

CKay

About

Chukwuka Ekweani, known publicly as CKay, is a rising star in the ever-burgeoning Afrobeats scene. A multi talented artist, whether behind the boards as a producer or in front of the mic performing his self-penned songs, it is CKay's single-minded vision that shines through. The self-defined Emo-Afrobeats star has and continues to soar up charts across the globe thanks to his first globally recognized single 'love nwantiti'.

The Nigerian singer, songwriter, and producer originally released 'Love Nwantiti' back in 2019 as part of his debut EP, CKay The First. In 2021, CKay became the most streamed artist of the year and became the first African artist with two tracks on the Global Spotify Top 30 simultaneously. 'love nwantiti' has been certified platinum/multi-platinum in five countries, including the United States, India and Italy. The viral hit has also been certified gold in the UK, Australia, South Africa and New Zealand. CKay became the first African artist in 50 years to hold a top 5 position on the UK Singles Chart for 4 straight weeks with 'love nwantiti'. CKay has continued to create a global presence with accomplishments such as the "Most Shazam-ed song in the world".

'Emiliana', followed suit and racked in global chart positions and currently has just over 360 million streams worldwide. 'Emiliana' peaked at #I on the UK Afrobeats Chart, #2 on Shazam Top 200 (Afrobeats), and #I in six countries on Apple Music.

CKay's debut album Sad Romance was released 23 September 2022 and has since had over 390 million streams worldwide. The project featured established and emerging African talent such as Davido, Ayra Starr and Focalistic. CKay released the deluxe version of Sad Romance on 16th June 2023 which included four new tracks: 'Capture My Soul' featuring Joeboy, 'Nwayi', 'NNEKA' assisted by Tekno and 'HALLELUJAH' with Blaqbonez. 'HALLELUJAH' charted at #1 on Apple Music in Nigeria – CKay's first #1 in home territory.

Quick Facts

Location: Nigeria
Genre: Afrobeats
Total Career Streams: 3 Billion

Top Territories

USA | FRANCE | INDIA | NIGERIA | UK

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1.7M Followers



2.6M Followers



423.7K Followers



1.2M Followers



3.92M Subscribers

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10.4M Monthly Listeners

