# MOTUS O DANCE THEATRE - HUMAN KNOTS -

# TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR LARGE VENUES

- **CREW:** 1 audio operator, I lighting operator, 1 asm or backstage hand
- **STAGE:** A clean level stage with suitable surface for dance. Minimum dimensions: 20' x 30' with a minimum of 5' wings and a ceiling minimum of 15'.
- AUDIO: 1 CD Player House speakers and mixer (as appropriate) PCC microphones on apron floor for vocal pick-up (if available) 2 monitors Clearcom system (minimum 3 stations)
- **MASKING:** Legs and borders adequate to mask wings

# LIGHTING: Minimum Requirements:

1 (R57) front of house wash 4 colour cyc (R122, R120, R23, R74) 1 warm (R51) back wash 1 red (R27) back wash 6 open white (O/W) specials 2 shins or footlights each making a diagonal path (o/w upstage right; o/w upstage left) Full stage break up gobo wash (o/w) Curtain warmers Blue running lights for backstage costume changes

# **Preferred Requirements:**

Same as above plus... Shin wash (R02 or R99 – stage right, R52 or R51 – stage left) Warm boom wash (R02 or R23) Cool boom wash (R65) Tips; amber (R23), blue (R74), gobo break up (o/w)

**DRESSING ROOMS:** One large enough for 6 people or two rooms for 2 males, 4 females. Rooms should have mirrors, chairs, tables and lights.

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## SCHEDULE: TECHNICAL SET-UP

4-8 hours (with house crew) prior to show if lights and soft goods are all pre-hung and sound equipment installed. The longer the tech set-up the more specials can be created for the show.

### STRIKE

2 hour with house crew

#### **PROJECTION:**

- The company will require a suitable position for our projector and projectionist, either at the rear of the house or in the booth
- Position should be no more than 150 feet away from the rear of stage
- MOTUS O travels with their own video projector and DVD player
- MOTUS O will travel with their own projector screen if a white cyc is not available

## **HOSPITALITY:**

• For the performers and stage manager (7 people) the presenter should provide, if possible, snacks and beverages such as soft drinks, fruit juices, bottled water, hot water for coffee and tea, fresh fruit, raw vegetables, cheese and crackers.

## PARKING:

• MOTUS O requires parking for one van with trailer (totaling 37' in length).

#### STUDIOS:

• If studio or rehearsal space is available in the theatre, please have it booked for us. This allows us to move warm-ups and rehearsals off the stage, allowing unrestricted use of the theatre for set-up and levels.

#### **TEMPERATURE:**

 Due to the nature of the performance and for the safety of the dancers, it is very important that the temperature of the stage, backstage and dressing rooms be at least 22°C (72°F). This should be set prior to our arrival.