

# U2 360° TOUR Presented by BlackBerry

# OPENING WEEKEND PERFORMANCES SELL OUT! 312,000 tickets sold over 2 days

2<sup>ND</sup> SHOWS ADDED Gothenburg; Milan; Amsterdam Additional show confirmed for Dublin Tickets on sale this week in the UK; France, Ireland, Italy and Poland

LOS ANGELES, CA -- March 16, 2009 -- With sales of over 312,000 tickets in 24 hours, U2 fans worldwide are ready to "get on their boots" as U2 360° Tour, presented by Blackberry®, announces complete sell-outs in Gothenburg, Milan and Amsterdam this weekend.

Friday morning, sales in Gothenburg were so brisk, that after 30 minutes a 2<sup>nd</sup> and final show (August 1<sup>st</sup>) was added with 56,000 tickets per show completely sold out by end of day. Amsterdam broke that record Saturday with the July 20<sup>th</sup> ArenA performance selling 60,000 tickets within 15 minutes of going on sale. A 2<sup>nd</sup> performance July 21<sup>st</sup> was immediately announced and put on sale and is also now sold out. Milan's 80,000 capacity San Siro was also completely sold out by Sunday evening and tickets for a 2<sup>nd</sup> performance July 8th in Milan will go on sale this Friday, March 20<sup>th</sup>.

In Dublin, reaction to last week's world tour announcement was so strong that a 2<sup>nd</sup> performance at Croke Park was confirmed prior to tickets even being put on sale. Tickets for both the July 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> performances will go on sale this Friday, March 20<sup>th</sup>. Additional on-sales this week include: Paris & Nice; Chorzow Poland, and London, Glasgow, Sheffield and Cardiff in the UK.

In keeping with their long-standing tradition, U2 will welcome a number of different support acts to the tour including: Snow Patrol (Milan, Nice, Gothenburg); Glasvegas (Dublin, Glasgow, Cardiff), Elbow (London, Sheffield), Kaiser Chiefs (Paris, Dublin), and Black Eyed Peas with additional artists to be announced. U2 360° Tour follows the release of their 12<sup>th</sup> studio album "No Line On The Horizon" which debuted at #1 in over 30 territories.

The U2 360° tour is sponsored by BlackBerry® and produced by Live Nation Global Touring.

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#### **EUROPEAN TOUR SCHEDULE:**

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07-JULY	MILAN. IT	SAN SIRO	Snow Patrol	SOLD OUT!
08-JULY	MILAN. IT	SAN SIRO	Snow Patrol	Mar. 20
11-JULY	PARIS, FR	STADE DE FRANCE	Kaiser Chiefs	Mar. 20
15-JULY	NICE, FR	CHARLES EHRMANN NIKAIA	Snow Patrol	Mar. 20
18-JULY	BERLIN, DE	OLYMPIC STADIUM		
20-JULY	AMSTERDAM, NL	ArenA	TBC	SOLD OUT!
21-JULY	AMSTERDAM, NL	ArenA	TBC	SOLD OUT!
24-JULY	DUBLIN, IE	CROKE PARK	Glasvegas	Mar. 20
25-JULY	DUBLIN, IE	CROKE PARK	Kaiser Chiefs	Mar. 20
31-JULY	GOTHENBURG, SE	ULLEVI	Snow Patrol	SOLD OUT!
01-AUG	GOTHENBURG, SE	ULLEVI	Snow Patrol	SOLD OUT!
06-AUG.	CHORZOW, PL	SLASKI STADIUM	Snow Patrol	Mar. 20
10-AUG.	ZAGREB, HR	MAKSIMIR STADIUM		
14-AUG.	LONDON, UK	WEMBLEY STADIUM	Elbow	Mar. 20
18-AUG.	GLASGOW, UK	HAMPDEN PARK	Glasvegas	Mar. 20
20-AUG.	SHEFFIELD, UK	DON VALLEY STADIUM	Elbow	Mar. 20
22-AUG.	CARDIFF, UK	MILLENNIUM STADIUM	Glasvegas	Mar. 20

#### **NORTH AMERICAN TOUR SCHEDULE:**

12-SEPT.	CHICAGO, IL	SOLDIER FIELD
16-SEPT.	TORONTO, ON	THE ROGERS CENTRE
20-SEPT.	BOSTON, MA	GILLETTE STADIUM
24-SEPT.	NEW YORK, NY	GIANTS STADIUM

U2 360 will also visit: Gelsenkirchen, DE this summer with additional dates and venues to be confirmed. The North American tour will include dates in Atlanta, GA; Charlottesville, VA; Raleigh, NC; Dallas, TX; Houston, TX; Las Vegas, NV; Los Angeles, CA; Norman, OK; Phoenix, AZ; Tampa, FL; Washington, DC and Vancouver, BC. Complete Tour and ticketing information to follow.

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