

2015

# MIDYEAR TOP 100 Worldwide Tours

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Rank	Gross Millions	Artist	Average Ticket Price	Average Tickets	Total Tickets	Average Gross	Cities Shows	Agency
1	107.7	One Direction	96.19	50,881	1,119,375	4,894,236	22/33	Creative Artists Agency
2	92.0	Fleetwood Mac	123.96	15,155	742,574	1,878,529	49/56	Creative Artists Agency
3	80.7	The Rolling Stones	178.44	45,204	452,041	8,066,136	10/10	AEG Live
4	79.9	Garth Brooks	66.23	92,855	1,207,109	6,149,756	13/74	Bob Doyle & Associates
5	64.5	Paul McCartney	158.57	31,289	406,760	4,961,538	13/17	MPL Communications
6	60.8	Take That	108.93	39,868	558,156	4,342,857	14/42	WME
7	60.5	Foo Fighters	85.32	32,232	709,095	2,750,000	22/22	WME / Creative Artists Agency
8	55.8	Kenny Chesney	80.67	23,054	691,619	1,859,759	30/33	Dale Morris & Associates
9	53.5	Ed Sheeran	61.62	12,959	868,224	798,507	67/81	Paradigm Talent Agency / Free Trade Agency
10	51.2	Violetta	76.74	22,240	667,202	1,706,614	30/101	DG Medios y Espectaculos S.A.
11	48.5	Maroon 5	80.47	15,438	602,101	1,242,310	39/42	Creative Artists Agency / Int'l Talent Booking
12	46.5	Taylor Swift	108.24	26,850	429,600	2,906,250	16/20	The Messina Group
13	45.5	Eagles	163.44	13,919	278,389	2,275,000	20/26	Creative Artists Agency
14	44.4	Neil Diamond	105.54	10,517	420,693	1,110,000	40/43	WME
15	40.3	U2	108.15	53,233	372,630	5,757,143	7/21	Live Nation Global Touring
16	40.0	Elton John	126.34	12,177	316,605	1,538,462	26/48	Howard Rose Agency / Rocket Music Ent. Group
17	29.1	Cirque du Soleil - "Totem"	101.87	15,844	285,183	1,613,977	18/162	Cirque du Soleil
18	28.2	Bette Midler	126.25	9,299	223,168	1,173,915	24/26	Creative Artists Agency
19	28.1	Juan Gabriel	92.36	10,866	304,244	1,003,571	28/37	God Is Music SA de CV
20	27.8	Queen + Adam Lambert	100.73	11,499	275,985	1,158,333	24/25	Creative Artists Agency
21	27.1	The Script	51.21	9,985	529,193	511,321	53/57	Creative Artists Agency
22	26.9	Cirque du Soleil - "Kurios"	90.14	17,542	298,213	1,581,174	17/156	Cirque du Soleil
23	25.8	Katy Perry	69.14	10,975	373,133	758,824	34/35	Creative Artists Agency
24	25.6	Sting / Paul Simon	115.85	8,184	220,975	948,148	27/29	CAA / Int'l Talent Booking / Solo Agency
25	25.4	Chris Brown	98.15	9,242	258,787	907,143	28/28	ICM Partners
26	25.3	Herbert Grönemeyer	57.66	16,251	438,779	937,037	27/29	The Agency Group
27	24.6	Rush	85.67	13,062	287,359	1,118,957	22/22	Artist Group International / The Feldman Agency
28	24.5	Olly Murs	63.67	14,252	384,796	907,407	27/45	Creative Artists Agency
29	24.4	Eric Church	46.72	11,112	522,260	519,149	47/49	WME
30	24.1	Cirque du Soleil - "Quidam"	62.56	20,273	385,188	1,268,192	19/125	Cirque du Soleil
31	24.0	Luke Bryan	63.06	15,224	380,589	960,000	25/28	WME
32	23.6	Lionel Richie	84.19	8,009	280,318	674,286	35/35	Creative Artists Agency / Marshall Arts
33	23.4	Charlie Wilson	91.07	5,586	256,945	508,696	46/47	ICM Partners
34	23.4	Cirque du Soleil - "Varekai"	59.91	16,952	389,891	1,015,568	23/163	Cirque du Soleil
35	22.5	Ariana Grande	48.18	12,289	466,998	592,105	38/41	Creative Artists Agency
36	21.9	New Kids On The Block	59.65	8,741	367,141	521,429	42/46	Creative Artists Agency
37	21.8	Bob Seger & The Silver Bullet Band	87.15	9,265	250,143	807,407	27/27	ICM Partners
38	21.4	Billy Joel	88.15	30,346	242,768	2,675,000	8/13	Artist Group International
39	21.2	Cirque du Soleil - "Kooza"	103.50	17,062	204,744	1,765,948	12/106	Cirque du Soleil
40	20.9	Kevin Hart	69.48	7,520	300,805	522,500	40/48	APA
41	19.7	Ricardo Arjona	83.95	5,867	234,663	492,500	40/45	Fenix Entertainment Group
42	18.4	The Who	100.94	8,286	182,286	836,364	22/24	AEG Live / International Talent Booking
43	18.2	Romeo Santos	74.69	9,372	243,673	700,000	26/27	Angelo Medina Group
44	18.0	Andrea Bocelli	220.16	6,289	81,758	1,384,615	13/15	Pentagon Music Management
45	17.1	André Rieu	76.94	6,006	222,220	462,117	37/43	André Rieu Productions
46	17.0	Shania Twain	89.02	17,411	191,517	1,549,828	11/15	Creative Artists Agency
47	17.0	Cirque du Soleil - "Amaluna"	85.37	22,126	199,133	1,888,889	9/100	Cirque du Soleil
48	16.8	Barry Manilow	71.91	8,320	232,961	598,314	28/28	WME
49	16.3	Dave Matthews Band	59.16	14,537	276,206	860,052	19/20	Paradigm Talent Agency
50	16.0	Miranda Lambert	56.66	9,109	282,386	516,129	31/31	WME

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51	15.9	Bryan Adams	59.84	6,326	265,708	378,571	42/44	Patriot Artists Agency / Leighton-Pope / Feldman Agency
52	15.5	5 Seconds Of Summer	48.39	10,677	320,314	516,667	30/34	Creative Artists Agency / WME
53	15.5	Nickelback	65.05	6,110	238,278	397,436	39/39	The Agency Group
54	15.3	"The Illusionists"	47.97	16,797	319,144	805,677	19/103	WME
55	15.0	Rod Stewart	127.60	10,687	117,554	1,363,636	11/18	Artist Group International
56	14.9	Florida Georgia Line	49.02	10,856	303,957	532,143	28/28	WME
57	14.6	Enrique Iglesias / Pitbull	85.88	13,077	170,004	1,123,077	13/14	Creative Artists Agency
58	14.5	Luis Miguel	74.48	10,831	194,952	806,716	18/29	WME
59	14.5	Spandau Ballet	75.23	4,283	192,742	322,222	45/46	Creative Artists Agency / Solo Agency
60	14.3	Jason Aldean	57.20	9,615	250,000	550,000	26/27	WME
61	14.2	Backstreet Boys	64.95	9,938	218,629	645,455	22/28	WME
62	14.0	Imagine Dragons	54.40	6,955	257,352	378,378	37/37	Paradigm Talent Agency / CODA
63	13.9	KISS	82.57	7,014	168,342	579,167	24/24	International Talent Booking
64	13.6	Peter Kay	65.32	13,027	208,439	850,999	16/16	SJM
65	13.5	Stevie Wonder	95.61	10,086	141,198	964,286	14/14	Creative Artists Agency
66	13.4	Mark Knopfler	72.53	7,390	184,751	536,000	25/26	Sensible Events
67	13.2	Britney Spears	138.39	2,981	95,382	412,500	1/32	Creative Artists Agency
68	13.2	Michael Bublé	69.38	13,590	190,256	942,857	1/16	Leighton-Pope Organisation
69	13.1	Tony Bennett & Lady Gaga	89.24	11,292	146,795	1,007,692	13/20	WME
70	12.9	Ennio Morricone	86.84	7,074	148,549	614,286	21/21	General Entertainment Associates
71	12.5	Sam Smith	50.77	8,793	246,208	446,429	28/36	WME / Creative Artists Agency
72	12.2	John Mellencamp	89.64	2,440	136,644	218,736	56/64	Creative Artists Agency
73	12.3	Def Leppard	59.63	7,640	206,272	455,556	27/27	Artist Group International
74	12.1	Jimmy Buffett	89.43	9,020	135,301	806,667	15/15	Howard Rose Agency
75	12.0	"Strictly Come Dancing Live!"	70.68	18,789	169,103	1,327,970	9/29	Phil McIntyre Entertainments
76	12.0	Slipknot	58.83	6,799	203,977	400,000	30/30	Creative Artists Agency / K2 Agency
77	11.8	Chayanne	83.56	14,122	141,215	1,180,000	10/17	Chaf Enterprises
78	10.7	Blue Man Group	55.54	6,241	193,460	346,582	31/96	Columbia Artists Management
79	10.6	Usher	69.68	6,338	152,123	441,667	24/24	WME
80	10.4	Eric Clapton	171.21	30,509	61,017	5,223,260	2/9	Creative Artists Agency
81	10.3	Drake	100.01	10,299	102,989	1,030,000	10/10	WME
82	10.3	"X Factor Live"	57.90	10,464	177,892	605,882	17/27	Creative Artists Agency
83	10.2	Maná	97.65	13,091	104,728	1,278,386	8/9	Angelo Medina Group
84	10.2	Brad Paisley	38.98	10,467	261,672	408,000	25/26	WME
85	10.0	Noel Gallagher's High Flying Birds	72.01	3,968	138,869	285,714	35/39	Pinnacle Entertainment / Primary Talent Int'l
86	9.6	Jerry Seinfeld	82.12	3,653	116,902	300,000	32/40	ICM Partners
87	9.5	Gabriel Iglesias	56.59	3,497	167,874	197,917	48/60	Creative Artist Agency
88	9.3	Die Fantastischen Vier	54.20	11,458	171,877	621,039	15/16	Four Artists Booking
89	9.1	The Tragically Hip	58.14	5,590	156,518	325,000	28/28	The Agency Group / The Feldman Agency
90	9.0	Ricky Martin	70.95	8,462	126,937	600,409	15/18	Creative Artists Agency
91	8.9	Nicki Minaj	64.06	8,179	139,041	523,953	17/18	Maverick
92	8.7	Jeff Dunham	86.09	1,031	101,057	88,776	1/98	United Talent Agency
93	8.6	Alt-J	42.28	5,216	203,405	220,513	39/40	Primary Talent International
94	8.5	Michael Flatley's "Lord Of The Dance"	58.23	8,070	145,259	469,877	18/81	Creative Artists Agency
95	8.3	McBusted	68.17	8,117	121,754	553,333	15/22	Creative Artists Agency
96	8.0	Katt Williams	62.76	6,745	128,149	423,300	19/19	ICM Partners
97	7.9	Bob Dylan	80.95	2,711	97,591	219,444	36/36	Creative Artists Agency / Int'l Talent Booking
98	6.9	Chris Tomlin	30.04	5,890	229,693	176,923	39/39	Creative Artists Agency
99	6.7	Jason Mraz	72.04	3,577	93,003	257,692	26/28	Paradigm Talent Agency / Creative Artists Agency
100	6.6	"Winter Jam" / Skillet	11.21	12,585	591,500	141,074	47/47	Premier Productions

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