

## SLASH FEAT MYLES KENNEDY CONCERT AT BANGALORE; RESOUNDS WITH L-ACOUSTICS BY J DAVIS

Slash, best known as the former lead guitarist of heavy metal band Guns N' Roses, finally performed in India. Live Viacom 18 brought Slash, featuring Myles Kennedy and The Conspirators on their debut India tour, giving the rock fans a big reason to celebrate who were left disappointed when one of his tours was cancelled by the promoters in 2013.

Saul Hudson aka Slash did a two-city tour in November 2015. The legendary guitarist and songwriter brought along his backing band The Conspirators with Todd Kerns (bass and vocals), Brent Fitz (drums) and

Frank Sidoris (vocals and guitar), accompanied by Myles Kennedy (lead vocals), an American musician and singer-songwriter best known as a member of the rock band Alter Bridge, to headline the second season of MTV Indies Xtreme, a rock music and adventure sports festival.

J Davis Prosound & Lighting teamed up with Viacom 18 for



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### SOUND INVENTORY:

- 24 L-Acoustics K2 (12 + 12 LR Config)
- 24 L-Acoustics SB28 Subs (cardiod Sub Arc Pattern)
- 16 L-Acoustics V-DOSC For Delays (8 + 8 LR Config)
- LA8 & LA 48a Amplification
- Dolby Lake Controller
- 6 L-Acoustics DV DOSC For Centre fills (2 + 2 + 2 Config)
- 6 L-Acoustics Arcs + 4 SB 218 Subs (3 Tops + 2 Subs Per Side Config)
- 8 LE 1500 + 6 LE 2100 Martin Audio Stage Monitors
- 1 Avid SC48 Digital Console For Opening Acts

### LIGHTING INVENTORY:

- 16 Elation Platinum Beam 5 R
- 24 Silver Star CYAN 8000 XE Moving Head Wash
- 16 Silver Star MX Prime Moving Head Wash
- 24 Robe 2500 Spot
- 6 Claypaky Alpha Spot HPE 1200
- 18 Atomic Strobes 3000
- 4 F.A.L Follow Spots 2.5 Kw
- 6 4 Lite Molefays
- 4 Look Haze Machines
- 16 Silver Star Boxer LED Pars
- 1 Avolites Pearl Expert

the Bangalore Concert. "We are absolutely privileged to be a part of this Concert featuring Legendary Guitarist Slash!!! This was

our second major gig with our very recent purchase of L-Acoustics K2 system from Hi-Tech Audio Systems a few months back and it was really awesome to hear them on this system," comments Santana Davis, Managing Director & Chief Sound Engineer.

Other inventory for backline ran as follows:

- Shure UHF R Series Radio Mics
- Senneheiser G3 Series In-ear Monitors
- Combination of Shure, Senneheiser & AKG Microphones for Vocals & Instruments

The FOH Console Avid Profile and MOH Console Midas Pro2 were carried by the Artist, along with the main Lighting Console GrandMA 2. Graflex Inc., the AV & Trussing Division of J Davis Prosound & Lighting provided the LED comprising of 5.3 Pitch LED Wall, measuring 16 x 12 ft x 2nos. for both sides of the stage, along with 66 x 60 ft Roof Truss with all sub hangs from Weifa truss.

## STUDIOMASTER PROFESSIONAL INTRODUCES EKS 151

Studiomaster Professional, a homegrown pro-audio manufacturer adds a new series of speakers to its ever expanding lineup. The company recently introduced the EKS 151, a high performance 2-way 350W RMS passive speaker.

The speaker incorporates a powerful 15" LF transducer along with a crystal clear 1.75" HF driver to deliver pure 350 Watts of power. The unique elliptical flared horn ensures wide and optimal coverage angle. The Studiomaster Professional EKS 151 passive speaker has an impedance of 8Ω and an ultra-wide frequency response of 42Hz-20KHz. The Studiomaster



EKS 151, 2-way 350W RMS passive speaker

Professional EKS 151 has convenient high frequency boost switch that let's the user boost high frequency response for situations with demanding requirements. This feature has been added to increase versatility of the product.

The EKS 151 has an amazing sensitivity of 97.8dB and a max SPL of a whopping 121.5dB. The inputs section boasts of 2 x Speakon and 2 x ¼" Jack connectors and also allow for parallel connectivity between speakers.

The trapezoidal shaped enclosures design with pole mount adaptors allows easy mounting and supreme sonic accuracy. The trapezoidal design adds versatility to the EKS 151 allowing the user to use it as a floor monitor as well.

The enclosure of the EKS 151 is laced with a durable black carpet finish. Keeping in mind the Indian usage environs, the speaker is made to be tough, durable and road-ready. The EKS 151 passive speaker boasts of clear mids, crisp high frequency and punchy low frequency reproduction. With so many features stuffed into one package, the speaker is ideal for a wide spectrum of application possibilities ranging from live sound, touring and fixed installations. The EKS 151 is readily available with all authorized Studiomaster Professional dealers & distributors across India.

## STUDIOMASTER PROFESSIONAL ADDS PALLADIUM 1842 TO ITS MIXER RANGE

Studiomaster Professional is committed to develop and deliver a range of high quality pro-audio solutions for the dynamic Indian market. Currently, it has a wide range of mixers catering to

6 Stereo inputs. In true Studiomaster Professional design styling, the last 6 inputs are MON:STER (Mono/Stereo) allowing for maximum flexibility and versatility. The inputs have a discreet preamps that boast of state-of-the-art gain structure for impeccable tonal responsible. It incorporates a 3 Band EQ with mid-sweep on Mono inputs 4 band on Stereo inputs. Apart from this, the Palladium 1842 has Inserts & Direct outs on each Channel for additional routing or signal processing.

When it comes to signal routing, the mixer has 4 Aux busses; 2 pre/post (selectable) & 2 posts along with stereo aux returns. The Palladium 1842 has four groups that can be routed per channel along with 1/4" group out features. Interestingly, the group outs also have an insert feature for additional signal processing. This nifty little feature is handy during multiple microphone applications. The lists of features don't end here; Studiomaster Professional has also incorporated premium grade 24Bit digital stereo effects processor with 99

presets. The warm sounding effects feature all the commonly deployed EFX such as reverbs, delays, echos and chorus to name a few.

The Studiomaster Professional 1842 also sports a 9-band stereo graphic equalizer to tweak the master output or to control feedback loops if the need arises. On the output front, the mixer has balanced XLR & 1/4" jack master outputs along with control room out and an additional mono out for added versatility. In its endeavor to woo its customers, the Palladium 1842 also brags of a built-in USB interface with Playback & Record facilities. The mixer comes with globally switched +48V phantom power and stereo playback input/rec out RCA jack. Finally, the mixer has a USB socket that can be used to connect a lamp.

All these features are beautifully integrated in to a classy, sturdy and road-ready housing. With so many features at disposal, this mixer has already received rave reviews from its users. The Palladium 1842 is an ideal high end sound solution for live, front-of-house and touring audio applications. The 24 input mixer is readily available at all authorized Studiomaster Professional dealers and distributors.



**Palladium 1842**

wide spectrum of user application. The brand added yet another show stealer to its inventory of mixers. Studiomaster Professional has introduced a premium quality and performance driven 24 input mixer the Palladium 1842.

Aimed at high end sound applications, the Palladium 1842 has 18 Mic +

## 5 CORE ANNOUNCES MAJOR EXPANSION PLANS IN INDIA

Delhi based, PA equipment manufacturer 5 Core Electronics Ltd., has announced major expansion plans into the Indian market. The 5 Core journey has traversed 29 years from being a small time electronics goods dealer in Calcutta to becoming a distinguished manufacturer and supplier of PA equipment to many parts of the world.

The brand "5 CORE" was established in 1988 which introduced multi core soldering wire of Japanese Technology in India. Many items followed, to cover a wide variety of public address systems, electronics and electricals.

With growth demanding its share "FIVE CORE ELECTRONICS Ltd." was born in 2002. Now the company has a massive range starting from PA equipments, Audio to Video Products, Power Solutions, Electrical Accessories, Televisions and a host of other Electronic and Electrical gadgets.

Since more than three decades, 5 Core has been exporting and trading to more than 55 countries across the North and South American Continent, Europe, African Continent, Middle East and Gulf countries and the South Asian belt, out of nine manufacturing units in India. The company claims of having the biggest Audio



manufacturing facility in India.

On the strength of increasing demand from the Indian market, for pro audio equipment, 5 Core added an additional manufacturing capacity. The accelerated production derived from these units helped the company to supply in India as well,

starting mid-2015 and now 5 Core has plans to aggressively market their pro-audio products in India in the coming years.

Amarjit Singh Kalra, Managing Director of 5 Core say, "We believes in creating audio solutions with best innovative features. Our vision and mission is to make "5 Core" recognized as Sound Of India all over the world."

The company's professional range includes mixers, amps, columns, environmental wall speakers, conference microphones, wireless microphones and dj wooden columns.

"We are manufacturing good quality products for professionals and we will continuously do that to benefit each and every one of our customers, dealers and distributors. Our strategy is to penetrate the International market and to meet customer satisfaction," says Paramdeep Singh Sarna, General Manager of 5 Core Electronics.