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This Week	Last Week	Title	Artist (Producer) Publisher (Writer)	Label CD/Cass (Distributor)	7/12
1	2	SPIRIT IN THE SKY	Gareth Gates feat. The Kumars (Mac) tbc (Greenbaum)	S 82876511202/82876511194 (BMG)	-/-
2	NEW	SCANDALOUS	Mrs. Tee (StarGate) EMI/Sony ATV/Universal (Dixon/Nash/Washington/Mikkel SE/Rustan/Hermansen)	Telstar CDSTAS3319/CASSTAS3319 (BMG)	-/-
3	NEW	BEING NOBODY	Richard X Vs Liberty X (Richard X) EMI (Oakey/Marsh/Ware/Wolinski)	Virgin RXCD1/RXC1 (E)	-/RX1
4	NEW	U MAKE ME WANNA	Blue (StarGate) Ronda/Universal/Windswept Music London/Rumour Control (Robson/McLaughlin/Wilkins)	Innocent SINCD44/SINC44 (E)	-/-
5	6	MOVE YOUR FEET	Junior Senior (Troelsen/Junior) Universal/Crunchy Tunes (Junior)	Mercury 0198192/0198194 (U)	-/0198191
6	2	ALL I HAVE	Jennifer Lopez feat. LL Cool J (Rooney/Ron G) EMI/Carlin (Lopez/Riddick/Richardson/Ron G/Peters/Jeffrey)	Epic 6736782/6736784 (TEN)	-/-
7	NEW	SUNRISE	Simply Red (Wright/Madcap/Jolly) EMI/Warner-Chappell/Ronda/Universal (Hucknall/Hall/Oates/Allen)	Simply Red CD/SRS001CD2/SRS001MC (3MV/TEN)	-/-
8	3	BORN TO TRY	Delta Goodrem (Wake) Sony ATV (Goodrem/Mtawairira)	Epic 6736342/6736344 (TEN)	-/-
9	4	IN DA CLUB	50 Cent (Dr Dre/Club) Universal/Windswept Music London/Warner-Chappell/BMG (Adams/Bell/Creed/Lorenzo/Parker/Douglas)	Interscope/Polydor 4978742/4978744 (U)	-/4978741
10	NEW	SOMEWHERE I BELONG	Linkin Park (Gilmore/Linkin Park) Zomba (Linkin Park)	Warner Bros W602CD/- (TEN)	-/W602/-
11	NEW	BUMP BUMP BUMP	B2K feat. P. Diddy (Kelly/Diddy) Zomba (Kelly/Smith)	Epic 6736452/6736454 (TEN)	-/6736456
12	NEW	MESMERIZE	Murder Inc/Mercury 0779582/0779584 (U)	Mercury 0779582/0779584 (U)	-/0779581
13	5	BEAUTIFUL	Christina Aguilera (Perry) Stuck In The Throat/Famous/BMG (Perry)	RCA 82876502462/82876502464 (BMG)	-/82876502461
14	7	I BEGIN TO WONDER	Dannii Minogue (Ades) BMG/Warner-Chappell/JCA Songs (Ades/Dacia/Dial K)	London LONCD473/LONCS473 (TEN)	-/LONCD473
15	NEW	FLASH	Queen & Vanquard (Queen/Mack) EMI/Queen/Warner-Chappell (May)	Nebula NEBCD041/- (ADD)	-/NEB041
16	9	GOSSIP FOLKS	Missy Elliott feat. Ludacris (Timbaland/Elliott) EMI/Warner-Chappell (Elliott/Mosley/Bridges)	Elektra E7380CD/- (TEN)	-/E7380T
17	10	THE BOYS OF SUMMER	DJ Sammy (DJ Sammy) Warner-Chappell (Henley/Campbell)	Data/Ministry Of Sound DATA49CDS/DATA49MCS (3MV/TEN)	-/DATA49T
18	8	KA-CHING!	Shania Twain (Lange) Zomba/Universal/Loon Echo (Lange/Twain)	Mercury 1722872/1722874 (U)	-/-
19	13	ALL THE THINGS SHE SAID	ATU (Ho'n) Various (Horn/Kierszenbaum/Galovan/Kiper/Polenko)	Interscope/Polydor 0196972/0196974 (U)	-/0196971
20	NEW	PROVIDER/LAPDANCE	NERD (The Neptunes) EMI (Williams/Hugo/Williams/Hugo/Thornton)	Virgin VUSCD262/- (E)	-/NEB1262
21	11	SHAPE	Sugababes (Dodd/Bacon/Quarmby) EMI/CC/Ministry of Sound/StereoPac/Magnetic (Song/Miller/Craig/Dodds)	Island/Uni-Island CIDX817/CIS817 (U)	-/CIDX817
22	14	SING FOR THE MOMENT	Ermenegildo Zegna (Ermenegildo Zegna) Sony/Ensign/Eight Mile Style (Tyler/Mathers/Bass/Resto/King)	Interscope/Polydor 4978612/4978714 (U)	-/4978611
23	16	CRY ME A RIVER	Jessie Timberlake (Timbaland) EMI/Warner-Chappell/Zomba (Timberlake/Mosley/Storch)	Jive 9254632/9254614 (P)	-/-
24	12	THE BITTER END	Placebo (Abbiss) Famous (Placebo)	Hut/Virgin FLOORDX16/- (E)	-/FLOOR16/-
25	15	WORK IT	Nelly feat. Justin Timberlake (Epperson) Zomba/BMG/Universal (Epperson/Nelly/Timberlake)	Universal MCSXD40312/- (U)	-/MCSXD40312
26	NEW	MIDNIGHT	Un-Cut (Un-Cut/Stanley) Ronda/Universal/EMI/CC (Un-Cut/Morrison/Densmore/Krieger/Manczarek/Gordon)	WEA WEA364CD2/- (TEN)	-/WEA364T
27	17	YEAR 3000	Busted (Robson/McLaughlin) EMI/Ronda/Universal (Bourne/Jay/Simpson/Robson)	Universal MCSXD40306/MCSC40306 (U)	-/-
28	NEW	TOTAL ECLIPSE OF THE HEART	Jan Wayne (Jannsen) EMI (Steinman)	Product/Incentive PDT10CDS/- (3MV/TEN)	-/PDT10T
29	19	LOSE YOURSELF	Good Charlotte (Valentine) EMI/CC (Coleman/Maglinga)	Interscope/Polydor 4978282/4978284 (U)	-/4978281
30	NEW	WONDERING WHY	MJ Cole (Cole) BMG/CC (Coleman/Maglinga)	Talkin Loud 0779522/- (U)	-/0779521
31	23	LIFESTYLES OF THE RICH AND FAMOUS	Good Charlotte (Valentine) EMI/CC (Coleman/Maglinga)	Epic 6735562/- (TEN)	-/6735561
32	22	STOLE	Kelly Rowland (Devillier/Hosein/Kipner) EMI/BMG (Devillier/Hosein/Kipner)	Columbia 6735182/- (TEN)	-/6735186
33	NEW	PUNK ROCK PRINCESS	Something Corporate (Wirt) Left There (McMahon)	MCA/Uni-Island MCSTD40315/- (U)	-/MCS40315/-
34	26	IF YOU'RE NOT THE ONE	Daniel Bedingfield (Taylor) Sony ATV (Bedingfield)	Polydor 0658832/0658834 (U)	-/-
35	24	I CAN'T BREAK DOWN	Sinead Quinn (Glenister/Lew) BBC/Bug/Songs In Lew/Zomba/MCS/CC (Quinn/Glenister/Lew)	Mercury 0637282/0637284 (U)	-/-
36	NEW	DANCIN' TONIGHT	Stereoclip feat. Nevada (Feiner/Amarillo) Ministry of Sound (Feiner/Amarillo/Lee)	Rulin RULIN28CDS/- (3MV/TEN)	-/RULIN28T
37	21	GET OVER IT	OK Go (Villaging/Kulash Jr) OK Go (Kulash Jr)	Capitol CDR6603/- (E)	-/R6603/-

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38	20	INCREDIBLE (WHAT I MEANT TO SAY)	Darius (The Matrix) Warner-Chappell/BMG/CC (Darius/The Matrix)	Mercury 0779782/0779774 (U)	-/-
39	29	HEY MA	Cam'ron feat. Juicy Santana (DR Period/Maria Boyi EMI/Killa Cam/Next Level Groove (Gies/Potman/James/Richel)	Roc-a-fella/Mercury 0637242/0637244 (U)	-/0637241
40	NEW	SOFT LIKE ME	Mantra MNT78CD1/- (V)	Mantra MNT78CD1/- (V)	-/MNT781
41	NEW	LADIES MAN	The D4 (The D4/Frisbee/Mixture) CC (The D4)	Infectious INFECD122CDSX/- (3MV/P)	-/INFECD122S/-
42	38	SOUND OF THE UNDERGROUND	Girlicious (Higgins/Xenomania) Warner-Chappell/Xenomania (Cooper/Scarlett/Higgins/Xenomania)	Polydor 0658272/0658274 (U)	-/-
43	NEW	T-10/THE TENTH PLANET	Distorted Minds (Distorted Minds) CC (Distorted Minds)	Kaos -/- (SRD)	-/KAOS006P
44	25	KEEP ME A SECRET	Ainslie Henderson (Glenister/Lew) BBC/MCS (Henderson/Quinn/Cush)	Mercury 0779812/0779814 (U)	-/-
45	32	'03 BONNIE & CLYDE	Jay-Z feat. Beyonce Knowles (West) EMI/Warner-Chappell/Universal (Wince/Harden/Shakur/House/Prince/Carter/West)	Roc-A-Fella/Def Jam 0770102/0770104 (U)	-/0770101
46	35	STOP LIVING THE LIE	David Sneddon (Meehan/Lewis) CC (Sneddon)	Mercury 0637292/0637294 (U)	-/-
47	27	HERE IT COMES AGAIN	Melanie C (De Vries) EMI/Chrysalis/BMG (Chisholm/De Vries/Howard)	Virgin VSCDT1842/VSC1842 (E)	-/-
48	18	ONE HORSE TOWN	The Thrills (Hoffer) BMG (Deasy)	Virgin VSCDT1845/- (E)	-/VS1845/-
49	36	SORRY SEEMS TO BE THE HARDEST WORD	Blue feat. Eiton John (StarGate) Warner-Chappell (John/Taupin)	Innocent SINDX43/SINC43 (E)	-/-
50	28	SHAKE YA SHIMMY	Porn Kings Vs Flip & Fill (Flip & Fill) Dejamas/CC (Rosa/Vargas)	All Around The World CXGLOBE213/- (AMD/U)	-/12GLOBE213
51	37	GIMME THE LIGHT	Sean Paul (Troyton) EMI/Black Shadow (Henriques/Rami)	Atlantic AT0146CD/- (TEN)	-/AT0146T
52	34	DON'T WORRY	Appleton (Dodd) Universal/Jute/CC (Appleton/Hastings/Dodds)	Polydor 0658192/0658194 (U)	-/-
53	44	SONGBIRD	Jaszi (Jaszi) Universal (Gallagher)	Big Brother RKIDSCD27/- (3MV/TEN)	-/RKID27/-
54	NEW	DRUNKEN FOOL	The Burn (Jones) CC (Davidson)	Hut/Virgin HUTCD166/- (E)	-/HUT166/-
55	42	BIG YELLOW TAXI	Counting Crows feat. Vanessa Carlton (Fair) Warner-Chappell (Mitchell)	Geffen/Polydor 4978492/4978314 (U)	-/-
56	33	CAN YOU DIG IT?	The Mock Turtles (Smith/Coogan) EMI (Coogan)	Virgin CDMOCK001/TCMOCK001 (E)	-/-
57	30	DON'T THINK YOU'RE THE FIRST	The Coral (Broudie) EMI/Delabel (Skelly)	Deltasonic DLTCDC2010/- (TEN)	-/DLT010/-
58	39	HEAVEN IS A PLACE ON EARTH	Soda Club feat. Hannah Alethea (Soda Club) EMI (Nowels/Shirley)	Concept CDON39X/- (AMD/U)	-/12CON39X
59	45	AUTOMATIC	Sarah Whitmore (Stannard/Gallagher) Sony ATV/EMI/Biffco/Universal (Morgan/Gallagher/Stannard)	RCA 82876504612/82876504614 (BMG)	-/82876504611
60	31	FOR WHAT IT'S WORTH	The Cardigans (Sunding/The Cardigans) Stockholm (Svensson/Persson)	Stockholm/Polydor 0657232/0657234 (U)	-/-
61	54	MUNDIAN TO BACH KE	Panjabi MC (Panjabi MC) Universal/EMI (Panjabi MC/Januar/Larson/Phillips)	Showbiz/Instant Karma KARMA28CD/KARMA28MC (P)	-/KARMA28P
62	62	DANGER! HIGH VOLTAGE	Electric Six (Electric Six/Diamond/Sutton/Mendes/Bradbury) Wall Of Sound/Sony ATV (Spencer/Frezza/Nawara/Selhi)	XL XLS 151CD2/- (V)	-/XLR 151
63	46	MO' FIRE	Bad Company UK/Rawhill Cru (Stein) CC (Stein)	BC Recordings BCRUK003CD/- (SRD)	-/BCRUK003P
64	NEW	BREAK 4 LOVE	Raze (Mason) Champion (Mason)	Champion CHAMPD784/- (3MV/P)	-/CHAMP12784
65	40	TOGETHER	Artificial Funk feat. N. Etison (RK) CC (RK)	Skint SKINT82CD/- (3MV/P)	-/SKINT82X
66	56	CAN'T STOP	Red Hot Chili Peppers (Rubin) Warner-Chappell (Kiedis/Flea/Frusciante/Smith)	Warner Bros W599CD1/- (TEN)	-/W599CD1/-
67	48	WHAT MY HEART WANTS TO SAY	Gareth Gates (Mac) Rokstone/BMG (Mac/Elofsson)	S 74321985602/74321985594 (BMG)	-/74321985601
68	53	OK	Big Brown (Skitt & Fingaz/BJ/Soul Various (Mugsha/Bella/Brown/Horsley/Roeters/Shepherd/Howell/Asida)	Epic 6735212/6735214 (TEN)	-/6735213
69	58	TRUE	Jameson feat. Angel Blu (Jameson) CC (Williams/Khan/McKoy)	V2/Did JAD5021363/JAD5021365 (3MV/P)	-/JAD5021366
70	NEW	TOUCH YOU	Katol (Katol/Hevey) Thunderground (Henderson)	Arista Dance 74321964492/- (BMG)	-/74321964491
71	47	THE OPERA SONG (BRAVE NEW WORLD)	Jürgen Vries feat. CMC (Tate/Kirsch/Heath) EMI/Universal (Tate/Kirsch/Heath)	Direction 6734642/- (TEN)	-/6734646
72	NEW	TRAPPED/DIFFERENCES	Guyver (Guyver) Tidy (Meams)	Tidy Two -/- (ADD)	-/TIDY2WO118
73	41	I'LL BE YOUR ANGEL	Kira (Bert/Maarten/Bart) Universal (Wilmaers/Wilmaers/Grinaert/Kashala)	Nulife 74321970362/74321970364 (BMG)	-/74321970361
74	74	REMINISCE/WHERE THE STORY ENDS	Blazin' Squad (TNT Xpensive/Huggy Bear) N2/BMG/Chrysalis/EMI (Blazin' Squad/Bardawil/Lee/Campbell)	East West SQUAD03CD1/SQUAD03C (TEN)	-/SQUAD03C
75	RE	FEEL	Robbie Williams (Chambers/Power) BMG/EMI (Williams/Chambers)	Chrysalis CDCHS5150/TCCHS5150 (E)	-/-

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PLATINUM	(600,000)
GOLD	(400,000)
SILVER	(200,000)
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⬆	Outperformed the market by 5% or more
⬆	Highest new entry
⬆	Most wks in chart
10+	10 or more wks in chart

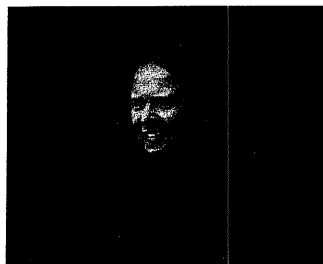
We highlight the key new releases in this vibrant sector of the entertainment market and talk to the distribution and production companies involved

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SINGLES COMMENTARY

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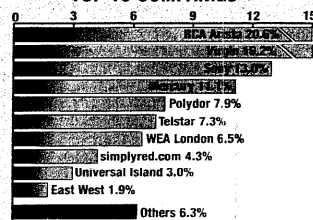
Despite declining 57% week-on-week, **Gareth Gates** and **The Kumars'** version of **Spirit In The Sky** retains a very comfortable hold on the top of the singles chart outselling its nearest challenger by a margin of more than two to one. **Spirit In The Sky** sold 117,000 copies last week, to take its overall sales past 390,000 in just 13 days. It replaces tATu's **All The Things She Said** as the biggest selling single of 2003.

Spirit In The Sky's retention of the chart title means the last five number ones have all reigned for more than a week. The last time there was such a lengthy sequence of number ones without a seven day wonder intervening in 1995. The last record to spend just week at number one was **Sorry Seems To Be The Hardest Word** by **Blue** and **Elton John** back in December 2002.

Mis-Teeq's new single **Scandalous** was no match for **Spirit In The Sky**, finishing a distant second with sales of 50,000. The first single from **Mis-Teeq's** upcoming album **Eye Candy**,

MARKET REPORT

TOP 10 COMPANIES



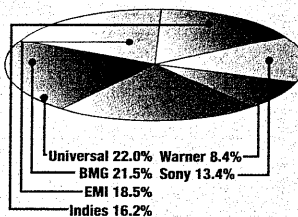
Figures show top 10 companies by % of total sales of the top 75; and corporate group shares by % of total sales of the top 75

SALES UPDATE

VERSUS LAST WEEK: **8.6%**

YEAR TO DATE VERSUS LAST YEAR: **35.9%**

TOP CORPORATE GROUPS



PERCENTAGE OF UK ACTS IN THE CHART

UK: 70.7% US: 25.3% Other: 4.0%

it extends their run of Top 10 singles to six, and provides them with their second number two single, following 2001's **All I Want**, which

was denied pole position by **Shaggy's Angel**. **Scandalous** registers **Mis-Teeq's** biggest ever one week sale, just exceeding the 47,500

to earn its number seven berth on this week's singles chart. Extending **Simply Red's** chart career to more than 18 years, it is their 31st hit in total, and the ninth to reach the Top 10. Home, which also includes covers of **Dennis Brown's Money In My Pocket**, **Bob Dylan's Positively 4th Street** and the **Stylistics' You Make Me Feel Brand New** is released today (March 24). **Simply Red's** latest UK tour starts in **Plymouth** on 22 April.

opening week enjoyed by **All I Want**.

Following up their **Elton John** collaboration **Sorry Seems To Be The Hardest Word**, which was the biggest selling hit of their career, **Blue** return with **U Make Me Wanna**, the third single from their 1.24m selling album **One Love**. The single debuts at number four, extending the boy band's career opening run of Top 10 singles to an impressive seven.

Rewind the clock exactly 20 years and the number one single is **Total Eclipse Of The Heart** by **Bonnie Tyler**. The song returned to the chart in 1995, reaching number five for **Nicki French** and is back again this week, debuting at number 28 for **Jan Wayne**. It is the second hit for 29-year-old German DJ **DJ Wayne**, who reached number 14 with his remake of **Patti Smith's Because The Night** last November.

Ja Rule and **Ashanti** team-up for the second time with **Mesmerize**. **Always On Time** reached number six for them last year. **Mesmerize** debuts at number 12.

INDEPENDENT SINGLES

This Week	Last Week	Title	Artist	Label (distributor)
1	NEW	FLASH	Queen & Vanguard	Nebula NEBCD041 (ADD)
2	1	CRY ME A RIVER	Justin Timberlake	Jive 9254632 (P)
3	NEW	LADIES MAN	The D4	Infectious INFEC122CDX (3MV/P)
4	NEW	SOFT LIKE ME	Saint Etienne	Mantra MNT78CD1 (V)
5	NEW	T-10/THE TENTH PLANET	Distorted Minds	Kaos KAOS006P (SRD)
6	2	TOGETHER	Artificial Funk feat. N Etison	Skint SKINT82CD (3MV/P)
7	NEW	BREAK 4 LOVE	Raze	Champion CHAMP00784 (3MV/P)
8	6	MO' FIRE	Bad Company UK/Rawhill Cru	BC Recordings BCRUK003CD (SRD)
9	NEW	TRAPPED/DIFFERENCES	Guyver	Tidy Two TIDYTWO118 (ADD)
10	5	EPL	Royksopp	Wall Of Sound WALLD088V (V)
11	7	DOWN AND UNDER (TOGETHER)	Kid Creme feat. MC Shurakano	Ink INK13CD (P)
12	NEW	HARD TRANCE EP VOL 3	Various	Nukleuz 0506PNUK (ADD)
13	4	HAYLING	FC Kahuna	Skint SKINT84CD (3MV/P)
14	NEW	BURNING UP	Alpinestars	Riverman RMR15CDS (P)
15	3	BLUE JEANS	Ladytron	Invicta Hi-Fi/Telstar CDSTAS311 (P)
16	11	MUNDIAN TO BACH KE	Panjabi MC	Showbiz/Instant Karma KARMA28CD (P)
17	9	FAMILIAR FEELING	Moloko	Echo ECSCD131 (P)
18	13	TRUE	Jameson feat. Angel Blu	V2/J-DiD JAD5121363 (3MV/P)
19	NEW	DIRTY BAS'S	Carl Cox & Christian Smith	23rd Century C23001 (ADD)
20	15	LOVE STORY (VS FINALLY)	Layo & Bushwacka!	XL XLS154CD (V)

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hit 40 UK

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1	1	SPIRIT IN THE SKY	Gareth Gates & The Kumars	S
2	2	SCANDALOUS	Mis-Teeq	Telstar
3	12	BEING NOBODY	Richard X Vs Liberty X	Virgin
4	19	U MAKE ME WANNA	Blue	Innocent
5	5	MOVE YOUR FEET	Junior Senior	Mercury
6	4	BEAUTIFUL	Christina Aguilera	Rca
7	22	SUNRISE	Simply Red	Simplyred.com
8	7	ALL I HAVE	Jennifer Lopez Feat. U Cool J	Epic
9	3	I BEGIN TO WONDER	Dannii Minogue	London
10	3	BORN TO TRY	Delta Goodrem	Epic
11	8	IN DA CLUB	50 Cent	Interscope/polydor
12	12	MAKE LUV	Room 5 Feat. Oliver Cheatham	Postiva
13	9	CRY ME A RIVER	Justin Timberlake	Jive
14	NEW	MESMERIZE	Ja Rule & Ashanti	Murder Inc/mercury
15	NEW	BUMP, BUMP, BUMP	B2K And P Diddy	Epic
16	NEW	SOMEWHERE I BELONG	Linkin Park	Warner Bros
17	16	ALL THE THINGS SHE SAID	tATu	Interscope/polydor
18	8	THE BOYS OF SUMMER	DJ Sammy	Data/MeS
19	11	SHAPE	Supababies	Universal Island
20	14	STOLE	Kelly Rowland	Columbia
21	13	CLOCKS	Coldplay	Parlophone
22	18	SING FOR THE MOMENT	Eminem	Interscope/polydor
23	16	GOSSIP FOLKS	Missy Elliott	Elektra
24	11	KA-CHING!	Shania Twain	Mercury
25	29	BIG YELLOW...	Counting Crows feat. V Carlon/Geffen	polydor
26	38	I'M WITH YOU	Avril Lavigne	Arista
27	21	INCREDIBLE...	Darius	Mercury
28	7	FEEL	Robbie Williams	Chrysalis
29	38	SKRBR BOI	Avril Lavigne	Arista
30	32	IF YOU'RE NOT THE ONE	Daniel Bedingfield	Polydor
31	NEW	FLASH	Queen & Vanguard	Nebula
32	NEW	TONIGHT	Westlife	S
33	27	DON'T WORRY	Appleton	Polydor
34	34	YOU'RE A SUPERSTAR	Love Inc	Nulife/arista
35	35	HEY MA	Cam'ron	Roc-a-fella/mercury
36	31	LOSE YOURSELF	Eminem	Interscope/polydor
37	NEW	THE ZEPHYR SONG	Red Hot Chili Peppers	Warner Bros
38	35	YEAR 3000	Busted	Universal Island
39	25	WORK IT	Nelly Feat. Justin Timberlake	Universal Island
40	28	I CAN'T BREAK DOWN	Sinead Quinn	Mercury

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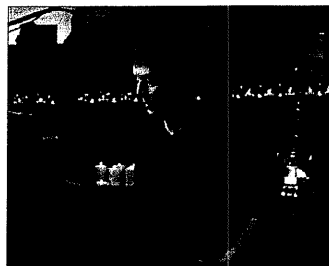
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ALBUMS COMMENTARY

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Seeing off the challenge of the more contemporary Danni Minogue and a Boyzone love songs compilation, Paul McCartney's latest concert album **Back In The World Live** is the highest new entry to this week's chart, debuting at number five. The album provides the 60 year old legend with his 60th chart album – 31 of them with the Beatles – and sold nearly 29,000 copies last week. **Back In The World** is virtually the same as the American release **Back In The US**

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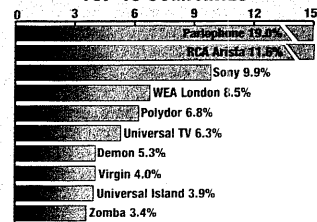
Live 2002, substituting Calico Shoes, Michelle, C Moon and She's Leaving Home for Vanilla Sky, Let 'Em In and Freedom. However, McCartney completists can find the missing songs – plus much documentary footage – on the DVD **Back In The US**, which was also released here last week, selling more than 5,000 copies. The **Back In The US** album reached number eight in America, and departed from the Top 200 last week after selling 850,000 copies.

EMI's Parlophone imprint has the top two albums for the second week in a row, courtesy of **Norah Jones** and **Coldplay** and increases its impressive penetration to three of the top five, with **Paul McCartney's** **Back In The World** earning a number five debut.

The gap between Jones and Coldplay at the top of the chart narrowed considerably last week from 18,000 to 6,000, with Jones' album declining 12% and Coldplay's increasing by the same amount. Norah Jones' album registers its fourth consecutive week at number one, while selling upwards of 50,000 copies for the fourth time in a row. Jones' album may benefit from Mother's Day buying next week and is therefore likely to remain on top – although **Daniel O'Donnell** will be in the chase too with his **Daniel In Blue Jeans** album, which jumps 6-3 on a 23% increase in sales week-on-week. It thus eclipses the number four peak of his 2000 album **Faith & Inspiration** to provide O'Donnell with the highest charting album of his 16 year, 20 album chart career.

MARKET REPORT

TOP 10 COMPANIES



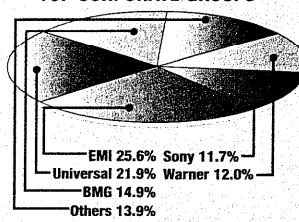
Figures show top 10 companies by % of total sales, and corporate group shares by % of total sales, of the Top 75 artist albums

SALES UPDATE

VERSUS LAST WEEK: -5.8%

YEAR TO DATE VERSUS LAST YEAR: +8.7%

TOP CORPORATE GROUPS



PERCENTAGE OF UK ACTS IN THE CHART

UK: 50.7% US: 44.0% Other: 5.3%

Surprisingly, Sir McCartney's number five debut with **Back In The World** provides Macca with a career high too, beating the peak positions of **Wings Over America** (number

eight, 1977), **Tripping The Live Fantastic** (number 17, 1990), **Unplugged – The Official Bootleg** (number seven, 1991) and **Paul Is Live** (number 34, 1993) to become his

highest charting live disc – apart, of course, from The Beatles' **At The Hollywood Bowl** disc which topped the chart in 1977.

More than three years after they ceased to be, **Boyzone's** **Ballads – The Love Songs Collection** debuts at number six. While that is commendable, the group's hitherto flawless record saw them reach number one with each of their four previous album releases.

12 years after **Love & Kisses** provided her with a number eight album, **Danni Minogue** debuts in the same position with **Neon Nights**, her new London album which includes her latest trio of Top 10 hit singles. **Neon Nights** sold more than 23,500 copies last week, and is already way ahead of the career sales of her last album, 1997's **Danni** which peaked at number 57 and has still sold fewer than 15,000 copies. A more muted return from **The Bangles**, whose **Doll Revolution** debuts at number 62, with sales of 3,000. Nevertheless, it is the reformed girl group's first charted album of new material since **Everything** reached number five in 1988.

COMPILATIONS

Another excellent week for **The Very Best Of Cold Feet** which continues to build impetus at the top of the chart, even though the ITV comedy/drama series around which it is based is now a fading memory. The album increased sales by 32% to more than 34,000 last week and opened a big lead over **The Very Best Of Euphoric House Breakdown** and **The Very Best Of MTV Unplugged** which continue in second and third place. Both are in rapid decline, and their sales last week – 13,500 for **Euphoric House** and 12,000 for **MTV Unplugged** – add up to considerably less than **Cold Feet** managed on its own.

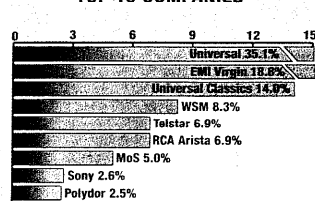
With Mother's Day less than a week hence, the albums to watch are **The Very Best Of All Woman 2003** and **All Woman 2003**, the latest in the highly successful series aimed fairly and squarely at the mums

market. The **Very Best Of All Woman 2003** – which includes Eva Cassidy's sublime **Fields Of Gold** and Cyndi Lauper's **Girls Just Want To Have Fun** among its 42 titles – debuts at number four. **All Woman 2003** was not released until today but should prove a formidable opponent. Last year **All Woman 2002** came along at the same late stage and debuted at number one, scuppering **The Very Best Of All Woman 2002's** title ambitions at the last minute.

Another ongoing series which returns to the chart this week is **Top Of The Pops**. The Spring 2003 album debuts at number six with more than 10,500 sales. It has already beaten the poor performance of the last album in the series, **Top Of The Pops 2003**, which climbed no higher than number 14 last November. It is the 10th in the series to reach the Top 20 in the 21st Century.

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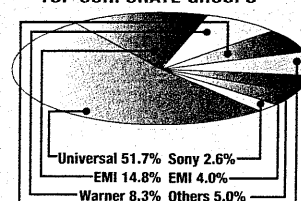


SALES UPDATE

VERSUS LAST WEEK: -1.5%

YEAR TO DATE VERSUS LAST YEAR: +0.3%

TOP CORPORATE GROUPS



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

COMPILATIONS' SHARE OF TOTAL SALES

Artist albums: 78.2%
Compilations: 21.8%

INDEPENDENT ALBUMS

Thurs	Last	Title	Artist	Label (distributor)
1	2	DANIEL IN BLUE JEANS	Daniel O'Donnell	DMG TV DMGT001 (DX)
2	1	JUSTIFIED	Justin Timberlake	Jive 9224772 (P)
3	NEW	BABY I'M BORED	Evan Dando	Setanta SETCD114 (V)
4	4	MELODY AM	Royksopp	Wall Of Sound WALLCD027 (V)
5	8	CHOCOLATE FACTORY	R Kelly	Jive 9225082 (P)
6	NEW	PIG LIB	Stephen Malkmus	Domino WIGCD122X (V)
7	6	COMFORT IN SOUND	Feeder	Echo ECHCD43 (P)
8	9	THINKING IT OVER	Liberty X	V2 VVR1017782 (3MV/P)
9	NEW	THROWING MUSES	Throwing Muses	4AD CAD2301CD (V)
10	5	STATUES	Moloko	Echo ECHCD44 (P)
11	3	KEEP ON YOUR MEAN SIDE	The Kills	Domino WIGCD124 (V)
12	7	SPIRIT OF THE IRISH	The Dubliners	Sanctuary TVSAN003 (P)
13	NEW	YOU CAN FEEL ME	Har Mar Superstar	B Unique BUN044 (V)
14	NEW	BLACKOUT	Hed Planet Earth	Music For Nations COMFZN283 (P)
15	RE	IS THIS IT	The Strokes	Rough Trade RTRADEC030 (P)
16	NEW	THE GROTTO	Kristin Hersh	4AD CAD2302CD (V)
17	16	SONGBIRD	Eva Cassidy	Blix Street/Hot G210045 (HOT)
18	12	BUENOS HERMANOS	Ibrahim Ferrer	World Circuit WCD065 (NN/P)
19	7	GUESS WHO'S BACK	50 Cent	Full Clip FCR2003 (V)
20	10	LOST HORIZONS	Lemon Jelly	Impotent Fury/XL IFXLCD160 (V)

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THE YEAR SO FAR... TOP 20 COMPILATIONS

TW	LW	Title	Label
1	1	8 MILE	INTERSCOPE/POYDOR
2	2	ALL TIME CLASSIC TEARJERKERS	VARIOUS ARTISTS WSM
3	3	LOVE – ETERNAL LOVESONGS	VARIOUS ARTISTS UMTV
4	4	I LOVE U	VARIOUS ARTISTS EMI VIRGIN
5	5	REGGAE LOVE SONGS	VARIOUS ARTISTS SANCTUARY
6	8	CHICAGO	ORIGINAL SOUNDTRACK EPIC
7	6	CLUBBERS GUIDE 2003	VARIOUS ARTISTS MINISTRY OF SOUND
8	7	NOW THAT'S WHAT I CALL MUSIC 53	VARIOUS ARTISTS EMI VIRGIN/UMTV
9	14	I LUV SMASH HITS	VARIOUS ARTISTS EMI VIRGIN/UMTV
10	10	CLUB MIX 2003	VARIOUS ARTISTS UMTV
11	11	VERY BEST OF DAVE PEARCE DANCE ANTHEMS	VARIOUS ARTISTS BMG/TELSTAR TV
12	16	FRIENDS REUNITED	VARIOUS ARTISTS UMTV
13	13	THE VERY BEST EUPHORIC HOUSE BREAKDOWN	VARIOUS ARTISTS BMG/TELSTAR TV
14	11	PURE GARAGE PLATINUM – THE VERY BEST OF	VARIOUS ARTISTS WARNER DANCE
15	15	THE VERY BEST OF COLD FEET	VARIOUS ARTISTS UMTV
16	16	THE VERY BEST OF MTV UNPLUGGED 2	VARIOUS ARTISTS UMTV/WSM
17	9	THE POWER OF LOVE	VARIOUS ARTISTS SONY TV/WSM
18	12	BASS BREAKS & BEATS 2003	VARIOUS ARTISTS WARNER DANCE
19	13	THE BEST AIR GUITAR ALBUM IN THE WORLD 2	VARIOUS ARTISTS EMI VIRGIN/UMTV
20	17	THE VERY BEST OF RELAXING CLASSICS	VARIOUS ARTISTS DECCA

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