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1	268.3	Bruce Springsteen & The E Street Band	111.48	36,464	2,406,591	4,064,939	66/76	BPB Consulting / Creative Artists Agency
2	256.2	Beyoncé	114.59	48,642	2,237,542	5,573,702	46/49	Creative Artists Agency
3	241.0	Coldplay	90.05	60,828	2,676,425	5,477,701	44/60	Paradigm Talent Agency / X-ray Touring
4	188.4	Guns N' Roses	111.00	48,490	1,697,164	5,382,317	35/44	United Talent Agency / Int'l Talent Booking
5	167.7	Adele	109.59	34,777	1,530,196	3,811,364	44/107	WME / International Talent Booking
6	163.3	Justin Bieber	92.70	20,484	1,761,642	1,898,837	86/115	Creative Artists Agency
7	110.6	Paul McCartney	127.43	28,924	867,712	3,685,852	30/36	Marshall Arts / MPL Communications
8	97.0	Garth Brooks	69.29	56,000	1,400,000	3,880,000	25/102	WME
9	90.9	The Rolling Stones	122.33	74,343	743,425	9,094,136	10/14	AEG Live
10	85.5	Celine Dion	146.26	30,766	584,560	4,500,000	19/78	ICM Partners / CDA Productions / Solo Agency
11	84.3	Drake	112.08	19,793	752,141	2,218,421	38/56	WME
12	84.1	Luke Bryan	59.00	21,597	1,425,423	1,274,242	66/81	WME
13	82.2	Madonna	216.01	19,033	380,669	4,111,410	20/33	Live Nation Global Touring
14	76.6	Billy Joel	109.67	41,086	698,459	4,505,882	17/28	Artist Group International
15	73.9	Black Sabbath	77.29	14,940	956,139	1,154,688	64/65	CAA / International Talent Booking
16	69.5	Kenny Chesney	76.32	32,512	910,330	2,481,195	28/30	Dale Morris & Associates
17	66.6	Cirque du Soleil - "Toruk - The First Flight"	69.56	21,760	957,446	1,513,636	44/293	Cirque du Soleil
18	65.5	Muse	69.18	24,916	946,805	1,723,684	38/64	United Talent Agency
19	62.9	Iron Maiden	66.00	17,018	953,030	1,123,214	56/59	Creative Artists Agency / K2 Agency
20	61.4	Rihanna	85.63	12,153	717,038	1,040,678	59/64	WME
21	60.1	Maroon 5	68.88	22,373	872,531	1,541,026	39/42	WME / International Talent Booking / CAA
22	58.5	Elton John	110.61	8,530	528,885	943,548	62/92	Howard Rose Agency / Rocket Music Ent. Group
23	58.2	Carrie Underwood	68.70	10,592	847,378	727,670	80/80	Creative Artists Agency
24	56.0	Rod Stewart	107.56	13,701	520,639	1,473,684	38/67	Artist Group International
25	55.3	Trans-Siberian Orchestra	58.98	15,376	937,921	906,934	61/104	WME
26	53.2	Dixie Chicks	66.58	11,759	799,615	782,887	68/70	Creative Artists Agency
27	53.0	Cirque du Soleil - "Varekai"	61.45	23,311	862,489	1,432,432	37/281	Cirque du Soleil
28	52.8	Cirque du Soleil - "Kuriós"	86.30	15,302	612,080	1,320,518	40/348	Cirque du Soleil
29	52.8	Kanye West	86.65	19,042	609,347	1,650,000	32/41	Creative Artists Agency
30	48.9	Andrea Bocelli	165.30	8,452	295,825	1,397,143	35/37	Klassics Music Management Limited
31	46.9	The Cure	59.58	12,696	787,176	756,452	62/74	CAA / Primary Talent International
32	46.2	Red Hot Chili Peppers	80.70	21,181	571,894	1,709,285	27/40	Creative Artists Agency
33	46.1	Barbra Streisand	260.20	13,618	177,034	3,543,438	13/14	Creative Artists Agency
34	43.2	Cirque du Soleil - "Amaluna"	80.35	16,786	537,145	1,348,676	32/268	Cirque du Soleil
35	43.1	Marc Anthony	77.13	15,966	558,796	1,231,429	35/44	Cardenas Marketing Network / Mark Anthony Prod.
36	40.1	AC/DC	114.84	10,912	349,181	1,253,125	32/32	Creative Artists Agency
37	37.7	Ricky Martin	71.95	10,479	523,974	754,000	50/60	Creative Artists Agency
38	37.5	5 Seconds Of Summer	55.85	7,296	671,261	407,483	92/101	Creative Artists Agency
39	37.4	Jason Aldean	49.54	13,471	754,398	667,379	56/59	WME
40	37.0	Phish	54.31	30,991	681,793	1,683,019	22/42	Paradigm Talent Agency
41	37.0	Bryan Adams	59.42	6,486	622,685	385,417	96/97	Patriot Artists Agency / Feldman Agency / Leighton-Pope Org
42	36.4	Florida Georgia Line	44.68	13,595	815,719	607,458	60/60	WME
43	35.6	Selena Gomez	65.75	7,317	541,444	481,081	74/75	WME
44	35.1	Journey / Doobie Brothers	61.29	11,467	573,338	702,835	50/50	Creative Artists Agency
45	34.9	Dave Matthews Band	49.14	16,910	710,215	830,952	42/48	Paradigm Talent Agency
46	34.7	Jennifer Lopez	206.69	4,195	167,810	867,136	40/40	Creative Artists Agency
47	34.1	Zac Brown Band	52.75	17,471	646,445	921,622	37/40	Creative Artists Agency
48	33.9	Mumford & Sons	52.29	14,751	649,046	771,269	44/50	The Billions Corporation / Int'l Talent Booking
49	33.5	The Who	93.78	9,923	357,219	930,556	36/36	International Talent Booking
50	33.1	Lionel Richie	94.46	10,012	350,429	945,714	35/53	Creative Artists Agency / Marshall Arts

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51	32.2	Def Leppard	52.14	10,634	616,753	554,399	58/58	Artist Group International
52	32.1	André Rieu	88.11	7,931	364,821	698,774	46/60	André Rieu Productions
53	31.6	Keith Urban	51.10	11,047	618,627	564,514	56/58	Creative Artists Agency
54	31.1	David Gilmour	117.39	13,944	264,928	1,636,842	19/30	APA / United Talent Agency
55	31.0	Dolly Parton	80.07	6,347	387,161	508,197	61/62	APA
56	30.3	Mariah Carey	88.07	10,119	344,044	891,176	34/68	United Talent Agency
57	29.7	James Taylor	81.01	7,189	366,621	582,353	51/54	Creative Artists Agency
58	29.5	Cirque du Soleil - "Lúzia"	71.48	1,833	412,380	131,015	1/225	Cirque du Soleil
59	29.4	Dead & Company	69.85	22,126	420,396	1,545,481	19/23	CAA / Paradigm Talent Agency
60	28.9	Blink-182	38.74	13,311	745,395	515,683	56/58	Creative Artists Agency
61	28.8	Britney Spears	144.97	3,608	198,415	522,991	1/55	Creative Artists Agency
62	28.1	Jimmy Buffett	67.40	13,449	416,913	906,452	31/31	The Howard Rose Agency
63	28.0	Sting / Peter Gabriel	119.77	12,988	233,781	1,555,556	18/19	Creative Artists Agency / WME
64	27.9	Pearl Jam	66.69	27,877	418,152	1,859,182	15/20	WME
65	27.3	Kevin Hart	75.78	10,596	360,253	802,941	34/43	APA
66	26.8	Twenty One Pilots	35.57	7,677	752,384	273,116	98/108	Creative Artists Agency
67	26.4	Paul Simon	92.01	5,978	286,925	550,000	48/57	CAA / International Talent Booking
68	26.2	Scorpions	68.24	7,234	383,398	493,678	53/59	APA / International Talent Booking
69	25.9	Jeff Dunham	49.38	5,764	524,503	284,615	91/92	United Talent Agency
70	25.6	Jeff Lynne's ELO	109.94	14,536	232,580	1,598,116	16/23	H.K. Management
71	25.3	Stevie Nicks	98.08	9,218	258,106	904,083	28/28	Creative Artists Agency
72	25.3	The Stone Roses	85.80	73,718	294,871	6,325,000	4/9	Creative Artists Agency / 13 Artists
73	25.1	Amy Schumer	61.08	6,133	410,936	374,627	67/68	APA
74	24.0	Cirque du Soleil - "Ovo"	61.43	13,019	390,583	799,823	30/198	Cirque du Soleil
75	23.9	Macklemore & Ryan Lewis	55.83	5,488	428,085	306,410	78/120	WME
76	23.1	Ellie Goulding	45.68	6,743	505,691	308,000	75/76	WME / CODA
77	21.4	Brad Paisley	38.32	9,797	558,455	375,439	57/57	WME
78	21.3	Jerry Seinfeld	94.50	3,522	225,396	332,813	64/86	ICM Partners
79	21.0	"I Love The 90's" / Salt-N-Pepa / Vanilla Ice	47.13	4,547	445,576	214,286	98/98	UAA / Universal Attractions Agency
80	20.6	"Riverdance"	59.39	7,715	347,173	458,199	45/207	WME
81	20.5	Simply Red	62.55	5,042	327,737	315,385	65/68	Creative Artists Agency
82	20.2	Pentatonix	53.92	5,352	374,619	288,571	70/70	Creative Artists Agency
83	19.7	Little Mix	47.82	8,396	411,421	401,544	49/56	Solo Agency
84	19.1	Pitbull	67.41	7,871	283,340	530,556	36/41	Creative Artists Agency
85	18.5	The Tragically Hip	81.23	22,783	227,834	1,850,692	10/15	The Feldman Agency / United Talent Agency
86	18.5	Aerosmith	87.42	23,514	211,622	2,055,556	9/9	Paradigm / International Talent Booking
87	18.4	The 1975	37.05	5,173	496,626	191,667	96/115	The Windish Agency / Primary Talent Int'l
88	18.1	Sia	78.98	10,398	228,766	821,290	22/23	Paradigm Talent Agency
89	18.1	Slipknot	40.61	6,857	445,703	278,462	65/65	Creative Artists Agency
90	18.1	Nickelback	85.46	7,303	211,794	624,138	29/29	United Talent Agency
91	18.0	Blake Shelton	60.71	13,462	296,158	817,202	22/26	WME
92	18.0	Hans Zimmer	88.51	5,981	203,366	529,412	34/35	WME
93	17.8	George Strait	166.90	35,624	106,873	5,945,791	3/6	The Erv Woolsey Agency
94	17.8	Metallica	94.69	18,798	187,981	1,780,000	10/10	Artist Group International / K2 Agency
95	17.5	"Bad Boy Family Reunion Tour" / "Puff Daddy"	83.91	10,974	208,508	920,869	19/19	Creative Artists Agency
96	17.5	Bob Dylan	81.03	3,789	215,969	307,018	57/71	Creative Artists Agency / Int'l Talent Booking
97	17.4	"Honda Civic Tour" / Demi Lovato / Nick Jonas	57.79	7,002	301,090	404,651	43/43	Creative Artists Agency
98	17.1	Il Divo	76.94	2,813	222,251	216,456	79/81	Creative Artists Agency
99	16.6	Weezer / Panic! At The Disco	33.03	12,539	501,558	414,153	40/40	WME / Creative Artists Agency
100	16.5	"The Illusionists"	59.63	8,668	277,376	516,860	32/164	WME / The Road Company

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