



## Dynacord Cobra at Ottawa Bluesfest

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Since starting out in 1994 as a regional blues festival with an audience of 5,000, the Ottawa Bluesfest has grown into the largest blues festival in Canada and the second largest in North America, annually attracting around 300,000 music fans. Each year, Wall Sound, Inc. (Ottawa) deploys a wide range of equipment from Dynacord, Electro-Voice, and Midas to ensure audio performance in keeping with the festival's international stature, including Dynacord Cobra-4 systems for the Rogers Stage and the Roots Stage.

Held in Ottawa's LeBreton Flats Park, and running from July 3-13 this year, the festival now encompasses music from many genres beyond the blues. This year's diverse range of headline acts included James Taylor, Brian Wilson, Fergie, The Tragically Hip, Steely Dan, The Black Crowes, Wyclef Jean, Plain White T's, Feist, Great Big Sea, Boz Scaggs, The Wailers, Three Days Grace, Donna Summer, and many more.

The Cobra-4 systems used for the Rogers Stage and Roots Stage offered a compact combination of sonic warmth, intelligibility, and exceptional coverage. Dynacord PHW Subs and Cobra-4 Tops were also deployed as side-fills on the Bank of America stage—the largest at the festival. “Our Dynacord Cobra-4 systems have proved themselves time and time again on these stages,” says Matt Lamarche, General Manager, Wall Sound, “providing a level of performance that impresses both the wide range of artists and engineers that perform and work here and their audiences.”

Dynacord equipment list:

### **Rogers Stage**

12x Dynacord Cobra-4 FAR (6/side flown)  
8x Dynacord Cobra-4 Top (2/side flown & front fill)  
24x Dynacord Cobra PWH Sub (12/side)

### **Roots Stage**

4x Dynacord Cobra-4 Far (2/side flown)  
4x Dynacord Cobra-4 Top (2/side flown)  
12 x Dynacord PWH subs  
2x Dynacord DP244 processors

4x Dynacord LX2200 amplifiers

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**Bank of America Stage**

Side-fills: Dynacord PHW Sub (3/side) & Cobra-4 Top (2/side)

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