

SOUND REINFORCEMENT

Adamson takes the Midem ground

FRANCE – Adamson Systems Engineering recently provided the audio for Midem 2002 – one of the most important events in the recording industry's calendar.

The manufacturer's French distributor, DV2 installed Adamson Y-Axis loudspeakers into the Palais des Festivals de Cannes for concerts which included performances by Mick Jagger, Dido and Britney Spears.

Seven Y18 and three Y10 loudspeakers were employed per side (with pairs of SX subs) plus a further six Y10 enclosures were used for centre fill and SX18 and MH121.5 cabinets were specified for front fill.



MIDEM, Cannes, 2002: get ready for Britney and pals

The system was also later used for Midem's closing event, the *Midem Classique Programme* (which included appearances by artists including the soprano Galina Vishnevskaya and pianist Daniel Barenboim) and for the 35th Montreux Jazz Festival.

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