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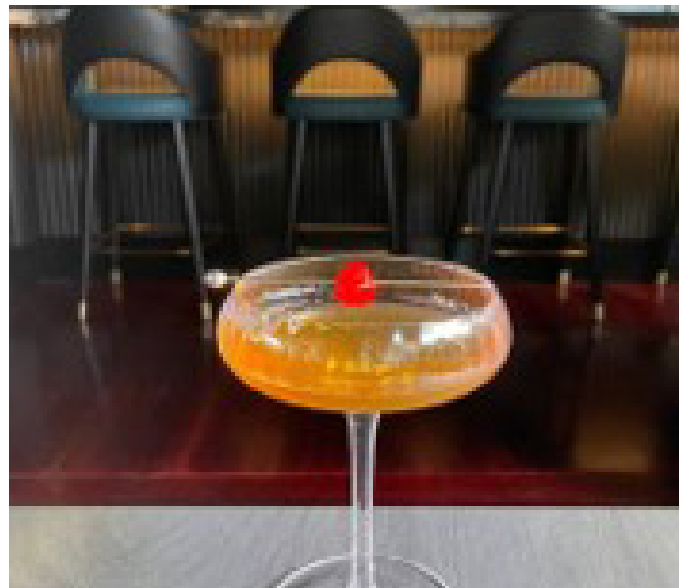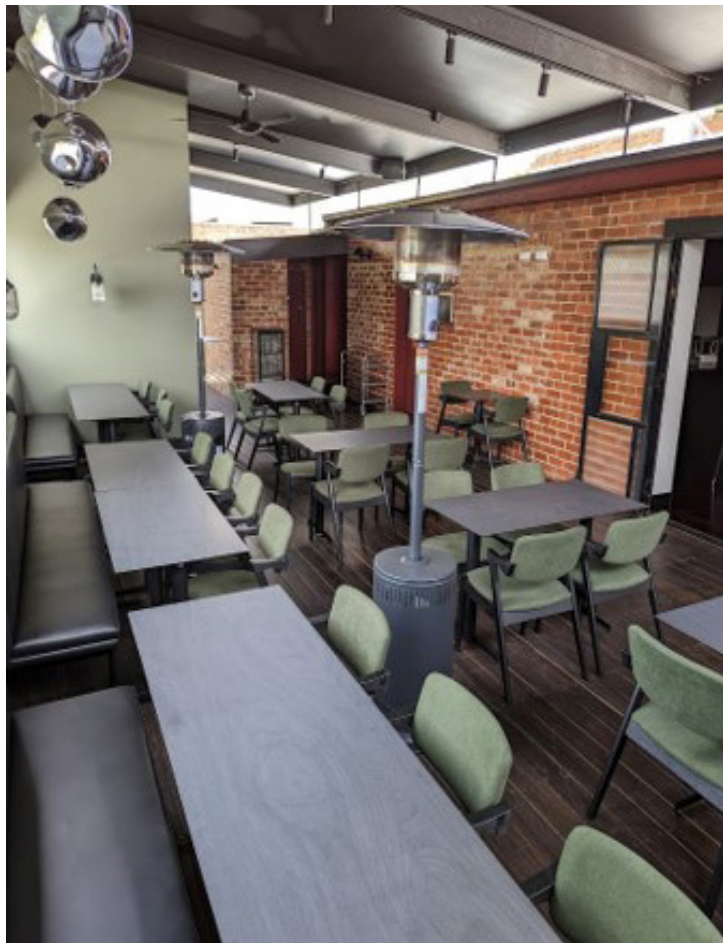

PROJECT OVERVIEW

NOYADE was conceived as a hidden New York–style cocktail bar tucked into a residential setting, offering a full-service kitchen and an intimate, ambient environment. The brief for the venue was to create a rich, immersive sound experience that elevated the atmosphere without overwhelming conversation—a delicate balance for any audio integration specialist.

PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

From the outset, the audio system was to deliver:
· Clear, broad sound depth—even at low volumes
· Full-range audio with solid bass and non-tinny treble
· Minimal sound leakage to respect nearby residential properties

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INSTALLED EQUIPMENT
· 2x PSB CS605 In-Ceiling Speaker Packs (4 per pack)
· 2x PSB CS1000 Outdoor Speaker Pairs
· 1x NAD Ci580v2 Network Media Player
· 1x NAD Ci16-60DSP 16-Channel Amplifier
· 1x PSB SUB250 (Outdoor)
· 1x PSB SUB450 (Indoor)

DESIGN AND IMPLEMENTATION
In the indoor bar area, six PSB 6.5-inch in-ceiling speakers were installed with colour-matched grilles for a discreet look. These were powered by six channels from the NAD Ci16-60DSP amplifier, housed alongside the NAD Ci580v2 media streamer and the 12-inch PSB SUB450 subwoofer, all hidden from sight to preserve the venue's aesthetic. On the back deck, two pairs of weatherproof PSB CS1000 speakers were driven in bridged mode using eight channels of the same NAD amplifier. These were complemented by a PSB SUB250 10-inch outdoor subwoofer to ensure impactful bass across the outdoor space.

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OUTCOME

The result is a venue with a striking sound profile that sup-ports a contemporary, moody, and multi-layered downtempo club playlist streamed in Hi-Res via Tidal. The system delivers rich, immersive sound throughout the space—indoors and outdoors—meeting all initial objec-tives.

CLIENT FEEDBACK

"Amber Technology provided us with professional and timely advice. The installation process was seamless, and the quality of the end result has been a perfect solution to our needs."

BRANDS UTILISED

NAD – DSP Amplification and Network Streaming
PSB – Architectural and Outdoor Speaker Solutions

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