



# THE OFFICIAL UK CHARTS SINGLES

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## CHART COMMENTARY

by ALAN JONES



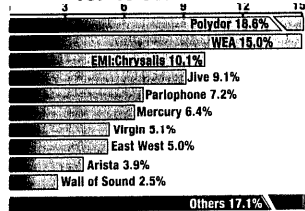
Madonna registers her 49th hit, and her 45th Top 10 single with **Beautiful Stranger**, which debuts at number two this week. The song, which Madonna wrote with William Orbit for the movie *Austin Powers: The Spy Who Shagged Me*, sold more than 135,000 copies last week, and is her eighth different number two hit. Only **Cliff Richard (10)** and **Elvis Presley (nine)** have had more. Madonna's previous number two hits are *Crazy For*

*You, Holiday, Borderline, Live To Tell, Hanky Panky, Justify My Love and Ray Of Light*. She has also had eight number ones, topping the chart most recently in March 1998 with *Frozen*. The popularity of *Beautiful Stranger* has so far failed to be of much assistance to the *Spy Who Shagged Me* soundtrack, which eases down from its debut position of 22 to 25 this week, but will undoubtedly revive once the movie opens.

Former Spice Girls manager Simon Fuller's 19 Management company might have been slightly disappointed by the low-key number 16 posting of the **21st Century Girls'** self-titled debut last week but must be thrilled with the resounding number one debut landed by their other charges **S Club 7** this week. After establishing a small lead over **Madonna's** *Beautiful Stranger* in early trading, **S Club 7** exploded at the end of the week to beat Madonna very comfortably, selling more than 190,000 copies of their single *Bring It All Back*, compared with *Beautiful Stranger's* tally of just under 136,000. **S Club 7** have had very little airplay for their single but boast a fan club of more than 100,000 members and a TV show (Miami 7) with a regular audience of 4m.

Written by Stephen Foster in 1850 as *The Camptown Races*, **The Cartoons'** latest hit *Doodah* debuts this week at number seven, giving the Danish group their second consecutive Top 10 entry. Their debut hit

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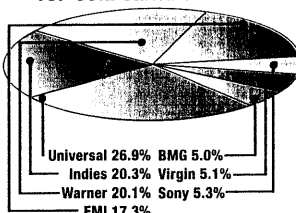
Figures show top 10 companies by % of total sales of the Top 75, and corporate group shares by % of total sales of the Top 75

### SALES UPDATE



*Witch Doctor* reached number two in March, and has sold more than 471,000 copies to date. It dips 29-42 this week.

### TOP CORPORATE GROUPS



### PERCENTAGE OF UK ACTS IN THE CHART

UK: 58.7% US: 28.0% Other: 13.3%

**Björk's** 16th solo hit, *All Is Full Of Love* is her highest-charting single since *Bachelorette* in 1997. It debuts this week at

number 24 and earns the distinction of including the highest-priced singles format to date, namely the DVD version of the single which has a dealer price of £4.99 plus VAT, and which is selling for £7.99 to £8.99. All *Is Full Of Love* has been widely reported as the first DVD single but one of the CDs of **Carl Cox's** recent hit *Phuture 2000* also included a DVD-encoded track.

**Shania Twain's** *That Don't Impress Me Much* suffered a 22% decline in its week-on-week sales but still holds at number four, its full chart history to date being an impressive 3-3-3-4-4. The single has sold more than 390,000 copies in the past five weeks, more than twice as many as any previous Twain single.

**ATB's** 9PM (*Till I Come*) is still a week away from its UK re-release but it is in the Top 75 twice over this week as an import, advancing 78-55 on the Club Tools label, and 97-63 on *Dancenet*. A third import, on *Free For All*, also improves 131-105.

## INDEPENDENT SINGLES

This	Last	Title	Artist	Label (distributor)
1	1	SWEET LIKE CHOCOLATE	Shanks & Bigfoot	Chocolate Boy/Pepper 0530352 (P)
2	2	OOH LA LA	Wiseguys	Wall Of Sound WALLD 038X (V)
3	3	I WANT IT THAT WAY	Backstreet Boys	Jive 0523392 (P)
4	NEW	ALL IS FULL OF LOVE	Björk	One Little Indian 242 TP7CD (P)
5	NEW	GET INVOLVED	Raphael Saadiq & Q-Tip	Hollywood 0101185 HWR (P)
6	NEW	IT'S A GIRL THING	My Life Story	ITR 001 (V)
7	4	INSOMNIA	Feeder	Echo EC5CD 77 (P)
8	6	BABY ONE MORE TIME	Britney Spears	Jive 0522752 (P)
9	5	RED ALERT	Basement Jaxx	XL Recordings XLS 100CD2 (V)
10	7	PICK A PART THAT'S NEW	Stereophonics	V2 VVR 5006778 (3MV/P)
11	NEW	IF YOU REALLY WANNA KNOW	Marc Dorsey	Jive 0522592 (P)
12	NEW	FUTURE LOVE	Presence	Pagan PAPAN 028CDS (V)
13	8	YOU LOOK SO FINE	Garbage	Mushroom MUSH 49CDS (3MV/P)
14	NEW	I BELIEVE	Lange feat. Sarah Dwyer	Positiva 12 AD039 (E)
15	NEW	EASTER ISLAND	Art Of Trance	Platipus PLAT 55CD (SRD)
16	9	JUMBO	Underworld	JBO JBO 5007193 (3MV/P)
17	11	RIGHT HERE RIGHT NOW	Fatboy Slim	Skint SKINT 46CD (3MV/P)
18	10	LIFT IT HIGH (ALL ABOUT BELIEF)	1999 Man. U. Squad	Music Collection MANUCD 4 (DISC)
19	13	BE YOURSELF	Celeda	Twisted UK TWCD 10049 (V)
20	15	NEWS FOR YOU	Shalom	Revue REVSCDS 004 (JS)

## PEPSI Chart

This	Last	Title Artist	Label
1	NEW	BRING IT ALL BACK S Club 7	Polydor
2	18	BEAUTIFUL STRANGER Madonna	Maverick
3	1	EVERYBODY'S FREE... Baz Luhrmann	EMI
4	4	THAT DON'T IMPRESS ME MUCH Shania Twain	Mercury
5	2	SWEET LIKE CHOCOLATE Shanks & Bigfoot	Chocolate Boy/Pepper
6	2	HEY BOY HEY GIRL The Chemical Brothers	Virgin
7	NEW	DOODAH! Cartoons	Flex/EMI
8	7	I WANT IT THAT WAY Backstreet Boys	Jive
9	3	OOH LA LA The Wiseguys	Wall Of Sound
10	8	KISS ME Sixpence None The Richer	Elektra
11	14	CANNED HEAT Jamiroquai	Sony S2
12	11	NO SCRUBS TLC	LaFace/Arista
13	12	EVERY MORNING Sugar Ray	Lava/Atlantic
14	3	FROM THE HEART Another Level	Northwestside/Arista
15	13	IN OUR LIFETIME Texas	Mercury
16	14	YOU GET WHAT YOU GIVE New Radicals	MCA
17	9	SALTWATER Chicane feat. Marc Bannan	Xtravaganza
18	15	TURN AROUND Phats & Small	Multiply
19	17	CLOUD #9 Bryan Adams	A&M/Mercury
20	22	RED ALERT Basement Jaxx	XL Recordings
21	19	PUMPING ON YOUR STEREO Supergrass	Parlophone
22	18	YOU NEEDED ME Boyzone	Polydor
23	14	PICK A PART THAT'S NEW Stereophonics	V2
24	15	AS George Michael/Mary J. Blige	Epic
25	NEW	ALL OR NOTHING Cher	WEA
26	NEW	ALMOST DOESN'T COUNT Brandy	Atlantic
27	11	LOOK AT ME Geri Halliwell	EMI
28	11	BABY ONE MORE TIME Britney Spears	Jive
29	11	MY LOVE IS YOUR LOVE Whitney Houston	Arista
30	15	WILD WILD WEST Will Smith	Columbia
31	18	STRONG Robbie Williams	Chrysalis
32	11	I QUIT Hepburn	Columbia
33	11	SCAR TISSUE Red Hot Chili Peppers	Warner Bros
34	11	RUNAWAY The Corrs	143/Lava/Atlantic
35	11	SAY IT AGAIN Precious	EMI
36	11	LIVIN' LA VIDA LOCA Ricky Martin	Columbia
37	NEW	SOMETIMES Britney Spears	Jive
38	11	DISCO DOWN Sled Seven	Polydor
39	NEW	SHE'S IN FASHION Suede	Nude
40	11	RIGHT HERE, RIGHT NOW Fatboy Slim	Skint

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# THE OFFICIAL UK CHARTS ALBUMS

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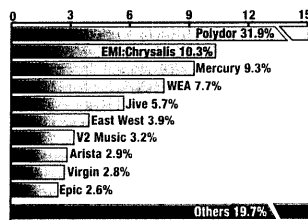
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**B**oyzone continue at the top of the album chart with *By Request* enjoying another handsome victory over **Abba's** *Gold - Greatest Hits*. *By Request* sold 145,000 copies last week - far fewer than its magnificent 329,000 tally the previous week, but still enough to outsell the *Abba* album by a margin of almost exactly four to one. In addition to all the achievements we credited to Boyzone next week, we should add that even though they didn't register their first album chart entry until the decade was more than half finished, the four number ones they have secured since equals the Nineties record, which was previously held jointly by R.E.M., Simply Red and Blur.

Some pundits suggested that Boyzone might have been dethroned this week by former Spice Girl **Geri Halliwell's** debut solo album *Schizophrenic*. However, Halliwell was never in the running, and after a fairly spirited start in which she was a distant second to Boyzone, she faded further as the

## MARKET REPORT TOP 10 COMPANIES



Figures show top 10 companies by % of total sales, and corporate group shares by % of total sales, of the Top 75 artist albums

## SALES UPDATE

VERSUS LAST WEEK: **-14.8%**

YEAR TO DATE VERSUS LAST YEAR: **-0.4%**

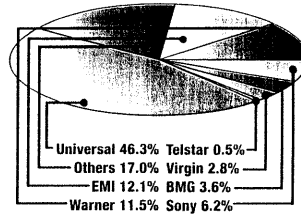
week progressed. She thus has to be content with a number four debut and sales of more than 31,000 - just enough to

## ALBUM FACTFILE

Though failing to match the number two success of their last album, 1995's *One Hot Minute*, the **Red Hot Chili Peppers' California** makes a very respectable debut at number five, with sales of nearly 27,000 matching *One Hot Minute's* opening-week tally. *California* includes the single *Scar Tissue*, which entered the singles chart at number 15 last week, and marks the return of guitarist John Frusciante, who

left after 1993's *Blood Sugar Sex Magik*. Frusciante was replaced by **Dave Navarro**, who himself left the band last year. *California* can be expected to have a fairly lengthy UK chart career, with several tracks earmarked for future single releases - *Around The World*, *Parallel Universe* and the title track are all leading contenders - and the band headlining high-profile festivals at Reading and Leeds at the end of August.

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Dad's debut album, *Leisure Noise*. Widely praised by critics and considered a certain Top 10 album, with Top 5 potential, it debuts at number 14 with only 11,000 takers.

BBC2's extensive **Jimi Hendrix** coverage the Saturday before last generated fresh sales for the latest Hendrix compilation, *Experience Hendrix - The Best Of*, which jumps 185-39 as a result.

With Boyzone at one and *Abba* at two, Polydor acts occupied each of the top two slots on the albums chart last week, for the first time since the label was established here in the early Sixties, but that is no excuse for my accidental assassination of one of its other top bands, **Shed Seven**. For the record, they are far from "defunct" as I suggested last week. Their *Greatest Hits* is actually intended to set up new material that they are currently demoing. The fact I'd seen them making a spirited appearance on *Top Of The Pops* a couple of days before makes my slip all the more inexcusable.

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deprive the **Red Hot Chili Peppers' California** of top debut honours. Another sales disappointment is **Gay**

## COMPILATIONS

**T**hirty-seven tracks mixed by the ever-popular Judge Jules are the basic ingredients of **Clubbers Guide To Ibiza - Summer '99**, the latest Ministry Of Sound success story. The album sold upwards of 34,000 copies last week, to debut at the top of the compilation chart, pushing the same label's own *Trance Nation* into the runners-up position. The Ministry of Sound label thus has the top two albums on the compilation chart for the first time ever, and also has consecutive number ones for the first time. In fact, it is the first indie label to have consecutive number one compilations since Telstar in 1993.

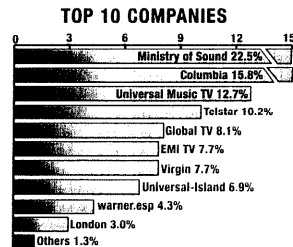
*Clubbers Guide To Ibiza - Summer '99* is a follow-up to *Clubbers Guide To Ibiza*, which came out a year ago. It sold more than 25,000 copies on its first week in the shops, and over 150,000 copies in total

but never reached number one.

There are no compilations among the five biggest-selling albums in the UK this week but the top five compilations fill positions six to 10 inclusive, giving compilations their biggest share of the Top 10 combined chart thus far in 1999. Aside from the *Clubbers Guide's* 34,000 sales, their tallies last week were 29,000 (*Trance Nation*), 23,000 (*Dawson's Creek*), 21,000 (*Cream Ibiza - Arrivals*) and 19,000 (*Notting Hill*).

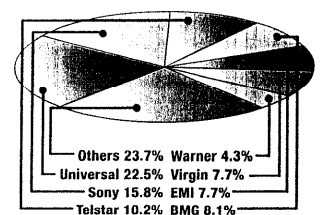
For the third week in a row, the biggest-selling budget albums are the multi-artist *Best Of The 70s*, *Best Of The 80s*, and *Best Of The 60s*, in that order. The three *Crimson* releases, available only from parent company Kingfisher's Woolworths and Asda outlets, are offered at £2.99 with the purchase of any other album, or at £5.99 on their own.

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Figures show top 10 companies by % of total sales of the Top 20, and corporate group shares by % of total sales of the Top 20

## TOP CORPORATE GROUPS



## SALES UPDATE

VERSUS LAST WEEK: **+6.7%**

YEAR TO DATE VERSUS LAST YEAR: **+2.7%**

Artist albums: 72.5%  
Compilations: 27.5%

## COMPILATIONS' SHARE OF TOTAL SALES

Artist albums: 72.5%  
Compilations: 27.5%

## INDEPENDENT ALBUMS

This	Last	Title	Artist	Label (distributor)
1	1	PERFORMANCE AND COCKTAILS	Stereophonics	V2 VVR 1004492 (3MV/P)
2	NEW	TERROR TWILIGHT	Pavement	Domino WIGCD 66X (V)
3	2	MILLENNIUM	Backstreet Boys	Jive 0523222 (P)
4	3	YOU'VE COME A LONG WAY, BABY	Fatboy Slim	Skint BRASSIC 11CD (3MV/P)
5	7	BABY ONE MORE TIME	Britney Spears	Jive 0522172 (P)
6	5	REMEDY	Basement Jaxx	XL Recordings XLCD 129 (V)
7	4	STEP ONE	Steps	Ebul/Jive 0519112 (P)
8	11	VERSION 2.0	Garbage	Mushroom MUSH 29CD (3MV/P)
9	10	HEAD MUSIC	Suede	Nude NUDE 14CD (3MV/P)
10	6	BIG CALM	Morcheeba	Indochina ZEN 017CDX (P)
11	8	GARBAGE	Garbage	Mushroom D 31450 (3MV/P)
12	9	WORD GETS AROUND	Stereophonics	V2 VVR 1000438 (3MV/P)
13	13	DEFINITELY MAYBE	Oasis	Creation CRECD 169 (3MV/V)
14	12	BUENA VISTA SOCIAL CLUB	Ibrahim Ferrer	World Circuit WCD 055 (P)
15	NEW	ACCEPT THE SIGNAL	Regular Fries	JBO JBO 1007502 (3MV/P)
16	18	(WHAT'S THE STORY) MORNING GLORY?	Oasis	Creation CRECD 189 (3MV/V)
17	NEW	BACKSTREET'S BACK	Backstreet Boys	Jive CHIP 186 (P)
18	14	THE FAT OF THE LAND	The Prodigy	XL Recordings INT 4844652 (W)
19	15	BEAU COUP FISH	Underworld	JBO JBO 1005432 (3MV/P)
20	NEW	THE SINGLES COLLECTION - WATERLOO SUNSET	The Kinks	Essential! ESSCD 592 (P)

## THE YEAR SO FAR... TOP 20 ALBUMS

This	Last	Title	Artist	Label
1	1	TALK ON CORNERS	THE CORRS	143/LAVA/ATLANTIC
2	4	GOLD - GREATEST HITS	ABBA	POLYDOR
3	3	YOU'VE COME A LONG WAY, BABY	FATBOY SLIM	SKINT
4	2	I'VE BEEN EXPECTING YOU	ROBBIE WILLIAMS	CHRYSALIS
5	13	BY REQUEST	BOYZONE	POLYDOR
6	8	PERFORMANCE AND COCKTAILS	STEREOPHONICS	V2
7	5	FORGIVEN, NOT FORGOTTEN	THE CORRS	143/LAVA/ATLANTIC
8	6	STEP ONE	STEPS	EBUL/JIVE
9	8	THE MISEDUCATION OF	LAURYN HILL	COLUMBIA
10	9	LADIES & GENTLEMEN - THE BEST OF	GEORGE MICHAEL	EPIC
11	10	THIS IS MY TRUTH TELL ME YOURS	MANIC STREET PREACHERS	EPIC
12	11	RAY OF LIGHT	MADONNA	MAVERICK
13	12	GRAN TURISMO	THE CARDIGANS	STOCKHOLM/POLYDOR
14	13	WHERE WE BELONG	BOYZONE	POLYDOR
15	14	LIFE THRU A LENS	ROBBIE WILLIAMS	CHRYSALIS
16	NEW	THE HUSH	TEXAS	MERCURY
17	15	13	BLUR	FOOD/PARLOPHONE
18	17	MY LOVE IS YOUR LOVE	WHITNEY HOUSTON	ARISTA
19	18	BABY ONE MORE TIME	BRITNEY SPEARS	JIVE
20	16	BELIEVE	CHEK	WEA

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