

A DJ is performing at a nightclub, with a large crowd of people dancing and cheering in the background. The DJ is wearing a dark shirt and has his arms raised, pointing upwards. The DJ booth is equipped with various audio equipment, including a laptop, a mixer, and speakers. The scene is lit with blue and red lights, creating a vibrant atmosphere.

KV2 gives Amnesia something to
remember in Ibiza

Amnesia, Ibiza

KV²
audio

The best sound for one of the world's best clubs...



Amnesia is perhaps Ibiza's most iconic club and has a global reputation to match. First opened in 1976, Amnesia has been voted Best Global Club no fewer than four times and is never far from the top five of DJ Magazine's Top 100 Clubs list.

A brand new, state-of-the-art KV2 sound system in the Terrace space of the 4000-capacity club has boosted ratings yet again and earned the acclaim of some of the world's best-known DJs.

The most advanced sound system in the world



The system was designed by the team from KV2's German office in collaboration with Johannes Kraemer, sound engineer for techno legend, Ritchie Hawtin.

"My intention was to provide a versatile tool that allows shows to run in three directions depending on where the DJ is situated. I programmed a solution where they can do that simply by recalling a scene from the desk. Also, each VIP zone can be controlled individually. Equally important was the ability to deliver a variety of sound experiences from hyper-loud, to clean analytical, right through to bass-heavy Detroit style."

Johannes Kraemer
Sound engineer

Recreating the music



The DJ booth has also been given the KV2 treatment with two full range, 3-way ESR212s combined with a pair of VHD2.18J subs. Its residents are loving the results, claiming that the clarity of the sound has enabled the detail of their mix to stand out in a way that adds a whole new dimension to their work.

"Sound is one of the key elements in a club. It allows you to feel the music, a tool to reflect art and expression. I think Amnesia's Terrace totally achieves that through its KV2 sound system."

Luciano

Five-time DJ Award winner

Bottom line



Amnesia's regular and resident DJs have clearly noticed the difference between the club's former, custom system and the new KV2 experience.

"It's the perfect sound system for our Terrace. I love to be able to listen to music in its purest state, from low to high frequencies, without any processes altering the sound. That is exactly what KV2 delivers."

Resident DJ CAAL

"KV2 is, without a doubt, one of the best and most innovative sound systems that I have worked with. It preserves sound quality without compromising musical nuances. It's a pleasure playing with such frequency precision."

DJ Hector Couto

Wrap up



The challenge

- To deliver the best sound on the island
- To be able to run shows in 3 directions depending on location of DJ
- To deliver a variety of sound experiences
- Perfect time alignment for bands when top speakers switched to delay mode

"KV2 was absolutely the best option for us – it's the only professional sound system that is still analogue, and the sound on the Terrace is perfect."

Martin Vega, aka Mar-T
Artistic director, Amnesia

The solution

KV2's unique SLA technology offers unprecedented levels of dynamic range, ultra-low distortion, extreme clarity and unparalleled definition over distance. Hybrid electronics are matched to the fastest and lowest distortion transducers available today, and digital electronics deliver the highest sampling rate ever used in a professional loudspeaker system.

Main system:

8 x SL412
12 x VHD2.18J subs

DJ booth:

2 x ESR212
2 x VHD2.18J subs

VIP area:

2 x ESR215