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This Week	Last Week	Title	Artist (Producer) Publisher (Writer)	Label CD/Cass (Distributor)	7/12*
1	NEW	SETTING SUN	The Chemical Brothers (The Chemical Brothers) MCA/Creation/Sony ATV (Rowlands/Simons/Gallagher) /CHEMIST4	Virgin CHEMSD 4/CHEMSTC 4 (E)	
2	1	BREAKFAST AT TIFFANY'S	Deep Blue Something (Castell) WC (Pipes)	Interscope IND 80032/INC 80032 (BMG)	-/-
3	NEW	YOU'RE GORGEOUS	Baby Bird (Jones/Power) Chrysalis (Jones)	Echo ECSCD 26/ECSMC 26 (V)	-/-
4	6	IT'S ALL COMING BACK TO ME NOW	Colina Dion (Steinman/Rinkoff/Sittan) PolyGram (Steinman)	Epic 663712/6637114 (SM)	-/-
5	5	I LOVE YOU ALWAYS FOREVER	Donna Lewis (Lewis/Killen) WC (Lewis)	Atlantic A 5495C/D/A 5495C (W)	-/-
6	NEW	ROTTERDAM	The Beautiful South (Kelly) Island (Heaton/Rotheray)	Go!Discs GODCD 155/GODMC 155 (F)	-/-
7	3	SEVEN DAYS AND ONE WEEK	BBE (Topi Emmanuel Top Editions (Sanction/Quarrier)	Positiva CDTV 67/TCTIV 67 (E)	-12/IV 67
8	2	READY OR NOT	Fugees (Wyclef/Hill/Prakazrel/Duplessis) Sony ATV/EMI/WC (Various)	Columbia 6637215/6637214/- (SM)	-/-
9	NEW	KEVIN CARTER	Manic Street Preachers (Hedges) Sony ATV (Bradfield/Moore/Wire/James)	Epic 663752/663754 (SM)	-/-
10	4	ESCAPING	Dina Carroll (Lovis) Shanna/Sony ATV/MCA (Blue/Smith)	1st Avenue/Mercury DCCD 1/DCMC 1 (F)	-DCX 1
11	NEW	STAMP!	Jeremy Healy & Amos (Amos/Healy/Koglin) Peer/WC/CC (Amos/Healy/Koglin)	Positiva CDTV 65/TCTIV 65 (E)	-12/IV 65
12	NEW	LOVE II LOVE	Damage (Powell) Rondor/MCA (Hector/Tennant/Powell)	Big Life BLRD 131/BLRC 131 (P)	-BLRT 131
13	7	LOUNGIN	LL Cool J (Smith) EMI/PolyGram (Smith/Smith/Brown/West)	Def Jam/Mercury DEFCD 30/DEFMC 30 (F)	-12/DF 30
14	NEW	YOUR SECRET LOVE	Luther Vandross (Vandross) EMI/Uncle Ronnie's/Reed Vertelney (Vandross/Vertelney)	Epic 663835/663834 (SM)	-/-
15	8	FLAVA	Peter Andre (Whitmore) IMN/Mushroom/Rondor (Andre/Whitmore/Hector/Cee)	Mushroom DX 2003/C 2003 (3MV/BMG)	-/-
16	10	WANNABE	Spice Girls (Stannard/Rowe) Windswept Pacific/PolyGram (Spice Girls/Stannard/Rowe)	Virgin VSCDX 1588/VSC 1588 (E)	-/-
17	13	OH WHAT A NIGHT	Clock (Pritchard/Allan) Jobete/EMI (Gaudin/Parker)	Power Station/MCA MCSTD 40057/MCSC 40057 (BMG)	-MCSST 40057
18	NEW	IF YOU DON'T WANT ME TO DESTROY YOU	Super Furry Animals (Owen/Super Furry Animals) PolyGram (Super Furry Animals) CRE 243/-	Creation CRESCD 243/CRECS 243 (3MV/V)	-/-
19	9	DANCE INTO THE LIGHT	Phil Collins (Collins/Padgham) Philip Collins/Hit & Run (Collins)	Face Value EW 066C/EW 066C (W)	-/-
20	12	VIRTUAL INSANITY	Jamiroquai (Kay/Stone) EMI (Kay/Smith)	Sony S2 6636132/6636134 (SM)	-/-
21	14	I'M ALIVE	Stretch & Vern present Maddog (Silvester/Vern) EMI (Silvester/Vern)	ffr FCD 284/FCS 284 (F)	-1FX 284
22	15	IF YOU REALLY CARED	Gabrielle (The Boilerhouse Boys) Perfect/PolyGram/EMI (Gabrielle/Dean/Wolf/Barson)	Go Beat GODCD 153/GODMC 153 (F)	-/-
23	16	MARBLEHEAD JOHNSON	The Bluetones (Jones) EMI (Morris/Chesters/Devlin/Morris)	Superior Quality/A&M BLUE 006C/BLUE 006M (V)	BLUE 006/-S
24	NEW	RHYTHM OF MY HEART	Runrig (Young/Runrig) PolyGram/WC (Jordan/Capek)	Chrysalis CDCHS 5035/TCCHS 5035 (E)	-/-
25	11	SUGAR IS SWEETER	CJ Bolland (Bolland/Vanderheyden) London/Be's (Bolland/Vanderheyden)	Internal LIECD 35/LIEMC 35 (F)	-LIARX 35
26	21	HOW BIZARRE	OMC (Jansson) PolyGram (Jansson/Fuemana)	Polydor 5716202/572064 (F)	-/-
27	NEW	THINGS WE DO FOR LOVE	Horace Brown (Ferrell) Zomba/Horace Brown/WC/Various (Brown/Ferrell/Shider)	Motown 8605712/8605704 (F)	-8605711
28	18	I'VE GOT A LITTLE PUPPY	The Smurfs (Jackson/Corber/Erkelens) WC (Newman/Wells)	EMI TV CD5MURF 100/TCSMURF 100 (E)	-/-
29	27	SPINNING THE WHEEL	George Michael (Michael/Douglas) Dick Leahy/Rondor (Michael/Douglas)	Virgin VSCDG 1595/VSC 1595 (E)	-/-
30	NEW	EVERYTHING	Sarah Washington (Fredrickse/Auerbach/Green) Origin/PolyGram (Washington/Fredrickse)	AM-PM 5818872/5818864 (F)	-5818871
31	23	IF IT MAKES YOU HAPPY	Sheryl Crow (Crow) WC (Crow/Trott)	A&M 5819032/5819034 (F)	-/-
32	NEW	HIGH	Hyper Go-Go (Diplock/Bell) PolyGram/EMI (Diplock/Bell/Marsh)	Distinctive DISNCD 24/DISNMC 24 (P)	-DISNT 24
33	19	THE CIRCLE	Ocean Colour Scene (Lynch/Ocean Colour Scene) Island (Ocean Colour Scene)	MCA MCSTD 40077/MCSC 40077 (BMG)	-/-
34	NEW	DON'T GO	Third Dimension featuring Julie McDermott (Chetcuti/McGuinness) MCA (Orme)	Soundproof/MCA MCSTD 40082/MCSC4 0082 (BMG)	-MCSST 40082
35	26	MACARENA	Los Del Rio (Bola/Sloer) WC (Monge/Ruiz)	RCA 74321345372/74321345374 (BMG)	-/-
36	31	BORN SLIPPY	Underworld (Underworld) Sherlock Holmes/CC (Hyde/Smith/Emerson)	Junior Boy's Own JBO 44CDS1/- (RTM/DISC)	-JBO 44
37	25	FOOTSTEPS	Daniel O'Donnell (Ryan) Timeless (Taylor/Taylor)	Ritz RITCD 300/RITC 300 (P)	-/-

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38	20	SINGLE	Everything But The Girl (Watt) Sony ATV/Carlin/Westminster (Watt/Thorn/Buckle/Beckett/Tracey)	Virgin VSCDT 1600/VSC 1600/-VST 1600 (E)	-/-
39	7	LOST MYSELF	Longlegs (Bacon/Umahly) PolyGram (Lunt)	Mother MUMCD 82/MUMSC 82 (F)	MUM 82/-
40	28	ALWAYS BREAKING MY HEART	Belinda Carlisle (Gessle/Oliverman) EMI (Gessle)	Chrysalis CDCHS 5037/TCCHS 5037 (E)	-/-
41	29	GOODBYE HEARTBREAK	Lighthouse Family (Peden) PolyGram/Chrysalis (Tucker/Tucker/Baiyewu/Kellett)	Wild Card/Polydor 5753492/5753384 (F)	-/-
42	17	STATUESQUE	Sleeper (Street) Sony ATV (Wenter)	Indolent/RCA SLEEP 014CD/- (V)	SLEEP 014/-
43	NEW	WARNING	AKA (Brown/AKA) Perfect (Remekie/Smith/McLean/White)	RCA 74321360662/74321360664 (BMG)	-/-
44	30	ALL I WANT	Skunk Anansie (Gogarth) Chrysalis (Skinn/Cass/Ace)	One Little Indian 161 TP7CD/161 TP7C (P)	-/-
45	NEW	TRANZ EURO XPRESS	X-Press 2 (X-Press 2) Chrysalis/CC (X-Press 2)	Junior Boy's Own JBO 42CD/- (RTM/DISC)	-JBO 42R
46	33	LOVEFOOL	The Cardigans (Johansson) PolyGram (Svensson/Persson)	Stockholm 5752952/575284 (F)	575295/-
47	NEW	INDIE-YARN	Trickbabby (Trickbabby/Williams) CC (Trickbabby/Williams)	Logic 74321423152/74321423154 (BMG)	-7432142315/-
48	38	HERO OF THE DAY	Metallica (Rock/Hetfield/Ulrich) PolyGram (Hetfield/Ulrich/Hannmet)	Vertigo METCD 13/- (F)	-METAL 13
49	24	ARE YOU READY FOR SOME MORE?	Reel 2 Real (Morillo) PolyGram (Morillo/Quashie)	Positiva CDTV 56/TCTIV 56 (E)	-/-
50	30	THE CROSSROADS	Bone Thugs-N-Harmony (DJ U-Neek) Ruthless Attack/Mo Thug/Keeun/Dovon/EMI (Bone/DJ U-Neek/Sley/Sley/Sley/Jasper)	Epic 6635502/6635504/-6635506 (E)	-/-
51	35	KRUPA	Apollo Four Forty (Apollo Four Forty) Reverb (Noko/Gray/Gray)	EMI SSXCD 5/SSXC 5 (SM)	-SSXT 5
52	37	ONE TO ANOTHER	The Charlatans (The Charlatans/Charles/Charlie The Cat) WC (Blun/Brookes/Burgess/Collins/Collins)	Beggars Banquet BBQ 301CD/BBQ 301C/BBQ 301/- (RTM/DISC)	-BBQ 301
53	NEW	DON'T LET ME BE MISUNDERSTOOD	Joe Cocker (Was) Bennie Benjamin (Caldwell/Benjamin/Marcus)	Parlophone CDCL 779/TCCL 779 (E)	-/-
54	NEW	BOY OR A GIRL	Imperial Drag (Jones/Imperial Drag) Dover Solot/EMI/Sunshine (Dover/Manning)	Columbia 6632992/6632994 (SM)	663299/-
55	NEW	TELEPORT/SUGAR RUSH	Man With No Name (Freeland) City Beat (Freeland)	Perfecto PERF 126CD/PERF 126C (V)	-PERF 1261
56	73	FOREVER LOVE	Gary Barlow (Porter/Barlow) EMI (Barlow)	RCA 74321397922/74321397964 (BMG)	-/-
57	32	THE BOY WITH THE X-RAY EYES	BabyLun Zoo (Mann/Power) EMI (Mann)	EMI CDEMS 440/- (E)	-12EM 440/S
58	40	TRIGGER HIPPIE	Morcheeba (Morcheeba/Norris) Chrysalis (Godfrey/Godfrey/Edwards)	Indochina ID 052CD/ID 052MC (P)	-/-
59	44	HEY DUDE	Kula Shaker (Leckie) Hit & Run (Mills/Kula Shaker)	Columbia KULACD 4/KULAMC 4 (SM)	-/-
60	39	THA WILD STYLE	DJ Supreme (Drestli) CC/R Nwahia/V Maclean (Drestli/Nwahia/Maclean)	Distinctive DISNCD 19/DISNMC 19 (P)	-DISNT 19
61	62	KILLING ME SOFTLY ★ 2	Fugees (Wyclef/Hill/Duplessis) Onward (Gimbel/Fox)	Columbia 6633435/6633434 (SM)	-/-
62	48	WHY	3T featuring Michael Jackson (Jackson) Sony (Babyface)	Epic 6636482/6636484 (SM)	-/-
63	NEW	THE CAN ROCK IT	Power Station (Edwards) Mulino/BMG/CC (Tony Thompson/Koch (Palmer/Taylor/Taylor/Thompson)	Chrysalis CDCHS 5039/TCCHS 5039 (E)	-/-
64	NEW	BANANA-NA-NA	Technohead (Technohead) WC (Wells)	Mokum/Roadrunner DB 17473/DB 17474 (P)	-DB 17476
65	43	NO MORE ALCOHOL	Suggs featuring Louchie Lou And Michie One (Rapino Bros) EMI/MCA (McPherson)	WEA WEA 065CD/WEA 065C (W)	-/-
66	42	ME AND YOU VERSUS THE WORLD	Space (Lironi) Gut/Hit & Run (Scott/Space)	Gut CXGUT 4/CAGUT 4 (TVP)	-/-
67	65	FREEDOM	Robbie Williams (Hague) Morrison Leahy (Michael)	Chrysalis CDFREE 1/TCFREE 1 (E)	-/-
68	49	THE GIFT	Way Out West/Miss Joanna Law (Way Out West) CC/Tammy (Wisternoff/Warner/MacColl) /74321401911	Deconstruction 74321401912/74321401914 (BMG)	-74321401911
69	NEW	SALLY	Karibdog (I) (I)	Fontana KERDD 2/- (F)	-/-
70	NEW	GOTTA GET LOOSE	Mr & Mrs Smith (Smith/Coe/Cleverly) CC (Coe/Smith/Cleverly)	Hooj Choons HOOJCD 46/- (RTM/DISC)	-HOOJ 46
71	NEW	ONLY THE STRONG SURVIVE	DJ Krush (I) (I)	Mo Wax MW 060CD/- (V)	-MW 060X
72	51	TEENAGE ANGST	Placebo (Wood) CC (Placebo)	Elevator Music FLOORCD 3/- (V)	FLOOR 3/-
73	69	SOMEDAY	Eternal (Climie) Campbell Connelly (Menken/Schwartz)	1st Avenue/EMI CDEMS 439/TCSEM 439 (E)	-/-
74	66	SE A VIDA E (THAT'S THE WAY LIFE IS)	Pet Shop Boys (Pet Shop Boys/Porter) Cage/EMI/WC (Tennant/Lowe/Ademario/Negra/Barbalho)	Parlophone CDR 6443/TCR 6443 (E)	-/-
75	58	LET'S MAKE A NIGHT TO REMEMBER	Bryan Adams (Lange/Adams) Badams/Zomba (Adams/Lange)	A&M 5818672/5818654 (F)	-/-

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The singles chart has its third different number one in as many weeks as the **Chemical Brothers'** *Setting Sun*, featuring Oasis' Noel Gallagher on lead vocals, debuts in pole position. It sold 99,000 copies last week, 15,000 more than **Deep Blue Something's** *Breakfast At Tiffany's*, which falls from the summit to number two.

The Chemical Brothers' previous highest chart placing was number 13 for their EP *Loops Of Glory* in January. The success of *Setting Sun* shows yet again the selling power of **Oasis**, ironically coinciding with a slump in the fortunes of their *(What's The Story) Morning Glory?* album, which slips from number eight to number 14, having never previously dropped below number 11. Definitely *Maybe* had a tough week, too, falling 21-30.

Setting Sun is one of four singles that make their debut in the Top 10 this week. So far in 1996, 132 singles have entered the Top 75 inside the Top 10 – an increase of more than 50% on last year and more than double the 1994 figure.

Ten years ago, there were only nine new entries inside the Top 10 in the year, three of them by Madonna, in the whole of the Eighties, there were just 145 debuts inside the Top 10, a total which should now be comfortably exceeded this year alone.

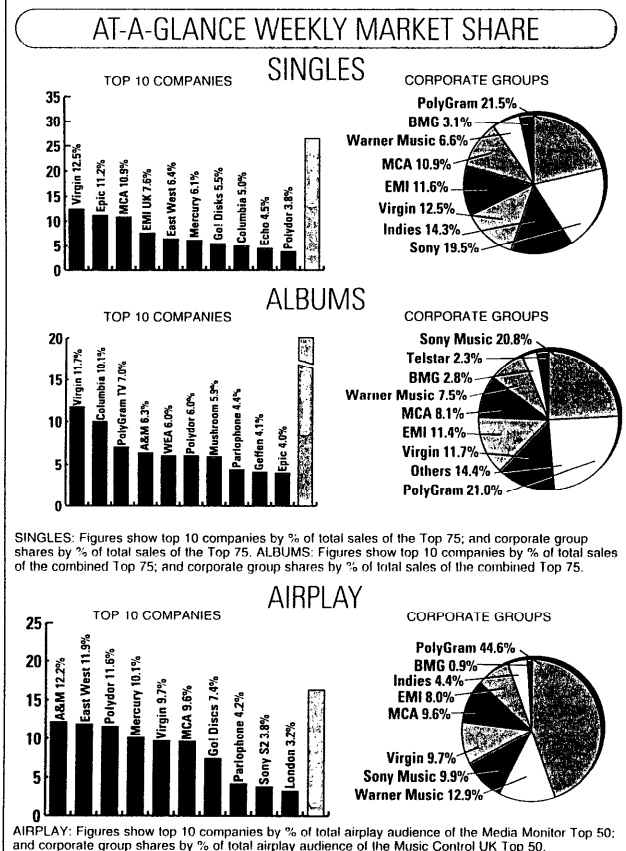
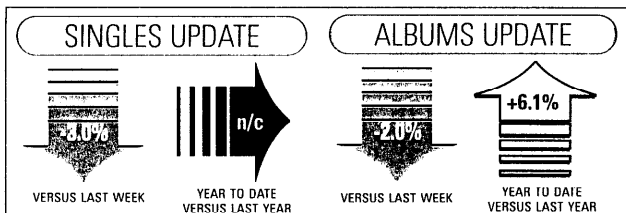
Another indication of how much more quickly things are moving comes from the fact that the first 10,000 hit singles took 32 years to accumulate, while the last 10,000 have taken just 12 years. And the rate is accelerating, with this year's intake likely to exceed 1,150.

Of the other Top 10 newcomers, the most notable is **Baby Bird's** *You're Gorgeous*, which debuts at number three, providing the group and its label, Echo, with their biggest hits to date.

Baby Bird have been producing new music at a startling rate, although they have previously focused on the albums sector, where they have had five well-received albums in the past couple of years. *You're Gorgeous* is only their second hit single, following *Goodnight*, which reached number 28 in August.

Also making a big impression, **The Beautiful South's** *Rotterdam* debuts at number six, becoming their biggest hit since they topped the chart with *A Little Time* in 1990. Although their best hits album *Carry On Up The Charts* famously sold more than 2m units, *Rotterdam* is only their fourth Top 10 hit.

The Manic Street Preachers snare their third Top 10 hit of the year, as Kevin Carter debuts at number nine. The Welsh group previously



SINGLES: Figures show top 10 companies by % of total sales of the Top 75; and corporate group shares by % of total sales of the Top 75. ALBUMS: Figures show top 10 companies by % of total sales of the combined Top 75; and corporate group shares by % of total sales of the combined Top 75.



AIRPLAY: Figures show top 10 companies by % of total airplay audience of the Media Monitor Top 50; and corporate group shares by % of total airplay audience of the Music Control UK Top 50.

reached number two in April with *Design For Life* and number five in August with *Everything Must Go*. All three singles are taken from the album *Everything Must Go*, which has sold 300,000 units in the past five months.

On the albums chart, the improved sampling of the supermarket sector, via the inclusion of data from Tesco and Sainsbury's, seems to have slightly blunted the chart exploits of some of the cutting-edge acts, while helping the more mainstream artists.

Sales are generally very subdued anyway, allowing **Peter Andre** to debut at number one with his *Natural* album, which sold around 45,000 units

last week. It's a notable double for **Andre**, whose *Plava* made a similar charge to the top of the singles chart four weeks ago.

Natural is the first number one album from the Mushroom label, bettering the number six peak of its previous top LP, the self-titled *Garbage* album.

Despite being preceded by a couple of hit singles – *Make It With You* (number seven) and *Take It Easy* (number 25) – **Let Loose's** latest album *Rollercoaster* has proved a retail disappointment. It debuted last week at number 42 and has fallen alarmingly to number 114.

Alan Jones



Deep Blue Something's *Breakfast At Tiffany's* completes five weeks of steady progress on the airplay chart by moving into pole position just as it loses its sales crown.

It had some tough competition to win the title this week, having to leapfrog over two other steady climbers – **Dina Carroll's** *Escaping* and **Donna Lewis's** *I Love You Always Forever*. *Escaping* actually had more plays but a slightly smaller audience than *Breakfast At Tiffany's*. *Carroll* and *Lewis* have both had six weeks of rapidly increasing exposure on the airplay chart and either may yet challenge for the title.

This number one sales success, *Setting Sun* by the **Chemical Brothers**, moves 54-36 on airplay, largely because it received 28 plays on Radio One last week. It averaged less than one play per station elsewhere and Radio One provided 90% of its audience. The national network similarly provided the overwhelming proportion of the audience of **Baby Bird's** *You're Gorgeous*, spinning it 31 times to make it its number one record. *You're Gorgeous* moves 32-18 nationally, with Radio One providing 85% of listeners. Neither *You're Gorgeous* or *Setting Sun* appears in the ILR Top 50.

Atlantic 252 rarely adds records before their release but it pounced on two pre-releases last week, playing **Boyzone's** *Words* 22 times and **Spice Girls'** *Say You'll Be There* 21 times. The *Boyzone* single received widespread support elsewhere, too, allowing it to become the Top 50's highest new entry at number 24, with 642 plays, while *Spice Girls* moved 33-19.

Gabrielle is in the rare position of having two singles on the chart, both climbing. Her current sales hit *If You Really Cared* was last week's highest climber and continues upwards, moving 20-15, increasing its plays by an impressive 363 and its audience by 41%. Her cover of *Shai's* *If You Ever*, recorded with fellow airplay favourites **East 17**, accelerates 103-40 this week and is already in *Capital's* Top 10. Sustaining two records on heavy rotation is very difficult and her solo single is likely to start suffering soon.

Living Joy's *Don't Stop Movin'* was a long-lasting sales hit and is lingering even longer on the airplay chart. In its 19th week on the chart, it slips to number 35. Its closest challenger, with 16 weeks on the chart, is **OMC's** *How Bizarre*, which slips 14-17. It is still a real favourite at *Capital*, though, where it was played 38 times last week.

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HIGHEST CLIMBER 1	NEW	NATURAL Peter Andre (Various)	Mushroom DX 2005 (3MV/BMG) C 2005/L 2005
2	1	K Kula Shaker (Leckie)	Columbia SHAKER 1CDK (SM) SHAKER 1MC/SHAKER 1LP
3	2	THE SCORE ★ Fugees (Prakazrel-Pras)	Columbia 4835492 (SM) 4835494/4835491
4	NEW	FROM THE MUDDY BANKS OF THE WISHKAH Nirvana (No credit)	Geffen GED 25105 (BMG) GEC 25105/GEF 25105
5	NEW	SHERYL CROW Sheryl Crow (Crow)	A&M 5406092 (F) 5405904/-
6	3	TRAVELLING WITHOUT MOVING Jamiroquai (Kay/Stone/M Beat)	Sony S2 4839999 (SM) 4839994/4839991
7	4	JAGGED LITTLE PILL ★6 Alanis Morissette (Morissette/Ballard)	Maverick/Sire 9362459012 (WV) 9362459014/-
8	7	OLDER ★3 George Michael (Michael/Douglas)	Virgin CDV 2802 (E) TCV 2802/V 2802
9	6	MOSELEY SHOALS ★2 Ocean Colour Scene (Lynch/Ocean Colour Scene)	MCA MCD 60008 (BMG) MCC 60008/MCA 60008
10	15	FALLING INTO YOU ★2 Celine Dion (Steinberg/Novels/Goldman/Wake/Foster/Steinman/Galica/Novel)	Epic 4837922/4837924/- (SM) 4837923/4837921
11	10	RECURRING DREAM - THE VERY BEST OF ★ Crowded House (Finn/Finn/Froom/Youth)	Capitol CDESTX 2283 (E) TCEST 2283/EST 2283
12	9	OCEAN DRIVE ★ Lighthouse Family (Peden)	Wild Card/Polydor 5237872 (F) 5237874/-
13	5	NEW ADVENTURES IN HI-FI ★ REM (REM/Lit)	Warner Bros 9362463202 (WV) 9362463204/9362463201
14	8	WHAT'S THE STORY MORNING GLORY? ★11 Oasis (Morris/Gallagher)	Creation (3MV/V) CRECD 189/CCRE 189/CRELP 189
15	13	THE VERY BEST OF The Moody Blues (The Moody Blues/Clarke/Various)	PolyGram TV 5358002 (F) 5358004/-
16	11	SPIDERS ○ Space (Lironi, except for one track)	Gut GUTCD 1/GUTMC 1/GUTLP 1 (TU/P)
17	14	THE SMURFS GO POP! ★ The Smurfs (Jackson/Corbet/Erkelens)	EMI TV CDEM TV 121 (E) TCEMTV 121/-
18	NEW	FIRST BAND ON THE MOON The Cardigans (Johansson)	Stockholm 5331172 (F) 5331174/5331171
19	20	EVERYTHING MUST GO ★ Manic Street Preachers (Hedges/Hague/Eringa)	Epic 4839302 (SM) 4839304/4839301
20	12	A WOMAN & A MAN Belinda Carlisle (Tickle/Gessle/Ofverman)	Chrysalis CDCHR 61115 (E) TCCHR 61115/-
21	37	BLUE LINES Massive Attack (Massive Attack/Dolow)	Wild Bunch WBRC01 (F) WBRCM1/WBRLP1
22	19	18 TIL I DIE ★ Bryan Adams (Adams/Lange)	A&M 5405602 (F) 5405514/5405511
23	30	WALKING WOUNDED ● Everything But The Girl (Watt/Spring Heel Jack/Howie B)	Virgin CDV 2803 (E) TCV 2803/V 2803
24	25	HOME Deep Blue Something (Castell/Deep Blue Something)	Interscope IND 90002 (BMG) INC 90002/-
25	23	COMING UP ● Suede (Buller)	Nude 4851292 (3MV/V) NUDE 6MC/NUDE 6LP
26	26	BIZARRE FRUIT/BIZARRE FRUIT II ★4 M People (M People)	Deconstruction/RCA (BMG) 7432132817/74321328174/-
27	17	THE ULTIMATE COLLECTION The Lemonheads (Atkins)	RCA Victor 74321410872 (BMG) 74321410874/-
28	NEW	CAR BUTTON CLOTH The Lemonheads (Coggin)	Tag 7567927262 (WV) 7567927264/-
29	37	THE IT GIRL ● Sleeper (Street/Lampcov/Smith)	Indolent/RCA SLEEP CD 012 (V) SLEEPMC 012/SLEEPL 012
30	21	DEFINITELY MAYBE ★5 Oasis (Oasis/Coyle)	Creation (3MV/V) CRECD 169/CCRE 169/CRELP 169
31	24	FREE PEACE SWEET ● Dodgy (Jones)	A&M 5405732 (F) 5405734/5405711
32	28	ALL CHANGE ★ Cast (Leckie)	Polydor 5293122 (F) 5293124/5293121
33	29	BOOGIE WONDERLAND - THE VERY BEST OF Earth Wind And Fire (White)	Telstar TCD 2879 (BMG) STAC 2879/-
34	27	THE ULTIMATE COLLECTION ● Neil Diamond (Various)	Sony TV/MCA MOODCD 45 (SM) MOODC 45/-
35	16	BEST OF THE BEAST Iron Maiden (Brich/Harris/Green/Various)	EMI CDEM DX 1097 (E) TCEMD 1097/TCEML 1097
36	49	GARBAGE ★ Garbage (Garbage)	Mushroom D31450 (3MV/BMG) C31450/L31450
37	31	NAKED ● Louise (Charles/Wilson/Clinnie/Douglas)	1st Avenue/EMI CDEMCDP 3748 (E) TCEMC 3748/-
38	22	DIFFERENT CLASS ★3 Pulp (Thomas)	Island CID 8041 (F) ICT 8041/LPS 8041
39	20	A MAXIMUM HIGH ● Shed Seven (Sheldon)	Polydor 5310392 (F) 5310394/5310391
40	NEW	WAY BEYOND BLUE Catalonia (Street/Sampson/Catalonia)	Blanco Y Negro 0630163052 (WV) 0630165184/0630165181
41	36	THE BENDS ★ Radiohead (Leckie)	Parlophone CDPCS 7372 (E) TCPCS 7372/PCS 7372
42	NEW	TRUTH AND THE LIGHT Mark Snow (Snow)	Warner Bros. 9362464482 (WV) 9362464484/-
43	NEW	PINKERTON Weezer (Weezer)	Geffen GED 25007 (BMG) GEC 25007/GEF 25007
44	NEW	THE VERY BEST OF THE PAN PIPES Inspirations (Brookes)	Telstar TCD 2845 (BMG) STAC 2845/-
45	51	SECRETS Toni Braxton (Babyface/Various)	LaFace 73008260202 (BMG) 73008260204/-
46	41	FIELDS OF GOLD - THE BEST OF ★2 Sung (Padgham/Sting/Dorffman/Smith/Various)	A&M 5403072 (F) 5403074/-
47	40	EXPECTING TO FLY ● The Bluetones (Jones)	Superior Quality/A&M BLUECD 004 (V) BLUEMC 004/BLUELP 004
48	33	BILINGUAL ● Pet Shop Boys (Pet Shop Boys/Parter/Tengaglia/Roberts/Williams)	Parlophone CDPCSD 170/TCPCSD 170/PCSD 170 (E) RITZCD 0078 (F) RITZLC 0078/-
49	NEW	WITH YOU IN MIND Louise (Charles/Wilson/Clinnie/Douglas)	Ritz RITZCD 0078 (F) RITZLC 0078/-
50	NEW	NOW I GOT WORRY Jon Spencer Blues Explosion (Spencer/Waters)	Mute CDSTUMM 132 (RTM/DISC) -STUMM 132
51	43	PARKLIFE ★4 Blur (Street/Hague)	Food/Parlophone FOODCD 10 (E) FOODTC 10/FOODLP 10
52	NEW	NOW IN A MINUTE Donna Lewis (Lewis/Killen)	Atlantic 7567827622 (WV) 7567827624/-
53	55	LOAD ● Metallica (Rock/Hetfield/Ulrich)	Vertigo 5326182 (F) 5326184/5326181
54	68	WILD WOOD ★ Paul Weller (Lynch/Weller)	Go!Discs 8284352 (F) 8284354/8284351
55	39	GOLD - GREATEST HITS ★3 Abba (Andersson/Uvaeus/Anderson)	Polydor 5170072 (F) 5170074/5170071
56	44	STANLEY ROAD ★4 Paul Weller (Lynch/Weller)	Go!Discs 8286192 (F) 8286194/8286191
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58	48	1977 ★ Ash (Morris/Ash)	Infectious INFECT 40CD (RTM/DISC) INFECT 40MC/INFECT 40LP
59	NEW	ELEGANT SLUMMING ★3 M People (M People)	RCA 74321166782 (BMG) 74321166784/74321166781
60	NEW	CARRY ON UP THE CHARTS - THE BEST OF ★6 The Beautiful South (Hedges/Kelly/Brough/Magic Pumpkin)	Go!Discs 8285722 (F) 8285724/8285721
61	34	ENDTRODUCING..... DJ Shadow (DJ Shadow)	Mo Wax MW 059CD (V) MW 059MC/MW 059
62	NEW	SAX AT THE MOVIES State Of The Heart (Padley/Prime)	Virgin VTDC 98 (E) VTMC 98/-
63	52	ANOTHER LEVEL Blackstreet (Riley)	Interscope INTD 90071 (BMG) INTC 90071/-
64	57	PABLO HONEY ● Radiohead (Slade/Kolderie)	Parlophone CDP 7814082 (E) TCPCS 7360/PCS 7360
65	NEW	HOMEGROWN ○ Dodgy (Jones/Broudie)	A&M 5402822 (F) 5402824/5402821
66	56	DREAMLAND ● Robert Miles (Miles)	Deconstruction 74321391262 (BMG) 74321391264/74321391261
67	59	WILDEST DREAMS ★ Tina Turner (Horn/Various)	Parlophone CDEST 2279 (E) TCEST 2279/EST 2279
68	NEW	AGNUS DEI CNC Oxford/Higginbottom (I)	Erato 0630146342 (WV) 0630146344/-
69	50	ONLY YESTERDAY ★3 The Carpenters (I)	A&M CDA 1990 (F) AMC 1990/AMA 1990
70	NEW	MUSIC FOR THE JILTED GENERATION ★ The Prodigy (Howlett/McLellan)	XL XLCD 114/XLDC 114/XLLP 114 (WV)
71	NEW	EXIT PLANET DUST ● The Chemical Brothers (Rowlands/Simon)	Junior Boy's Own XDUSTCD 1 (E) XDUSTMC 1/XDUSTLP 1
72	58	HITS ★ Mike & The Mechanics (Neil/Rutherford)	Virgin CDV 2797 (E) TCV 2797/-
73	NEW	THE COLOUR OF MY LOVE ★5 Celine Dion (Luprano/Doelly)	Epic 4747432 (SM) 4747434/-
74	NEW	PROTECTION/NO PROTECTION ★ Massive Attack (Hooper/Massive Attack)	Virgin WBRC0 3 (E) WBRCM 3/WBRLP 3
75	NEW	LEGEND ★6 Bob Marley And The Wailers (Marley/Wailers/Blackwell/Smith)	Tuff Gong BMWCD 1/BMWXC 1/BMWX 1 (F) BMW 1/1MC/1LP

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2	1	NOW THAT'S WHAT I CALL MUSIC! 34 ★3 EMI/Virgin/PolyGram CDNOW 34/TCNOW 34/NOW 34 (E)	EMI/Virgin/PolyGram CDNOW 34/TCNOW 34/NOW 34 (E)
3	2	SHINE 6 PolyGram TV 5359202 (F) 5359204/-	PolyGram TV 5359202 (F) 5359204/-
4	5	TRAINSPOTTING (OST) ★ EMI Premier CDEM C 3739/CEMC 3739/EMC3739 (E)	EMI Premier CDEM C 3739/CEMC 3739/EMC3739 (E)
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7	NEW	NORTHERN EXPOSURE - SASHA & JOHN DIGWEED Ministry Of Sound NECD 1/NEMC 1/NELP 1 (3MV/SM)	Ministry Of Sound NECD 1/NEMC 1/NELP 1 (3MV/SM)
8	4	FRESH HITS 96 Warner.espi/Global TV/Sony TV MOODCD 46/MOODC 46/- (SM)	Warner.espi/Global TV/Sony TV MOODCD 46/MOODC 46/- (SM)
9	6	THE HOUSE COLLECTION CLUB CLASSICS - 2 Fantazia FHCC 2CDU/FHCC 2MC/FHCC 2LP (3MV/SM)	Fantazia FHCC 2CDU/FHCC 2MC/FHCC 2LP (3MV/SM)
10	9	THE BEST OF HEARTBEAT ● Columbia MOODCD 37/MOODC 37/- (SM)	Columbia MOODCD 37/MOODC 37/- (SM)
11	12	100% DRUM & BASS Telstar TCD 2847/STAC 2847/- (BMG)	Telstar TCD 2847/STAC 2847/- (BMG)
12	10	ONE HALF OF A WHOLE DECADE - 5 YEARS ... Ministry Of Sound MOS 5CD/MOS 5MC/- (3MV/SM)	Ministry Of Sound MOS 5CD/MOS 5MC/- (3MV/SM)
13	7	BIG MIX 96 - VOLUME 2 EMI TV/warner.espi CDEM TVD 131/TCEMTVD 131/- (E)	EMI TV/warner.espi CDEM TVD 131/TCEMTVD 131/- (E)
14	8	DANCE ZONE - LEVEL EIGHT PolyGram TV 5359032/5359034/- (F)	PolyGram TV 5359032/5359034/- (F)
15	11	TOTP - THE CUTTING EDGE Columbia SONYTV 19CD/SONYTV 19MC/- (SM)	Columbia SONYTV 19CD/SONYTV 19MC/- (SM)
16	NEW	WIPEOUT 2097: THE SOUNDTRACK Virgin CDV 2815/TCV 2815/V 2815 (E)	Virgin CDV 2815/TCV 2815/V 2815 (E)
17	14	MAD FOR IT Telstar TCD 2868/STAC 2868/- (BMG)	Telstar TCD 2868/STAC 2868/- (BMG)
18	13	THE BEST OF MASTERCUTS Virgin VTDCD 101/VTDCM 101/- (E)	Virgin VTDCD 101/VTDCM 101/- (E)
19	15	BOYZ OF SWING II ○ PolyGram TV 5357552 (F) 5357554/-	PolyGram TV 5357552 (F) 5357554/-
20	16	MOVIE KILLERS ● Telstar TCD 2836 (BMG) STAC 2836/-	Telstar TCD 2836 (BMG) STAC 2836/-

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