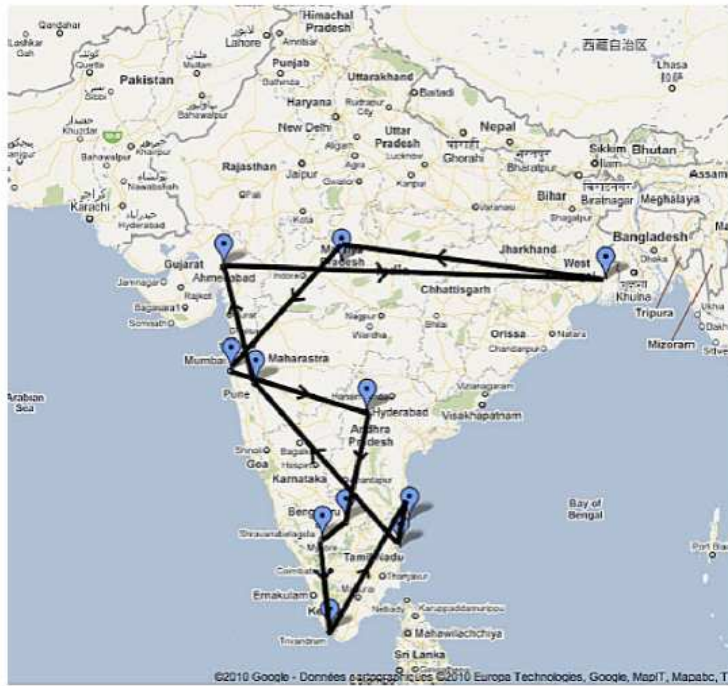


# INDIAN TOUR 2010



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### Transporting listeners to a different place

'Yapa', the four-member band from France, entertained Bangaloreans at a concert recently

After a week of intense work, the four members of Bangalore were transported to a different place.

Yapa is a four-member band consisting of Christophe Combe, Fabrice Deshayes and Jean-Claude, who of course, accompanied with their friends, the percussionists.

The group has been on a tour since last year, and they are now in Bangalore for a short stay.

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SEBASTIEN, the members of Yapa

# A fiery performance

**REVIEW** Communicating almost telepathically, French band Yupa showed immense bonding and musical cohesive

Highly varied, with their music and their message, Yupa got with the times in the way that French band Yupa has become a real success story in the past couple of years. At the Alliance Française in Bangalore.

The music, inspired by the Alliance Française in international style, the Embassy of France, towards to the live in coming of original and performing in the genre, and passionately flared a rocked melody.

During their time, the spirit of originality and the spirit of the public and Xavier Hamon on the occasion.

After musical journey since its formation in 1998, Yupa has designed a unique sound and has become a true following band. Their music is a blend of rock, funk, and soul, and they are always ready to experiment with new sounds.

With all their musical talent, they have created a unique sound that is a blend of rock, funk, and soul, and they are always ready to experiment with new sounds.

After a series of successful years, the band has decided to take a break from their regular gigs to focus on their music. They have a new album in the works, and they are excited to share it with their fans. The band's music is a blend of rock, funk, and soul, and they are always ready to experiment with new sounds.

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STANDING BOWIE WITH THEIR WIGGED FINGERS. PHOTO: HARSH KUMAR S.

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## Parisian Rhapsody

Yupa is coming to town with some exciting and original music, inspired by their travels



"MUSICAL postcards from distant places and hand-crafted sound," is how Yupa, the band from Paris, brought down by the Alliance Française, describe their style.

The young band started off with three guitarists — Simon Chenet, Fabrice Bourgaugnet and Christophe Combet while Xavier Hamon, drummer and percussionist joined later. "The name Yupa symbolises a blend of different melodies," says Chenet, who prefers to play to an attentive audience than a gang of noisy barhoppers.

"In an era when songs and telephone ringtones are manufactured, not composed, we endeavour to keep our music very personal and very artisan," he adds.

While Xavier Hamon, has already visited India with Kwak, Yupa will be making their debut here. And they are very excited. "Our music is instrumental and original — an escape through sound and melody. We have a fixed list that we change at every concert depending on the crowd," enthuses Chenet.

Describing their creative processes, he says that the band composes their music when they

are all together as a group. An idea leads to a brainstorming session and then the melodies evolve, "one fibre at a time," but they always leave space for improvisation.

"We meet at least twice a week to rehearse, compose and record our music. Our schedules are very tight and a lot of organising and planning is involved," he explains.

Already popular in France, especially in their hometown, Yupa has toured Algeria, the Balkans, Slovenia, Croatia and Bosnia. "We are coming to meet Indian audiences, to share our music and be inspired by notes and melodies that will cross our paths while in India."

Yupa has the label ChopsBlues/Naive and albums like *Parvaya*, *Can I Talk To You* and *Chroniques d'Endoo* to their credit.

Catch Yupa on November 13, at 7:30 pm at the Alliance Française de Bangalore. Entry free. Details: 41231340

—Team Indulge





The members of the Yapa, a band of jazzists and percussionists from France, arrive.

# Jazz lovers set to rock

**CULTURAL INTERACTION** Yapa, a musical band from France will be performing in Mysore as part of their 'Experience India' tour, writes Iswar Singh K.R.

The members of the Yapa, a band of jazzists and percussionists from France, arrived in Mysore on Monday. The band is on a tour to promote the Indian art form of jazz. They are performing in Mysore as part of their 'Experience India' tour. The band is led by the French musician, Yapa. The band is performing in Mysore as part of their 'Experience India' tour. The band is performing in Mysore as part of their 'Experience India' tour.

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## French band will treat Mysoreans to jazz

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**NOTICE BOARD**

**Musical workshop**  
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**Vocal recital**  
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**MUSIC**

Reeth Balakrishnan on the acoustic French band Yapa and its musical journey so far

# string n' ROCK

**From left: Xavier Hamon, Christophe Combet, Simon Charet and Fabrice Bourguignat**

There is a certain magic to the music of Yapa. It is a blend of jazz, rock, and folk, with a unique sound that has captured the hearts of many listeners. The band's music is a journey of discovery, exploring new sounds and styles. Their live performances are a testament to their passion and talent. The music is a blend of jazz, rock, and folk, with a unique sound that has captured the hearts of many listeners. The band's music is a journey of discovery, exploring new sounds and styles. Their live performances are a testament to their passion and talent.

**■ The band**  
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Chennai Ahmedabad

Jazz it up

**CONCERT**  
YAPA, a jazz band from France, will be performing in the city

The Alliance Française of Madras and The Courtyard by Marriott are bringing one of the youngest and most accomplished jazz bands from France - Yapa. It is a group of four friends (three guitarists and a percussionist) who have been going to the same gigs and the same bars since they were at school together. At a time when songs sound as if they have rolled off a production line, Fabrice Bourguignat, Simon Charet, Christophe Combet and Xavier Hamon try to preserve a hands-on approach to making music. The concert will be on November 18, 7.30 p.m., at Rhapsody, Courtyard by Marriott. Entry is free. Club rules apply - closed shoes are mandatory, and children are not allowed. For details, call 2822 9803 / 2822 1477.

**YAPADAPADOO!** French Jazz Band Takes City On Tour Across Grand Mindsapes



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For music of Ahmedabad, Dushina Park was an obvious choice of a venue that is not so far from the city's heart. The country's President Shri Pranab Mukherjee was present at the concert. The band did not confirm their theory but said that the song was a tribute to the French Republic. The music is a blend of jazz, rock, and folk. Their live performances are a testament to their passion and talent.

**TODAY'S EVENTS**

■ Exhibition | **Vaidolli** 'Sivers of Light', 5.30 pm, Sardar Patel Bhavan (AMC), Banagrich.

■ Guide lecture | **Hutan Parimoo**, 11.30 am to 12.30 pm, Madhavi Desai Sculpture gallery and Purna Vijay Mahara Jain art gallery

as if enjoyed the addition to 'Lilith', presented in a number called 'Lilith'. The quartet could have been the musicians themselves. Fabrice Bourguignat, Simon Charet, Christophe Combet (all playing guitar) and Xavier Hamon (percussion). The band did not confirm their theory but said that the song was a tribute to the French Republic. The music is a blend of jazz, rock, and folk. Their live performances are a testament to their passion and talent.



Yapa turns up its evocative, leaving the audience entranced



# YAPA: THE SUFIS OF JAZZ ARE HERE

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YAPA band members in a city in India.

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A small photo showing the four members of the French jazz band YAPA performing on stage.

# Bohpal

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A French band YAPA members after their arrival in the city on Thursday.

# A band that explores emotions with music

French band YAPA, a group of four friends, to perform at Dharat Dhavan today

**By Anand Prasad**  
BOHPAL: After traveling many cities and performing in several Jazz festivals, the French band YAPA, a four-piece jazz band from Bohpal, is set to perform at Dharat Dhavan at 8 PM on Friday. The band consists of four members: a saxophone player, a guitarist, a bassist, and a drummer. They have performed at various venues in India and have a growing fan base. Their music is a fusion of jazz and Indian classical music, creating a sound that is both familiar and new. They are currently touring India and performing at several venues. Their music is a blend of jazz and Indian classical music, creating a sound that is both familiar and new. They are currently touring India and performing at several venues.

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