# AVIVA STUDIOS WAREHOUSE

# TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION

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# WAREHOUSE TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION - GENERAL

#### **ADDRESS**

**POSTAL ADDRESS** 

WHAT THREE WORDS LOCATION

Aviva Studios, Water Street, Manchester, M3 4JQ. paper.kinds.covers

# **CONTACT**

Paul Moore	Director of Production & Building Operations
John Gilleese	Technical Manager
Sorcha Steele	Head of Sound
David Wimpenny	Head of Lighting & Video
Alex Adamson	Head of Stage
Tom French	Head of Rigging
Lily Maketansky	Technical Coordinator
Fraser Millward	Technical Coordinator

# **VENUE DIMENSIONS**

- The Warehouse can be used as a single large space or can be divided into two smaller spaces, North and South using installed movable walls

#### **FULL WAREHOUSE**

	Metres	Feet
Width	32.6	107'
Depth	65.2	214'
Height to Grid	21	69'
Floor Area	2,213m <sup>2</sup>	23,820ft <sup>2</sup>

#### **NORTH WAREHOUSE**

	Metres	Feet
Width	32.6	107'
Depth	22.8	75'
Height to Grid	21	69'
Floor Area	763m <sup>2</sup>	8,212ft²

#### **SOUTH WAREHOUSE**

	Metres	Feet
Width	32.6	107'
Depth	35.2	115'
Height to Grid	21	69'

Floor Area	1,144m²	12,313ft <sup>2</sup>
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#### **POWER**

- Please see drawing for detailed ground level power locations

#### **RIGGING**

- Please see drawing for detailed information
- Walkable technical grid
- 750kg and 1000kg LiftKet motors available in house. Requirements and rates can be discussed during the advance
- 22 x rolling beams installed in grid running East West, marked on drawing as Bay A –
  V. Beams accommodate rolling grid clamps which can be positioned along the span of the beam, facilitating various hoist rigging positions.
- Custom grid stands available to position hoists in locations unreachable by rolling beams
- Riggers, when required, will be booked by the venue and recharged as appropriate
- Rigging plans to be submitted during advance for review and approval

#### **VEHICLE ACCESS**

- No parking or waiting on site for any vehicles
- Vehicle access to site controlled by bollards.
- Vehicle details to be sent in advance to your event manager to ensure access to Factory International site:
  - Vendor Name
  - Vehicle Description (Size & scale eg. 45' artic, panel van, luton, etc)
  - Number Plate
  - Arrival date & time
- Process for tour bus + trailer access for drop offs will be discussed during the advance if required

# **PRODUCTION VEHICLE ACCESS**

- Venue located on first floor of building
- 2 x truck lifts available that can lift vehicles to venue level
- Truck lifts are not linked, can move independently
- Rear of trailers can be levelled to loading bay floor to allow flat push off trailer

Truck Lift Details	
Max vehicle length	17.9m
Max vehicle width	3.8m
Max vehicle height	4.2m
Max weight load per lift	40 tonnes
Travel time ground floor to first floor	89 seconds

# **CROWD CONTROL BARRIER**

- Prolyte barrier available
- Requirements and rates can be discussed during advance

#### **CABLE RUNS**

- Dip traps located in venue floor
- Please see drawing for location

#### **DRAPES & MASKING**

- Various soft and hard masking available
- Requirements and rates can be discussed during advance

#### **SPECIAL EFFECTS**

- Please discuss all potential use of special effects during the advance
- Haze can be used in the venue. Please check with house crew that venue detectors are isolated before activating hazers
- Cracked oil hazers not allowed to be used in venue
- Use of confetti will incur a clean-up fee
- Lasers, CO<sub>2</sub>, dry ice, etc, can only be used by prior arrangement. Full risk assessments and method statements will be required a **minimum of 4 weeks** from your performance date. Where appropriate we will consult Manchester City Council in advance for clearance

#### RADIO FREQUENCIES

- Licences will be in place for all venue radio mics and comms devices. Details of licenced house frequencies can be provided in advance
- It is the promoter's responsibility to ensure incoming radio equipment has valid licences

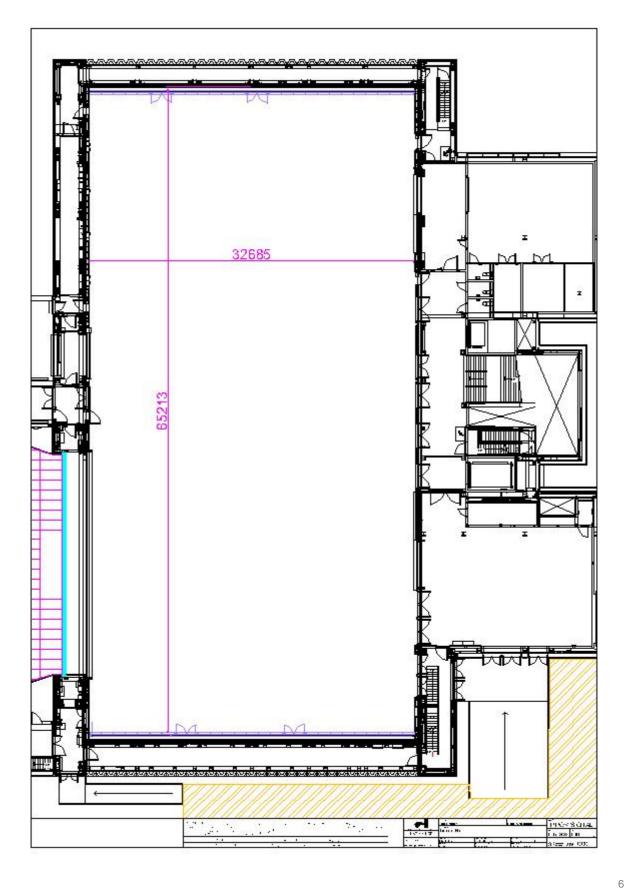
#### **LOCAL CREW**

 Local crew will be booked with a preferred supplier by the venue in line with your requirements

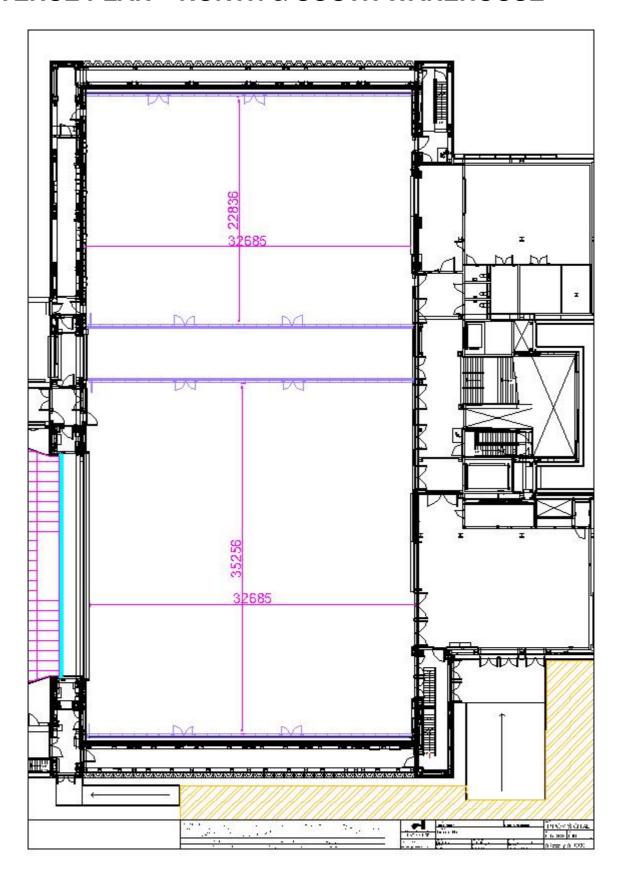
#### **DRESSING ROOMS**

- Final dressing room numbers and facilities to be finalised.
- Dressing rooms are shared across all venues in the building. Dressing rooms can be discussed and booked as part of the advance.

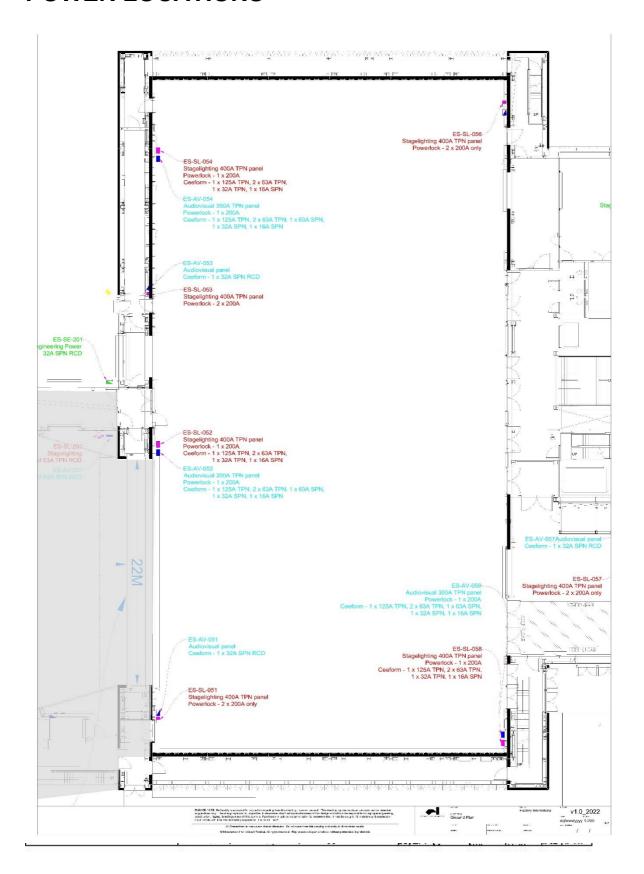
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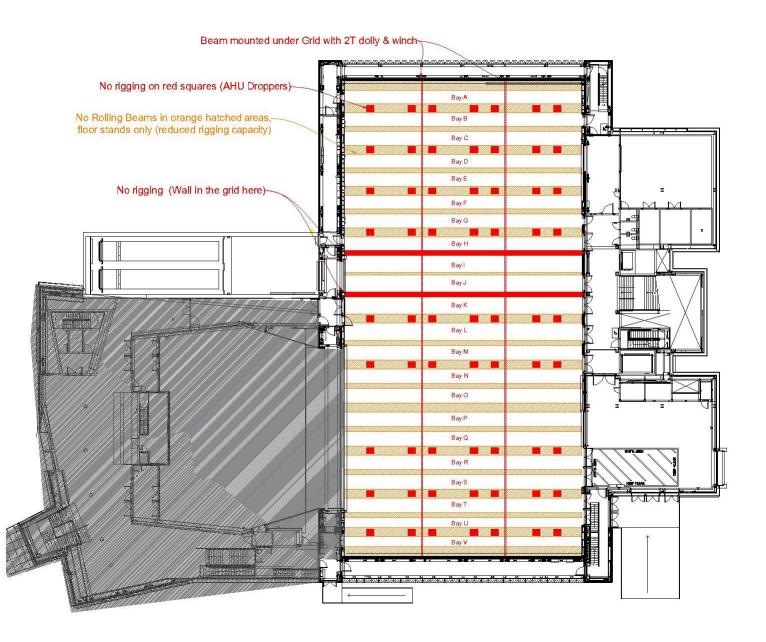
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#### **POWER LOCATIONS**



# **RIGGING LOCATIONS**



# **DIP TRAPS**

