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This Week's New Releases						Titles A-Z						
This	Last	Wks	Artist (Producer) Publisher (Writer)	Label CD/Cass (Distributor)	7/12	This	Last	Wks	Artist (Producer) Publisher (Writer)	Label CD/Cass (Distributor)	7/12	
1	NEW	STOP LIVING THE LIE	David Sneddon (Meehan/Lewis) CC (Sneddon)	Mercury 0637292/0637294 (U)	-/-	38	31	12	HEAVEN	Data/Ministry Of Sound DATA45CDS/DATA45MCS (3MV/TEN)	-/-	
2	NEW	YEAR 3000	Bustad (Robson/McLaughlin) EMI/Rondor/Universal (Bourne/Jay/Simpson/Robson)	Universal MCSXD40306/MCSX40306 (U)	-/-	39	NEW	HEAVEN IS CLOSER (FEELS LIKE HEAVEN)	Dario G (Spencer/Rosser) Carlin/CC (Jordan/Patterson/Spencer/Rosser)	SER61CD/- (U)	-/-	
3	1	SOUND OF THE UNDERGROUND	Polydor 0658272/0658274 (U)	-/-	40	28	6	THUG LOVIN'	Def Jam 0637872/0637874 (U)	-/-	-	
4	NEW	TRUE	V2/J-DiD JAD5021363/JAD5021365 (3MV/P)	-/-	41	45	11	I'M GONNA GETCHA GOOD!	Mercury 1722732/1722694 (U)	-/-	-	
5	NEW	MUNDIAN TO BACH KE	Showbiz/Instant Karma KARMA28CD/KARMA28MC (P)	-/-	42	30	6	NAUGHTY GIRL	Holly Valance (Thornalley) Windswept Music London/Hir & Run/EMI/CC (French/Bach/Talistero/Costello)	-/-	-	
6	3	LOSE YOURSELF	InterScope/Polydor 4978282/4978284 (U)	-/-	43	16	2	BORN AGAIN	XL TNXL 016CD/- (V)	-/-	-	
7	4	IF YOU'RE NOT THE ONE	Polydor 0658632/0658634 (U)	-/-	44	NEW	GIVE ME YOUR LOVE	Reef (Drakoulas) Sony ATV (Reef)	S2 6731645/- (TEN)	-/-	-	
8	NEW	LOVE STORY (VS FINALLY)	XL XLS154CD/- (V)	-/-	45	NEW	BACK THEN	More Fire Crew (Platinum 45) Chrysalis (Hector/Ansah/Bowes/Matthews/Wilson/Toussaint)	GOB8CD54/GOBMCX54 (U)	-/-	-	
9	2	DANGER! HIGH VOLTAGE	XL XLS151CD2/- (V)	-/-	46	36	8	UNITED STATES OF WHATEVER	Liam Lynch (Lynch) CC (Lynch)	Global Warming WARMCD17/- (P)	-/-	
10	NEW	JUST THE WAY I'M FEELING	Echo ECSCX133/- (P)	-/-	47	29	9	JENNY FROM THE BLOCK	Jennifer Lopez (Waka) Various (Oliver/Mir/Deyo/Lopez/Barnes/Oliver/Mir/Parker/Sterling/Oliver)	Epic 6733572/- (TEN)	-/-	
11	6	CHEEKY SONG (TOUCH MY BUM)	Multiply CDMULTY97/CAMULTY97 (BMG)	-/-	48	NEW	THE WAVE/RAGING	Nebula NEBCD036/- (ADD)	-/-	-	-	
12	NEW	TREAT ME LIKE A LADY	19/Universal 0196832/0196834 (U)	-/-	49	39	13	LIKE I LOVE YOU	Justin Timberlake (The Neptunes) EMI/Zomba (Timberlake/Hugo/Williams)	Jive 9254342/9254344 (P)	-/-	
13	7	YOU'RE A SUPERSTAR	Nulite/Arista 74321978042/- (BMG)	-/-	50	38	10	STRONGER/ANGELS WITH DIRTY FACES	Island/Uni-Island CIDX813/CIS813 (U)	-/-	-	
14	5	THE WAY (PUT YOUR HAND IN MY HAND)	Data/Ministry Of Sound DATA 40CDS/DATA 42MCS (MUTE/V)	-/-	51	37	14	NU FLOW	Big Brovaz (Skull/Fingaz) Shalit (Mugisha/Horsley/Brown/Asida/Roberts/Shepherd/Howell/Macintosh/3ello)	Epic 6730282/6730284 (TEN)	-/-	
15	11	SK8ER BOI	Arista 74321979782/74321980704 (BMG)	-/-	52	27	2	LAND OF THE LIVING	Milk Inc (Penxten/Vandueren) Be's (Penxten/Vandueren)	Positiva CDTVS 184/- (E)	-/-	
16	8	SORRY SEEMS TO BE THE HARDEST WORD	Innocent SINDX43/SINC43 (E)	-/-	53	35	6	WHAT MY HEART WANTS TO SAY	Garth Gates (Mac) Rokstone/BMG (Mac/Elofsson)	S 74321985602/74321985594 (BMG)	-/-	
17	9	SACRED TRUST/AFTER YOU'RE GONE	Ebul/Jive 9201532/9201534 (P)	-/-	54	51	10	LOVE ON THE LINE	Blazin' Squad (Cuttather & Joel) Windswept Music London/Sony ATV (Ballard/Murray/Ballard)	SQUAD02CD1/SQUAD02C (TEN)	-/-	
18	NEW	YOSHIMI BATTLES THE PINK ROBOTS PT 1	Warner Bros W597CD1/- (TEN)	-/-	55	33	5	SCORPIO RISING	Dean In Vegas with Liam Gallagher (Dean In Vegas) Universal/BMG/Warner-Chappell/CC (Ross/Fries/Hawkins/Pratt/Burnett/Wiz)	HAED3412 (U)	-/-	
19	NEW	A LITTLE BIT	T2/Telstar CDSTAS3312/CASSTAS3312 (BMG)	-/-	56	43	12	DIE ANOTHER DAY	Madonna (Madonna/Ahmadzai) Warner-Chappell/1000 Lights (Madonna/Ahmadzai)	Warner Bros W595CD1/W595C (TEN)	-/-	
20	NEW	TIME FOR HEROES	Rough Trade RTRADESCD074K/- (P)	-/-	57	NEW	ALL THE THINGS SHE SAID	Tatu (Horn) tbc (Galoyan/Horn/Kierszenbaum/Kiper/Palenko)	InterScope/Polydor 0193332 - (Import)	-/-	-	
21	18	DILEMMA	Universal/Uni-Island MCSTD40299/MCSC40299 (U)	-/-	58	52	8	MAYBE	Enrique Iglesias (Taylor) EMI/Warner-Chappell (Siegel/Iglesias/Morales/Fishburn/DroGaudy)	InterScope/Polydor 4978232/4978234 (U)	-/-	
22	15	THE KETCHUP SONG (ASEREJE)	Columbia 6731932/6731934 (TEN)	-/-	59	32	3	DREAMER	CK & Supreme Dream Team (Davies/Hodgson) Rondor (Davies/Hodgson)	Multiply CDMULTY 96/CAMULTY 96 (BMG)	-/-	
23	6	FAMILY PORTRAIT	Arista 74321982052/74321982054 (BMG)	-/-	60	40	6	PUPPY LOVE/SLEIGH LOVE	S Club Juniors (Jewels & Stone) EMI/Chrysalis (Anka/Anderson/Parish)	Polydor 0658442/0658444 (U)	-/-	
24	7	FEEL	Chrysalis CDCHS5150/TCHS5150 (E)	-/-	61	44	9	DON'T LET ME DOWN/YOU AND I	Wig Wags (Stargate/Hewes/Harrington) Sony ATV/EMI/Britvic/Sony ATV/CC (EMI/Hermanz/Deard/Birkland/Mikeal/S2/Poku/Rustan/Lynne)	S 74321981272/74321981264 (BMG)	-/-	
25	10	SOLSBURY HILL	Mute LCDMUTE 275/- (V)	-/-	62	25	2	CRUSHED LIKE FRUIT	Inme (Richardson) CC (Mcpherson/Morgan)	Music For Nations CDXX0200/- (P)	-/-	
26	13	I WANNA DANCE WITH SOMEBODY	All Around The World CXGLOBE 275/- (AMD/U)	-/-	63	54	17	THE LONG AND WINDING ROAD/SUSPICIOUS MINDS	Will Young & Gareth Gates (Lusson/Mac) Northern/Sony ATV/Sony ATL (Lennon/McCartney/Zamboni)	S 74321965972/74321965974 (BMG)	-/-	
27	NEW	MADE YOU LOOK	Columbia 6734792/- (TEN)	-/-	64	26	2	PSYCHOSIS SAFARI	Eighties Matchbox B-Line Disaster (Chaos) CC (Norris/Eighties Matchbox B-Line Disaster)	MCS 40308/- (U)	-/-	
28	NEW	MISSING YOU	Lickin LICKINCDD001/LICKINCDD001 (V)	-/-	65	41	3	AM I ON YOUR MIND	Oxygen Feat. Andrea Britton (Oxygen) Chrysalis/Earth (Simmonds/Jones)	Innocent SINDC 40/- (E)	-/-	
29	12	TIMES LIKE THESE	RCA 74321989562/- (BMG)	-/-	66	47	9	ALIVE	S Club (Ellis) 19/BMG/Rondor/Universal (Solomon/Ellis)	Polydor 0658912/0658914 (U)	-/-	
30	22	THE LAST GOODBYE/BE WITH YOU	Innocent SINDX42/SINC42 (E)	-/-	67	46	5	I THINK WE'RE ALONE NOW	Pascal feat. Karen Parry (Pascal) EMI (Cornell)	All Around The World CDGLOBE267/CAGLOBE267 (AMD/U)	-/-	
31	24	WE'VE GOT TONIGHT	Polydor 0658612/0658614 (U)	-/-	68	34	2	WILD AS ANGELS EP	The Levellers (Scott) CC (The Levellers)	Eagle EHAGXS 003/- (3MV/P)	-/-	
32	15	WE DON'T CARE	Source SOURCD 061/- (V)	-/-	69	75	5	STOLE	Kelly Rowland (Kipner/Hosein/Deviller) EMI/BMG (Deviller/Hosein/Kipner)	Columbia 6732122/- (Import)	-/-	
33	NEW	THE BEAT GOES ON	Defected DFTD062CD/- (V)	-/-	70	59	11	UNBREAKABLE	Westlife (Mac) Sony ATV/BMG (Elofsson/Reid)	S 74321975222/74321975184 (BMG)	-/-	
34	23	HOLDING ON FOR YOU	V2 VVR5020768/VVR5020765 (3MV/P)	-/-	71	49	8	RUSHES	Darius (Glennister/Lew) Bug/Zomba (Glennister/Danesh/Lew)	Mercury 0638052/0638054 (U)	-/-	
35	NEW	COME ON OVER	Cream CREAM20CD/- (E)	-/-	72	48	2	CHANGES	Sandy Rivera feat. Haze (Rivera) Kings Of Tomorrow/Defected (Rivera/Menon)	Defected -/- (V)	-/-	
36	14	SCIENCE OF SILENCE	Hut/Virgin HUTCD 163/- (U)	-/-	73	57	10	COME INTO MY WORLD	Kylie Minogue (Dennis/Davis) EMI/Universal (Dennis/Davis)	Parlophone CDRS6590/- (E)	-/-	
37	21	REACT	J 74321988492/74321988494 (BMG)	-/-	74	63	13	ELECTRICAL STORM	U2 (Orbitt) Blue Mountain (U2)	Island/Uni-Island CIDX808/- (U)	-/-	
As used by Top Of The Pops and Radio One						75	61	11	PUT THE NEEDLE ON IT	Danni Minogue (Korpi/BlackCelli/Murlyn/Universal/IMN/IMG (Korpi/Johansson/Poole/Minogue)	London LONCD470/LONCS470 (TEN)	-/-

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SINGLES COMMENTARY

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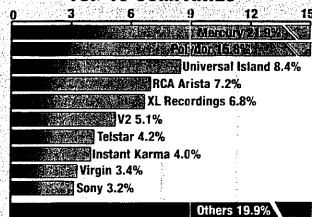


Although **David Sneddon's** *Stop Living The Lie* (and eight other Top 20 debuts) helped to give a welcome 41% week-on-week fillip to the singles market, and became the first record to sell more than 100,000 in the third chart week of any year in the 21st century, the market overall was down on the equivalent weeks in the first three years of the century. They were off 7.5% over 2002, 12.5% over 2001 and 21.7% over 2000. Some companies are doing worse than the overall figures suggest – the entire Top 10 (top eleven actually) is made up of records issued by Universal or indie labels, with no place for the other 'big five' majors EMI, BMG, Sony or Warner Music.

Universal has half of the Top 10, while Beggars Banquet has two entries, thanks to its XL imprint, the Chrysalis Group, V2 and Instant Karma have one apiece. The Instant Karma entry – **Panjabi MC's** *Mundian To Bach Ke* – is the first Top 10 hit for former

MARKET REPORT

TOP 10 COMPANIES



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



Warner Music boss Rob Dickens' label, which has released more than 20 singles since its June 2000 debut. Ironically, it was then

It is less than two years since **Hear'Say's** *Pure & Simple* became the first number one by an act made famous on a 'reality TV' talent competition. This week, the 10th reality TV number one – **Sound Of The Underground** by **Girls Aloud** – is replaced at the top by the 11th, **Stop Living The Lie**, the debut single from 24-year-old **David Sneddon**, who won the BBC's *Fame Academy* competition just over a month ago. **Sneddon's** single sold 108,000 copies

SINGLES FACTFILE

last week – three times as many as any other single but compared to other winners of reality TV shows that represents a mediocre start. **Hear'Say**, the first *PopStars* winners, sold 550,000 copies of their debut single *Pure And Simple* on its first week in the shops, *Pop Idol's* **Will Young** raised that to a giddy 1,108,000 last March and **Girls Aloud** moved 213,000 copies of *Sound Of The Underground* on its launch last month.

single is **Las Ketchup's** *The Ketchup Song*, in 22nd place overall.

Mundian To Bach Ke reputedly sold 50,000 copies in Britain through small Asian shops, and reaching number two in Germany, before being acquired by *Instant Karma*. It's title is Punjabi for 'Beware Of The Boys', and **Panjabi MC** aka **Rajinder Rai** is a 27-year-old from Coventry.

While **Sneddon** plants *Fame Academy's* flag atop the chart, and **Girls Aloud**, *One True Voice* and the *Cheeky Girls* from *PopStars*: *The Rivals* continue in the Top 20, the number of artists from *Pop Idol* to have hits continues to swell. **Will Young**, **Gareth Gates**, **Darius**, **Rosie Ribbons**, **Sarah Whatmore**, **Jessica Garlick**, **Rick Waller** have already had a hit. **Ribbons** lands her second this week, with *A Little Bit* debuting at 19, and an eighth name is added to the list, as **Zoe Birkett's** *Treat Me Like A Lady* – co-written by **Whatmore** – debuts at number 12.

INDEPENDENT SINGLES

This Week	Last Week	Title	Artist	Label (distributor)
1	NEW	TRUE	Jaimeson feat. Angel Blu	V2/J-DiD JAD5021363 (3MV/P)
2	NEW	MUNDIAN TO BACH KE	Panjabi MC	Showbiz/Instant Karma KARMA28CD (P)
3	NEW	LOVE STORY (VS FINALLY)	Layo & Bushwacka!	XL XLS154CD (V)
4	1	DANGER! HIGH VOLTAGE	Electric Six	XL XLS 151CD (V)
5	NEW	JUST THE WAY I'M FEELING	Feeder	Echo ECSCX133 (P)
6	NEW	TIME FOR HEROES	The Libertines	Rough Trade RTRADESCD074X (P)
7	2	SOLSBURY HILL	Erasure	Mute LCOMUTE 275 (V)
8	NEW	THE BEAT GOES ON	Bob Sinclar	Defected DFTD062CD (V)
9	3	WE DON'T CARE	Audiobullys	Source SOURCD 061 (V)
10	NEW	MISSING YOU	Lucy Carr	Lickin' LICKINC0001 (V)
11	5	SACRED TRUST/AFTER YOU'RE GONE	One True Voice	Ebul/Jive 9201532 (P)
12	4	BORN AGAIN	Badly Drawn Boy	XL TNXL 016CD (V)
13	NEW	THE WAVE/RAGING	Cosmic Gate	Nebula NEBCD036 (ADD)
14	8	HOLDING ON FOR YOU	Liberty X	V2 VVR5020768 (3MV/P)
15	9	LIKE I LOVE YOU	Justin Timberlake	Jive 9254342 (P)
16	10	UNITED STATES OF WHATEVER	Liam Lynch	Global Warming WARMC017 (P)
17	6	CRUSHED LIKE FRUIT	Imme	Music For Nations CDXXUT 200 (P)
18	7	WILD AS ANGELS EP	The Levellers	Eagle EHAGXS 003 (3MV/P)
19	11	CHANGES	Sandy Rivera feat. Haze	Defected DFTD 059R (V)
20	12	FEEL THE HEAT	Roni Size	Full Cycle FCY 048 (V)

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1	NEW	STOP LIVING THE LIE	David Sneddon	Mercury
2	NEW	YEAR 3000	Busted	Universal Island
3	1	SOUND OF THE UNDERGROUND	Girls Aloud	Polydor
4	NEW	TRUE	Jaimeson feat. Angel Blu	J-DiD/V2
5	NEW	MUNDIAN TO BACH KE	Panjabi MC	Showbiz/Instant Karma
6	2	LOSE YOURSELF	Eminem	Interscope/Polydor
7	4	IF YOU'RE NOT THE ONE	(Daniel Bedingfield)	Polydor
8	NEW	LOVE STORY (VS FINALLY)	Layo & Bushwacka!	XL
9	3	DANGER! HIGH VOLTAGE	Electric Six	XL
10	NEW	JUST THE WAY I'M FEELING	Feeder	Echo
11	7	YOU'RE A SUPERSTAR	Love Inc.	Nulife/anista
12	5	THE WAY...	Divine Inspiration	Data/Ministry Of Sound
13	8	SORRY SEEMS...	Blue feat. Elton John	Innocent
14	11	FEEL	Rosie Williams	Chrysalis
15	12	SK8ER BOI	Avril Lavigne	Arista
16	9	CHEEKY SONG...	The Cheeky Girls	Multiply
17	15	FAMILY PORTRAIT	Pink	Arista
18	NEW	TREAT ME LIKE A LADY	Zoe Birkett	19/Universal
19	13	HOLDING ON FOR YOU	Liberty X	V2
20	16	STRONGER/ANGELS...	Sugababes	Island/Uni-Island

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This Week	Last Week	Title	Artist	Label
1	1	ALL THE THINGS SHE SAID	TATU	Polydor
2	RE	03 BONNIE & CLYDE	Jay-Z & Beyonce Knowles	Roc-A-Fella
3	4	THE OPERA SONG	Jurgen Vries & Charlotte Church	Direction
4	5	STOLE	Kelly Rowland	Columbia
5	NEW	STREET LIFE	Beenie Man	Virgin
6	6	SO MUCH LOVE TO GIVE	DJ Falcon & Thomas Bangalter	Roule
7	9	GIMME THE LIGHT	Sean Paul	VP/Atlantic
8	NEW	HEY MA	Cam'ron	Roc-A-Fella
9	10	CRY ME A RIVER	Justin Timberlake	Jive
10	NEW	NICE WEATHER FOR DUCKS	Lemon Jelly	XL Recordings

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1	1	LET GO ★2	Avril Lavigne (The Matrix/Francia/Zizzo)	Arista 74321949312 (BMG)	-/-
2	8	JUSTIFIED ●	Justin Timberlake (Williams/Hugo/Timbaland/McKnight/The Underdogs/Storch)	Jive 9224772 (P)	-/-
3	2	MISSUNDAZTOOD ★4 #1	Pink (Perry/Elliott/Austin/Storch/Federiksen/Supa)	Arista 07822147182 (BMG)	-/-
4	4	GOTTA GET THRU THIS ★	Daniel Bedingfield (Bedingfield/Staton/D&D/Taylor/Stone)	Polydor 651252 (U)	-/-
5	20	BUSTED ●	Busted (Robson/McLaughlin)	Universal MCD60084 (U)	-/-
6	3	ESCAPOLOGY ★5 #2	Robbie Williams (Chambers/Powder)	EMI 5439942 (E)	-/-
7	5	BY THE WAY ★3 #2	Warner Bros 9362481402 (TEN)	Red Hot Chili Peppers (Rubin)	9362481404/-
8	6	A RUSH OF BLOOD TO THE HEAD ★3	Coldplay (Nelson/Coldplay/Phian)	Parlophone 5405042 (U)	-/-
9	12	ONE BY ONE ●	Foo Fighters (Raskulnec/Foo Fighters/Kasper)	RCA 74321973482 (BMG)	-/-
10	9	ANGELS WITH DIRTY FACES ★2	Island/Uni-Island C018122 (U)	Sugababes (Wheatley/Craigie/Lucas/Rockstar/Various)	-/-
11	7	ONE LOVE ★4	Innocent CDSIN11 (E)	Blue (StarGate/Cadabre & Joe/Hewes/Harrington/Davis/True North/Supa Flys)	SINMC11/-
12	13	COME AWAY WITH ME ★2 #1	Parlophone 5386092 (E)	Norah Jones (Mardini)	-/-
13	27	STRIPPED ●	Christina Aguilera (Storch/Perry/Morales/Ballard)	RCA 74321961252 (BMG)	-/-
14	22	THINKING IT OVER ★	V2 VVR1017782 (3MV/P)	Liberty X (Various)	VVR1017784/-
15	19	THE EMINEM SHOW ★3 #2	Interscope/Polydor 4932922 (U)	Eminem (Dre/Eminem/Bass/Porter)	4932924/4932901/-
16	35	COMFORT IN SOUND ●	Echo ECHCD43 (P)	Feeder (Norton/Nicholas)	ECHM43/CCHLP43/-
17	31	MELODY AM ●	Wall Of Sound WALLCD027 (V)	Royksopp (Royksopp)	-/WALLP027/-
18	11	A NEW DAY AT MIDNIGHT ★3	East West 5046616852 (TEN)	David Gray (Gray/Clune/Polson)	-/-
19	10	UNBREAKABLE - THE GREATEST HITS VOL. 1 ★3	S 74321975902 (BMG)	Westlife (Mac/Magnusson/Kreuger/Jewels & Stone/Peden/Various)	-/-
20	25	A LITTLE DEEPER ★	Polydor 5899552 (U)	Ms Dynamite (Remi/Bloodshy/Avant/Punch/Dyer)	-/5899551/-
21	14	THE GREATEST HITS 1970-2002 ★2	Mercury 634992 (U)	Elton John (Thomas/Dudgeon/John/Various)	0634994/-
22	17	IT HAD TO BE YOU - THE GREAT AMERICAN ★	J 74321968672 (BMG)	Rod Stewart (Ramone/Perry/Davis)	74321968674/-
23	15	ESCAPE ★4 #2	Interscope/Polydor 4931822 (U)	Enrique Iglesias (Morales/Mendez/Diogaard/Iglesias/Taylor)	-/-
24	28	SUCKER THAN YOUR AVERAGE ★	Wildstar CDWILL42 (BMG)	Craig David (Hill/Marshall/Trell/Soulshock/Karlin/David/Smith)	-/-
25	21	MORE FRIENDS - SMALL WORLD BIG BAND 2 ★	WSM 0627494192 (TEN)	Jools Holland (Latham)	-/-
26	17	ELVIS - 30 #1 HITS ★2 #2	RCA 07863680792 (BMG)	Elvis Presley (Various)	07863680794/-
27	16	WHITE LADDER ★8 #2	IHT/East West 8573629832 (TEN)	David Gray (Gray/McClune/Polson/De Vries)	8573631554/-
28	24	FORTY LICKS ★2 #1	Virgin/Decca CDVXD2964 (E)	The Rolling Stones (Loog/Diham/Gimmer/Iwors/Rolling Stones/Miller/Joi)	TCV02964/-
29	55	ORIGINAL PIRATE MATERIAL ●	Locked 0679 Recordings 09274356812 (TEN)	The Streets (Skinner)	09274356814/-
30	RE	THEIR GREATEST HITS - THE RECORD ★2 #1	Polydor 5894492 (U)	Bee Gees (Bee Gees/Sigwood/Richardson/Galatin/Martin/Various)	5894494/-
31	23	FEELS SO GOOD ★2	Innocent CDSIN10 (E)	Atomic Kitten (StarGate/Dave/Padley/Godfrey/McCluskey/Kerstew/Nichols/Chapman/Various)	SINMC10/-
32	43	LORD OF THE RINGS - THE TWO TOWERS (OST)	Reprise 9362484122 (TEN)	Howard Shore (Shore)	-/-
33	48	HAVE YOU FED THE FISH? ●	XL TNXCD156 (V)	Badly Drawn Boy (Rodríguez/Badly Drawn Boy)	-/TNXCD156/-
34	29	NIRVANA ★#1	Geffen/Polydor 4935222 (U)	Nirvana (Kasper/Endino/Fisk/Vig/Albini/Nirvana/Litt)	-/-
35	30	ALL RISE ★4 #1	Innocent CDSIN 8 (E)	Blue (StarGate/Ruffin/Steelworks/Padley/Godfrey)	SINMC 8/-
36	26	THIS IS ME... THEN	Epic 5101282 (TEN)	Jennifer Lopez (Rooney/Shea/Oliver/Various)	-/-
37	38	THE CORAL ●	Deltasonic DLTCD006 (TEN)	The Coral (Broudie)	-/DLTCD006/-
38	50	AUDIOSLAVE	Epic/Interscope 5101302 (TEN)	Audioslave (Rubin/Audioslave)	-/-
39	69	HUMAN CONDITIONS ●	Hut/Virgin CDHUT77 (E)	Richard Ashcroft (Potter/Ashcroft)	-/HUTLP77/-
40	32	FROM NOW ON ★2	S 74321969592 (BMG)	Will Young (Dennis/Peden/Stannard/Gallagher/Various)	74321969594/-
41	36	NELLYVILLE ★2 #1	Universal 0186902 (U)	Nelly (Just Blaze)	-/-
42	49	GREATEST HITS I II & III ★2	Parlophone 5298832 (E)	Queen (Queen/Richards/Baker/Mack/Moran/Various)	-/-
43	39	BEST OF BOWIE ★	EMI 5398212 (E)	David Bowie (Visconti/Bowie/Dudgeon/Scott/Maslin/Rodgers/Various)	-/-
44	37	UP! ★#1	Mercury 1703442 (U)	Shania Twain (Lange)	-/-
45	45	PARACHUTES ★6 #2	Parlophone 5277832 (E)	Coldplay (Nelson/Coldplay/Allison)	5277834/5277831/-
46	41	THE VERY BEST OF ●	WSM 8122736352 (TEN)	Fleetwood Mac (Fleetwood Mac/McLees/Various)	-/-
47	34	DIVE IN ★	Mercury 0635922 (U)	Darius (Glenister/Lew/Hedges/James & Read/Darius)	-/-
48	56	SONGS FOR THE DEAF ●	Interscope/Polydor 4934440 (U)	Queens Of The Stone Age (Honne/Valentine/Kasper)	-/-
49	46	LAUNDRY SERVICE ★2 #3	Epic 4987202 (TEN)	Shakira (Shakira)	-/-
50	47	THE CELTIC CHILLOUT ALBUM	Decadance DECTV007 (TEN)	Ryan & Rachel O'donnell (Moran)	-/-
51	40	DESTINATION ★2	Polydor 5897892 (U)	Roni K. Keating (Alexander/Novels/Mac/Padley/Godfrey/Maccolli/Bradley)	5897894/-
52	33	THE BEST OF 1990-2000 & B-SIDES ★	Island/Uni-Island C10U213 (U)	U2 (Eno/Flood/Lanois/Edge/Lillwhite/Orbit/U2/Various)	-/-
53	42	FOREVER DELAYED - THE GREATEST HITS ★	Epic 5085519 (TEN)	Manic Street Preachers (Ernig/Hedges/Brown/Evans)	-/5085511/-
54	54	THE LAST TEMPTATION ●	Def Jam/Mercury 0635432 (U)	Ja Rule (Gotti/Santana/Taurelius/Neptunes/Cool/Dre)	-/0634871/-
55	29	TENACIOUS D ●	Epic 5077352 (TEN)	Tenacious D (King/Simpson)	-/-
56	53	GREATEST HITS 87-92 ★	PWL 9224682 (P)	Kylie Minogue (Stock/Aiken/Waterman/Harding/Curnow)	-/-
57	44	SMALL WORLD BIG BAND ★2	WSM 0927426562 (TEN)	Jools Holland (Latham/Burrow/Holland)	0927426564/-
58	58	NO MORE DRAMA ★#1	MCA/Uni-Island 1126322 (U)	Mary J Blige (Flav/Griffin/Thompson/Various)	-/1126161/-
59	71	18 ★#1	Mute CDSUTMM202 (V)	Moby (Moby)	-/CSTUMM202/-
60	73	THE IMMACULATE COLLECTION ★12	Sire 7598264402 (TEN)	Madonna (Various)	WX 370C/VX 370/-
61	RE	YOSHIMI BATTLES THE PINK ROBOTS ●	Warner Bros 9362481412 (TEN)	The Flaming Lips (The Flaming Lips/Fridmann/Booker)	-/9362481412/-
62	51	ENCORE ●	Mercury 0633482 (U)	110net Riche (Shapland/Dyckhoff)	-/-
63	63	MY WAY - THE BEST OF ★4 #3	Reprise 9362467122 (TEN)	Frank Sinatra (Various)	9362467104/-
64	60	HEATHEN CHEMISTRY ★2 #1	Big Brother RKIDCD25 (3MV/TEN)	Oasis (Oasis)	RKIDMC25/RKIDLP25/-
65	62	UNDER CONSTRUCTION ●	Elektra 7559628137 (TEN)	Missy Elliott (Timbaland/Elliott/Brockman)	-/7559628131/-
66	64	FOOTPRINTS ●	London 0927493722 (TEN)	Holly Valance (Hopper/Cutforth & Joe/Padley/Godfrey/Thornley/Various)	-/-
67	NEW	GOD'S SON	Columbia 5098115 (TEN)	Nas (Remi/The Alchemist/Various)	-/5098111/-
68	75	THE DEFINITIVE COLLECTION ●	Universal TV 0665022 (U)	Stevie Wonder (Wonder/Various)	-/-
69	NEW	THE YOUNG AND THE HOPELESS	Epic 5094889 (TEN)	Good Charlotte (Valentine)	-/-
70	NEW	200 KHM IN THE WRONG LANE	Interscope/Polydor 0674562 (U)	Tatu (Horn/Kierszenbaum)	-/-
71	67	NOT THAT KIND ★2 #3	Epic 4974122 (TEN)	Anastacia (Various)	4974124/-
72	65	THE BEST OF 1990-2000 #2	Island/Uni-Island C10U213 (U)	U2 (Eno/Flood/Lanois/Edge/Lillwhite/Orbit/Various)	UC213/U213/-
73	57	WHAT MY HEART WANTS TO SAY ★2	S 74321975172 (BMG)	Gareth Gates (Mac/Magnusson/Kreuger/Jewels & Stone/Peden/Various)	74321975174/-
74	RE	LOST HORIZONS ●	Impotent Fury/IXLXCD160 (V)	Lemon Jelly (Deakin/Frangen)	-/IXLXLP160/-
75	61	CLUB JUNCTIONS ★	Polydor 0652502 (U)	S Club Juniors (Rose/Foster/Jewels & Stone/White)	-/-

HNE Highest new entry

HC Highest climber

Sales increase

Sales increase 50% or more

TOP COMPILATIONS

This Week	Last Week	Title	Artist	Label/CD/Cass/Vinyl/MD (Distributor)
1	3	8 MILE (OST) ●		Interscope/Polydor 4935322 (U)
2	2	CLUBBERS GUIDE 2003	Ministry Of Sound MOSCD 58 (3MV/TEN)/-	-/-
3	2	ALL TIME CLASSIC TEARJERKERS ●	WSM WSMCD116/-/- (TEN)	-/-
4	6	PURE GARAGE PLATINUM - THE VERY BEST OF ●	Warner Dance WSMCD120 (U)	-/-
5	4	NOW THAT'S WHAT I CALL MUSIC! 53 ★4	EMI/Virgin/Universal CDNOW53/TCNOW53/-/- (E)	-/-
6	5	BASS BREAKS & BEATS 2003	Warner Dance WSMCD 121/-/- (TEN)	-/-
7	7	THE BEST AIR GUITAR ALBUM IN THE WORLD 2 ★	EMI/Virgin/Universal VTDCD488/-/- (E)	-/-
8	9	HUGE HITS 2003 ●	BMG/Sony/Telstar/WSM HITS2CD2003/-/- (TEN)	-/-
9	NEW	GODSKITCHEN DIRECT	Godskitchen GKCD001/-/- (V)	-/-

10	8	CLUBLAND II ★	UMTV/AATW 0680362 (U)
11	11	50 YEARS OF THE GREATEST HIT SINGLES ●	EMI/Virgin/Universal VTDCDX491/-/- (E)
12	10	COUNTRY LEGENDS ★	Virgin/EMI VTDCD480/-/- (E)
13	13	CLASSICAL CHILLOUT GOLD	Decadance DECTV005/-/- (3MV/TEN)
14	4	PLATINUM SOUL LEGENDS - 1960-1975 ●	WSM WSMCD100/-/- (TEN)
15	12	FAME ACADEMY ★	Mercury 0636132/-/- (U)
16	NEW	CHICAGO (OST)	Epic 5105322/-/- (TEN)
17	16	CAPITAL GOLD EIGHTIES LEGENDS ●	Virgin/EMI VTDCD496/-/- (E)
18	15	THE ANNUAL 2003	Ministry Of Sound ANCD2K2/-/- (3MV/TEN)
19	19	THE VERY BEST OF PURE R&B - THE WINTER	Telstar TV/BMG TTVCDD3303/-/- (BMG)
20	17	CAPITAL GOLD SIXTIES LEGENDS ●	Virgin/EMI VTDCD485/-/- (E)

ARTISTS A-Z

AGUILERA, Christina	13	MADONNA	60
ANASTACIA	71	MANIC STREET PREACHERS	53
ASHCROFT, Richard	39	MINOGUE, Kylie	56
ATOMIC KITTEN	31	MIDBY	50
AUDIOSLAVE	38	MS DYNAMITE	29
BADLY DRAWN BOY	33	NELLY	41
BEE GEES	30	NIRVANA	34
BEDINGFIELD, Daniel	4	NAS	67
BLIGE, Mary J	58	O'DONNELL, Ryan & Rachel	50
BLUE	11,25	OASIS	64
BOWIE, David	43	PINK	3
BUSTED	5	PRESELEY, Elvis	26
COLDPLAY	8,45	QUEEN	42
CORAL, The	37	QUEENS OF THE STONE AGE	48
DAVID, Craig	24	RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS	1
DARIUS	47	RICHIE, Lionel	7
ELLIOTT, Missy	65	ROLLING STONES, The	28
EMINEM	15	ROYKSOPP	17
FEEDER	16	S CLUB JUNIORS	75
FLAMING LIPS, The	61	SINATRA, Frank	63
FLEETWOOD MAC	46	STEWART, Rod	22
FOO FIGHTERS	9	STREETS, The	29
GATES, Gareth	73	SUGABABES	10
GRAY, David	18,27	SHARPE	49
GOOD CHARLOTTE	62	SHORE, Howard	32
HOLLAND, Jools	25,57	TYNAN, Shana	44
IGLESIAS, Enrique	22	U2	70
J.A. RULE	54	TENACIOUS D	55
JONES, Norah	21	TIMBERLAKE, Justin	2
KEATING, Roni	17	U2	52,72
LAVIGNE, Avril	1	VALANCE, Holly	66
LOPEZ, Jennifer	36	WESTLIFE	19
LEMON, JELLY	74	WILLIAMS, Robbie	6
LIBERTY X	14	WONDER, Steve	66
		YOUNG, WB	40

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ALBUMS COMMENTARY

by ALAN JONES



ALBUMS FACTFILE

When teenage trio Busted arrived on the scene with their number three debut single *What I Go To School For* last September they were widely compared to Blink 182. Their self-titled debut album followed a week later, and after debuting at number 30 quickly dropped from the Top 75. Now they are back big time. Along with airplay for their second single, *Year 3000*, which is number 34 on the airplay chart – the band has been adopted as pin-ups by the likes of *Smash!*

Hits and they have also been displaying their charms on numerous children's TV shows.

As a result *Year 3000* debuts at number two this week, while their album makes its Top 10 debut. The album has had a remarkably smooth chart ride thus far, going down for seven weeks, and up for eight. Its movement: 30-37-50-62-82-113-117-135-130-117-112-95-92-47-20-5. It will sell its 100,000th copy today (20th).

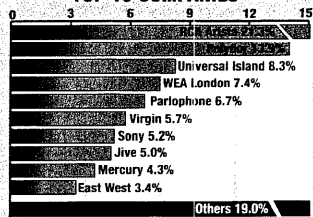
Avril Lavigne registers a third week atop the album chart with some ease, with sales of her album *Let Go* up 7% week-on-week to more than 41,000 in a market which shrinks overall by 5%. But BMG colleague *Pink* dips 2-3 with *Missundaztood* unable to withstand *Justin Timberlake's* challenge.

'N-Sync hear'throb *Timberlake's* debut album *Justified* debuted at number six last October but dipped as low as number 60 as debut single *Like I Love You* declined. But huge airplay for the upcoming second single *Cry Me A River* has invigorated the album since Christmas, with a resulting 53-26-8-2 movement. *Justified* sold 26,000 copies last week to add to its previous 200,000 tally.

Christina Aguilera's *Stripped* album also reaches a new high this week. The album, which debuted at number 19 last November surprisingly continued to fall even when lead single *Dirty* topped the chart, eventually falling as far as number 61. But airplay and video exposure for her upcoming single

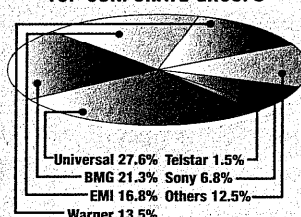
MARKET REPORT

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

TOP CORPORATE GROUPS



SALES UPDATE

VERSUS LAST WEEK: -4.6%

YEAR TO DATE VERSUS LAST YEAR: +9.3%

PERCENTAGE OF UK ACTS IN THE CHART

UK: 57.3% US: 41.3% Other: 1.4%

Beautiful has reversed that in fine style, moving the album 52-36-27-13 in the last three weeks. Amazingly the current position of

Stripped is the highest for any album in Aguilera's career to date. Most of them were hard to sell (an album of pre-fame recordings,

another of Spanish language material and a third of seasonal songs) but even her introductory, self-titled 1999 album never climbed higher than number 14 despite housing the platinum *Genie In A Bottle*.

Top Brits nominees *Ms. Dynamite* and the *Streets* – up for four gongs apiece – were also the biggest gainers on the chart, with *Ms. Dynamite's* *A Little Deeper* getting a 10% boost to move 25-20, while the *Streets' Original Pirate Material* enjoyed a 45% bump, propelling it 55-29.

Meanwhile, the death of Bee Gee *Maurice Gibb* had the expected effect on their most recent compilation *Their Greatest Hits – The Record*, which leaps 151-30 with a 351% increase in sales week-on-week.

Feeder leap 36-16 leap, positioning them at their highest point since the week their *Comfort In Sound* album debuted at number six at the end of October, and is related to the success of their current single *Just The Way I'm Feeling*.

COMPILATIONS

Topping the compilation chart at its 15th attempt, the soundtrack to the movie *8 Mile* shook off an 8% decline in the sector to enjoy a 34% increase in its own sales week-on-week. That is because the film – which features hip-hop star Eminem in his first (and, he claims, last) acting role – was released at cinemas here on Friday (17th) and the album was beneficiary of a storm of publicity as a result. Although Eminem stars in *8 Mile*, he actually features on only a quarter of the 16 tracks on the album, though his presence, as writer or producer, is felt on several more.

8 Mile sold nearly 21,000 copies last week, to increase its come to 304,000. It is the first soundtrack to top the compilation chart since *Bridget Jones's Diary* in May 2001. A further volume of songs from the film – *More Music From 8 Mile* – debuts at

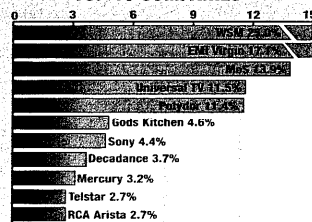
number 35 on the chart this week.

Meanwhile, to make it the hottest week for soundtracks in some time, one of only two new entries to the Top 20, at number 16, is Catherine Zeta Jones, Renee Zellweger and Richard Gere's *Chicago*. The blockbusting musical also opened in the UK last week, and the soundtrack additionally features Anastacia, Macy Gray (something of a talisman, obviously), Queen Latifah and composer Danny Elfman.

Slipping onto the chart ahead of *Chicago*, *Godskitchen – Direct* crams 3 plus hours of trance and house onto a triple CD and debuts at number nine. It is this year's equivalent of *Godskitchen – Journeys*, which arrived at number five last January. *Godskitchen – Journeys' first* week sale of a little over 11,000 was 26% ahead of the opening numbers for *Godskitchen – Direct*.

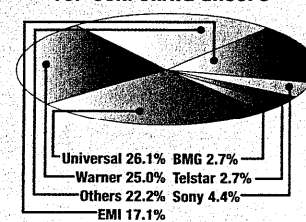
MARKET REPORT

TOP 10 COMPANIES



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: -3.1%

YEAR TO DATE VERSUS LAST YEAR: +9.9%

COMPILATIONS' SHARE OF TOTAL SALES

Artist albums: 76.5%
Compilations: 23.5%

INDEPENDENT ALBUMS

This	Last	Title	Artist	Label (distributor)
1	1	JUSTIFIED	Justin Timberlake	Jive 9224772 (P)
2	2	MELCODY AM	Royksopp	Wall Of Sound WALLCD027 (V)
3	3	COMFORT IN SOUND	Feeder	Echo ECHCD43 (P)
4	5	HAVE YOU FED THE FISH?	Badly Drawn Boy	XL TNLXCD156 (V)
5	4	THINKING IT OVER	Liberty X	V2 YVR1017782 (3MV/P)
6	7	LOST HORIZONS	Lemon Jelly	Impotent Fury/XL IFXLCD160 (V)
7	10	PLAY	Moby	Mute CDSTUMM 172 (V)
8	11	UP THE BRACKET	The Libertines	Rough Trade RTRADECD065 (P)
9	18		Moby	Mute CDSTUMM202 (V)
10	6	YOUR NEW FAVOURITE BAND	Hives	Poptones MC5055CD (P)
11	9	THE VERY BEST OF	The Stone Roses	Silvertone 9260382 (P)
12	14	SONGBIRD	Eva Cassidy	Blix Street/Hot G210045 (HOT)
13	12	JUST ENOUGH EDUCATION TO PERFORM	Stereophonics	V2 VVR 1015838 (3MV/P)
14	13	THE DATSUNS	The Datsuns	V2 VVR 1020962 (3MV/P)
15	NEW	FREE NOTE EP	DJ Zinc	True Playaz TPR12044 (SRD)
16	20	DON'T GIVE UP ON ME	Solomon Burke	Fat Possum 03582/- (P)
17	17	GREATEST HITS 87-92	Kylie Minogue	PWL 9224682 (P)
18	NEW	LOVEBOX	Groove Armada	Pepper 9230682 (P)
19	NEW	HOLES IN THE WALL	Electric Soft Parade	DB DB002CDLP (P)
20	18	ABOUT A BOY (OST)	Badly Drawn Boy	Twisted Nerve/XL TNLXCD 152 (V)

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THE YEAR SO FAR... TOP 20 COMPILATIONS

TW	LW	Title	Artist	Label
1	1	8 MILE	ORIGINAL SOUNDTRACK	INTERSCOPE/POLYDOR
2	2	NOW THAT'S WHAT I CALL MUSIC 53	VARIOUS ARTISTS	EMI VIRGIN/UMTV
3	3	ALL TIME CLASSIC TEARJERKERS	VARIOUS ARTISTS	WSM
4	4	CLUBBERS GUIDE 2003	VARIOUS ARTISTS	MINISTRY OF SOUND
5	5	THE BEST AIR GUITAR ALBUM IN THE WORLD 2	VARIOUS ARTISTS	EMI VIRGIN/UMTV
6	6	BASS BREAKS & BEATS 2003	VARIOUS ARTISTS	WARNER DANCE
7	7	HUGE HITS 2003	VARIOUS ARTISTS	BMG/SONY/TEL/WSM
8	8	PURE GARAGE PLATINUM – THE VERY BEST OF	VARIOUS ARTISTS	WARNER DANCE
9	9	CLUBLAND II	VARIOUS ARTISTS	UMTV/AATW
10	10	COUNTRY LEGENDS	VARIOUS ARTISTS	EMI VIRGIN
11	11	50 YEARS OF THE GREATEST HIT SINGLES	VARIOUS ARTISTS	EMI VIRGIN/UMTV
12	12	FAME ACADEMY	VARIOUS ARTISTS	MERCURY
13	13	THE ANNUAL 2003	VARIOUS ARTISTS	MINISTRY OF SOUND
14	14	CLASSICAL CHILLOUT GOLD	VARIOUS ARTISTS	DECADANCE
15	15	CAPITAL GOLD EIGHTIES LEGENDS	VARIOUS ARTISTS	EMI VIRGIN
16	16	PLATINUM SOUL LEGENDS – 1960-1975	VARIOUS ARTISTS	WSM
17	17	CAPITAL GOLD SIXTIES LEGENDS	VARIOUS ARTISTS	EMI VIRGIN
18	18	I LOVE 2 PARTY 2003	VARIOUS ARTISTS	EMI VIRGIN
19	19	THE VERY BEST OF PURE R&B – THE WINTER	VARIOUS ARTISTS	BMG/TELSTAR TV
20	20	WHILE MY GUITAR GENTLY WEEPS	VARIOUS ARTISTS	UMTV

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