

THE OFFICIAL NATIONAL TOP 100 SINGLES, TOP 75 ALBUMS AND TOP 20 COMPILATION ALBUMS, AS USED BY RADIO 1 AND 'TOP OF THE POPS'



1990 16 - 22 SEPTEMBER

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2	2	6	THE JOKER Steve Miller Band GROOVE IS IN THE HEART Deee-Lite	Elektra
3 4	26	2	HOLY SMOKE Iron Maiden SHOW ME HEAVEN Maria McKee	EMIEM 153 Epic
5	4	5	FOURBACHARACH & DAVID SONGS (EP) Deacon Blue	CBS
6	5	7	WHAT TIME IS LOVE? The KLF featuring The Children Of The Revolution	KLF Communications
7	3	9	ITSY BITSY TEENY WEENY YELLOW POLKA DOT BIR Bombalurina	Carpet/Polydor
8	7	3	THE SPACE JUNGLE Adamski	MCA Produce
9 10	11 9	4 8	GROOVY TRAIN The Farm VISION OF LOVE Mariah Carey	CBS
11	16	2	SUICIDE BLONDE INXS I'VE BEEN THINKING ABOUT YOU Londonbeat	Mercury/Phonogram Anxious
12	27 6	7	WHERE ARE YOU BABY? Betty Boo	Rhythm King Guerilla/Virgin
14 15	22 15	4	FASCINATING RHYTHM Bass-O-Matic BLACK CAT Janet Jackson	A&M
16		1	THUNDERSTRUCK AC/DC DON'T BE A FOOL Loose Ends	Atco/East West Ten/Virgin
17 18	13 14	5 3	LIVIN'IN THE LIGHT Caron Wheeler	RČA
19 20	8	8	THEN The Charlatans TONIGHT New Kids On The Block	Situation Two SIT 74T CBS
21		1.	CULT OF SNAP Snap!	
22 23	'8	16	FOOLS GOLD/WHAT THE WORLD IS WAITING FOR	
	10	4	The Stone Roses RHYTHM OF THE RAIN Jason Donovan	Silvertone ORE 13 PWL
24 25	29	3	EPIC Faith No More	Slash/London V.A.U!Mr.Modo/Big Life
26 27	17 23	12	NAKEDINTHE RAIN Blue Pearl LIFE'S WHAT YOU MAKE IT Talk Talk	Parlophone
28		1	ICAN'TSTANDITTwenty 4 Seven	BCMBCMR395 Epic
29 30	12 20	5 7	PRAYING FOR TIME George Michael LISTENTO YOUR HEART/DANGEROUS Roxette	EMI
31 32	44 40	2	TUNES SPLITS THE ATOMMCTunes Versus 808 State NOTHING TO LOSE S'Express	ZTT/WEA Rhythm King
33	19	5	SILHOUETTES Cliff Richard	EMÎ Raw Bass
34 35	35	6	LA SERENISSIMA DNA IT'S A SHAME (MY SISTER) Monie Love	
	24	11	featuring True Image L'M FREE The Soup Dragons featuring Junior Reid Coolten	npo/Chrysalis COOL219 Raw TV/Big Life
36 37	21	5	CAN CAN YOU PARTY live Burny And The Mastermixers	Music Factory Dance
38 39	37 25	3	THERE SHE GOES AGAIN/MISLED The Quireboys TOM'S DINER DNA featuring Suzanne Vega	Parlophone A&M
40		11	(WHAT'S WRONG WITH) DREAMING? River City People	EMIEM 156 Urban/Polydor
41 42	50	30	WOW WOW—NA NA Grand Plaz MAKEIT MINE The Shamen	One Little Indian 46 TP7
43 44	28 30	10	THE KING OF WISHFUL THINKING Go West TURTLE POWER Partners In Kryme	Chrysalis SBK
45	48	4	HARD TO HANDLE The Black Crowes	Def American Vertigo/Phonogram
46 47	31	8	BLAZE OF GLORY Jon Bon Jovi ROCK AND ROLL NIGGER Birdland	Lazy LAZY 20
48 49	38 36	3 7	ICEBLINK LUCK Cocteau Twins SILLY GAMES Lindy Layton featuring Janet Kay	4AD Arista
50	58	2	COMINGBACKFORMORELAMix	A&M Go.Beat
51 52	56	2 	BURUNDI BLUES Beats International OMEN Orbital	ffrr/London F 145
53 54	34	6 1	NEXTTO YOU Aswad YOU'RE WALKING Electribe 101 Merci	Mango/Island ury/Phonogram MER 328
55	33	16	UCAN'TTOUCHTHISMCHammer	Capitol MCAMCA 1440
56 57	41	4	DO ME Bell Biv Devoe PEACE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD Maxi Priest (featuring	azzie B.) Ten
58 59	λ,	2	SUNRISE Movement. 98 featuring Carroll Thompson TIMELESS MELODY The La's	Circa/Virgin Go!Discs
60	<i>±</i>	6	COME TO GETHER Primal Scream	Creation China
61 62	63	2	EMPTY WORLD Dogs D'Amour LOVE AND AFFECTION Sinitta	Fanfare FAN 31
63 64	72 67	2	GREENBANK DRIVE The Christians SUMMER IN SIAM The Pogues	Island Pogue Mahone/WEA
65	54	3	HIGHER GROUND Red Hot Chili Peppers	EMIUSA Polydor
66 67	7 l 39	2	YOUDON'T LOVE ME Jagged Edge GET ME OUT New Model Army	ÉMI
68	43	8 2	HARDCORE UPROAR Together WAY DOWN NOW World Party	ffrr/London Ensign/Chrysalis
70	46	7	ENGLISHMAN IN NEW YORK (REMIX) Sting	A&M A&M
71 72	55 49	3 4	HARD UP Awesome 3 HEY VENUS That Petrol Emotion	Virgin
73 74	45	3	LOVER/MONEY Dan Reed Network ANOTHER SLEEPLESS NIGHT Mike 'Hitman' Wilson	Mercury/Phonogram Arista I I 3506
75	73	3	ONLY ONE WORD Propaganda	Virgin
76 77	82		HEADLIGHTS ON THE PARADE The Blue Nile SO CLOSE Daryl Hall And John Oates	Linn/Virgin Arista I 13600
78 79	 79		LET'S GO ROÚND AGÁIN Yell! DANCE Earth People	Fanfare FAN 30 Champion
80	80		BAREFOOT IN THE HEAD A Man Called Adam	Big Life CBS
81 82	74		PAINKILLER Judas Priest ANOTHER BRICK IN THE WALL (PART 2) Roger Waters	s featuring
			Cyndi Lauper Merc	ury/Phonogram MER 332 eet/4th + B'way BRW 186
83 84	_		SPEND THE NIGHT (REMIX) The Coolnotes	Swanyard SYD 5
85 86	_		AFRICA/CAN YOU HEAR WHAT I'M SAYING Toto RECIPE FOR LOVE Harry Connick Jr	CBS 6562987 CBS 6561582
87	85		STEP ON Happy Mondays RIGHT HERE RIGHT NOW Western Block introducing Terri Sy	Factory mon Epic 6561827
88 89			FEELS GOOD TO ME Black Sabbath	I.R.S. EIRS 148
90 91	88		A BEAT CALLED LOVE The Grid SAY HELLO Breathe	East West YZ 498 Siren/Virgin
92	86		LACE VIRGINIA An Emotional Fish	East West Polydor
93 94			LET'S SPEND MOMMA'S MONEY Dirty White Boy JUST CAMEBACK Colin James	Virgin America VÚS 24
95	84 90		THE BOOMIN'SYSTEM LL Cool J feat Uncle L I AMTHE MUSIC MAN Black Lace	Def Jam Wag
96 97	90 89		WONDERFUL WORLD Wildski	Arista
98 99			ANYONESmith & Mighty featuring Jackie Jackson FUN TO BE HAD/GETTING CLOSER/	London SNM 3
	-		OUT OF MIND Nitzer Ebb	MuteMUTE 115 SBK.OneSBK7016
100	83		CLASS ROCK Tackhead	

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	2	4	IN CONCERT Luciano Pavarotti/Placido Domingo/J Carreras	∞Decca
2	ī	ż	LISTEN WITHOUT PREJUDICE VOL I George Michael	⊕Epic
3		1	OOH LAS VEGAS Deacon Blue	CBS 4672421 Rhythm King LEFTLP 12
4	_	_1	BOOMANIA Betty Boo	☆☆Rocket/Phonogram
5	3	24	SLEEPING WITH THE PAST Elton John LOOK SHARP! Roxette	□EMI
6 7	4	15	MARIAH CAREY Mariah Carey	○CBS
8	5	28	SOLIL PROVIDER Michael Bolton	☆CBS
9	7	-2	STEPPING OUT — THE VERY BEST OF joe jackson	OA&M ⊜SBK
10	11	13	WILSON PHILLIPS Wilson Phillips	ታልተቀቀቀቀ Virgin
11	10	43	BUT SERIOUSLY Phil Collins STEP BY STEP New Kids On The Block	☆CBS
12	8	13	EMPIRE Queensryche	EMIUSAMTL1058
13 14	15	3	WORLD CLIOUE Deee-Lite	Elektra
15	-	ĩ	PACCED GLORY Neil Young & Crazy Horse	Reprise WX 374
16		i	HIGH ON FMOTION LIVE FROM DUBLIN CHRISDEDUIX	h OA&M3970861 =Vertige
17	9	5	BLAZE OF GLORY/YOUNG GUNS II Jon Bon Jovi	ம் ம் ம் Capito
18	!4	52	FOREIGN AFFAIR Tina Turner JORDAN: THE COMEBACK Prefab Sprout	OKitchenware/CBS
19	3 12	3 4	GRAFFITIBRIDGE Prince	ey Park/Warner Brother:
20 21	16	28		Truecci
22	17	16	RESTORTALKTALK NATURALMISTORT TAIK TAIK	□Parlophone
23	19	9	PLEASE HAMMERDON I HORI EMITCHAMILE	
24	20	14	SUMMER DREAMS Beach Boys	☆Capito ○Raw TV/Big Life
25	22	.7.	LOVEGOD Soup Dragons	∯Sire
26	18	17	I'M BREATHLESS Madonna LABOUR OF LOVE II UB 40	☆☆DEP Internationa
27 28	26 29	42 38	PUMPUP THE JAM Technotronic	∲ ∳ Swanyarc
29	25	26	ONLY YESTERDAY The Carpenters	A&A ☆A
30	47	28	THEREALTHING Faith No More	Slash/Londor
31	24	12	HOTROCKS 1964-1971 The Rolling Stones	Londor
32	27	16	GREATESTHITSBangles	RC/
33	30 31	6 16	SAXUALITY Candy Dulfer BETWEEN THE LINES Jason Donovan	☆PWI
34 35	23	5	BOSEANOVA Pivies	O4AC
36	34	27	IDONOTWANTWHATIHAVEN'T GOT Sinead O'Conno	r ☆Ensign/Chrysali
37	32	2	CHINA CRISIS COLLECTION China Crisis	\$666655 Y 1 5"
38	21	2	TIME'S UP Living Colour	Epi ☆10/Virgi
39	33	١7.	YOLII (1990 A NEW DECADE) Soul II Soul SAY SOMETHING GOOD River City People	EM
40 41	37 43	5 52	HEART OF STONE Cher	☆Geffe
42	42	45	VIVALDIFOURSEASONS Nigel Kennedy/ECO	₽EM
43	35	10	FLESHANDBLOODPoison	□Enigma/Capito
44	41	18	WORLD POWER Snap!	☐Arist Syncopate SYLP 600
45		. !	THIS IS TONGUE 'N' CHEEK Tongue 'N' Cheek HOME Hothouse Flowers	Londo
46 47	36 56	15 33	RHYTHMNATION 814 janet jackson	1.8A□
48	45	60	THE STONE ROSES The Stone Roses	☆Silverton
49	28	3	PERSISTENCE OF TIME Anthrax	Islan (1-2 Epi
50	39	10	CRAIGMcLACHLAN & CHECK 1-2 Craig McLachlan & Check	Beggars Banque
51	44	2	458489 The Fall POISON Bell Biv Devoe	MC/
52 53	58	ï	WEAREIN LOVE Harry Connick Jr	CBS 466736
54	48	- ri	RONAFIDE Maxi Priest	10/Virgi
55	46	25	STILL GOT THE BLUES Gary Moore	□Virgi
56	38	2	DAVE STEWART AND THE SPIRITUAL COWBOYS	RC
	53	60	The Spiritual Cowboys CUTS BOTH WAYS Gloria Estefan	☆☆☆Epi
57 58	50	53	WHEN THE WORLD KNOWS YOURNAME Deacon Blue	☆☆CB
59	54	71	THE BEST OF UB40 VOL I UB40	☆☆Virgi
60	69	77	RAINTOWN Deacon Blue	фCВ
61	40	71	FAITH George Michael	☆☆Epi ☆☆A&I
62	74	25	SPARK TO A FLAME — THE VERY BEST OF Chris De Burg PHANTOM OF THE OPERA Original Cast	Really Useful/Polydo
63	72	130	VIOLATOR Depeche Mode	☐Mute STUMM 6
6 4 65		23 4	THERE'S NOTHING LIKE THIS Omar	Kongo Dance KDLP
66	65	21	LIFE Inspiral Carpets	□Cow/Mut
67	62	46	THEROAD TO HELL Chris Rea	☆☆☆East We! ☆☆Mut
68	51	48	WILD!Erasure	Warner Brothers WX31
69 70	71	40 14	THE BEST OF ROD STEWART Rod Stewart THE CHIMES The Chimes	OCB
70 71	49	4	LIBERTY Duran Duran	○Parlophon
72	63	27	COSMICTHINGB-52's	Reprise/Warner Brother
73	68	24	PUMP Aerosmith	□Geffe □A&I
74	57	30	WAKING HOURS Del Amitri	□Polydor841970
75		20	THE BEST OF VAN MORRISON Van Morrison	_1 01/401 041 //C
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1 1	MEGABASS Various	□Telstai
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ī -	IUST SEVENTEEN — GET KICKIN' Various	Dover/Chrysalis ADD 10
4 4	PRETTY WOMAN (OST) Various	☆EMIUS A
5 3	GET ON THIS!!!2 Various	[]Telstai
6 5	NOW DANCE 902 Various	☆EMI/Virgin/PolyGram
6 5 7 8	DAYS OF THUNDER (OST) Various	Epic
8 6	KNEBWORTH—THE ALBUM Various	□Polydoı
8 6 9 9	THAT LOVING FEELING VOL 2 Various	Dinc
10 7	SNAP!ITUP—MONSTERHITS 2 Various	CBS/WEA/BMC
ii ii	COUNTRY'S GREATEST HITS Various	Telstai
12 —	PURFLOVERS VOL 2 Various	Charm CLP 10:
13 10	HEART & SOUL III — HEART FULL OF SOUL Various	□Heart&Sou
14 14	CLASSIC EXPERIENCE II Various	□EM
15 13	TEENAGE MUTANT NINJA TURTLES (OST) Various	⊖SB⊁
16 17	DIRTY DANCING (OST) Various	ά ά ά ά RC.A
17 12	THE SUMMER OF LOVE Various	Dine
18 15	MOLTEN METAL Various	Telsta
19 —	THE CLASSIC EXPERIENCE Various	☆EMIEMTVD4 !
20 18	THE BLUES BROTHERS (OST) Various	☆ ☆ Atlantic/East Wes

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CHARTFILE

RY ALAN JONES

er the controversy surrounding its ... ent to Number One last week. **The eve Miller Band**'s single 'The Joker' ablishes a commanding lead, moving 26 - cent ahead of runners-up **Decete**'s 'Groove Is In The Heart'. t's interesting to note that apart from row over whether or not it should re been Britain's only Number One last ek, there has been no controversy out 'The Joker' at all, this despite the t that it includes the line "I'm a midnight cer".

I searched several dictionaries before I and toke listed at all, but finally found it fined -- "to puff on a (marijuana) arett. adio I, which is normally very pralistic about such things, is playing 'The ter' regularly, apparently without any alms — probably because no-one there derstands its lyrics any more than they isped the sexual connotations of Lou eed's 'Walk On The Wild Side' in 1973. On the 'The Joker', Steve Miller — who is, incidentally, convicted for possession marijuana on a late Sixties visit to itain - also sings about being "the impatus" or "pompatist" of live. I can't d this in any dictionary. Any bright

'Cult Of Snap' by **Snap** debuts at mber 21, far outranking the near-entical cover of the song by Italian group **I Power**, which peaked at number 73 ree weeks ago.

'Cult Of Snap' and 'I Can't Stand It' — a
w entry at number 28 for **Twenty 4**aver Caturing **Captain**olly. od — are the first of this

ar's continental holiday hits to filter rough to the chart, in the grand tradition 'Y Viva Espana', 'Tarzan Boy', and hers too horrific to mention. ● The year's second biggest-selling single. 'Sacrifice/Healing Hands' by **Elton John**, dips out of the chart this week, after a 15 week residency. 'Goodbye Yellow Brick Road' thus remains his longest-running hit, having spent 16 weeks in the listings (then only 50 positions deep) in 1973/74.

● Britain is in the middle of its biggest dance boom ever, but nobody appears to have told **Iron Malden**, or **AC/DC**, or their followers. The two hard rocking groups have the week's highest new entries, with Maiden's 'Holy Smoke' — their, first single of the year — debuts at number three, while AC/DC's 'Thunderstruck' — their first single since April 1988 — debuting at number 16.

Maiden's debut is the highest of their 10 year, 21 hit chart career, beating the number four debut of 1988's 'Can I Play With Madness'. The single went on to reach number three to become the group's biggest hit. It was also the first of what is now five consecutive Top 10 hits by the group — a record for a metal act.

In stark contrast, though 'Thunderstruck' is AC/DC's 19th hit, they have yet to reach the Top 10, coming closest in 1988 when 'Heatseeker' reached number 12.

If 'Thunderstruck' fails to capitalise on its great start, AC/DC will once again draw level with **The Clash** to share the record for most hits without ever reaching the Top 10, a record The Clash made their own earlier in the year when 'Return To Brixton' fizzled out at number 57.

Meanwhile, **Loose Ends** — who had looked set for their first Top 10 hit when their 11th chart entry 'Don't Be A Fool' leapt from number 21 to number 13 last week — slip to number 17.

● Maria McKee's 'Show Me Heaven'



P DEEE-LITE: "You told us we'd be playing classy joints so what's with his tinsel and mushy peas dive?"

takes a massive 22 place leap this week, and seems likely to provide the next real challenge to The Steve Miller Band's supremacy at the top of the chart.

It's Maria's first solo disc since leaving Lone Justice, and appears on the soundtrack album to the Tom Cruise/Robert Duvall/Randy Quaid film 'Days Of Thunder', alongside new recordings by Tina Turner, Elton John, Guns n' Roses, Cher, David Coverdale and several others.

If it reaches Number One, it will be the second chart-topping ballad to start out in a Tom Cruise film. The other? **Berlin**'s 'Take My Breath Away', a 1986 chart champ from 'Top Gun'. Coincidentally, 'Take My Breath Away' is re-issued next week, to tie in with the TV premiere of 'Top Gun'.

 Rapper Monie Love returns to the chart this week with her version of 'lt's A Shame', the debut 1970 hit for the **Detroit Spinners**. Coincidentally, the group, which last appeared in the chart decade ago, should return itself next we with the 'Boilerhouse Remix' of their 19 smash 'Ghetto Child'.

● Contrary to correspondent **Tim Mickleburgh**'s views, as expressed in last week's Letters (*Record Mirror*September 15), **Craig McLachlan** is the first ever act to score consecutive T 20 hits with songs named after girls — a least by my definition. I was including or songs whose titles comprised exclusively of girls names, not those that included them, thus 'Oh Julie' renders **Shaky**'s claim to the record, as promoted by Mi Mickleburgh, invalid.

If I had been taking account of songs that only contained girls names, I would certainly have pointed out **Harry Belafonte**'s feat of having consecutive hits with 'Mary's Boy Child', 'Little Bernadette' and 'Son Of Mary' in 1957/5

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3 2	WHATTIME IS LOVE? The KLF	KLFCommunications
	THEN The Charlatans	Dead Dead Good
5 3	DON'T BE A FOOL Loose Ends	Ten
6 8	FASCINATING RHYTHM Bass-O-Matic	Guerilla
7 4	GROOY TRAIN The Farm	Produce
8 5	LIVIN' IN THE LIGHT Caron Wheeler	RCA
9 —	CULTOFSNAPSnap	Arista
		Capitol
10 10	THE JOKER Steve Miller Band	BCM
11 -	ICAN'T STAND IT Twenty 4 Seven	MCA
12 6	THESPACEJUNGLEAdamski	Atco
13'	THUNDERSTRUCKAC/DC	
14	IT'S A SHAME (MY SISTER) Monie Love (feat True Image)	Cooltempo
15	I'VEBEENTHINKING OF YOU Londonbeat	Anxious
16 9	BLACKCAT janet jackson	, A&M
17 16	WHAT THE WORLD IS WAITING FOR The Stone Roses	Silvertone
18 7	SUICIDEBLONDEINXS	Mercury
19 —	MAKE IT MINE Shamen	One Little Indian
20	VISION OF LOYE Mariah Carey	CBS
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COMPACT DISC

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2	2	INCONCERT Various	Decci
3		OOHLAS VEGAS Deacon Blue	CB!
4	3	SLEEPING WITH THE PAST Elton John	Rocket/Phonogram
5	4	STEPPING OUT — THE VERY BEST OF Joe jackson	A&P
6		BOOMANIA Betty Boo	Rhythm King
7	5	MARIAH CAREY Mariah Carey	CB!
8		RAGGED GLORY Neil Young	Reprise
9		HIGHONEMOTION—LIVE FROM DUBLIN Chris De Burgh	A&P
10	6	LOOKSHARPIRoxette	EM
- 11	11	WILSON PHILLIPS Wilson Phillips	SBI
12	10	SOUL PROVIDER Michael Bolton	CB!
13	8	BUTSERIOUSLY Phil Collins	Virgi
14	7	JORDAN: THE COMEBACK Prefab Sprout	Kitchenward
15	15	FOREIGN AFFAIR Tina Turner	Capito
16	12	MEGABASS Various	Telsta
17	14	JUSTTHETWO OFUS Various	Epi
18	13	BLAZE OF GLORY/YOUNG GUNS II Jon Bon Jovi	Vertigo
19	_	WORLD CLIQUE Dece-Lite	Elektr
20	18	SUMMER DREAMS The Beach Boys	Capito