The unit organ of Standaart at the Clichy Palace cinema in Paris.

This organ was built in 1928 by Standaart (Rotterdam, Netherlands) and saved from destruction by my father organist and passionate about film organ and fully restored.

The console has a pedalboard of 30 notes, two keyboards and a piano of 88 notes, 7 real stops, extended to about 14 stops, it has many percussions, bass drum, drum, cymbal, wood-block, whistle, siren, hail, gong, tube chime etc.

The box containing the pipes has been redone and is fully removable. This organ is equipped with a "MIDI" system with floppy disks that allows the organist to record and listen to himself.

It is organ is part of the history of cinema Mr. Tommy Desserre having played on this organ (pay certificate of 1939 in our possession) as he played on the organ of the Gaumont Palace, it is certainly one of the last organs of Parisian cinemas still existing and functional.

Source: Richard Klauser https://www.orgue-annonces.com/Details.php?id=2903

https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=7GgL-iXokRs

https://standaart-orgels.nl/parijs-clichy-theater-1928.html





