4	Jarabe De Palo/Pura Sangre	(Virgin)	4
13	>	NE	Buen Color/Cuentame	(Hispanavox)	3
14	13	2	Pedro Guerra/Otra Forma De Sentir	(Ariola)	4
15	1	5	Manolo Garcia/A San Fernando	(Ariola)	4
16	18	5	Bruce Springsteen/Happy	(Columbia)	4
17	>	RE	Laura Pausini/En Ausencia De Ti	(CGD)	3
18	>	RE	Jewel/Down So Long	(Atlantic)	2
19	>	RE	Marta Sanchez/Desconocida	(Mercury)	3
20	8	7	El Chaval De La Peca/Libre	(WEA)	3

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POLAND

TW	LW	WOC	Artist/Title	Original Label	TS
1	1	3	TLC/NO SCRUBS	(LaFace/Arista)	17
2	4	3	Anna Maria Jopek/Ja Wysladam	(Polydor)	15
3	2	4	Kasia Stankiewicz/Dopiero Od Jutra	(Zic Zac)	14
4	3	4	Cher/Strong Enough	(WEA)	13
5	>	NE	Beth Orton/Stolen Car	(Heavenly)	14
6	>	NE	Kayah I Goran/Spiz Kochanie Spiz	(Zic-Zac)	13
7	5	3	Beata/Zal Metamtych Nocy	(Pomaton)	13
8	8	2	Cut/Another Day	(Virgin)	8
9	>	NE	Emilia/Good Sign	(Universal)	14
10	7	4	Whitney Houston/It's Not Right	(Arista)	11
11	13	4	Celine Dion/On Ne Change Pas	(Columbia)	9
12	11	2	Madonna/Nothing	(Maverick/Warner Bros.)	12
13	10	4	Natalia Kukulska/Tyle Sonca W Czym	(Izabelin)	10
14	14	6	Britney Spears/...Baby One More Time	(Jive)	12
15	9	5	M-People/Dreaming	(M People/BMG)	11
16	12	4	Collective Soul/Run	(Atlantic)	10
17	16	2	Chumbawamba/Mouthful Of Shit	(EMI)	8
18	>	NE	Crash Test Dummies/Keep A Lid On Things	(Arista)	10
19	17	3	Lenny Kravitz/Thinking Of You	(Virgin)	12
20	15	2	Robbie Williams/Strong	(Chrysalis)	11

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HUNGARY

TW	LW	WOC	Artist/Title	Original Label	TS
1	3	7	ROXETTE/WISH I COULD FLY	(ROXETTE RECORDINGS/EMI)	17
2	1	5	Emilia/Big Big World	(Universal)	17
3	4	3	Britney Spears/...Baby One More Time	(EMI)	17
4	6	4	George Michael/Mary J. Blige/As	(Sony)	17
5	5	4	Jessica Folcker/How Will I Know	(Jive/Zomba)	17
6	2	3	The Cardigans/Eraser/Rewind	(Trampolene/Stockholm)	17
7	17	2	Charlie/Ha Varz, Nern Lesz A Tied	(Warner)	17
8	12	4	C'Est La Vie/Titkos Tanc	(Sony)	17
9	14	3	V-Tech/Vele Minden Jo	(EMI)	17
10	15	3	A Ferenczy/Hello!	(Self)	17
11	11	2	Balazs Feco/Erants Meg	(Sony)	17
12	NE	1	Emberk/Forog A Fold	(BMG)	17
13	NE	1	Manhattan/Tejtel Szet	(Hungaroton)	17
14	NE	1	Cher/Strong Enough	(Warner)	17
15	NE	1	Celine Dion & R. Kelly/I'm Your Angel	(Sony)	17
16	NE	1	Des'ree/What's Your Sign?	(Sony)	17
17	NE	1	Whitney Houston & Mariah Carey/When You Believe	(Sony)	17
18	NE	1	Jazz + Az/Csepp A Tengerben	(BMG)	17
19	19	5	Jazz + Az/Megint Hetfo	(BMG)	17
20	NE	1	Jewel/Hands	(Warner)	17

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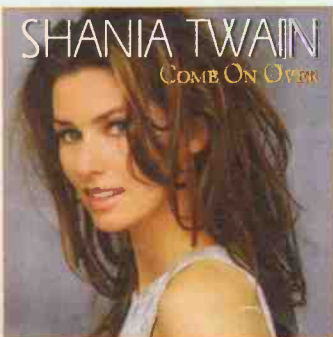
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