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## WHITE HOT

**A** "Seven Nation Army" couldn't hold V2 President Andy Gershon back from celebrating the Top 10, almost 120k bow for the White Stripes' new *Elephant* album, the best week ever for any of the company's releases. It's a feel-good story, as the label rises faster than one of owner Richard Branson's patented hot-air balloons. Could this be another harbinger of not just a rock revival, but an indie one as well? Stranger things have happened for veteran music exec Gershon, though none stranger than this *HITS* Contents mention.

### WINNERS

#### REQUESTS

**50 CENT** Shady/Aftermath/Interscope

**R. KELLY** Jive

**DANIEL BEDINGFIELD** Island/IDJ

**EVANESCENCE** Wind-up

#### EARPICKS

**JEWEL** Atlantic/Atl G

**JENIFER LOPEZ** Epic

**EVANESCENCE** Wind-up

**JASON MRAZ** Elektra/EEG

#### WILDCARD

**JEWEL** Atlantic/Atl G

### HOT NEW RELEASES

#### BECKY BAELING

*Getaway*  
Universal

#### KELLY CLARKSON

*Miss Independent*  
RCA

#### THIRD EYE BLIND

*Blinded (When I See You)*  
Elektra/EEG

#### SIMPLE PLAN

*Addicted*  
Lava/Atl G

#1 ALBUM:  
**LINKIN PARK**



#1 MPS:  
**LINKIN PARK**



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**LISA MARIE PRESLEY**



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### ON THE COVER



**T**hird Man/V2 duo The White Stripes try to clean up after this *HITS* cover nod for the Top 10 debut of their new album *Elephant* and hit single "Seven Nation Army."





# "damaged"

the next

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**A/C MAINSTREAM  
MEDIABASE @10\***

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WLTW / New York  
KOST / Los Angeles  
WMJX / Boston  
WHOM / Portland  
KKLT / Phoenix  
KVIL / Dallas  
WLMG / New Orleans  
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WBAM  
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# VIBE-RATERS

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## 1 LISA MARIE PRESLEY • CAPITOL

4 LW 5 2W 5 3W



album: **TO WHOM IT MAY...**  
track: **LIGHTS OUT**

She's everywhere as LP streets big! Callout starting. New: WTMX, KSRZ, KMXB, WMXL, WMMY. Spins: KYSR, WPLJ, KHM, KLLC, KYKY, WVMX, WKRG, WTMX, KRSK, KIIS, WHIZ, WQZQ, WHYI, KRBE, WSTR, more. VH1, CMT, MTV. R.S. cover out now. *Newsweek*, *N.Y. Times*, *L.A. Times*. Just did *Diane Sawyer*. *GMA*, *Stern*, *Letterman* this week. 400k shipped. Mgmt: Scooter Weintraub/W Mgmt.

## 5 PETE YORN • COLUMBIA/CRG

9 LW 9 2W 9 3W



album: **DAY I FORGOT**  
track: **COME BACK HOME**

New: KDGE, WPBZ, WLRS, KUCC, WZEW. Spins: KROQ, WXRK, WWCD, WPLY, WRAX, KZON, WBCN, WGVX, WXR, KCTY, WXR. Headlining tour 4/21-5/31. *Letterman* 4/14, *Carson* 4/16. Pepsi First Taste campaign on MTV through 4/24. *Interview*, *GG*, *Vanity Fair*. Launch, AOL Sessions week of street. R.S., Spin. Streets 4/15; shipping 300k+. Mgmt: Rick Yorn, Dan Field/The Firm.

## 2 THE ATARIS • COLUMBIA/CRG

2 LW 2 2W 2 3W



album: **SO LONG, ASTORIA**  
track: **IN THIS DIARY**

Big radio! Spins: KROQ, WXRK, WZZN, KDGE, WHFS, WSUN, WNNX, WBCN, WAQZ, WPLY, WFNX, KNRK, KPNT, WDX, WWDC, KITS, WZTA, 91X, KNDD. MTV *Buzzworthy*, MTV2 *Crankin'* (just did *Rock Show*). Headlining N. American tour; Warped main stage, summer. Music Choice Live 4/14-27. Spin, R.S., *Blender*, *Ent. Weekly*, more. 400k+ shipped. Mgmt: Darren Lewis/DL Mgmt.

## 6 BOWLING FOR SOUP • JIVE

8 LW 8 2W 8 3W



album: **DRUNK ENOUGH...**  
track: **GIRL ALL THE BAD...**

Big Pop hit, sales jumps at racks! New: KSLZ. Spins: KIIS, WHIZ, KKRZ, KRBV, WZPL, KTCL, KBKS, WSTR, WAKS, KHTS, WXXL, WHYI, WBZZ, WIOQ, KLLC, KDGE, WBUZ. MTV, MTV2, *MuchMusic*. Just did *Kimmel*, *Regis & Kelly*. Now in U.K.; Warped tour starting 6/19. Recorded song for W. Craven flick *Cursed*. Streeted 8/02; 173k+ shipped. Mgmt: Jeff Roe, FPROE Mgmt.

## 3 JASON MRAZ • ELEKTRA/EEG

3 LW 3 2W 3 3W



album: **WAITING FOR MY...**  
track: **THE REMEDY (I WON'T...)**

#4 Most Added at Pop! New: WBLI, WQAL, WPRO, WNCI, WFLY, WWST, WVK, more! Spins: KFMB, KYSR, WSSR, WTMX, KLLC, WPLJ, WGVX, KMTT, more. MTV2, MTV *Advance Warning*, VH1. *Regis* 4/23, *Leno* 5/19. Online winner w/Amazon, Borders sales. Music Choice concert, May. Headlining U.S. now. R.S. 140k shipped. Mgmt: Bill Silva Mgmt.

## 7 FINCH • DRIVE-THRU/MCA

10 LW 10 2W 10 3W



album: **WHAT IT IS TO BURN**  
track: **WHAT IT IS TO BURN**

Sales gain as LP moves up PoMo chart! New: KBER, WKLQ. Spins: KROQ, WXRK, WZZN, KITS, WPLY, CIMX, WHFS, KNRK, WKGX, WAQZ, WZTA, WNNX, WAAF, KOMP, KBPI, KIOZ. MTV2 (just did *Rock Show*). Just did *Conan*. *Kimmel* in June. Tour underway; *Campus Invasion* confirmed. Surf & Skate Fest 4/26, radio dates May/June. 350k shipped. Mgmt: Andy Harris/Scout Mgmt.

## 4 THE ROOTS • MCA

DEBUT 13 LW



album: **PHRENOLOGY**  
track: **THE SEED (2.0)**

Added at VH1 as "Seed" grows at PoMo! New: WFNX, WKQX, CIMX, WWCD, KPNT. Spins: WHFS, WPLY, KITS, KRBD. MTV *Buzzworthy* (Tribeca Film Fest. concert 5/9, taping *Hard Rock Live* 6/4); MTV2. Europe, Japan through 4/20; college tour starts 4/23. Re-recording "Rock You" for Madden NFL 2004 game. Mgmt: Rich Nichols/Watch Your Back Mgmt.

## 8 INTERPOL • MATADOR

6 LW 6 2W 6 3W



album: **TURN ON THE BRIGHT...**  
track: **PDA**

Early love for second single, "Obstacle 1," impacting 4/28. "PDA" on KROQ, Q101, KITS, WJSE, WFNX, WARQ, WWCD, KMBY, WAQZ, WHFS. Traffic for MTV.com video bow crashed server! Huge in-store play. Sold-out tour over; headlining Coachella second stage 4/27. Two songs on *Six Feet Under*. NME cover; Spin, *Blender*, *Magnet*, *NYT Magazine*. 200k shipped. Mgmt: Brandon Schmidt.



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## 9 TALIB KWELI • RAWKUS/MCA

DEBUT



album: **QUALITY**  
track: **GET BY**

Picture coming together with radio action, video support, sales, love from critics. New at WBTS, KKFR, KTTB, WHHH, KMEL, KBMB, KXIM, WPHI, KKSS, many more. Nice jumps at W'house, HMV, Virgin. On MTV, MTV2, BET. On MTV Campus Invasion Tour beginning this month. Album streeted 11/02; 300k shipped. Mgmt: Corey Smith.

## 13 COLD • FLIP/GEFFEN

DEBUT



album: **YEAR OF THE SPIDER**  
track: **STUPID GIRL**

Track from rockers' third LP exploding at radio! New: KDGE, KROX, KXRK. Spins: WZZN, KNDD, KNRK, KUPD, KOMP, KXXR. Mark Webb-helmed clip on MTV, MuchMusic. April-June: some headline club dates, some shows w/Staind, Godsmack. Lollapalooza main stage, headlining second stage. Radio dates. *Kimmel* on street date. Streets 5/13, shipping 250k. Mgmt: Paul Geary/Global Artists Mgmt.

## 10 BLUR • VIRGIN

12 lw 13 2w 13 3w



album: **THINK TANK**  
track: **CRAZY BEAT**

Big radio! Spinning: KROQ, WXRK, KNRK, WBUZ, WZZN, WHFS, KDGE, WFNX, KTBZ, WPLY, KPNT, WRZX, KITS, WKQX, WSUN, KNDD, CIMX. Vid next week. Summer tour: U.S., Europe; Coachella 4/26. Radio shows May/June. Field Day Fest. 6/8. MTV2-SXSW coverage. *Kilborn* 4/25, *Letterman* 6/9. *Spin* (July), *RS*, more. Streets 5/6; 175k shipped. Mgmt: Niamh Byrne/CMO Mgmt. U.K.

## 14 LIAM LYNCH • S-CURVE

16 lw 16 2w 16 3w

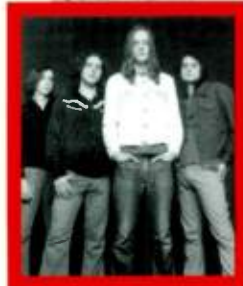


album: **FAKE SONGS**  
track: **UNITED STATES OF...**

Streeting as novelty smash rules PoMo! On KROQ, WXRK, KPNT, KDGE, 91X, WBCN, WAQZ, KITS, KTBZ, WXTM, WKQX, WJRR, WFNX, WBUZ, WHFS, KNRK. MTV2 heavy rotation, Top Five requests. *Kilborn* 4/10 (backed by No Doubt rhythm section). *Spin*, *Rolling Stone*, *New York Times*, *L.A. Weekly* features upcoming. Shipping 100k. Mgmt: N/A.

## 11 DATSUNS • V2

11 lw 12 2w



album: **THE DATSUNS**  
track: **IN LOVE**

Full-court press! New at WRXR. On: WWCD, WROX, KRBZ, WZNE, WBUZ, WSUN, KITS, KEDJ, KWOD. MTV2. Finishing up stateside dates with 4/13 L.A. Troubadour gig, then back in May. Did *Conan* 3/11. Top 10 DMRC Detroit Coalition. *N.Y. Daily News* piece next Sun.; *R.S.*, *Spin*. 60k shipped. DVD on first 50k. Mgmt: Tom Dalton.

## 15 BREAKING BENJAMIN • HOLLYWOOD

14 lw 14 2w 14 3w



album: **SATURATE**  
track: **SKIN**

Touring, PoMo/Active radio getting under public's "Skin." #9 Most Added at Active, including KEGL, WLZR, KATT. Spins include KPNT, WARQ, WXTM, WRZX, WRIT, WRAT, KRQC, more. Just did *Kilborn*. Jagermeister tour with Saliva, (hed) Planet Earth goes through 4/20. Godsmack tour kicks off at end of April. *Metal Edge* feature out now. 215k shipped. Mgmt: Larry Mazer/Ent. Services.

## 12 TAPROOT • VELVET HAMMER/ATL/ATL G

RE-ENTRY



album: **WELCOME**  
track: **MINE**

Second single making its way through radio world as sales, tour kick in. New at WMMS, KXRK, WMFS, KRQC, WARQ. Spins include KNDD, KXTE, KNRK, WZZN. Video being delivered at presstime. Out opening for Disturbed now. MTV2 ad campaign running now; Budweiser "True Music" radio spots to air soon. 425k shipped. Mgmt: David Benveniste, Mark Wakefield/Velvet Hammer.

## 16 HITMAN SAMMY SAM • UNIVERSAL

DEBUT



album: **STEP DADDY**  
track: **STEP DADDY**

Quirky Atlanta veteran's big-label debut "Steps" up! New: KTTB, WWKX. Major early requests at KXHT. #2 Most Added at Rhythm last week, including KBXX, KBFB, KMEL, KSFM, KBMB, many more. Shooting video at presstime w/Lenny Bass directing. Press, TV being set up, with buzz building at retail. Streets 4/29; 100k shipping. Mgmt: Bill Davis.

# top 50 ALBUMS

2W	LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE COMMENT	LABEL	POWER INDEX	PERCENT CHANGE
—	1	1	<b>LINKIN PARK</b>	<b>METEORA</b> <i>Second week on top</i>	Warner Bros. 48186	259.1	-69%
1	4	2	<b>50 CENT</b>	<b>GET RICH OR DIE TRYIN'</b> <i>"In Da Club" now, "21 Questions" next</i>	Shady/AM/Interscope 493539	174.5	-12%
—	3	3	<b>NOW 12</b>	<b>VARIOUS</b> <i>Solid second week for compilation</i>	Capitol 82344	157.9	-37%
—	2	4	<b>CELINE DION</b>	<b>ONE HEART</b> <i>"I Drove All Night" the cut + huge press</i>	Epic 87185	150.4	-67%
2	5	5	<b>NORAH JONES</b>	<b>COME AWAY WITH ME</b> <i>Title track starting now, touring</i>	Blue Note 32088	133.3	-4%
<b>DEBUT</b>	6		<b>THE WHITE STRIPES</b>	<b>ELEPHANT</b> <i>Huge sophomore debut for garage rockers</i>	V2 27148	119.2	—
<b>DEBUT</b>	7		<b>CHER</b>	<b>VERY BEST OF CHER</b> <i>Fans Still Love Cher + tour</i>	Warner Bros. 73852	111.3	—
5	8	8	<b>EVANESCENCE</b>	<b>FALLEN</b> <i>"Bring Me to Life" powering solid sales</i>	Wind-up 13063	81.0	-5%
4	6	9	<b>CHICAGO</b>	<b>SOUNDTRACK</b> <i>"All That Jazz" C. Zeta-Jones version</i>	Epic/SMS 87018	80.8	-37%
3	9	10	<b>R.KELLY</b>	<b>CHOCOLATE FACTORY</b> <i>"Ignition-Remix" the hot cut, press</i>	Jive 41849	70.9	-14%
6	11	11	<b>KID ROCK</b>	<b>COCKY</b> <i>"Picture" f/Sheryl Crow, still hot</i>	Lava/Atl/Atl G 83482	68.1	-5%
9	13	12	<b>SEAN PAUL</b>	<b>DUTTY ROCK</b> <i>"Get Busy" behind solid sales</i>	VP/Atl/Atl G 83620	65.4	+8%
—	10	13	<b>DIPLOMATS</b>	<b>DIPLOMATIC IMMUNITY</b> <i>"Dipset Anthem" the cut</i>	Roc-A-Fella/IDJ 063211	51.9	-34%
8	14	14	<b>FABOLOUS</b>	<b>STREET DREAMS</b> <i>"Can't Let You Go" the hot cut</i>	Elektra/EEG 62791	45.8	-13%
15	20	15	<b>COLDPLAY</b>	<b>RUSH OF BLOOD TO THE HEAD</b> <i>"Clocks" the hot cut, tour</i>	Capitol 47504	41.7	-2%
14	19	16	<b>AUDIOSLAVE</b>	<b>AUDIOSLAVE</b> <i>"Like a Stone" the cut &amp; huge tour</i>	Epic/Interscope 86968	41.7	-5%
<b>DEBUT</b>	17		<b>CHRIS CAGLE</b>	<b>CHRIS CAGLE</b> <i>"What a Beautiful Day" the cut</i>	Capitol Nashville 40516	41.0	—
10	18	18	<b>EMINEM</b>	<b>EMINEM SHOW</b> <i>"Sing for the Moment" the cut now</i>	Aftermath/Interscope 493291	38.8	-13%
13	22	19	<b>AVRIL LAVIGNE</b>	<b>LET GO</b> <i>"Losing Grip" starting now</i>	Arista 14740	38.5	-3%
12	21	20	<b>LIL' KIM</b>	<b>LA BELLA MAFIA</b> <i>Hot track, "The Jump Off" f/Mr. Cheeks</i>	Atlantic/Atl G 83572	37.5	-9%
7	16	21	<b>DIXIE CHICKS</b>	<b>HOME</b> <i>"Travelin' Soldier" at Country, press</i>	OW/Mon/Columbia 86840	36.2	-20%
17	24	22	<b>GOOD CHARLOTTE</b>	<b>YOUNG &amp; HOPELESS</b> <i>"The Anthem" the hot cut + tour</i>	Daylight/Epic 86486	36.1	+1%
22	25	23	<b>JUSTIN TIMBERLAKE</b>	<b>JUSTIFIED</b> <i>"Rock Your Body" hot now</i>	Jive 41823	35.3	+3%
—	7	24	<b>BRIAN MCKNIGHT</b>	<b>U TURN</b> <i>"Shoulda, Woulda, Coulda" the cut</i>	Motown 67315	34.1	-70%
19	23	25	<b>KIDZ BOP KIDS</b>	<b>KIDZ BOP VOL.3</b> <i>Kids group covering pop songs</i>	Razor & Tie 89060	33.6	-8%







top 50

ALBUMS

2W	LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE COMMENT	LABEL	POWER INDEX	PERCENT CHANGE
16	28	26	A.F.I.	<b>SING THE SORROW</b> "Girl's Not Grey" a smash + press, tour	DreamWorks 450380	33.0	+4%
11	17	27	8 MILE	<b>SOUNDTRACK</b> Big DVD sales	Shady/Interscope/UMG Strx 493508	30.6	-32%
21	29	28	THE ALL-AMERICAN REJECTS	<b>THE ALL-AMERICAN REJECTS</b> "Swing, Swing" hot now + tour	DreamWorks 450407	30.5	+3%
18	26	29	JOHN MAYER	<b>ROOM FOR SQUARES</b> "Why Georgia" now, touring, press	Aware/Columbia/CRG 85293	30.2	-10%
<b>DEBUT</b>	<b>30</b>		<b>ROBBIE WILLIAMS</b>	<b>ESCAPOLOGY</b> International superstar	Virgin 81777	29.4	—
28	31	31	CHRISTINA AGUILERA	<b>STRIPPED</b> "Fighter" the hot cut	RCA 68037	28.1	0%
37	30	32	3 DOORS DOWN	<b>AWAY FROM THE SUN</b> "The Road I'm On" starts	Universal 066165	28.1	-2%
—	15	33	B2K	<b>PANDEMONIUM</b> Special Edition w/DVD bonus	Epic 86995	27.8	-47%
23	27	34	MISSY ELLIOTT	<b>UNDER CONSTRUCTION</b> "Gossip Folks" hot	GM/Elektra/EEG 62813	27.5	-16%
25	34	35	T.A.T.U.	<b>200 KM/H IN THE WRONG WAY</b> "All the Things She Said" a smash	Interscope 064107	26.5	-2%
29	32	36	SNOOP DOGG	<b>PAID THA COST TO BE DA BOSS</b> "Beautiful" f/C. Wilson & Pharrell	Priority/Capitol 39157	26.4	-4%
43	33	37	TOBY KEITH	<b>UNLEASHED</b> "Who's Your Daddy" leads	DreamWorks Nashville 450254	25.3	-7%
33	37	38	SIMPLE PLAN	<b>NO PADS NO HELMETS...</b> "I'd Do Anything" now, touring	Lava/Atl G 83617	25.1	-3%
34	42	39	NELLY	<b>NELLYVILLE</b> "Pimp Juice" the new cut now	Fo' Reel/Universal 017747	24.3	+9%
35	40	40	TRAPT	<b>TRAPT</b> "Headstrong" hot A. Rock, touring	Warner Bros. 48296	22.7	-9%
<b>DEBUT</b>	<b>41</b>		<b>HOUSE OF 1,000 CORPSES</b>	<b>SOUNDTRACK</b> Rob Zombie film hits 4/11	Geffen 493634	22.6	—
45	46	42	MATCHBOX TWENTY	<b>MORE THAN YOU THINK...</b> "Unwell" the new cut & tour	Atlantic/Atl G 83339	20.1	+2%
39	43	43	CHEVELLE	<b>WONDER WHAT'S NEXT</b> "Send the Pain Below" now	Epic 86157	20.1	-9%
32	36	44	JOSH GROBAN	<b>JOSH GROBAN</b> Direct TV campaign + press	143/Reprise 48154	19.7	-24%
31	38	45	JENNIFER LOPEZ	<b>THIS IS ME THEN</b> "All I Have" f/LL Cool J going now	Epic 86231	19.0	-26%
38	41	46	TYRESE	<b>I WANNA GO THERE</b> "How You Gonna Act..." the cut	J Records 20041	19.0	-16%
—	12	47	HOT BOYS	<b>LET 'EM BURN</b> Cash Money Clique back together	Cash Money/Universal 860966	19.0	-72%
46	48	48	TIM MCGRAW	<b>TIM MCGRAW &amp; THE DANCEHALL...</b> Multiple cuts hot at Country radio	Curb 78746	18.9	-1%
30	39	49	DAREDEVIL	<b>SOUNDTRACK</b> Evanescence "Bring Me to Life" leads	Wind-up 13079	17.6	-31%
<b>DEBUT</b>	<b>50</b>		<b>BEN HARPER</b>	<b>DIAMONDS ON THE INSIDE</b> "With My Own Two Hands" + tour	Virgin 80640	17.1	—



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# HITS FRONT PAGE

**COLD**  
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Linkin Park remains #1 and 50 Cent is #2, but the Big Story Is the #6 Debut for V2's Buzz Duo...

## RACING STRIPES!

### AUDIOSLAVE



"Stone" Smash

LAUNCH  
cast

### MOST PLAYED

#1 **Linkin Park** (WB), #2 **Lil' Kim** (Queen Bee/Atlantic/Atl G), #3 **Madonna** (WB), #4 **Missy Elliott** (Goldmind/Elektra/EEG), #5 **Fabolous** (Desert Storm/Elektra/EEG), #6 **Sixpence None the Richer** (Reprise), #7 **Goo Goo Dolls** (WB), #8 **Matchbox Twenty** (Atlantic/Atl G.), #9 **LeAnn Rimes** (Curb) and #10 **Good Charlotte** (Epic).

**I**f you see a pink *Elephant* on this week's charts, you're not just feeling the effects of last night's hangover.

V2's ex-husband-and-wife duo **The White Stripes**, the subject of unprecedented critical kudos, including a rare five-star *Rolling Stone* review, stamped onto the chart this week atop their fourth album, *Elephant*, scoring a #6 bow while selling just south of 120k. This developing, multifaceted story represents a true triumph for compelling indie rock and a perfectly executed label game plan—and they're just getting started.

Hastings' Mike Fuller says a "Seven Nation Army" couldn't hold back Stripes fans from storming retail: "I'm really thrilled with the opening week for The White Stripes. They really surpassed even my expectations. Hey, ya think they need a bass player? I'm available."

WB's **Linkin Park**, Shady/Aftermath/Interscope's **50 Cent**, Capitol's **Now 12**, Epic's **Celine Dion** and Blue Note's **Norah Jones** are at #1-5, respectively, with only the superstar rapper and the Canadian diva switching places from last week's Top Five.

A greatest-hits collection from WB icon **Cher** was the other newcomer to the Top 10, entering at #7, with 111k sold, making it the last of seven albums selling more than 100k this week. Wind-up's **Evanescence**, Epic's *Chicago* soundtrack and Jive's **R. Kelly** complete the Top 10.

Other chart newcomers were Capitol's **Chris Cagle** (#17), Virgin's **Robbie Williams** (#30), Geffen artist **Rob Zombie**'s *House of 1,000 Corpses* soundtrack (#41) and the re-entry of Virgin's **Ben Harper** (#50).

Albums showing sales gains include VP/Atlantic's **Sean Paul** (+8%, #12), Epic's **Good Charlotte** (+1%, #22), Jive's **Justin Timberlake** (+3%, #23), DreamWorks' **A.F.I.** (+4%, #26), DreamWorks' **The All-American Rejects** (+3%, #28), Fo'Reel/Universal's **Nelly** (+9%, #39) and Atlantic's **Matchbox Twenty** (+2%, #42).

Next week, retailers prepare for a religious epiphany, as Republic/Universal's **Godsmack** sends sales heavenward.

Added Fuller: "Hey, I'm a believer. We were real strong on their last record, and looking forward to doing the same with this one. Is it OK if I take the Lord's name in vain just this once?"



Linkin Park





Pic of the Week



He Thinks We're #1

MCA promo guy **Tom Maffei** recuperates after sustaining a neck injury. Sources say the unexpected shift of a major-market programmer's ass caused the incident. "It's ironic," Tom later reflected, "since before that I wasn't getting any traction." Having been temporarily sidelined, the promotion vet decided to read up on his friends in Sherman Oaks, who have their heads up their own butts.

LAUNCH

TOP VIDEOS

#1 **Saliva** (Island/IDJ), #2 **50 Cent** "In Da Club" (Shady/Aft/Int), #3 **50 Cent** f/**Eminem** "Patiently Waiting" (Shady/Aft/Int), #4 **R. Kelly** (Jive), #5 **Busta Rhymes** f/**Flipmode Squad** & **Mariah Carey** (J Records), #6 **Nas** (Col/CRG), #7 **Linkin Park** (WB), #8 **Eminem** "Sing for the Moment" (Shady/Aft/Int), #9 **Fabulous** (Desert Storm/Elektra/EEG) and #10 **Nelly** (Fo' Reel/Uni).

WILD CARD

JEWEL ATLANTIC/ATL G

With a new song at radio and a new album in the summer, this Pop star is back in a big way. The first single, "Intuition," officially impacted this week and is Most Added at multiple formats, including KYSR, KPLZ, WIOQ, KSLZ, KMXV, WZKF, WQZQ, WRVW and tons more. Already in rotation at KIIS, Z100, STAR-94, WXKS, WBZZ, WWWQ, KBKS, WNOU, WFLZ and others. **Andrea Ganis** and the Atlantic promo team are closing this hit quickly.

MTV Gets Another Dose of Reality

**A** talk show featuring **Tom Green** and a reality series starring **Nick Lachey** and **Jessica Simpson** top the list of MTV shows in production or development, as MTV comes off its highest-rated first quarter ever.

EVP Series & Animation **John Miller**; EVP Series & Movie Development **Lois Curran**; EVP Music & Talent Programming **Tom Calderone** and EVP News & Production **Dave Sirulnick** are overseeing the array of original programming, including reality, comedy, music and news series.

"Our new slate of shows represents our ongoing commitment to ambitious, dynamic programming," says MTV/VH1 President of Entertainment **Brian Graden**. "We have always taken pride in our ability to document moments in culture. These new projects represent our continued interest in capturing our audience's lives, and the issues and people that are important to them, in new and meaningful

ways. Cue those exploding firecrackers, **Steve-O**."

Two new shows will bow this summer. In the untitled **Simpson/Lachey** project, premiering in August, the newlyweds spend their first year together as the cameras roll. And a talk show hosted by **Green** will feature celebrity guests and shtick. Look out, **Jimmy Kimmel**. Premieres June 16 at midnight.

The following shows have been greenlighted for pilots:

- **When I Was 17**: Celebrities recall what they were like at age 17. Pilot will air during *TRL High School Week* in April.
- **High School Stories: Scandals, Pranks and Controversies**: The pilot for this projected series from MTV News will also be part of *TRL High School Week*.
- An untitled **Bam Margera** project focuses on pranks pulled by the *Jackass* cast member. August '03
- **The Scene**: A projected verite series set in the club scene, created by L.A. *Times* journalist **Heidi Sigmund Cuda**.

■ **RoomMATES**: Reality/game show involving bedrooms and the search for the perfect mate.

■ **Posse**: Lifestyles of the entourages of the rich and famous.

Also in development are an untitled **Blink-182** project and a **Paula Abdul** reality cheerleading show.

In related news, MTV will debut a new feature called *The Leak*, which will make a free stream of an entire album available on **MTV.com** a week before the album's scheduled release date. **Madonna's American Life** will be the first to get *Leaked* on April 16.



Graden: How green is his light.



## Avery Believes in Godsmack

When they called their third and new Republic/Universal album *Faceless*, New England metal giants Godsmack were only partially kidding. Indeed, after two previous albums that have sold more than 6 million between them, along with three Grammy nominations, the hard rockers remain one of the industry's best-kept secrets.

That's something Republic President/Universal Records Sr. VP Avery "Breath You Take" Lipman set out to correct with a massive, six-month-long push that will deliver a chart-topping record next week.

"I hate to put it this way, but it's been like a military campaign," says Lipman. "The TV and radio appearances are the air attack, and the grassroots retail and street teams are the ground troops."

With 1.1 million albums on the streets, some retailers are predicting that first-week sales could reach as high as 400k, thanks to an aggressive pricing policy that will see the new album sell for under \$10 in some places.

"We wouldn't have been able to do that without the participation of the band," says Lipman. "That's the cherry on top of the plan."

Carl Mello "Yellow," a Newbury Comics buyer in the band's hometown of Boston, says: "Our stores are excited about what will surely be our #1 release of the week and, more than likely, the biggest-selling local artist release of the year for us."

Pointing to the continuing strength of the Godsmack catalog—which includes the band's self-titled, four-times-platinum '98 debut and 2000's double-platinum *Awake*, Lipman insists he didn't have to push retailers to take product. "The demand was already there."

That demand has been stoked by the first single, "Straight Out of Line," formerly Most Added at PoMo and Active and now Top 10 at both, with the video Top 20 at MTV

and MTV2 and Top 10 at MuchMusic. Also included on the album is "I Stand Alone," which was on Universal's gold *Scorpion King* soundtrack, earning singer/writer Sully Erna Grammy nominations for Best Hard Rock Performance and Best Rock Song.

The label has lined up a series of press opportunities for the band to ensure they won't remain *Faceless* much longer.

"We had a comprehensive plan that included any and all media," says Lipman. "We haven't forgotten about the band's initial fan base, handing out stickers, postcards and snipes at shows. We made a conscious decision to go back to the folks who made the group what they are. We took nothing for granted."

Highlights of the media campaign include the following:

- Leno (4/8), Jimmy Kimmel Live (4/11), Mad TV (4/26).

- World premiere of album on 72 FMQB radio network stations (4/7).

- MTV News tour announcement (4/9).

- MTV Voodoo Tribe Party Sweepstakes, with winner flown to Boston for concert.

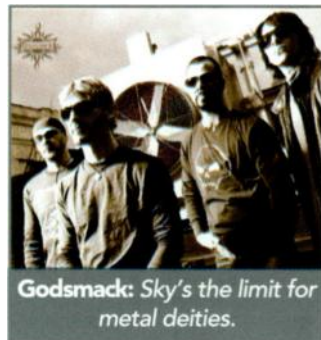
- MSN chat (4/10).

- Covers of *Guitar One*, *Metal Edge*, *Circus*, *Hit Parade* and *Entertainment Today*.

- Features scheduled in *Billboard*, *Guitar World*, *Revolver* *Now*, *Request*, *Buzzine*, *Modern Drummer*, *Drum*.

- More than 1.5 million online streams of the video.

- Tour starting 4/25 in Miami, ending 6/10 in Morrison, CO.



Godsmack: Sky's the limit for metal deities.

# HIT LIST

A Blatant Rip-off of a Good Magazine

WHAT WEASELS ARE WEASELING ABOUT THIS WEEK

- DON IENNER:** The world is his PlayStation. Ruling Sony Music N.A. is a job Lack-tapped Columbia capo will be able to sink his teeth into.
- CARESSE HENRY:** Madonna manager finds "Life" during wartime is complex, after pop icon pulls "inappropriate" video in the midst of an all-out *American* offensive.
- VAN TOFFLER:** As MTV unveils programming plans to advertisers, Van thrilled about new reality show featuring the *Jackass* guys housebreaking the Osbournes' dogs.
- WHITE STRIPES:** Gershon and Backer's master plan working to perfection, as Stripes log biggest bow in V2 history. Now, if only Andy or Steve could play bass...
- GODSMACK:** Beantown's reigning metal band looks to make Avery loud noise at retail with new Republic/Universal album.
- STEVE KINGSTON:** The programmer from Infinity is a miracle man—all he has to do is Blink, and 102.7 N.Y. instantly has a whole new format.
- JIM CAPARRO:** WEA head putting together a team to buy the company's manufacturing and distributing ops—now there's a novel way to ensure job security.
- MAVERICK & MICHELLE BRANCH:** With album finished and tour slated, this is hardly the time to be Branch Dividians. Artist and label renewing their vow with a Firm handshake.
- ROBBIE WILLIAMS:** If at first you don't succeed, try, try again. EMI global superstar's new album has already done better in U.S. than his last LP, which was never released here.
- MASTER P:** Says Tanks for the memories to Universal, rolls into free agency. Is there still No Limit to his options?



## ACTION

The adds this week at MTV are **White Stripes** (V2), **TLC** (Arista), **Jennifer Lopez** (Epic), **Christina Aguilera** (RCA) and **Staind** (Flip/Elektra/EEG). White Stripes is Buzzworthy. **Nas** (Columbia/CRG), **Christina Aguilera** and **Audioslave** (Epic/Interscope) are upped in the Big 10.



# 50 Cent Drives a "Hybrid"

50 Cent is one busy mofo. On the heels of the expected announcement that the hip-hop phenomenon has been given his own Interscope imprint, G-Unit Records, comes some more surprising news.

Shady/Aftermath/Interscope is shipping more than 1 million units of a "hybrid" release, hot on the heels of the now-quadruple-platinum *Get Rich or Die Tryin'*. Described by the label as a "true multimedia experience," the package, titled *The New Breed* and streeting April 15, includes a DVD containing two hours of material, accompanied by a CD featuring three unreleased tracks. The release comes in a standard CD jewel box and will be stocked in the music sections, not the DVD sections, of retailers. *The New Breed* will be tracked on the HITS Top 50 Albums sales chart.

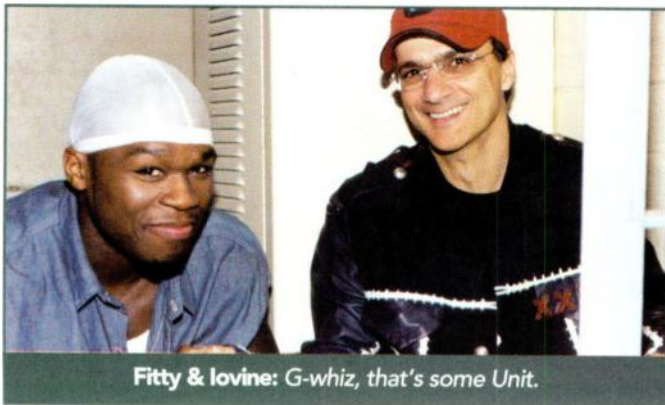
Says Interscope sales and marketing ruler Steve Berman: "In today's incredibly tough environment of selling music, we feel it's extremely important to support the art and the creative vision of Dre, Eminem, Paul Rosenberg and 50 in what we believe will be the frontier of a new art form. We don't want to pigeonhole this new release. That's why we're putting it in the brilliant box and marketing it in the music section. Is it a CD with a DVD attached? Is it a DVD with a CD added on? We don't care. It's a new piece of entertainment art from 50 Cent."

More than 70 minutes of previously unreleased material are on the DVD, including an exclusive video for the song "Heat," an interview with Tony Yayo of the group G-Unit from Riker's Island and live footage featuring 50 Cent and Eminem. Also included are the clips for "Wanksta" and "In Da Club."

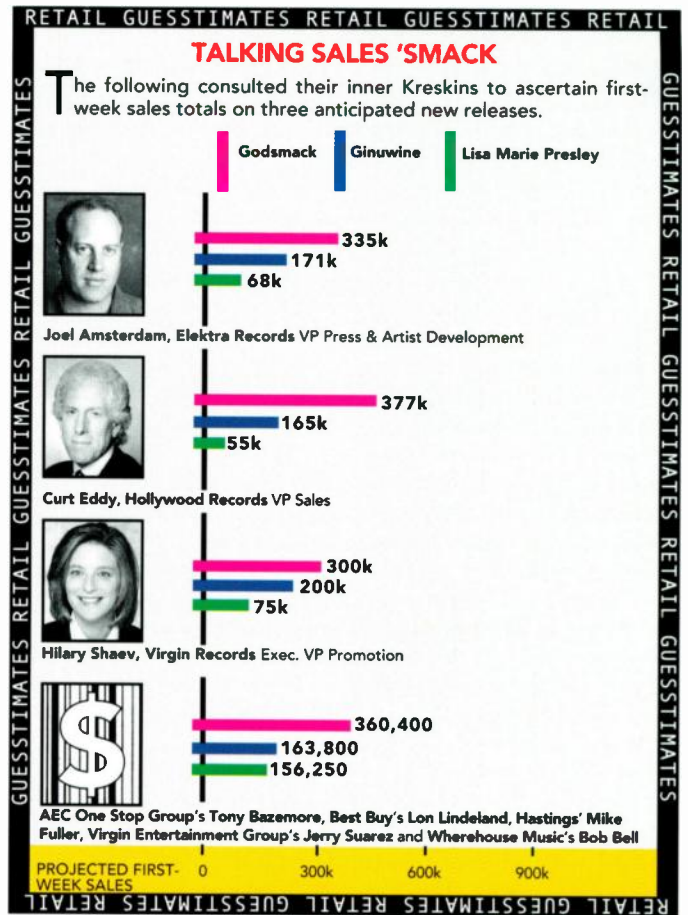
Meanwhile, the first release on G-Unit will be from the group G-Unit—Yayo, Lloyd Banks and Sha Money XL. The album is expected to come out by the end of the year.

Said 50: "Me and G-Unit are bringing it in 2003. First, I drop my album and people pay attention. Now that I got their attention, I'm gonna drop the next shit on them...the G-Unit shit, both the label and the group. *The New Breed* brings it all together. It's like an extension of the mix tape for me—hitting people with something you won't find anywhere else. I'm not leveling the competition, I'm destroying it."

Said IGA Chairman Jimmy Iovine: "When you have an artist like 50 Cent, you want to be in business with him on every level: movies, video games, wherever he wants to go. He has the kind of vision and work ethic that lets you know from the outset, he's going to win. We're looking forward to the same type of artistic quality and commercial success from G-Unit that we've had with both Shady Records and Aftermath Entertainment."



Fitty & Iovine: G-whiz, that's some Unit.



# AIRHEAD

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# the White Stripes

## Seven Nation Army

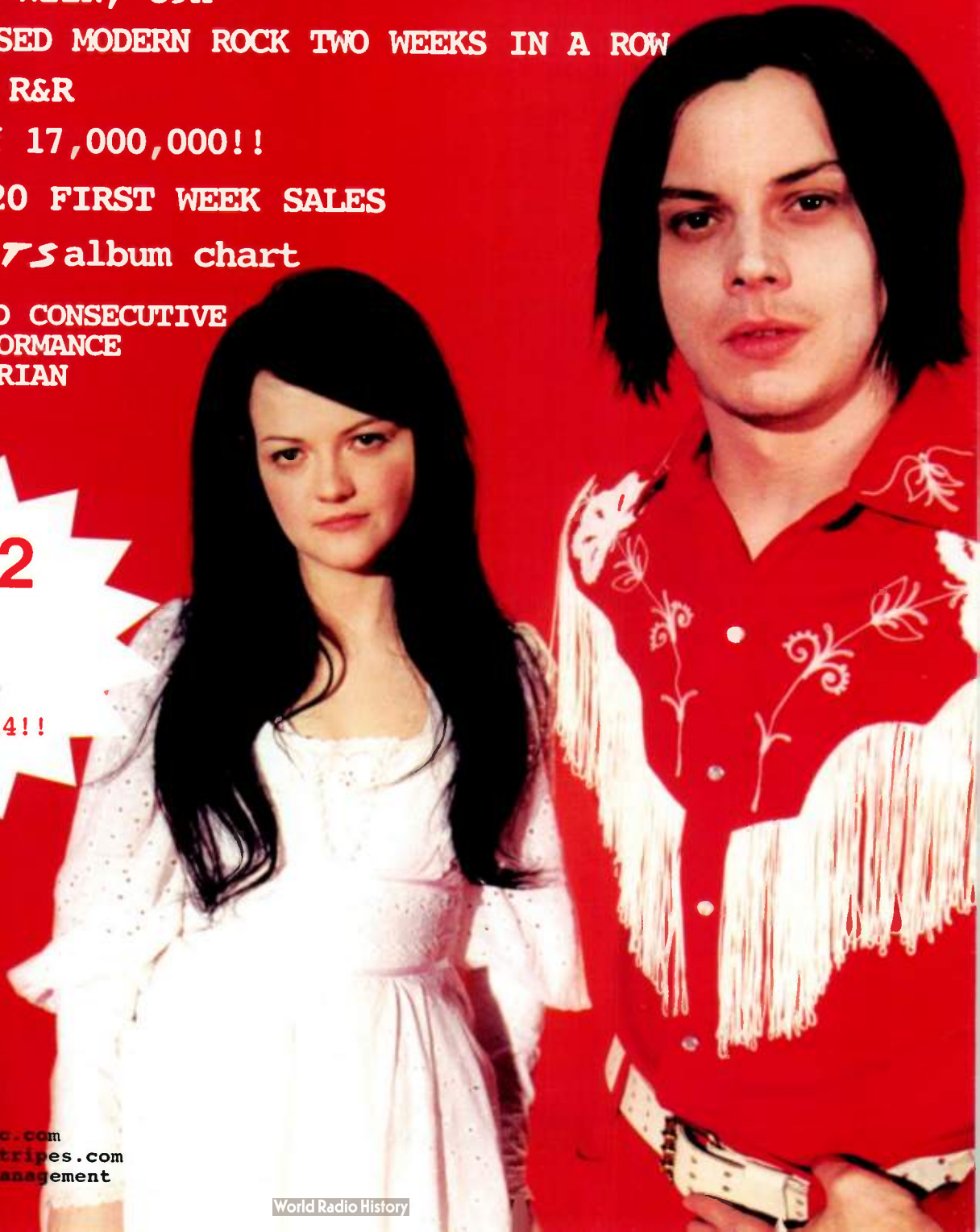
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# LETTERS

## Cruising for Bruising

HITS:

I'm surprised that nobody there made fun in the Rumor Mill section about the new Fidelio company as that's the password required to get into the sex party in the Tom Cruise movie, *Eyes Wide Shut*. Surely there's a joke in there somewhere.

Jay Frank  
Launch/Yahoo! Music  
Santa Monica, CA

HITS replies: *Thanks, Jay, you must be one of the half-dozen people whose eyes were wide open for Eyes Wide Shut. Surely there's a joke in there somewhere, and if we were any more clever, we'd make it.*

## Quoth the Raven

Dear Friends:

I am delighted to enclose our new compilation, Music for Slow Flow Yoga, Vol. 2. We hope you will find it appropriate for review.

Robert Ansell  
Raven Recording  
NYC

HITS replies: *No problem, Robert, but can you tell us how to remove our leg from behind our left ear?*

## Beaned in Boston

Dear Ms. Glauber:

A warm welcome back to the Four Seasons Hotel Boston! We are delighted to have you with us again for your 15th visit and I hope that you will feel very much at home.

Thomas Gurtner  
The Four Seasons Hotel  
Boston, MA

HITS replies: *Very cool, Thomas, but can you send that bottle over to Howard Johnson's Fenway Hotel, because that's where Glauber had to stay when you had no rooms left.*

## Hale Fellow, Ill Met

Hi Roy!

Hope you enjoy the enclosed selection of DVDs. Lovely to speak with you again! Best regards,

Susan Hale  
Universal Studios Home Video  
Santa Monica, CA

HITS replies: *Funny, Susan, we haven't seen Trakin since you sent those DVDs. He must be holed up in his basement doing a frame-by-frame semiological analysis of Undercover Brother.*

## Mix Up

Hi Troy!

I met Ricky Leigh at Gems in NYC a week or so back, and he requested that I send him a copy of my record—through you, so it would actually get to him. I have also included a propaganda card with a personal message for you, cause I know you are desperate for something to do just sitting around all day. Have a great day!

Marly Hornik  
Brooklyn, NYU

HITS replies: *Actually, Marly, Troy's kinda busy going through Ricky Leigh's mail for anthrax and tasting his food, but as soon as he's done, he'll make sure to deliver your record to his people.*

## A Pair of Kennedys

Roy/Mark:

Here is a photo of the band Kennedy playing an in-store at Sea Level Records in Echo Park for their record release party.

Josh Mills  
It's Alive! Media  
L.A., CA

HITS replies: *And here's another Kennedy, hanging out on the HITS Letters page.*



## THE LADDER

A RUNDOWN OF EXECUTIVES ON THE MOVE



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Engstrom



Logan



Gimbel

**B**ob "Alu" Michaels is named President of 5.1 Production Services by 5.1 Entertainment Group Chairman John Trickett "Treat." Michaels is responsible for establishing a 24/7 operation with all of the resources under one roof for mixing, mastering, graphics design, authoring, compression, quality control and ordering out for pizza during breaks ... Mike Engstrom "Thummond" is promoted to Vice President of Product Development for Warner Strategic Marketing by Exec. VP Marketing & Sales Kevin "Make Love, Not" Gore. Engstrom will lead the product development team, coordinate the efforts of the A&R, Marketing, Creative Services, Business Affairs and Licensing departments and reissue the Napoleon XIV catalog in SACD... Marcus Logan "Airport" is appointed Vice President Marketing for Star Trak Entertainment by President Rob "Peter to Pay Paul" Walker. Logan will manage marketing campaigns, oversee budgets, serve as a liaison between the label and artist management and take in the waists on L.A. Reid's trousers... Tom "Macy's and" Gimbel is tapped as Senior Director Marketing for Arista Records by Sr. VP Marketing & Artist Relations "An Easy" Mark Shimmel. Gimbel will be responsible for implementing marketing strategies company-wide for selected label artists and

chaperoning Avril Lavigne to her senior prom... Tom "You Can Take That One to the" Banks is upped to Senior Director Finance for RCA Label Group Nashville by VP Finance Paul Barnabee "Here Now." Banks will continue to focus on the financial realm of RLG, preparing monthly, quarterly and annual financial reports, oversee marketing budgets and day-to-day financial operations, while keeping all his receipts in his desk drawer... Nancy Moore "The Merrier" is raised to Director Writer/Publisher Relations at BMI Nashville by VP Writer/Publisher Relations Paul "Hard" Corbin. Moore will affiliate songwriter and publishers, assist them in the administration of their catalogs and keep an eye on their horses hitched outside the offices... "Skip to My" LuAnn Davidson is tapped as Associate Director Writer/Publisher Relations at BMI Nashville by VP Writer/Publisher Relations Paul "Kick it to the" Corbin. Davidson will assist writers and publishers with administration of their works and empty the office spittoon... Yvonne "Der Graaf Generator" Gomez is appointed W.C. Latin Creative Manager for permusic publishing by President/COO "Chatty" Kathy Spanberger. Gomez will oversee the work of songwriter/performers on the roster, find and sign new songwriters in the Latin genre and keep a steady supply of Coronas in the office kitchen.



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## NEAR TRUTHS

BY I.B. BAD, LOS ANGELES

Observers observing that the official announcement of **Don Ienner's** ascension to the North American throne of **Sony Music**, still imminent at presstime, is coming at the right moment, given that the music business is in its most difficult period in 20 years—the last slump this severe being the “Atari Era” before the CD boom. Amid **continuing doubts** about how labels can survive as the global market continues to shrink, wonderers wondering if even the most savvy of execs can overcome “the perfect storm.” Many handicappers giving Ienner a better chance than most... Despite trying times, however, talk that **many top executives** are **openly hopeful** for the success of a possible across-the-board **99-cent download service** that could be up and running full-throttle by Christmas. Said service would be led by **Apple Computer's Steve Jobs**, whose **iPod/Apple Store** rollout would theoretically allow users to purchase the entire **Beatles** or **Stones** catalog (for example) for \$100 or so with a single click... **WEA** honcho **Jim Caparro** said to

### WORKING WITH A 'NET



**STEVE JOBS:** Is downloading the Apple of his iPod?

have secured financing through investment firms **Thomas Lee** and **Apollo** in his bid to buy **AOLTW's** disc manufacturing and distribution operations, reportedly valued at up to \$1 billion. Potential competitors so far are reportedly from the manufacturing sector, including **Cinram**, **Infodisc** and **Technicolor**. Does AOLTW see strategic value in a bid from Caparro, who continues to see a place for an independent manufacturing and distribution operation servicing more than one major?... Rumors earlier this year of a possible **Led Zeppelin** summer tour turning out to be wishful thinking. What impact does the cancellation of tour plans have on a rumored new album from **Atlantic**?... Meanwhile, back at Sony, much chatter over **Charlie Walk's** expanded responsibilities in the new structure, as he adds oversight of all shared Urban and Cross-over promo activities for **Columbia/Epic** to his existing role as promo domo for Columbia proper. Insiders say **John Ingrassia** will also continue to be a major player at Columbia as well. Meanwhile, the hot streak continues for **Polly Anthony's** Epic this week, as **J. Lo**, **Audioslave**, **Ginuwine**, **Good Charlotte** and **B2K** extend their runs at radio... Talk of some **very expensive artist deals, joint ventures and consultancies** coming under intense corporate scrutiny as the red ink spilling off their P&L statements has some CFOs asking difficult questions... Names in the Rumor Mill: **David Munns**, **Lionel Ridenour**, **Lisa Marie Presley**, **Richard Gabel**, **Paul Geary** and **Rick Sales**.



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Q100	WSTR
Y100	WFLZ
B94	WZPT
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# WHEELS & DEALS

BY RODEL DELFIN

**WEASELS GET SOME:** There's nothing like seeing a room full of A&R yahoos packing the Viper Room on a late Friday afternoon (4/4, for example) for a showcase to kick off the weekend. It's almost as much fun as watching two rats f\*\*king in a wool sock. And so the **Saguit Saad**-repped **Instruction** (featuring members of **Quicksand** and **Error Type:11**) did a private L.A. perf for the likes of **Geffen/Interscope** head **Jordan Schur** and crew and **DreamWorks** A&R bigwig **Michael Ostin** and his posse, as well as heavyweight A&R reps from **RCA**, **Interscope**, **Hollywood**, **Maverick**, **Capitol**, **American** and **Elektra**. Publishing playas from **Chrysalis Music** and **EMI Music** were also in the house. The band met with suitors over the weekend; any other weasels hoping to court them will have to trek across the pond to catch a show. U.K. gigs are in effect due to the band's press exposure in *Kerrang* and *NME*. Stateside dates with **Taking Back Sunday** are said to be in

the works. Who will close?... There was still more Viper Room action last week, as the **Mike McKoy**-repped **The Honorary Title** faced a roomful of A&R hitters from **Island Def Jam**, **DreamWorks**, **Capitol**, **Epic**, **Warner Bros.**, **Columbia**, **Geffen**, **Atlantic**, **Hollywood**, **EMI Music**, **Warner/Chappell** and **Chrysalis Music**. There appear to be two label frontrunners in this derby... 17-year-old femme guitar-wiz **Shannon Curfman** has parted ways with **J Records**; label meetings are scheduled for the coming weeks. The axe-wielding songstress, who now has new material, signed with **Clive Davis** at **Arista** when she was only 14. Manager **Jake Walesch** and barrister **Gary Gilbert** will be handling the weaseltude... **SIGN ON THE DOT-TED LINE:** The derby for the **Johnny Diamond/ Reid Hunter**-repped **The Working Title** has closed, with **Kevin Law** at **Universal** taking the, um, title. Courtship of the South Carolina band got very heated at the fin-

ish line, with several West Coast label heads hoping to close. The new management division of **Greg Latterman's Aware** will co-manage the teen-age group; the current EP will be picked up by **Universal**. Word on the street is that **Law** promised the band that they, too, could be rolling in an Escalade with 20-inch chrome, just like **Nelly**...The **Steve Sessa**-repped **Poltrona** inks with **Guy O** and **Berko** at **Maverick**... The **Filter**-managed **Annie Steela** signs with **Capitol**. Barrister **Gary Gilbert** handled the brief shopping duties, as the singer-songwriter was taken off the market by label head **Andy Slater** and A&R hitter **Loren Israel**... The **Doug Mark/John Dee/Michael Goldberg**-repped **Brad Kane** inks with **Warner Bros.** Pub action is said to be ramping up... Former **Atlantic** A&R exec **Rich Christina** has joined **Worlds End**. He will be based in the New York office, bringing in new producer/writer clients and working with the current **W.E.** roster...

Finally, congrats to U.S. weasel export **Mike Taylor**, who is promoted to head of A&R at **Sony Australia**. Taylor left his A&R post at **Maverick** two years ago to move **Down Under**. The new A&R head has a hit with artist **Delta Goodrem**, who has the #1 record in Australia and a Top 10 single in the U.K. charts—making **Sony Music A&R** exec **David Massey** quite proud. Kudos, Mike, and don't forget to send us a case of **Crown Lager**... **BUZZIN':** **Electric Eel Shock**, **Paula Moore**, **Skate and Surf Fest**... Hit me up: [brotherxx@earthlink.net](mailto:brotherxx@earthlink.net).

## Rats doin' it



Do weasels get this frisky?

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WHO	WHEN	WHERE	HOW COME?
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<b>FROM AUTUMN TO ASHES</b>	Mon., April 14 TBD	Palace L.A.	With <b>My Chemical Romance</b>
<b>PUBLIC</b>	Tues., April 15 8 p.m.	Sin-E N.Y.	Buzzin'
<b>THE START</b>	Sat., April 19 TBD	Troubadour L.A.	Opening for <b>Cave In</b>
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# ROCK2K



**THIRD MAN/V2'S WHITE STRIPES STAMPEDE CHARTS WITH ELEPHANT BOW**  
 Matt Pollack and Rick Morrison's Top 10 PoMo airplay for "Seven Nation Army," MTV Buzzworthy.com nod, help conquer retail

## FLIP/ELEKTRA'S STAIND SPINS THE CYCLE OF SUCCESS

PoMo, Active plays the "Price" as first single from *14 Shades of Grey*, "Price To Play," charts and is Most Added at both formats



## WB'S MULTIPLYING ROCK HITS LIKE BUNNIES, WITH THREE IN THE POMO TOP FIVE

Linkin Park's "Somewhere I Belong" still #1 PoMo after 800+k *Meteora* debut, Chili Peppers' "Can't Stop" at #4 and Trapt's still "Headstrong" at #5 as Rob Goldklang readies Less Than Jake impact (4/14)

## Fast Five

## Rock Box

### 1 RADIOHEAD:

Plenty of "There There," as Capitol's Ted Volk hits radio Monday (4/14) for 4/22 adds on first single from *Hail to the Thief*.



### 2 BLINK 102.7:

He's in the Apple's eye. Infinity's Steve Kingston reinvents legendary WNEW NY with ex-XRK Booker rumored to be in morning drive.



### 3 KEVIN CARROLL:

Strikes a Blue Note breaking Norah; now heading up new EMI promo division serving Blue Note, Astralwerks, S-Curve, Angel, etc...



### 4 HOT HOT HEAT:

Promo queen Lynn McDonnell charts Sub Pop/Reprise Canuck rockers' new single, "Bandages".

### 5 MISTRESS CARRIE:

Boston femme fatale carries on with "official" MD stripes at Active monster WAAF after a dozen years moving up ladder.



### GINA JULIANO/PD WARQ/Columbia, SC

Since arriving in the college town made famous by Hootie three years ago, **Gina Juliano** has led the station through a series of upward books. In the latest ratings period, **WARQ** grew 4.4-5.0 with persons 12+. Even more impressive is the upward movement in every day part, specifically in the all-important 18-34 demo: mornings with **Cataldo** 7.0-8.3; middays with **Moose** 7.4-10.4; afternoons with MD **Dave Farra** 6.8-8.4; nights with Gina 6.5-8.3!! Incredible numbers from an incredible team. "My entire staff kicks ass! Honestly, they are the best I've ever had. Promotions on both my stations (Gina also oversees Classic Rock **WMFX**; rock right now, thanks to **Cindy Johnson**. We're getting ready to launch a big Easter Keg Hunt on WARQ." Gina is also involved with many local charities, animal shelters and other community projects at the station. Loving the music she programs is also key: "Music I happily share with my listeners includes the entire **Linkin Park** and **Audioslave** CDs, **Depswa**, **Saliva**, **Breaking Benjamin** and **Powerman 5000**." Gina's enthusiasm is yet another reason why this programmer is destined for big things!



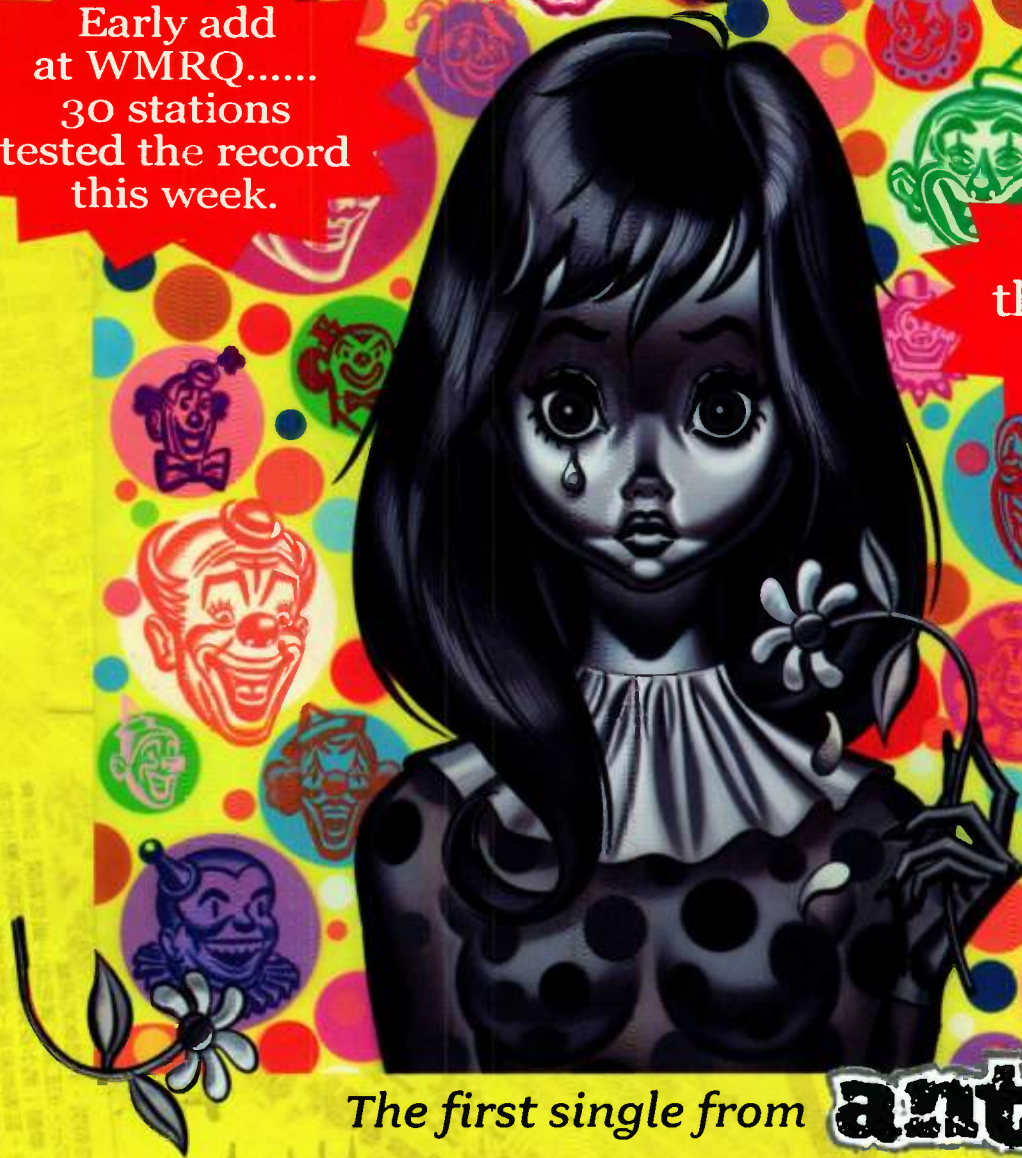


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## top 25 post toasties

lw	tw	artist-label	comments
1	1	<b>LINKIN PARK</b> - Warner Bros. Somewhere I Belong	WXRK adds "Faint", "From Inside"
2	2	<b>EVANESCENCE</b> - Wind-up Bring Me To Life	#1 WXRK, KDGE
—	3	<b>THE WHITE STRIPES</b> - Third Man/V2 Seven Nation Army	MTV Buzzworthy.com
4	4	<b>AUDIOSLAVE</b> - Epic/Interscope Like A Stone	#1 KITS, WPLY
3	5	<b>FOO FIGHTERS</b> - Roswell/RCA Times Like These	#1 WRAX, WWDX
5	6	<b>CHEVELLE</b> - Epic Send The Pain Below	#1 WEND, KTEG
6	7	<b>RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS</b> - Warner Bros. Can't Stop	#1 Q101, WBCN
7	8	<b>TRAPT</b> - Warner Bros. Headstrong	KCNL, KFRR Add
8	9	<b>3 DOORS DOWN</b> - Republic/Universal The Road I'm On	WDYL, WTGZ Add
9	10	<b>AFI</b> - DreamWorks Girl's Not Grey	#1 WMRQ, KRZQ
10	11	<b>GOOD CHARLOTTE</b> - Daylight/Epic The Anthem	#1 WEND, WTGZ
13	12	<b>QUEENS OF THE STONE AGE</b> - Interscope Go With The Flow	#6 Most Added
12	13	<b>COLDPLAY</b> - Capitol The Scientist	#2 Most Added
11	14	<b>THE ALL-AMERICAN REJECTS</b> - DreamWorks Swing Swing	#1 WHTG, WEEQ
14	15	<b>THE ATARIS</b> - Columbia/CRG In This Diary	KFTE, KXNA Add
15	16	<b>THE USED</b> - Reprise Buried Myself Alive	#1 KRBZ
16	17	<b>SEETHER</b> - Wind-up Fine Again	KXRK, KFRR Add
17	18	<b>SUM 41</b> - Island/IDJ Hell Song	DC101, KXNA Add
19	19	<b>FINCH</b> - drive thru/MCA What It Is To Burn	KDGE, WUBZ Add
18	20	<b>DISTURBED</b> - Reprise Remember, Prayer	#1 WXEG
22	21	<b>SALIVA</b> - Island/IDJ Rest In Pieces	Top 5 @ WAVF, WARQ
20	22	<b>(HED) PLANET EARTH</b> - Volcano Blackout	WPLY, KRZQ Add
24	23	<b>SIMPLE PLAN</b> - Lava/AG Addicted	WARPED Tour
23	24	<b>THE DONNAS</b> - Atlantic/AG Who Invited You	KDGE, KEDJ Add
21	25	<b>ZWAN</b> - Martha's Music/Reprise Lyric	KJEE, WBTZ Add

based on a combination of airplay and sales

## most added

1. <b>STAINED</b>	"Price To Play"	(Flip/Elektra/EEG)
2. <b>COLDPLAY</b>	"The Scientist"	(Capitol)
3. <b>LIVE</b>	"Heaven"	(Radioactive)
4. <b>SMILE EMPTY SOUL</b>	"Bottom Of The Bottle"	(Lava/AG)
5. <b>CKY</b>	"Attached At The Hip"	(Island/IDJ)
6. <b>QUEENS OF THE STONE AGE</b>	"Go With The Flow"	(Interscope)

## post toasted

BY IVANA B. ADORED

**SHE'S GONNA BREAK SOON:** In a few hours I'll find out whether I have to show up tomorrow morning for jury duty. This is the first time I haven't been able to weasel out of it. Nobody is exempt these days and it seems like the music industry is being specifically mined for prospective jurors. I suppose being "on call" is better than spending a week in the jury room. Unfortunately, my excuse for being dismissed (that I am without peer, therefore making it impossible for me to serve), isn't one of the options offered on the automated jury call-in menu. I realize this isn't appropriate civic behavior from someone who used to head the Future Lawyers Club of Easton, PA, but that was before I knew better.... This is one of those weeks radio promotion people fantasize about. Well, at least the ones who work at **Elektra**, who've spent the past two days agreeably juggling the non-stop stream of radio stations calling in their add on **Staind's** "Price to Play." Only five reporting stations didn't add the song this week, which is as close to perfection as one could ever



**PETE YORN:**  
Day I Forgot is a winner!

aspire. **Pete Rosenblum** and **Buddy Deal** also charted the new **Third Eye Blind** single, "Blinded (When I See You)," at PoMo this week, inspiring new adds on the song from **WZTA**, **KRBZ**, **WMRQ** and **KUCD**. **Elektra** also signed one of the coolest Aussie bands, **Jet**, who are playing tonight at **Spaceland**. If I have to report for jury duty at 7:45 a.m. tomorrow morning, you're going to have to tell me how they were.... **Lava's Greg Dorfman** is fleeing snow-covered NYC for this week's **Smile Empty Soul** showcase at the **Viper Room**. He followed up last week's spectacular add week (which included **WBCN**, **KNDD**, **KPNT**, **KXTE**, **WXTM**, etc.) with another dozen adds on "Bottom of a Bottle," including **WHFS**, **Live105**, **WPBZ**, **WJXB**, **KFMA**, **WEND** and more. **Greg** deserves at least a few days of California sunshine!... **Epic's Jacqueline Saturn** was also

seen basking in the warmth of the left coast—jetting in for last Friday night's **Vendetta Red** show. Imagine my pride when I recognized the **Patrick Cox** jacket she was wearing was the same one I literally forced her to buy seven years ago! My own wardrobe would suggest the adage, "those who can do, those who can't teach," although I was pleased with my choice of a vintage **Roger Daltrey** T-shirt (circa Ride a Rock Horse) to wear to the **Vendetta Red** gig. Yes, even my T-shirts are older than most PoMo artists these days. The first **Vendetta Red** single, "Shatterday," certainly sounds like a classic. **KNDD** is already playing it 20x/week! **Epic's** recent track record for breaking rock bands is flawless, so this should be a slam-dunk (just like a Syracuse victory).... Although I have been known to take umbrage to sports fans referring to "their" team's victory with "we won," there are way too many Syracuse alumni in the music industry to keep tabs on which ones are using the inappropriate possessive when detailing the Orangemen win. **Klaiman**, **Jacqueline**, **Jeff Sodikoff**, **Jon Cohen**, **Todd Glassman**, **David Saslow**, **Ben Goldman**, **Phil Q**, **Marty Bandier**, **John Sykes**, **Harvey Leeds**, **Mike Tierney**, **Rick Dobbis**, **Lou Reed** and **Pete Yorn** are among the alums celebrating "their" NCAA triumph. The inclusion of **Pete Yorn** on this list is the only reason why I'm not being vigilant about those reveling in the afterglow of victory (for which they played no part). Dare I admit I was even secretly rooting for Syracuse, bound as I am by my love for **Pete Yorn**. **Columbia's Jeff Sodikoff** scored with another great week at PoMo on "Come Back Home," including **KDGE**, **WPBZ**, **WLRS**, **KUCD** and **WBTZ!** **Pete's** new album, *Day I Forgot*, comes out next week (4/15), which I will celebrate by filing an extension on my taxes. **Pete** and his band premiered new songs this morning on **KCRW's Morning Becomes Eclectic**. He'll also be on **Letterman** (4/14) and **Carson Daly** (4/16). As it turns out, **Pete** (my shaggy-haired heartthrob) will be touring this summer with the **Foo Fighters** (**Erika's** shaggy-haired heartthrob). I can use "my" when it pertains to something more important than sports, like heartthrobs.... This week's 110k+ sales bow for **The White Stripes' Elephant** is notable, especially because it's prior to **MTV** exposure. The video was added immediately to "Buzzworthy" rotation, adding an important component to this project. Even our favorite curmudgeon, **WEDG PD Lenny Diana**, ran out of reasons not to play "Seven Nation Army" (although it wasn't for lack of trying). You should be sending expensive bottles of wine and thank-you notes to **V2's Matt Pollack** and **Rick Morrison** for giving you the rare gift of a format-exclusive **SMASH**.... Hooray to **Capitol's Ted Volk** and **Steve Nice** for launching the third **Coldplay** single, "The Scientist," to #2 Most Added (following two early Most Added weeks). **Ted** and **Steve** will be bestowing an edit of the **Radiohead** single "There There" upon your C&D'd selves early next week. You will be grateful.... I'm fascinated by how the new **Blur** single, "Crazy Beat," is generating Top 5 phones at unexpected stations, like **WJXB**, **WPLA**, **KRZQ**, **WLIR**, **KPNT** and **WBRU**. To me, it suggests that the song is working for programmers who aren't overthinking it. Those who are comparing it to the **Gorillaz** "Clint Eastwood" should be reminded that they initially didn't think that song was a hit, either.... Within the plethora of **Staind** adds, a few other songs managed to make significant progress: **Hot Hot Heat's** "Bandages" was a wrap for **WPLY**, **KTZO**, **KDGE** and **WPBZ**; **Cave In's** genius "Anchor" docked at **KEDJ**, **WPNT**, **WPBZ**, **KWOD** and **KMBY**; our beloved **Donnas** "Who Invited You" found a home at **WXDX**, **WARQ**, **KDGE**, **KPNT** and **KEDJ**; **Taproot's** "Mine" is "yours" for **WMFS**, **WARQ** and **X-96**; **Gob's** "Give Up the Grudge" is a "go" this week for **WWCD**, **WGRD**, **WBUZ**, **WHTG** and **WPBZ**. We hail **WPBZ** for adding all the cool records this week!.... **MTV.com** premiered the new **Interpol** video for "Obstacle 1" yesterday. You can view the **Florio Sigismondi**-directed clip for your own enjoyment and enlightenment: <http://www.mtv.com/music/video/premiere/interpol/>... SONG TO HEAR: **P.O.D.'s** "Sleeping Awake" (from *Matrix 2 OST*).... PEOPLE TO WATCH: **Gaby Skolnek**, **Lynn McDonnell**, **Steve Leeds**, **Brandon Schmidt**, **John DiMaio**, **Stephanie Harty**, **Howie Miura**, **Todd Sievers**, **Gary Spivack**, **Bill Carroll** and **Leslie Fram**.



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Alternative top 20

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lw	tw	artist	title
1	1	<b>LINKIN PARK</b> Warner Bros.	Somewhere I Belong
2	2	<b>EVANESCENCE</b> Wind-up	Bring Me To Life
3	3	<b>AUDIOSLAVE</b> Epic/Interscope	Like A Stone
4	4	<b>RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS</b> Warner Bros.	Can't Stop
6	5	<b>TRAPT</b> Warner Bros.	Headstrong
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10	8	<b>THE WHITE STRIPES</b> Third Man / V2	Seven Nation Army
11	9	<b>CHEVELLE</b> Epic	Send The Pain Below
9	10	<b>GODSMACK</b> Republic/Universal	Straight Out Of Line
7	11	<b>QUEENS OF THE STONE AGE</b> Interscope	No One Knows
12	12	<b>GOOD CHARLOTTE</b> Daylight/Epic	The Anthem
15	13	<b>THE USED</b> Reprise	Buried Myself Alive
13	14	<b>3 DOORS DOWN</b> Republic/Universal	When I'm Gone
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14	18	<b>THE ALL-AMERICAN REJECTS</b> DreamWorks	Swing Swing
17	19	<b>CHEVELLE</b> Epic	The Red
—	20	<b>FINCH</b> drive-thru/MCA	What It Is To Burn

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## upcoming new releases

### GOING FOR ADDS 4.14

**FINGER ELEVEN** • "Good Times" - Wind up

**LESS THAN JAKE** • "She's Gonna Break Soon" - Sire/Warner Bros.

**LIVE** • "Heaven" - Radioactive

**MARILYN MANSON** • "Mobscene" - Nothing/Interscope

**P.O.D.** • "Sleeping Awake" (Matrix OST) - Maverick/Reprise

**SAM ROBERTS** • "Brother Down" - Universal



### GOING FOR ADDS 4.21

**THE ALL-AMERICAN REJECTS** • "The Last Song" - DreamWorks

**BUDAPEST** • "Is This The Best It Gets" - Universal

**DEFTONES** • "Minerva" - Maverick/Reprise

**THE EXIES** • "Kick Out" - Virgin

**FEEDER** • "Come Back Around" - Universal

**PACIFIER** • "Comfort Me" - Arista

**RADIOHEAD** • "There There" - Capitol



**VENDETTA RED** • "Shatterday" - Epic

### GOING FOR ADDS 4.28

**AUTHORITY ZERO** • "Over Seasons" - Lava/AG

**BLANK THEORY** • "Sour Times" - New Line Records

**DIE TRYING** • "Oxygen's Gone" - El Tonal/Island/IDJ

**INTERPOL** • "Obstacle 1" - Matador

**PILLAR** • "Fire Proof" - Flicker/MCA

**PRESENCE** • "Tonz Of Fun" - Curb

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## TED EDWARDS/PD KZPL/Kansas City



Ted "Tedwards" Edwards has been around the block more than a few times, but always lands on his feet like a cat. His latest exploit is a brand-spanking-new radio station in Kansas City (**KZPL The Planet**) that he has dubbed a "hybrid AAA/Modern Adult," but which we know is REALLY morphing into honest-to-goodness APM powerhouse (right, Ted?). In fact, Edwards thinks that our Adult Post Modern moniker is an excellent designation for his station cuz he plays all kinds of **Evanescence**, **Dave Matthews Band**, **U2**, "and the **Chili Peppers**, who are *red-hot*," he reminds us. "We also play all those great bands that the alternative format has discarded like so much trash," including **Counting Crows**, the **Clash**, **Talking Heads**, the **Police**, **R.E.M.**, etc. And Ted assures us that he will be in KC "for at least as long as **Lamar Hunt** owns the Chiefs."

## requests

- 1. **Evanescence** (Wind-up)
- 2. **Linkin Park** (Warner Bros.)
- 3. **The White Stripes** (Third Man/V2)
- 4. **Trapt** (Warner Bros.)
- 5. **Audioslave** (Epic/Interscope)
- 6. **Liam Lynch** (S-Curve)

## hots

<p><b>KTEG / ELLEN FLAHERTY / MARC YOUNG / ALBUQUERQUE</b> Linkin Park Left Unsaid Cold Breaking Benjamin The White Stripes</p>	<p><b>KUCD / JAMIE HYATT / HONOLULU</b> Audioslave Evanescence Pepper Trapt Linkin Park "Nobody's Fault"</p>	<p><b>WMFS / ROB CRESSMAN / MIKE KILLABREW / MEMPHIS</b> Trapt Cold Saliva Shinedown Linkin Park</p>	<p><b>KCNL / JOHN ALLERS / SAN FRANCISCO</b> Evanescence Simple Plan Slightly Stoopid Audioslave Pete Yorn</p>
<p><b>WRAX / SUSAN GROVES / MARK / BIRMINGHAM, AL</b> Linkin Park Evanescence The White Stripes Breaking Benjamin Cold</p>	<p><b>KTBS / VINCE RICHARDS / ERIC SCHMIDT / HOUSTON</b> Liam Lynch Linkin Park Trapt Finch Evanescence</p>	<p><b>WXRK / STEVE KINGSTON / MIKE PEER / NEW YORK</b> Evanescence Staind Linkin Park "Faint" Linkin Park "From The Inside" Trapt</p>	<p><b>KITS / SEAN DEMERY / AARON AXELSEN / SAN FRANCISCO</b> The Streets Hot Hot Heat Trapt Eminem The Roots</p>
<p><b>WBCN / OEDIPUS / STEVEN STRICK / JOSH / BOSTON</b> Audioslave Johnny Cash Foo Fighters Red Hot Chili Peppers The White Stripes</p>	<p><b>WNFZ / DAN BOZYK / ANTHONY PROFFITT / KNOXVILLE, TN</b> Linkin Park Hot Action Cop Evanescence Godsmack (hed) Planet Earth</p>	<p><b>WXDX / JOHN MOSCHITTA / VINNIE / PITTSBURGH</b> The All-American Rejects Linkin Park Audioslave Cold Evanescence</p>	<p><b>KJEE / EDDIE GUTIERREZ / SANTA BARBARA</b> Liam Lynch Good Charlotte The White Stripes Hot Hot Heat Chevelle</p>
<p><b>WAVF / GREG PATRICK / DANNY V / CHARLESTON, SC</b> Hot Action Cop South FM Linkin Park Trapt Audioslave</p>	<p><b>KCRW / NIC HARCOURT / LOS ANGELES</b> Future Shock Scanner Holden &amp; Thompson Weekend Players Tom McRae</p>	<p><b>WBRU / TIM SCHIAVELLI / ALICIA / PROVIDENCE</b> The White Stripes Johnny Cash Evanescence Trapt Liam Lynch</p>	<p><b>WSUN / SHARK / TAMPA</b> Hot Action Cop The White Stripes The Ataris AFI Taking Back Sunday</p>
<p><b>Q101 / TIM RICHARDS / MARY SHUMINAS / CHICAGO</b> Evanescence Linkin Park The White Stripes Chevelle Fischerspooner</p>	<p><b>KROQ / KEVIN / GENE / LISA / LOS ANGELES</b> The White Stripes Evanescence Liam Lynch Linkin Park Hot Hot Heat</p>	<p><b>WRXL / CASEY KRUKOWSKI / RICHMOND, VA</b> Evanescence Trapt The Used Ataris Linkin Park</p>	<p><b>WANZ / ERIC HALL / TUSCALOOSA, AL</b> Linkin Park Evanescence Ben Harper South FM Pete Yorn</p>
<p><b>WWCD / ANDY DAVIS / JACK DEVOSS / COLUMBUS</b> Liam Lynch The White Stripes Transplants Pete Yorn Blur</p>	<p><b>WLRS / LANCER / ANNRAE / LOUISVILLE, KY</b> Hot Action Cop Evanescence The White Stripes Linkin Park Cold</p>	<p><b>KCXX / KELLI CLUQUE / DARYL / RIVERSIDE, CA</b> Trapt AFI Godsmack The Used The White Stripes</p>	<p><b>WHFS / ROBERT / BOB / PAT / WASHINGTON D.C.</b> Evanescence Linkin Park The White Stripes Staind Finch</p>





# POST modern

## top 30 specialty airplay

lw	tw	artist-label	title
10	1	<b>THE WHITE STRIPES</b> Third Man/V2	Elephant
17	2	<b>ACROMA</b> Universal	Orbitals
3	3	<b>CURSIVE</b> Saddle Creek	The Ugly Organ
4	4	<b>GOB</b> Arista	Foot In Mouth Disease
5	5	<b>LONGWAVE</b> RCA	Strangest Things
28	6	<b>TURIN BRAKES</b> Astralwerks	Ether Song
1	7	<b>CAVE IN</b> RCA	Antenna
—	8	<b>LESS THAN JAKE</b> Sire/Warner Bros.	"She's Gonna Break Soon" (single)
—	9	<b>KINGS OF LEON</b> RCA	Holy Roller Novocaine
—	10	<b>BOYSETFIRE</b> Wind-up	Tomorrow Come Today
8	11	<b>IDLEWILD</b> Capitol	The Remote Part
2	12	<b>THE LIBERTINES</b> Rough Trade	Up The Bracket
—	13	<b>LAGWAGON</b> Fat Wreck Chords	"E Dagger" (single)
—	14	<b>COLDPLAY</b> Capitol	A Rush Of Blood To The Head
14	15	<b>THE SUN</b> Warner Bros.	Love & Death EP
—	16	<b>MCHONKY</b> Spin Art	I Am The Messiah
11	17	<b>NOFX</b> Fat Wreck Chords	Regaining Unconsciousness
6	18	<b>THE SPECIAL GOODNESS</b> N.O.S. Recordings	Land Air Sea
30	19	<b>DEPSWA</b> Geffen	"This Time" (single)
20	20	<b>LINKIN PARK</b> Warner Bros.	Meteora
16	21	<b>ELECTRIC SIX</b> Beggars/XL	"Danger! High Voltage" (single)
12	22	<b>BLUR</b> Virgin	"Crazy Beat" (single)
—	23	<b>SAHARA HOTNIGHTS</b> Jetset	Jennie Bomb
21	24	<b>THE POSTAL SERVICE</b> Sub Pop	Give Up
—	25	<b>THE BLANK THEORY</b> New Line Records	Beyond The Calm Of The Corridor
—	26	<b>PLACEBO</b> Astralwerks	Sleeping With Ghosts
22	27	<b>ROONEY</b> Geffen	Rooney
7	28	<b>POWERMAN 5000</b> DreamWorks	Transform
9	29	<b>FISCHERSPOONER</b> Capitol	#1
—	30	<b>BIRDCIRCUIT</b> Anabel	No Swingout, Rockaway

based on specialty show airplay

## beauty school drop out

BY ERIKA STRADA

**TIMES LIKE THESE:** Drinking is bad. Please remind me of that the next time someone says, "Hey, let's do a shot." Ugh. God, it seemed like such a good idea at the time. Let me give you the scenario: **Astralwerks'** **Dayna Talley** and I arrive at the **Jimmy Kimmel** taping, thanks to **John Silva**, **Janda Baldwin** and **Lava's Lisbeth Cassaday**. We take one look around and have to laugh. So this is what people are talking about when they say, "You are SO Hollywood." There seems to be a plethora of people who have their noses so high up in the air, you'd swear they were seeing through their nostrils. What in the heck were we doing there? Inside were couches, pool tables and big-screen TVs, which we made our way through to get to the back bar for a little "liquid courage." Well, let me make a long story short. We drank, we saw the **Foo Fighters** do an AMAZING set with the adjoining rooftops PACKED with kids—VERY U2-like, we drank more (this time with **Dave Grohl** buying the shots) and we took bad drunken photos (where you get only the tops of people's heads in the frame) and I gave **Dave a Tom McRae CD** (do I surprise you with my geekiness?). Ahhh, so very glamorous. Well, not really—not if you could have seen me the next day. Enough of drunken adventures, all I know is that I am never drinking again—even my ribs hurt.



**DAVE GROHL = GOOD DRINKING = BAD**

One more thing you should know about the Foo Fighters though, is not only that they just get more amazing every single time I see them play, but also that everyone will be getting a copy of their special acoustic performance of

"Times Like These." I am sure the demand will be overwhelming—much the same as when they recorded "Everlong" acoustically. Janda actually slipped a copy into my purse, and I have been playing it all weekend. It's the only thing that finally made my headache go away. Now let's clear up the fuzziness and get on with things. How can I really write a column this week without mentioning **Staind**? Most Added status is won hands down this week with "Price to Play." Look for the next few weeks to be filled with stellar music from **P.O.D.**, the **Deftones** and the **REAL Radiohead** add date (4/22). Speaking of Radiohead, I think Ivana said it best last week, so go back and soak it in... Kudos to **Greg Dorfman** and company from **Lava** for last week's Most Added honors for **Smile Empty Soul's** "Bottom of the Bottle." I'll be checking them out this week, and I'll be sure to let you know my esteemed opinion. Ha ha ha. Whatever, I'll let you know regardless. And just so you know—the song is anti-drug, as these fine fellows from Santa Clarita will gladly tell you. More fun for the week—I'll be checking out **Astralwerks'** latest signing, **The Caesars**, who are sure to have a hit on their hands with "Jerk It Out." Just ask **Sean Demery** or **Aaron Axelsen** and they'll tell you it's just FUN. Yay! Too bad **Turin Brakes** had to cancel their U.S. tour after problems with getting them all visas. Listen to "Painkiller" and you will be calling the embassy to try and get things sorted. Grin. I'll still be heading to the Troubadour on Tuesday to check out the **Raveonettes** and their quirky blend of retro-cool rock. Keep your ears tuned. I can't go any further without mention of my beloved **Hot Hot Heat**, who got #1 phones at **WBFR**, #2 phones at **Live 105** and #5 phones at **KROQ** for "Bandages!" Hip-hip-hooray for Hot Hot Heat! The heat is also on **Linkin Park**. In fact, this record is obviously so hot that it really needs no mentioning whatsoever. **WXRK** is getting phones on every Linkin Park song they are playing, most notably for "Faint," which is also getting airplay at stations like **KMYZ**. Now, **Jamie Hyatt** at **KUCD** informs me that they are getting crazy-mad phones for "Nobody's Listening." Aloha... I decided to pay extra-special attention to the specialty chart this week. Those record-selling maniacs **The White Stripes** top the chart after all the programmers got the full-length **Elephant**. **Jacent Jackson** tells me he's been listening to it nonstop, **Jeff Sanders** is listening and loving, **Eddie from KJEE** can't wait to play more tracks and **Sig** at **KKND** says the phones are lighting up. I'm glad when a band can live up to the hype. (Baby Alert: Congratulations to Sig on the birth of his second child, **Amanda**. I am looking forward to photos!) Next, check out **Warner Bros.'** **Less Than Jake**, who make their chart debut at #8. I'm glad **WBFR's Joey Guisto** finally got a copy so he could add it immediately. And yes, that's just what he did. The #9 debut comes from **RCA's Kings Of Leon** who our darling **Matt Shiv** over at **WOXY** just saw last week AND finally got to meet our precious pal **Shannah Miller**, who was tootling around Ohio after making the journey to visit the fine folks at **WXTM**. **Coldplay** rejoins the chart once again at #14, while "The Scientist" nabs Most Added awards this week commercially. Could I possibly be any happier about the mega-success of Coldplay? I think not! Well, time to wrap up and send you my wishes until next week. Let's be sure to talk some more about **The Datsuns**, **The Special Goodness**, **AFI** and **The Roots** (making **Mary** from **Q101** very happy and #5 phones at **KITS**) very very soon. Until next week, hugs and kisses.



# ADULT POST MODERN

## top 25 adulterated

lw	tw	artist-label	comments
1	1	<b>COLDPLAY</b> - Capitol Rush Of Blood To The Head	#1 WNCS
2	2	<b>JOHN MAYER</b> - Aware/Columbia/CRG Room For Squares	#1 WRLT
3	3	<b>JASON MRAZ</b> - Elektra/EEG Waiting For My Rocket To Come	#1 WBOS
4	4	<b>THE WALLFLOWERS</b> - Interscope Red Letter Days	Top 5 KTBG
11	5	<b>JACK JOHNSON</b> - Enjoy/Universal "The Horizon Has Been Defeated" single	#1 WXRT
5	6	<b>DAVID GRAY</b> - ATO/RCA a new day at midnight	Top 5 KCTY
8	7	<b>LUCINDA WILLIAMS</b> - Lost Highway/IDJ World Without Tears	KMTT add
9	8	<b>FLEETWOOD MAC</b> - Reprise The Very Best Of Fleetwood Mac	WDOD add
7	9	<b>COUNTING CROWS</b> - Geffen Hard Candy	#1 WMPS
11	10	<b>BEN HARPER</b> - Virgin Diamonds On The Inside	KRVB add
17	11	<b>TORI AMOS</b> - Epic Scarlet's Walk	Top 5 WRLT
10	12	<b>THE JAYHAWKS</b> - American/Lost Highway/IDJ Rainy Day Music	#1 KGSR
12	13	<b>NORAH JONES</b> - Blue Note Come Away With Me	Top 10 sales!!
15	14	<b>JOHNNY MARR &amp; THE HEALERS</b> - iMusic/ArtistDirect Boomslang	Top 5 WDET
20	15	<b>ZIGGY MARLEY</b> - Arista Associated True To Myself	KBXR add
14	16	<b>DAVE MATTHEWS BAND</b> - RCA Busted Stuff	#1 WXRW
16	17	<b>KATHLEEN EDWARDS</b> - Zoe/Rounder Failer	We LOVE this record!
21	18	<b>PETE YORN</b> - Columbia/CRG "Come Back Home" (Single)	WZEW add
19	19	<b>DAR WILLIAMS</b> - Razor & Tie The Beauty Of The Rain	On tour w/Ben Taylor
17	20	<b>RHETT MILLER</b> - Elektra/EEG The Instigator	"Our Love" next
24	21	<b>THE ALLMAN BROTHERS BAND</b> - Peach Records Hittin' The Note	KBCO add
18	22	<b>MATCHBOX TWENTY</b> - Atlantic/AG More Than You Think You Are	#1 KTCZ
22	23	<b>SOUNDTRACK OF OUR LIVES</b> - Republic/Universal Behind The Music	this one too!!!
23	24	<b>FEEL</b> - Curb Feel	33 KCTY spins
25	25	<b>THORNS</b> - Aware/Columbia/CRG I Can't Remember	Top 5 KTBG

album airplay of combined HITS reporters + sales

## most added

1. <b>COLDPLAY</b>	"The Scientist"	Capitol
2. <b>WIDESPREAD PANIC</b>	"Don't Wanna Lose You"	Widespread/Sanctuary
3. <b>PHIL ROY</b>	"Undeniably Human"	Or Music
4. <b>ETTA JAMES</b>	"Somebody to Love"	Arista Associated
5. <b>TRAIN</b>	"Calling All Angels"	Columbia/CRG
5. <b>LIVE</b>	"Heaven"	Radioactive

combined adds from all HITS reporters

## adultery

BY MIKE MORRISON

**WHO THE HELL IS PHIL ROY?** One week after **John Eddie's** unprecedented 32-station add-fest last week, along comes another Philadelphia-based artist bred by **WXPN**—and **WFUV** and **WYEP** who, along with **WDET** and **WRNR**, added Roy's "Undeniably Human" (f. **Euphoria**) a week early—to score a richly deserved #3 Most Added bow himself. Joining the party this week were **WKOC**, **KTHX**, **WFPK**, **KRSH**, **KOTR**, **WAPS**, **KMTN** and **KTAO**. We're positively joy-phil! By the way, if you're in LA, catch Roy at the Hotel Café Tuesday 4/14, or in NYC at Makor 5/1 presented by WFUV. #2 Most Added this week went to **Widespread Panic** who, it so happens, had an APM hit with Roy's "Hope in a Hopeless World" several years ago. Congrats also to **Capitol's Steve Nice** for scoring #1 Most Added on **Coldplay's** "The Scientist." Perhaps we've finally found a song to dislodge the now-15 weeks-running "Clocks" from atop the chart!!!... Hearty congrats to **KMTT** Seattle GM/PD **Chris Mays**, who celebrated her 12<sup>th</sup> anniversary at **The Mountain** on April 1. No fooling! "When I started, my daughter was four-years-old and not yet in kindergarten," said Mays. "Now she's a junior in high school, driving, working in a record store and planning for college!" About her years with the station **Chris** said, "It's been a great ride, I've loved (almost) every minute of it"... Recently, I had the distinct pleasure of attending what



**CHRIS MAYS:**  
12 years of Mountain climbing.

may as well have been a summit meeting of the next generation of record moguls. Among them were **Aware Records** prez **Gregg Latterman** (2.5m **John Mayer** records later) and **Tom Osborne** of **iMusic**. Tom, along with promo god **Brian Corona**, by the way, have staked out some pretty large APM real estate with their **Johnny Marr** record (currently #19 **Mediabase**). The panel was sponsored by the **National Association of Record Industry Professionals** and, rather than try to do justice to the mind-blowing genius of the discussion, I'll just direct you to **NARIP** chief **Tess Taylor**. If you're nice to her, she may send you a

copy of the 22-page "Independent's Day" transcript ([tess@narip.com](mailto:tess@narip.com))... Not only does **DreamWorks** have an incredible **eels** record going for adds (4/21), but also a forthcoming album from **eastmountainsouth**, an amazing act that blends rural roots music with modern textures. See them live at Mollie Malone's here in LA's Fairfax district Wed 4/16... **Reprise** news: the new **Steely Dan** track, "Blues Beach," from the album **Everything Must Go**, ships 4/22 for adds 5/5. Also, **Guster's** new "Amsterdam (Gonna Write You a Letter)" ships 5/6 for adds 5/20... Diddy see **Lucinda** on **Leno**? If not, while waiting for the re-run, you can check out features on the alt-country-queen in issues of *Time*, *Spin*, *EW*, *Harp Magazine* (cover!), *People* and the **Washington Post** (you get the idea)... **Elektra** impacts a new **Jackson Browne** track, "About My Imagination," 4/28 and a new **Rhett Miller** ("Our Love") 5/4... **IDJ's John Rosenfelder** picks up big **Paloalto** adds at **WBOS**, **WYEP** and **WDET**. I've been listening to this band since I got to **HITS** three-and-a-half years ago (when **American** went through **Columbia**). It's gratifying to see this incredible band accepted by some of our format leaders... **Ben Harper** goes Top 10 **Mediabase** as **Dan McColly** brings his **KRVB** to the party. Remember, **Ben** and **Jack Johnson** are touring together this summer. Do your "With My Own Two Hands" spins justify the love you'll be expecting come showtime??... **This week's heros: Norm and Farneda** for adding **Calexico's** genre-bending (and wildly buzzing) "Quattro" to the playlist of Chicago's **Finest Rock, WXRT**. (YEAH!) Thanks to **WYEP Pittsburgh** for adding the tune as well; props to indie treasure **Alexi Murdoch** and his manager **Lynn Grossman** for pulling a **MAJOR KGSR** add out of their rear ends. U guys rock! **Dave Einstein** brings in **KGSR** and **WMPS** on **Ziggy Marley** (now Top 15 **Mediabase**!); Congrats to **Nick@Hollywood** on a hee-yuge **KTCZ Josh Kelley** add; And, since we're not going to torture you about your "Come Away With Me" rotations (or lack thereof), we'll just congratulate **Kevin Carroll** on his promotion to VP Promo for **EMI's** new **EMI Music Collective**, which will focus on breaking records outside the **Virgin** and **Capitol** mainstream (from **Astralwerks**, **Angel** and, of course, **Blue Note**, among other sources); By the way, didya know that **Tori Amos** has graduated from 6k to 20k-seat venues in one year, and sold 600k+ records nationally? Got "Taxi Ride"?; Np: the new, unplugged version of "Times Like These," **Foo Fighters's** brilliant, Top Five **PoMo** song. Get **Adrian Moreira** at **RCA/J Records** to send you a copy of this. You will luv... [hitsmm@aol.com](mailto:hitsmm@aol.com)...



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**R&R** triple A  
top 25

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lw	tw	artist	title
1	1	<b>COLDPLAY</b> Capitol	Clocks
3	2	<b>JOHN MAYER</b> Aware/Columbia/CRG	Why Georgia
5	3	<b>COUNTING CROWS (f/v. Carlton)</b> Geffen/Interscope	Big Yellow Taxi
2	4	<b>JASON MRAZ</b> Elektra/EEG	The Remedy (I Won't Worry)
4	5	<b>WALLFLOWERS</b> Interscope	How Good It Can Get
6	6	<b>JACK JOHNSON</b> Enjoy/Universal	Horizon Has Been Defeated
9	7	<b>FLEETWOOD MAC</b> Reprise	Peacekeeper
8	8	<b>DAVID GRAY</b> ATO/RCA	Be Mine
7	9	<b>DAVE MATTHEWS BAND</b> RCA	Grey Street
13	10	<b>BEN HARPER</b> Virgin	With My Own Two Hands
14	11	<b>LUCINDA WILLIAMS</b> Lost Highway/IDJ	Righteously
12	12	<b>JAYHAWKS</b> American/Lost Highway/IDJ	Save It For A Rainy Day
10	13	<b>RHETT MILLER</b> Elektra/EEG	Come Around
11	14	<b>NORAH JONES</b> Blue Note	Come Away With Me
20	15	<b>ZIGGY MARLEY</b> RCA	True To Myself
16	16	<b>PETE YORN</b> Columbia/CRG	Come Back Home
15	17	<b>PAUL SIMON</b> Nick/Jive	Father & Daughter
—	18	<b>TRAIN</b> Columbia/CRG	Calling All Angels
18	19	<b>JOHNNY MARR &amp; THE HEALERS</b> iMusic/ArtistDirect	Down On The Corner
17	20	<b>TORI AMOS</b> Epic	Taxi Ride
19	21	<b>KATHLEEN EDWARDS</b> Zoe/Rounder	Six O'Clock News
21	22	<b>BECK</b> DGC	Lost Cause
26	23	<b>ALLMAN BROTHERS BAND</b> Peach/Sanctuary Records	Firing Line
24	24	<b>SOUNDTRACK OF OUR LIVES</b> Republic/Universal	Sister Surround
23	25	<b>SUSAN TEDESCHI</b> Artemis/Tone-Cool	Alone
25	26	<b>FEEL</b> Curb	Got Your Name On It
22	27	<b>MATCHBOX TWENTY</b> Atlantic/AG	Unwell
27	28	<b>MAROON 5</b> Octone Records	Harder To Breathe
28	29	<b>DAR WILLIAMS</b> Razor & Tie	I Saw A Bird Fly Away
30	30	<b>TOM PETTY AND THE HEARTBREAKERS</b> Warner Bros.	Have Love Will Travel

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what's spinning at home...

**MARTIN BANDYKE**  
WDET/Detroit

- LUCINDA WILLIAMS** Lost Highway  
*World Without Tears*  
"More exquisitely moving music from one of WDET's favorites! Critics are calling this one her *Exile On Main Street* and I couldn't agree more."
- CALEXICO** Quarterstick  
*Feast Of Wire*  
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- YO LA TENGO** Matador  
*Summer Sun*  
"Pure bliss. America's greatest indi-rock band returns with their most beautifully sublime album to date."
- BEN HARPER** Virgin  
*Diamonds on the Inside*  
"We've been with Ben since the beginning of his career. Few musicians are as passionate, compassionate and committed as he is. There are so many good songs on this CD we'll be playing it now 'til kingdom come."
- VARIOUS ARTISTS** Sony Music  
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**New:** WFPK, WKOC, WRNX, WAPS, KRSH, KTHX, KMTN, KTAO, KOTR and more.

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# ROCK



active rock  
top 30

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lw	tw	artist-label	title
2	1	<b>LINKIN PARK</b> Warner Bros.	Somewhere I Belong
1	2	<b>GODSMACK</b> Republic/Universal	Straight Out Of Line
3	3	<b>TRAPT</b> Warner Bros.	Headstrong
4	4	<b>AUDIOSLAVE</b> Epic/Interscope	Like A Stone
5	5	<b>DISTURBED</b> Reprise	Remember
6	6	<b>SEETHER</b> Wind-up	Fine Again
8	7	<b>FOO FIGHTERS</b> Roswell/RCA	Times Like These (One Way...)
7	8	<b>MUDVAYNE</b> Epic	Not Falling
9	9	<b>SOCIALBURN</b> Elektra/EEG	Down
13	10	<b>CHEVELLE</b> Epic	Send The Pain Below
12	11	<b>3 DOORS DOWN</b> Republic/Universal	When I'm Gone
11	12	<b>CHEVELLE</b> Epic	The Red
10	13	<b>SALIVA</b> Island/IDJ	Always
16	14	<b>SALIVA</b> Def Jam/IDJ	Rest In Pieces
15	15	<b>DISTURBED</b> Reprise	Prayer
19	16	<b>REVIS</b> Epic	Caught In The Rain
21	17	<b>EVANESCENCE</b> Wind-up	Bring Me To Life
18	18	<b>(HED)PLANET EARTH</b> Volcano/Jive	Blackout
23	19	<b>3 DOORS DOWN</b> Republic/Universal	The Road I'm On
14	20	<b>QUEENS OF/STONE AGE</b> Interscope	No One Knows
24	21	<b>COLD</b> Flip/Geffen	Stupid Girl
17	22	<b>STONE SOUR</b> Roadrunner/IDJ	Inhale
22	23	<b>THEORY OF A DEADMAN</b> Roadrunner/IDJ	Make Up Your Mind
27	24	<b>SEETHER</b> Wind-up	Driven Under
29	25	<b>POWERMAN 5000</b> DreamWorks	Free
26	26	<b>BREAKING BENJAMIN</b> Hollywood	Skin
28	27	<b>TAPROOT</b> Velvet Hammer/Atlantic/AG	Mine
—	28	<b>STAIN</b> Flip/Elektra/EEG	Price To Play
25	29	<b>RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS</b> Warner Bros.	Can't Stop
—	30	<b>UNLOCO</b> Maverick/Reprise	Failure

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## between a rock and a hard place by JOHN LENAC

**GOT QUALITY?** I like my milk homogenized, not the sounds that come out of the radio. If you've ever heard **Mistress Carrie** on **WAAF**, you know she sounds nothing like a cookie-cutter jock. We're ecstatic that she got the "official" MD nod. Since she started interning at the station over a dozen years ago, she's been living and breathing 'AAF. We applaud **Keith Hastings** for recognizing her talents and everything she brings to the table. Her promotion comes the same week her local boys **Godsmack** drop their new album and new music from **Staind** hits the airwaves. "I LOVE the new Staind song," she screamed. "And the entire Godsmack album is incredible. It's nice to have all of our local boys back at work because it's tough on my liver to be out drinking with 'em all the time." Godsmack's *Faceless* is flying off the shelves and will definitely be the #1-selling album in the country this week. **WHJY's John Laurenti** is way impressed with it and says: "The whole record ROCKS and I can totally relate to **Sully** on the song 'I Fucking Hate You' because it's about a contractor"... **Elektra** kicked ass with Staind's new one, making sure everyone added "Price to Play" on week one. The band will be rolling out the new album with a series of in-stores and free shows on release week. Their labelmates **Systematic** also found new love from **WYSP** and **KXXR**... Hang on—**Don Jantzen** is freaking out on me via IM. Says he can't stop cranking the new **Marilyn Manson** in the **KQRC** air studio. "I just played it twice in a row on the air. THIS is exactly what we need right now." Thanks, Don. We could also use some of your passion injected into some of our jaded peers... Don is also stoked about **Powerman 5000**. "'Free' is the fuckin' shit. I was way sold on it after the first two spins." **Ross, Matt** and **Jeff** at **DreamWorks** keep plugging away, with new adds at **WIYY, KOMP, WTFX** and **KICT**... **Bill, Dennis** and **Chris** are Most Added again with new adds at **KSJO, WNOR, WNVE, WRQC, WRXR** and **WWBN** on **RCA's Cave In**... **KUPD's J.J. Jeffries** knows why I've been screaming at you about the smash from **Revis**; "Caught in the Rain." He states: "It jumps out of the radio at you, grabs you, makes love to you and sends you away." **Slats** from **WMMS** adds: "The lead singer has a voice that could rumble the foundation of a brick house"... We're so happy **J.J.** and **Larry** added **Grade 8** at **KUPD**. **Lava's Tommy Daley** also picked up **KRQC** on "Brick by Brick" and scored new **Smile Empty Soul** adds at **WBZX, KRQC** and **WKQZ**... Our friends at **KISS** and **WRAT** also put a big smile on our faces with their **Unloco** adds. **Gaby** and **Raymond** charted "Failure" this week and I CAN'T wait to see the boys on the Music as a Weapon tour next week... You see **Wind-up's Alan Galbraith** steering his **Evanescence** record up the chart (#17)? He also grabbed a **Seether** add from **KBPI** on their incredible follow-up, "Driven Under." What did **Willie B** say when he was writing it on the playlist? "It's wicked melodic and smooth to the groove like sandwich bread"... Congrats to **WXQR** and **WKQZ's Brian Rickman** and his lovely new bride **Sue** on their nuptials. Besides his wife, Brian loves **Double Drive**. "Imprint" is getting HUGE phones. The calls are just absurd. These guys have been plugging away for years and they so deserve to make it. We just bumped it up at both stations"... **XQR's Lu Valentino** said their benefit concert/rally for the troops concert with headliners **Presence** was massive. "Every single one of the 750+ in attended went nuts when they played 'Tonz of Fun.'" **Curb's Bob Catania** delivered new adds at **KFNK, WQXA, KAZR, KILO** and **WWBN**... Congrats to the boys in **Queens of the Stone Age** on their big "Go With the Flow" week with **WAAF** and **WRIF** among all the new adds... Trying to get a hold of former **WKLO PD/MD Mark Feurie**? Reach out to him at 616-776-7209 or markfeurie@yahoo.com... I'm Lenac@mindspring.com...



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# ROCK

## upcoming new releases

### ROCK

#### GOING FOR ADDS 4.14

**MEMENTO** • "Nothing Sacred" - Columbia/CRG  
**P.O.D.** • "Sleeping Awake" (Matrix OST) - Maverick/Reprise  
**VERBENA** • "Way Out West" - Capitol

#### GOING FOR ADDS 4.21

**DEFTONES** • "Minerva" - Maverick/Reprise  
**ETHER SEEDS** • "Save Your Own Life" - Roadrunner  
**FEEDER** • "Come Back Around" - Universal  
**PACIFIER** • "Comfort Me" - Arista  
**THREE DAYS GRACE** • "(I Hate) Everything About You" - Jive  
**VENDETTA RED** • "Shatterday" - Epic

#### GOING FOR ADDS 4.28

**BLANK THEORY** • "Sour Times" - New Line  
**DIE TRYING** • "Oxygen's Gone" - El Tonal/Island/IDJ  
**FINGER ELEVEN** • "Good Times" - Wind-up  
**PILLAR** • "Fire Proof" - Flicker/MCA  
**RA** • "Rectifier" - Republic/Universal

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### APM

#### GOING FOR ADDS 4.14

**BLUE MAN GROUP** (f. Dave Matthews) • "Sing Along"  
 - Lava/AG  
**CAITLIN CARY** • "Cello Girl" - Yep Roc  
**RICHARD THOMPSON** • "I'll Tag Along"  
 - spinART/Cooking Vinyl  
**TRAIN** • "Calling All Angels" - Aware/Columbia/CRG  
**LIZZ WRIGHT** • "Blue Rose" - Verve

#### GOING FOR ADDS 4.21

**EELS** • "Saturday Morning" - DreamWorks  
**ASHLEY MACISAAC** • "Lay Me Down"  
 - Decca/Lost Highway/IDJ  
**PSEUDOPOD** • "All Over You" - Interscope  
**LIZZIE WEST** • "Dusty Turnaround" - Warner Bros.

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## Active Rock most added

1. STAINED	"Price to Play"	Flip/Elektra/EEG
2. QUEENS OF THE STONE AGE	"Go With The Flow"	Interscope
3. LIVE	"Heaven"	Radioactive
4. SHINEDOWN	"Fly From the Inside"	Atlantic/AG
5. CAVE IN	"Anchor"	RCA
6. PRESENCE	"Tonz Of Fun"	Curb

## SQUAWKS

### JAMIE HYATT/PD KUCD/HONOLULU



"When we're not playing giant smashes from **Linkin Park**, **Evanescence** and **3 Doors Down**, we are turning Hawaii listeners on to 'island rock.' It really started with **Bob Marley** in the '70s, **UB40** in the '80s and **Sublime** in the '90s. Now, it's with Oahu's **Jack Johnson** with 'Horizon Has Been Defeated' and the Big Island's **Pepper** with 'Give It Up.' We love **Ben Harper**'s 'With My Own Two Hands' and **Slightly Stoopid**'s 'Sweet Honey.' We're also anxious to hear the new **311**. Listen to **KUCD** (Star 101.9) 'starstreaming live' at [www.star1019.com](http://www.star1019.com)."

### LANCER/PD WLRS/LOUISVILLE

"I saw **Cave In** last night and was blown away—they fuckin' ROCK! **Anchor** is already selling well here. The new **Linkin Park** album is incredible. 'Hit the Floor' is the best song on it—that's some badassmotherfuckinshit right there. There's a band on **MCA** called **Twisted Method** that's smoking. You're gonna freak when you hear 'em. Also, the new **GOB** is way cool."



### REV. KEITH COES/MD WRLT/NASHVILLE



"Upcoming shows on our Nashville Sunday Night series that I'm excited about include **Joseph Arthur**, **Josh Kelley**, **Johnny Marr**, **Jesse Harris** and a new artist from Ireland named **Damien Rice**, who's managed by Music City's own **Vector Management**. As far as on-air stuff that's reacting, the **Ben Harper** is fucking blowing up, dude. And we're getting ready for **Bonnaroo**, so not to be *blunt*, but I'm fired up."

### BOB FONDA/PD-MD KLFX/KILLEEN, TX

"I really like the new **Anthrax**. The single is great and there's another one on the album titled 'Can't Be Denied' which screams: 'This band cannot be denied of mainstream exposure any longer.' I really dig **Kevin Martin & the Hiwatts**. 'If We Could' is a great tune and Kevin is a real nice guy. **Acroma**'s 'Sun Rises Down' could be big. I also like the new **Exies** song much better than the first one. **Cold**'s 'Stupid Girl' is kicking ass."





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# ROCK2K

## rock2k picks

EDITED BY KAREN GLAUBER



**The Jayhawks, *Rainy Day Music* (American/Lost Highway/IDJ):** While the Gary Louris-led band has shown considerable stylistic range (especially with the souped-up rock & roll of 2000's underrated *Smile*), they remain masters of harmony-rich country-rock, as their seventh album demonstrates. The Jayhawks are above all a song band, and *Rainy Day Music* is one of their richest collections. Among the memorable tunes are the metaphysical lament "Stumbling Through the Dark" (co-written by Matthew Sweet), a zeitgeist-capturing song that opens and closes the album, the unabashedly sentimental "All the Right Reasons" (a potential country hit), the textured, tasty rocker "Tailspin" and the poignant, harmony-powered "Save It for a Rainy Day." Considering his sizable and dazzling body of work, it's time to acknowledge Louris as not simply a worthy inheritor of the Byrds/Burritos legacy but as a significant artist in his own right, and on his own terms. (BS)

**Flashlight Brown, *My Degeneration* (Hollywood):** With breakneck tempos, power chords and attitude aplenty, this Guelph, Canada-based quartet's big-label bow will effortlessly charm melodic-punk aficionados. But their flair for big chorus payoffs separates them from the pack, as does their dear fondness for classic pop, old-school rock and even ska. Frontman/guitarist Matt Hughes' vocals mix snarls and yearning, while lead guitarist Mikey Conroy's ultra-tasty playing and drummer Tim Thomson's power and precision keep things tight. Producer Rob Cavallo, meanwhile, lends punch and clarity. Highlights: reference-heavy love anthem "Patricia," opener "Ready to Roll," the soaring "Looking Away" and "Whoa Man." (SG)



**The Fleshtones, *Do You Swing? (Yep Rock)*:** These Queens, N.Y., natives formed against the punk-rock backdrop of the '70s, but they've emerged as the missing link between the Nuggets-style rock of American groups like the Outsiders, the R&B-influenced Andrew Loog Oldham Stones and current PoMo progenitors The Hives. The honking harmonica and hoarse howl of original Tones vocalist Peter Zarella, the group call-and-response and co-founder Keith Streng's fuzztoned, tremolo guitars remain unchanged after 27 years and 16 albums. Those elements can all be heard in the rousing "Hard Lovin' Man," the N.Y. Dolls "Destination Greenpoint," the Coasters-like "I'm Back Again" and the tongue-in-cheek, pro-feminist "Right on Woman," along with an irreverently speedy "Communication Breakdown" that out-psychedelicizes Led Zep. It would only be fitting if the latest garage-rock revival finally brought the longest-lived cult band this side of the Flaming Groovies some well-deserved recognition. (RT)



**Gob, *Foot in Mouth Disease* (Arista):** While this Vancouver foursome has a similar sound to that of pals Sum 41 or the Blink-182 kids, the Gobsters light out for new territory all their own, applying the high energy and power-chord crunch of "pop-punk" to some deeper musical and lyrical ideas. Single "Give Up the Grudge" is an ideal power-pop specimen, while "Oh! Ellin" and "Bully" up the melodic ante with undeniable chorus hooks. More moody and introspective are "I Hear You Calling" and closer "Everybody's Getting Hooked Up," which explore the downside of recklessness—or the upside of having a conscience, depending on your perspective. "Fed Up," meanwhile, expands the band's harmonic horizons. In Gob we trust. (JO)



## rock2k mugs

**SHAKE, RATTLE & ROLL:** When one "shakes on it" with a star of Liam Gallagher's caliber, one can't help but feel the gravity of the situation. "Winna sae oil bloody show oop, oil bloody well show oop," Gallagher tells 99X MD **Jay Harren**, as the two agree that Gallagher will do his best not to mistake him for Noel and punch him in the face. "Facking eyebroos ah too smole, an ya'ain't given me that facking condescending sneer yet, yew 'aven't. Oy think we'll git on famously." After a moment, Gallagher continued: "Y'know, oy used to do so bloody much gack, oida flattened ya buoy nah. Oy wassup ta me oyballs in the shite. Noo oim not inta anythin' boot wheat grass an' liberatin' the Iraqi people. Crikey, what's a bloke got ta do ta get a ride in a bloody tank?"



**DOES THIS LOOK AFFECTED?** Oh sure, members of Island's **Sum 41** thought they were just stopping by another radio station to strike some kooky rock poses with some more wacky radio staffers. What they didn't count on was the political lecture. "Canada rocks," noted WHFS APD **Bob Waugh** (l). "And the way our economy's going, you guys might as well just take over." "Indeed," added MD **Pat Ferrise**, "at least then I could have decent health insurance." "Now's your chance, you know," observed PD **Robert Benjamin** (2nd from r), "since all our troops, whom we support with all our heart, are 'over there,' and you could pretty much just waltz in, so long as you don't look too much like **Bin Laden**." "Or maybe we could just all move up there," offered Island's **Christina Chiappetta** (r). "But whatever you do, please don't bomb the **Baldwins** or the **Arquettes** like in that South Park movie, okay?"



**FEELIN' MASSACHUSETTS:** Ah, to be back in 1993, before terrorists, drunken pilots, airline bankruptcies and SARS made business travel, such as Boston native **Juliana Hatfield's** jaunt to an in-store for **Q101** Chicago, pictured here, something to think twice about. But travel she did, flowers in hand, and precisely at the moment of becoming what she was following the release of the **Juliana Hatfield Three's** *Become What You Are*. Next to her, of course, is a local promo guy becoming what he still is, and, in fact, had become some 20 years earlier. At left front is station MD **Mary Shumincs**, becoming as ever, and at right is **Comerstone Promotions' Robert England**, still becoming what he is after all these years.





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| KFRO | WWBN  | WRTT | WCMF | KMOD | WTPT | WKLQ | WKQZ |
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# THE BLOCK

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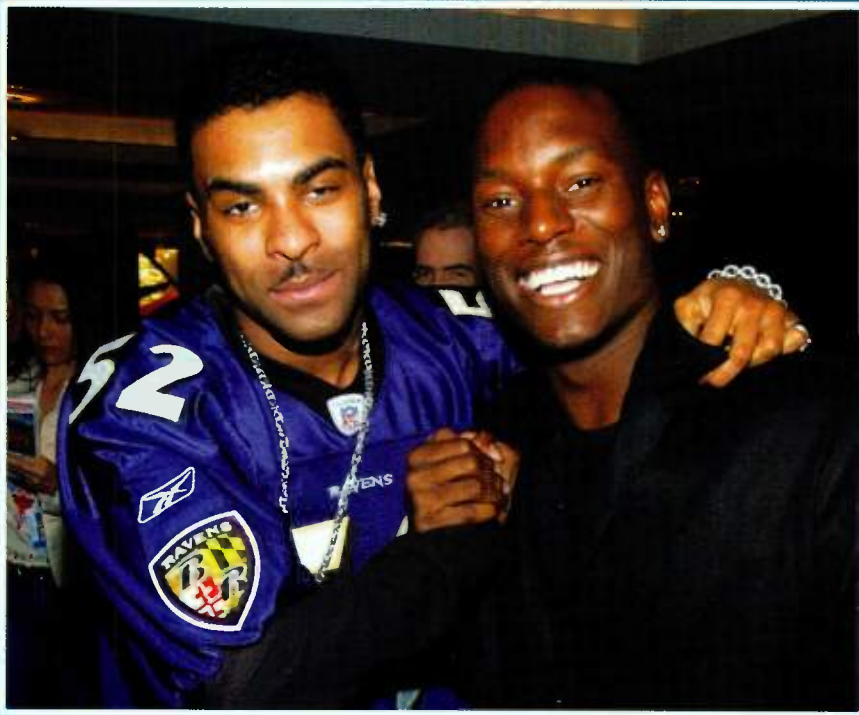


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## \$\$\$ SHOT

HOW YOU GONNA ACT LIKE A REAL MAGAZINE: Epic artist **Ginuwine** (!) and **J Records'** **Tyrese** celebrate their current chart successes, along with the fact that they're young and good-looking and constantly followed around by love-struck hotties. Meanwhile, in a squalid cesspool in faraway Sherman Oaks, two stoned editors blew off their work to play a video game in which their characters were rich, famous, good-looking dudes being chased by hotties.

## HOLDIN' IT DOWN...



**SCOOTER B. STEVENS**  
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Infinity's on top as the BEAT 104.3 sits right under a nine share in Winter trend.



**CARLA BOATNER**  
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Clear Channel queen continues to keep competition at bay as station moves to a 12.6 in Winter's second phase.



**BENNY POUGH**  
DEF JAM

Grabs big seat at IDJ as Sr. VP Urban Promotion.



**IRV GOTTI**  
MURDER INC.

Under attack once again, with FBI up in arms over use of its logo in Ja Rule video.



# CROSSOVER



## YOU FEEL ME?

by Liz Montalbano

**JAMAICA ME WANT TO CRY:** My weekend was pretty uneventful. I spent it cleaning and hanging at the dogpark. I'm very jealous of those who went to Jamaica for the **Radio One** convention. I heard it was fabulous. I was left behind, unfortunately, because I didn't plan. I spent most of last week catching up from my trip to N.Y. I did find time, however, to have dinner with an old friend, **David Gates**, at Matsuhisa. The food was off the hook, as was his company. He's working for **Magic Johnson** these days, whose label's being distributed by **MCA**. He was completely over the top about **Lloyd**, a new artist from Atlanta. His shit is pretty hot. You should get your hands on a copy. I also found time to catch up with **Kashon**. She's leaving me in just a couple of weeks to get married and move back to Houston. Bitch (I'm just jealous). We had drinks at the Stinking Rose with some of her Arena Football friends. It was a good time. She will be missed dearly... A quick thank-you to the folks who called with praise on the war content of the column a couple of weeks ago. Unfortunately, not everyone agrees with my point of view (**Adelson**), but I stand firmly behind it. So, we've finally reached Baghdad. But where the hell is **Saddam**? Wouldn't it be a bitch if he fled the country before it started? Crazy. Anyway, I'm just glad they haven't use chemical or biological weapons on our troops as they entered the city. I really thought they were going to pull a fast one on us. Thank God they haven't, and let's pray that they never will... Anyway, **Chris Tyler**. Now you can stop bitching that I never mention you in the column. Moving on... How 'bout **Universal's Gary Marella**? **David Banner's** picking up momentum, **Hitman Sammy Sam** is the stupidest record that will be a hit and **Brian McKnight's** climbing. He's also gaining ground with **702**. Look for some key stations to come in the next couple of weeks... **R. Kelly** will go #1 next week or **Strazza's** gonna have a heart attack. Move the shit up already... How 'bout **Monica** exploding onto the charts this week? Can you say HIT? HELLO? A 500+ airplay increase is pretty in line with how "So Gone" will continue to perform. I told you **Michael** was not playing... And **Sackheim's** not playing, either.



**DA BRAT:**  
Radio's in love wit her.

Look at what he did with **Da Brat** this week. Already all over **KIKI** (56x), **KSFM** (50x), **KVEG** (45x), **WCHH** (40x), **KYLD** (37x), **WPOW** (32x), **KCAQ** (31x), **KXJM** (27x), **KPWR** (24x) and one of the most added in the format this week. Can't be mad at him... **Joe Hecht** is killing it for **Elektra**. He has both **Fabulous** and **Lil' Mo** records charting with substantial gains and, once again, he's positioning **Missy** unbelievably. "Pussycat" is on fire! Transition record, my ass! He'll have two singles on the air in no time, as they gear up for a huge impact on "Back in the Day" next week. Don't sleep. Watch how they roll this out... **Bone Crusher's** growing for **Arista's Rick** and **CC**. New airplay this week from **KPRR**, **KBTT**, **WJMH** and **WMBX** coupled with a nice overall gain. Watch this spread folks... **Nas** is heading to Top 5 at all formats. This is a potential #1 for **Columbia**. Watch the newly appointed **Pokora** work it at Rhythm, as **Lisa Ellis** holds down the team in all directions. Have you seen the new **Jennifer Lopez** video? At first, I was appalled. But I have to admit that after watching it in its entirety, she did a really good job on it. That was tough to pull off, but she managed to do it without being too cheesy. Go J.Lo. I know, that's a lot coming from me... Watch how **ArtistDirect** grows this **Stagga Lee** single and impacts the next **Smilez & Southstar** in a couple of weeks. It's called "Now That Ur Gone." Look for it... Also watch how **Maffei** grows **Talib Kweli** for **MCA**. I love this video, by the way. Have you seen it? OK, that's my time... **ALBUM:** **Javier**. **SINGLE:** **Kiley Dean's** "Make Me a Song." **VIDEO:** **J.Lo**. **BOOK:** *Mr. Maybe*. **PERSON:** **Chris Tyler**. **LOVE:** My Dad. Happy birthday! Hit me at eliz0315@aol.com. Never forget.

## NO SHOT



**FACTORY DIRECT:** Jive superstar **R. Kelly** (r) and label promo dude **John Strazza** reflect on life's ironies—for example, the fact that Kelly's high-profile sex scandal has had little, if any, impact on his meteoric career. Or that he's now endeared himself to conservatives with his troop-supporting ballad "Soldier's Heart." Or the fact that Strazza lobbied for a "small, supporting role" in the rumored Kelly video but was rejected. Instead, he's shopping his own script around Hollywood; a very talented inflatable love doll is said to be attached to the project.



## MVP

**JAMMER**  
PD / KWID / LAS VEGAS

Winter's second trends continue to arrive, and one of the most impressive things we've seen so far is what's going on at **Clear Channel's** new **KWID** in Las Vegas. There, PD **Jammer** and the crew see the station surge 3.3-3.8 for P12+ according to the most recently released numbers. Additionally, **WILD 102** blazes 5.1-6.7 in the target demo of P18-34 behind an extrapolated February monthly of an amazing 9.7! "We've come into the market and filled a void that others here had danced around for too long. We're the hip hop station for the market and fully intend on owning that position," explained the talented programmer when asked to comment on the terrific launch. "Plus, playing Old School seems to be the magic ingredient and is giving us some nice 18-49s, too. Lastly, I gotta say thanks to **Steve Smith**, **Doc Wynter**, and **Michael Martin** for giving me the opportunity to be a part of this project—it's gonna be fun." Meanwhile, in the cesspool known as **HITS**, the only fun we ever have happens in mid December—it's called the holiday break...



# CROSSOVER

## R&R CHR/RHYTHMIC



LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL
1	1	50 CENT	In Da Club	Shady/Aftermath/Interscope
2	2	R. KELLY	Ignition	Jive
3	3	SEAN PAUL	Get Busy	VP/Atlantic/Atl G
4	4	FABOLOUS f/LIL' MO	Can't Let You Go	DS/Elektra/EEG
5	5	BUSTA RHYMES	I Know What You Want	J Records
6	6	SNOOP DOGG	Beautiful	Priority/Capitol
14	7	50 CENT	21 Questions	Shady/Aftermath/Interscope
9	8	NAS	I Can	Columbia/CRG
7	9	JAY-Z	Excuse Me Miss	Roc-A-Fella/IDJ
12	10	LIL' KIM	The Jump Off	QB/Atlantic/Atl G
8	11	TYRESE	How You Gonna Act Like That	J Records
11	12	GINUWINE	Hell Yeah	Epic
10	13	AALIYAH	Miss You	Blackground/Universal
18	14	B2K	Girlfriend	Epic
15	15	JENNIFER LOPEZ f/LL COOL J	All I Have	Epic
17	16	50 CENT	Wanksta	Shady/Aftermath/Interscope
16	17	JA RULE f/ASHANTI	Mesmerize	Murder Inc./IDJ
13	18	MISSY ELLIOTT f/LUDACRIS	Gossip Folks	GM/Elektra/EEG
19	19	FRANKIE J	Don't Wanna Try	Columbia/CRG
22	20	NELLY	Pimp Juice	Fo' Reel/Universal
21	21	2 PAC f/TRICK DADDY	Still Ballin'	Amaru/Tha Row/Interscope
23	22	DMX	X Gon' Give It To Ya	Bloodline/Def Jam/IDJ
26	23	EMINEM	Sing For The Moment	Shady/Aftermath/Interscope
20	24	EMINEM	Superman	Shady/Aftermath/Interscope
24	25	STAGGA LEE	Roll Wit M.V.P.	ArtistDirect
29	26	JUSTIN TIMBERLAKE	Rock Your Body	Jive
25	27	B2K f/P. DIDDY	Bump, Bump, Bump	Epic
—	28	LIL' MO	4Ever	Elektra/EEG
—	29	WAYNE WONDER	No Letting Go	VP/Atlantic/Atl G
28	30	2 PAC	Thugz Mansion	Amaru/Tha Row/Interscope

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## MOST ADDED

Artist	Title	Label
1. Da Brat	"In Love Wit Chu"	So So Def/Arista
2. David Banner	"Like A Pimp"	SRC/Universal
3. Jennifer Lopez	"I'm Glad"	Epic
4. Wayne Wonder	"No Letting Go"	VP/Atl/Atl G
5. Bone Crusher	"Never Scared"	So So Def/Arista

## MOST REQUESTED

Artist	Title	Label
1. R. Kelly	"Ignition"	Jive
2. 50 Cent	"In Da Club"	Shady/Aftermath/Interscope
3. 50 Cent	"21 Questions"	Shady/Aftermath/Interscope
4. Fabolous f/Lil' Mo	"Can't Let You Go"	DS/Elektra/EEG
5. Sean Paul	"Get Busy"	VP/Atl/Atl G

# RHYTHM NATION

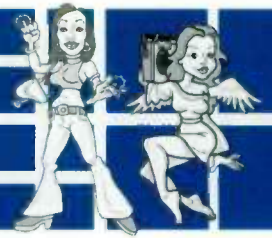
by Mark Feather

**MUSICALLY SPEAKING:** OK, enough already. For the past several weeks, you've had to endure tales of the ups and downs of my personal life. And let's face it—you are not being paid to be my therapist. I do, however, want to thank you for reading about it and caring enough to check in again this week for the latest. The only thing is, not much has changed. So rather than dwell on the issue, it strikes me that this would be a good time to talk music—a topic you are, in some way, shape or form, being paid for. What follows, then, are some observations about hits and hits-in-the-making. You see, I've spent a lot of time on the phone with my friends in radio this past week (it has something to do with the need to keep busy), and there are several records making noise that you need to be aware of if you're not already... Let's begin with one by an artist that I've been writing about for weeks now, **Da Brat**. "In Love Wit Chu" has **Rick Sackheim** and team **Arista** smiling big, as it lands Most Added status this week by a mile, yanking in majors from coast to coast, including **KMEL**, **WWKX**, **KGGI**, **WJMN**, **KUBE** and countless others. Finally, the song is "earpicked" from people with great taste, like **Beata**, **Chris Tyler** and **Jammer**, and has consistently been ringing the phones at **KSFM** since **Tony Tecate** took his copy out of the envelope and put it on the air immediately. Play this hit and get ratings... Next, I'm forced to get on my soapbox about **Columbia's Frankie J** record. Quite simply, this is a monster for nearly everyone playing it. For proof, just check the airplay: **KPRR** and **KXME** 71x, **KDDB** 68x, **KDON** 65x, and **WKTU** 51x. I could go on, but you get the point. Oh, and did I mention that the requests are pouring in, too? If you don't believe me, call someone who's playing it and ask. Just be sure to start with **JD Gonzalez** and **Pablo Sato** because it's #2 in San Antonio and Top 5 in San Diego. Song too Pop-sounding for your station? Don't fret—an Urban remix is on the way. But that shouldn't really matter, given it's the lyrics that are driving the reaction... Next, and from almost completely out of left field, comes the latest effort from **Bone Thugs-N-Harmony**. A few weeks back, when the record was first released, I popped it into my CD player and was pleasantly surprised. What a great idea to use **Phil Collins'** "Take Me Home" throughout, I thought. It seemed perfect for Rhythm stations courting a coalition audience of both Anglo and ethnic partisans—hip-hop that would appeal to all segments of the audience. Imagine my surprise, then, when I started to ask my friends in radio about it and some literally *burst out laughing on the other end of the phone!* Most were convinced there was **NO WAY** their audiences would respond to this record. There were, however, a few brave souls who heard it in somewhat the same manner as I did, and decided to take a chance. Now, these same stations are reaping the rewards that come with a hit. It's Top 5 in callout at both **WLD** and **KDGS**, picks up great new action this week from **WPOW** and **WNVZ**, and is spinning significantly at **B96**, **KPWR**, **KYLD**, **KYWL** and many others. A little odd-sounding when compared to the rest of your playlist? Yes. A mass-appeal hit nevertheless? Yes again... Of course, in a column devoted to songs showing every indication of making it through the pipeline, I must also mention the new **Monica** jam on **J Records**. **Michael Williams** and his crew scored Most Added status last week and new adds this week from **HOT 97**, **KQKS**, **WCHH** and several others. Then, add into the mix "earpicks" from **J.R.**, **Tap Money**, **Robb Royale** and **Big Bear** and it starts to become clear that "So Gone" is definitely going at radio... Last, but certainly not least, I have to bring up **Tom Maffei's Talib Kweli** track. Now here's a record I didn't get on first listen—or on second or third listen, for that matter. But I must admit that not only is "Get By" spinning in solid, 30x/week or more rotation at majors everywhere, including **KMEL**, **KBMB**, **KXJM** and **WPHI**, the full length is now also starting to sell behind this airplay. Retail moves of note include 71-32 at **Virgin National** and 73-58 at **Wherehouse** this week. And you know how I feel about the importance of retail sales in a down economy. Quite simply, if they're spending their hard-earned dollars on a CD, the track driving said sales is almost always a hit. So why are you not playing this yet—at least at night?... And that's the musical view from here this week. Until next time (when there may be yet another shift in the status of the whole Jay issue)—C-ya...



**TALIB KWELI:**  
Doing more than just getting by.





## HOT SHOT



"V" IS FOR VAMOOSE: Elektra artist **Fabolous** (c) communicates with WVEE Atlanta PD **Tony Brown** (r) in a way he knows the programmer will understand—by offering to play a round of "rock-paper-scissors." After a few moments, Tony responded with the sign for "sandwich" and everyone enjoyed a hearty chuckle. Meanwhile, Fabolous' singing pal **Mike Shorey** is seen realizing that they have 358 more stations to visit before the end of the week.



Chattanooga Choo Choo.

## SUPE-URB

**KEITH LANDECKER**  
WJTT • Chattanooga

This week we look to the Southeast for our shout-out, sending big props to **Keith Landecker** of **WJTT**. He's been holding down an air shift and programming the station for over 13 years. After such a lengthy tenure, he's definitely a market staple—and will most likely continue to be one for a long time. According to the latest ARB numbers, he's earned an impressive 7.6, up from a 7.3 for P12+. According to Keith, one of the most important factors contributing to his continued success is consistency. He says that he tries to give the listeners what they want by playing the hits and doing big promotions that keep them excited. Conversely, at **HITS**, we have given up on the idea of exciting our readers, but we do give them what they want every December by taking two weeks off...

## nah'msayin'

by **Juliette Jones**

**ANOTHER WEEK, ANOTHER DOLLAR:** I should be writing about how great the **Radio One** convention was, but unfortunately I didn't attend. I'm sure it was great, though. Actually, through a couple of friends, I heard that it was very nice. They had activities all day and all night, and they had some really great concerts and parties. Several artists performed, including **Killer Mike**, **Lil' Kim**, **Wayne Wonder**, **Monica** and **Bone Crusher**. I also heard that there was a great label turnout, including **Lisa Ellis**, **James Brown**, **Larry Khan**, **Craig Davis**, **John Strazza**, **Rodney Shealey**, **David Lawrence**, **CC McClendon**, **Troy Dudley**, **Ken Wilson**, **Cynthia Johnson**, **Richard Nash**, **Mic Fox**, **Geo Bivins**, **Greg Powell**, **Azim Rashid**, **Garnett March**, **Doug Daniels**, **Don Eason** and **Benny Pough**. Everyone tells me that **Radio One's** convention is definitely going to be the place to be over the next few years. Congratulations to **Cathy Hughes**, **Alfred Liggins** and **Mary Catherine Sneed** on a great job.



**JAY-Z**  
Excuse me.

Hopefully I'll be able to attend next year... As for me, I had a pretty boring weekend, as usual. I had company coming from out of town, so I did a whole lot of cleaning. I also continued my search for a place to live, but with no luck yet. I just don't understand why something as basic as housing has to be so expensive. It's crazy... Well, after several weeks at #1, **50 Cent** finally relinquishes the spot to **Jay-Z's** "Excuse Me, Miss." What a great job by everyone at **Interscope**... There are several other records in the Top 10 that may have a shot at the top spot now that "In Da Club" has started to burn. **Snoop Dogg** is currently #3, with an increase of 140 spins this week. **Geo** is definitely within spitting distance at this point. **Priority/Capitol** has some great records coming, and a #1 on **Snoop** would be a great way to start the summer. Two of their new artists performed at the aforementioned convention, and I heard that they were great: **Chingy** is **Ludacris'** new artist from St. Louis, and his debut single, "Right Thurr," is generating quite a buzz at several stations. The other new artist is a young man named **Javier** from the east coast. I mentioned him a few weeks ago, because I've been listening to his advance album in my car and it is really one of my favorites. I know everyone who got a chance to see him knows what I'm talking about. Make sure you look out for his new single, "Crazy," which should be on your desk soon... Another strong possibility for the #1 spot in the next few weeks is the **Busta Rhymes** and **Mariah Carey** record, "I Know What You Want." The song is currently #7 with an increase of 325 spins. **Ken Wilson** and company should definitely make a big move for next week. They are also doing an amazing job with the **Monica** single, which jumps from #45 to #31 only one week after impact. They have some really great stations, including **WBLS** (19x), **WAMO** (37x), **WBLK** (26x), **WAJZ** (27x), **WCDX** (18x), **WPEG** (45x), **WOWI** (34x), **WWWZ** (40x), **WHXT** (17x), **WKKV** (19x), **WPWX** (38x), **WQUE** (32x) and **KPRS** (15x). I will say it one more time: This record is going to be huge! **J Records** is making some big moves lately, and **Heather Headley** is just another example. Her current single "I Wish I Wasn't" is growing slowly and steadily at mainstream and adult radio. She is currently #11 on the adult chart and #35 on the Mainstream chart. This woman is an amazing singer, and this record definitely has all the ingredients to be a huge hit in all formats. Please give it a chance... I have to admit that I'm really feeling this new **E-40** record, "One Night Stand." This record doesn't sound like a typical '40 record, but it's really good. How about him reinventing himself after all this time?... Okay, before I go, I have to mention **Da Brat's** new record, "In Love Wit Chu." **CC** had a great add week, and I'm sure we will see some big airplay increases over the next few weeks. This record is going to do very well for her... That's it for me! Congratulations: **Benny Pough** and **Wanda** from **Jive**. Hellos: **Gita Williams**, **Donald Woodard**, **Lionel Ridenour**, **Gloria Fitts**, **Jimmy Maynes** and **Damon Carter**. Welcome back **Akil Taffe!**



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## SAY WHAT?



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"This is the funniest song of the year. It's already #1 phones—they're calling for it all damn day!"



**Michael Soul**  
**WFXE Columbus**  
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"This record is bangin'. R. Kelly is unstoppable."



**Kriss Kelly**  
**WJLB Detroit**  
 Missy Elliott • "Pussycat" • GM/Elektra/EEG

"This record is a smash!"



**Dorsey Fuller**  
**KKBT Los Angeles**  
 JS • "Ice Cream" • DreamWorks

"This one really feels like a hit and sounds great on the air. I put it into rotation immediately and got instant phones."



**Queen Echels**  
**KDKS Shreveport**  
 Missy Elliott • "Pussycat" • GM/Elektra/EEG

"This song shows the real power of the p\*\*\*y. Top 5 phones instantly!"



**DJ Boogie**  
**WAMO Pittsburgh**  
 Tahiti Kweh • "Get By" • Rawkus/MCA

"This song is just what we need, as far as positive rap songs are concerned. Give this one a shot—it's hot."

## R&R Urban mainstream Powered By

W	TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL
2	1	JAY-Z	Excuse Me Miss	Roc-A-Fella/IDJ
1	2	50 CENT	In Da Club	Shady/Aftermath/Interscope
4	3	SNOOP DOGG	Beautiful	Priority/Capitol
7	4	SEAN PAUL	Get Busy	VP/Atlantic/Atl G
3	5	R. KELLY	Ignition	Jive
6	6	LIL' KIM	The Jump Off	QB/Atlantic/Atl G
9	7	B. RHYMES f/M. CAREY	I Know What You Want	J Records
5	8	TYRESE	How You Gonna Act...	J Records
10	9	NAS	I Can	Columbia/CRG
8	10	AALIYAH	Miss You	Blackground/Universal
12	11	50 CENT	21 Questions	Shady/Aftermath/Interscope
15	12	FABOLOUS	Can't Let You Go	DS/Elektra/EEG
13	13	WAYNE WONDER	No Letting Go	VP/Atlantic/Atl G
16	14	B2K	Girlfriend	Epic
19	15	FLOETRY	Say Yes	DreamWorks
21	16	JAHEIM	Put That Woman First	Warner Bros.
11	17	GINUWINE	Hell Yeah	Epic
14	18	MISSY ELLIOTT f/LUDACRIS	Gossip Folks	GM/Elektra/EEG
17	19	JENNIFER LOPEZ f/L COOL J	All I Have	Epic
24	20	RON ISLEY	What Would You Do	DreamWorks
22	21	VIVIAN GREEN	Emotional Rollercoaster	Columbia/CRG
20	22	BABY	What Happened To...	Cash Money/Universal
18	23	JUSTIN TIMBERLAKE	Cry Me A River	Jive
27	24	BONE CRUSHER	Never Scared	So So Def/Arista
29	25	LIL' MO	4Ever	Elektra/EEG
23	26	NIVEA	Laundromat	Jive
26	27	MARQUES HOUSTON	That Girl	A&M/Interscope
—	28	NELLY	Pimp Juice	Fo' Reel/Universal
30	29	2 PAC f/TRICK DADDY	Still Ballin'	Amaru/Tha Row/Interscope
25	30	JA RULE f/ASHANTI	Mesmerize	Murder Inc./IDJ

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## most added

Artist	Title	Label
1. 50 Cent	"21 Questions"	Shady/Aftermath/Interscope
2. Da Brat	"In Love Wit Chu"	So So Def/Arista
3. David Banner	"Like A Pimp"	SRC/Universal
4. Justin Timberlake	"Rock Your Body"	Jive
5. LSG f/Loon	"Just Friends"	Elektra/EEG

## most increased

Artist	Title	Label
1. 50 Cent	"21 Questions"	Shady/Aftermath/Interscope
2. Hitman Sammy Sam	"Step Daddy"	Universal
3. Sean Paul	"Get Busy"	VP/Atlantic/Atl G
4. B. Rhymes f/M. Carey	"I Know What You Want"	J Records
5. Monica	"So Gone"	J Records





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# IN THA MIX

by Ricky Leigh Mensh



**PROMO MASTERS...** Merriam-Webster's Dictionary haz tha definition of tha term "master" az "an artist, performer or player of consummate skill; one that conquers." **Tiger Woods** iz a prime example of that definition & will show this week, once again & ironically in Augusta, in tha tournament that bears tha name Masters. In tha mix show community, there are three such folks who have lived, eaten & breathed tha mix show profession, worked their way up tha mix show food chain



**Weed Masters:** Chris "Thurgood" Green and co. celebratin' why hiz last name iz so popular...

& now, have all been most dezervedly rewarded for their tireless dedication. They have learned tha kraft of promotion, building deep relationships while being significant players in breaking many key artists over tha past couple of years for their respective labels. This DJ haz been fortunate to get alotta advance info over tha past 10 yrs., and I just got tha green light to announce one of tha three @ presstime; I'll serve up tha other two next issue. One of tha finest educations to be had in tha industry iz to have cut one's teeth doin' street & mix show promotion for **Steve & Jonnie Rifkind** & **Rich Isaacson** @ Loud Records. **Chris Green** did just that for four years. He's spent tha last couple of yrs. helping build Epic's mix show dept. into one of tha best in tha biz & tha best the labelz had in over a decade since tha days

when **Frank Ceralo** & our luvlee & talented **Liz Montalbano** were hockin' (just playin', Liz; don't sic **Ella** on me) this DJ for mix show spinz in tha early '90z. Sony's head honcho of Urban Music, **Dave McPherson**, haz now officially promoted Chris to tha newly created position of National Mix Show Manager for Sony Music, which now includes both Epic & Columbia Records. Mr. McPherson: "Chris Green iz tha shitt! He's one of tha hottest mix show execs in tha muzic bizness. When he came into our Urban dept. a couple of yrs. ago, we were ranked #11 in R&R & now we're ranked #4. Chris haz been a significant factor in our growth. What can I say? I luv tha guy... He's great!" Mr. Green: "I would like to thank **Polly Anthony**, **David McPherson**, **Rodney Shealey**, **Lisa Ellis** and **Charlie Walk**. I'm grateful for tha opportunity to be part of tha #1 promotion staff in tha country and to continue to show that Sony Music iz tha shitt! I look forward to working with all of you in tha mix show community on an even deeper level." Word iz Chris will maintain hiz duties az follows: 1) Keeping **Greg Baker's** Redskins jerseys clean, 2) Makin' sure he & **Sway** have enough kleenex for tha upcomin' season of their lozer-ass Raiders, 3) Hoping **Lisa Ellis** 'll take him shopping so he'll have sumthin' to wear other than shorts, jerseys & free industry shitt. Call him @ (212) 833-4956 or e-mail him @ [Chris.Green@SonyMusic.com](mailto:Chris.Green@SonyMusic.com), congratulate him & give him early condolences on hiz Raiders. CONGRATZ, CHRIS!... & mastering tha turntables/CD mixers of DJz coast to coast on this week's Commercial Radio Mix Show Conference Call iz Bone Crusher, who's done everything asked of him while tha Arista crew of **Steve "DJ Nice Nice" Bartels**, **Tha Baz**, **Pecas** & **Jermaine Dupri** & hiz crew @ So So Def have busted ass in support of one of hip-hop's most skilled rap artists. Their efforts also helped garner a debut pick for **Da Brat** this week, while Messrs. **Ken "Mr." Wilson**, **Russ "A.I." Jones**, **Malcolm "Miles & Miles"**, et al., @ J Records do tha same for **Monica** & **Missy**. New pix also include **Lil Kim/50 Cent** (Atlantic), whose album cut iz one of many DJz have in tha mix... OG mix vet **DJ Jam** and the guy he's tour DJd for the last four years, **Snoop**, have a new "smoking accessory line" called "Puff by the Pound." Tha line includes airtight containers, grinders, etc. Also, tha duo iz comin' out w/"Chronic Candy by the Pound," which'll include "chronic-flavored, sour gel lollipops" in blueberry, purple cush & icky sticky bud for your sweet & sour candy freaks. Go to [DJJam.com](http://DJJam.com) for info. Look for **Snoop**, **Jam**, **Soopa Fly** & crew crashin' tha set of *The Real World* movie comin' end of May via MTV. Apparently, they



"Dammit Ricky! It's **RonaldAndDebora.com!** Now go buy us some-thin' nice!!"

weren't there to serve milk & cookies or lead tha cast in church hymns... Biggg congratz to **Evan Forster** (Forster Bros. Ent.) & hiz luvlee wife **Stacey** on tha birth of their baby boy **Hudson Samuel**. Hudson's already slated to go on a promo tour with daddy this summer. CONGRATZ, EV & STACE!... Public apology to **DJ Ron Love** (WJHM) & hiz bride **Debora** cuz I fucked up their website last week. It's [RonaldandDebora.com](http://RonaldandDebora.com). Go there & get em sumthin' nice for their upcomin' wedding 7/12. Plus, it's well-known he broke **Janet Jackson's** heart over this. According to Mr. Love, Janet fell for him @ tha mix show event @ Virgin when **Velvet Rope** came out. "Miggedy" (WGCI): "She (Janet) ain't been right since." **Kelly G** (BET): "I hear she delayed her new upcomin' album cuz of Ron"... Though **Damon Williams** (Music Choice) iz already talkin' shitt about hiz Bucs comin' to DC to get their asses handed to 'em by tha Skins on 10/12, we'd like to welcum WJBT's **Dr. Doom** into tha Redskins family. Doom: "Gotta like tha Redskins becuz **Laveranues Coles** & **Rod Gardner** are my boyz!" (He actually iz friends w/them; tho, like **G Wiz**, more on tha air). **G Wiz** (WJBT): "I'm a Raiders fan. He can do what he wants." Doom: "I'm still a Jaguar, tho. Tha Raiders suck anyway." Do we miss football or what?!... Look for **R. Kelly's** "Step..." (Jive), **Panjabi MC** (Sequence) & **De La Soul/Sean Paul** (Blacksmith) to get conference call nods in a few... So sad about NBC's **David Bloom**. Life's so fukkin' short... By tha time U read this, I'll either be a champ for pickin' Kansas or I'll be hearin' alotta shitt from New Yorkers about Syracuse, esp. one **Doug Davis** (Davis, Shapiro...), who sez he graduated from there... Word around hot up-&-comin' A&R whizz **3H's** project & **50 Cent DJ Whoop Kid** iz it's shapin up to eazily fulfill tha early press **Sway** (MTV News) haz been givin him... Happy April B-daze: **Damon Williams**, **Mark Mac**, **Stan "Tha Man" Priest** (WFLZ), **Tung Ha**, **DVS**, **Richard "Brisco" Peraza** (Franchise), **Jeff Lee** aka **Jeff Andrews**, **DJ Chill**, **Stil Wil**, **Debonair** & **Dr. Dave's** right arm & VP of Loose Cannon, **Dee!**... Mistake #2: I know I'll NEVER hear tha end of this one too. "Miggedy" iz not moving to Brooklyn. He's gonna live in tha Bronx... Speakin' of NY; it's fukkin' April & it's still snowing! Unbelievable! **Jeter's** out, Yanks home opener snowed out AND my Skins got tha Jets' **Chad Morton** after all. I'd say I feel bad for all my folks in tha mix in NY; but do ya really think they'd pull out a hankie & cry for me in public?... Wanna give lotz of luv to tha hosts of my most recent radio run last week: WJBT's **G "St. John's Seafood"** Wiz, **Dr. Doom** & new PD **Michael Williams** az well az 14-yr. WJHM Orlando mix vet **Mr. Jimmy "Deacon" Jam-Z** & **Khia/Janet/Tony Braxton** heartbreaker **Ron Love**. Ain't nuthin' like bein on tha road seein' our folks in tha mix.... Did you catch **EBC Rucker Park** phenom **Bone Collector** on *Best Damn Sports Show?*...



**DJ Trouble T** dis-playin' deadly aim. No satellites necessary...



**Jerry Davis' (Fox Sports)** adorable son **Ismail**, aka "Lil I.D." likes to read trashy mags like hiz 40-whiner daddy.

## OUTTA THA BOX

weekly conference call winners

ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL
1. BONE CRUSHER	Never Scared	Arista
2. CHOPPA	Choppa Style	No Limit/Universal
3. 50 CENT	P.I.M.P.	Shady/Aftermath/Interscope
4. MISSY ELLIOTT	Pussycat	GoldMind/Elektra/EEG
5. DAVID BANNER	Like a Pimp	SRC/Universal
6. MONICA f/MISSY	So Gone	J Records
7. LIL KIM f/50 CENT	Magic Stick	Atlantic/Atl G
8. DA BRAT	In Luv Wit Chu	So So Def/Arista
9. R. KELLY f/FAT JOE	Who's That	Jive
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1. JOE BUDDEN	Pump It Up	Def Jam/IDJ



# MIX PIX



## Buttahman MTV

Lil Kim f/Twista  
"Thug Luv"  
Atlantic/Atl G

"One of the hottest collabs I've heard in a long time. He helped Kim step up her game...and the beat is hot!"



## DJ Jelly Syndicated

Bone Crusher  
"Never Scared"  
Arista

"One of the hottest street anthems in the South, and now, the nation! True gutter crunkness straight from the streets of A-T-L. It's a winner... Heavy rotation is a must."



## DJ Clue WQHT

Mary J. Blige f/P.Diddy  
"Hooked"  
MCA

"I world-premiered it on my show and I've been playing it ever since...I CAN'T STOP!"



## Babalu Bad Boyz WMBX

David Banner  
"Like a Pimp"  
SRC/Universal

"Ridiculous underground smash... Be on the lookout cuz it's about to come above ground! Don't sleep!!"



## 4 Real KGGI

Da Brat  
"In Luv Wit Chu"  
So So Def/Arista

"Da Brat-rat-tat-tat has done it again!... Nuff said."



## Doc Love WKKV

De La Soul f/Sean Paul  
"Shoomp"  
Blacksmith Management

"I think that the combo is off the meter! Definite comeback record for De La—upholding the true hip-hop flava!"



## E-Z Cutt KBTU

E-40  
"One Night Stand"  
Jive

"E-40 [the man with a thousand nicknames] brings us yet another Bay Area classic with some straight Californula Funk. Shutup, pop yo' colla and let it spin! Straight West Coastin-representin'... You smell me? Holla!"



## Mad Link WLLD

Monica f/Missy  
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# TOP TENS

BASED ON SALES OF ALBUMS, TAPES AND CD'S FROM THE NATION'S LEADING RECORD MERCHANTISERS

## WINNERS



### MOST #1'S

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. LINKIN PARK
3. NORAH JONES

### MOST TOP 5's

1. LINKIN PARK
2. 50 CENT
3. THE WHITE STRIPES

### MOST TOP 10's

1. LINKIN PARK
2. THE WHITE STRIPES
3. 50 CENT

**WHEREHOUSE MUSIC** KEVIN MILLIGAN  
176 Retail Stores (Torrance)

#### WHEREHOUSE MUSIC

1. LINKIN PARK
2. 50 CENT
3. THE WHITE STRIPES
4. R. KELLY
5. NORAH JONES
6. SEAN PAUL
7. EVANESCENCE
8. FABOLOUS
9. CELINE DION
10. AUDIOSLAVE

**HMV RECORD STORES** JEFF DAVIDSON  
9 Retail Stores (NYC)

#### HMV

1. LINKIN PARK
2. 50 CENT
3. THE WHITE STRIPES
4. DIPLOMATS
5. R. KELLY
6. NORAH JONES
7. CELINE DION
8. COLDPLAY
9. SEAN PAUL
10. BRIAN MCKNIGHT

**Universal** SAM CASS  
4000+ Accounts (Philadelphia)

#### UNIVERSAL ONE-STOP

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. 50 CENT
3. DIPLOMATS
4. BREAKING BENJAMIN
5. LINKIN PARK
6. KINDRED THE FAMILY..
7. R. KELLY
8. HEATHER HEADLEY
9. SEAN PAUL
10. EVANESCENCE

**TOWER RECORDS - VIDEO - BOOKS** MICHAEL SOLOMON  
97 Retail Stores (Sacramento)

#### TOWER NATIONAL

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. LINKIN PARK
3. NORAH JONES
4. 50 CENT
5. CHICAGO (ST)
6. CELINE DION
7. EVANESCENCE
8. CHER (G. HITS)
9. SEAN PAUL
10. COLDPLAY

**You'll find it at Fred Meyer** BRIAN STEVENS  
132 Retail Stores (Portland)

#### FRED MEYER

1. LINKIN PARK
2. CELINE DION
3. 50 CENT
4. NOW VOL. 12 (VAR)
5. NORAH JONES
6. CHER (G. HITS)
7. THE WHITE STRIPES
8. EVANESCENCE
9. AUDIOSLAVE
10. KID ROCK

**Virgin MEGASTORE** VINCE SZYDLOWSKI  
23 Retail Stores (Los Angeles)

#### VIRGIN NATIONAL

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. LINKIN PARK
3. 50 CENT
4. NORAH JONES
5. CELINE DION
6. CHER (G. HITS)
7. CHICAGO (ST)
8. COLDPLAY
9. EVANESCENCE
10. ROBBIE WILLIAMS

**AEC ONE STOP GROUP** TONY BAZEMORE  
10,000 Accounts (Coral Springs, FL)

#### ALLIANCE

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. NORAH JONES
3. LINKIN PARK
4. ROBBIE WILLIAMS
5. CHER (G. HITS)
6. CELINE DION
7. CHICAGO (ST)
8. LUCY WOODWARD
9. NOW VOL. 12 (VAR)
10. 50 CENT

**Newbury Comics** NATALIE WALIEK  
25 Retail Stores (Boston)

#### NEWBURY COMICS

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. LINKIN PARK
3. 50 CENT
4. EVANESCENCE
5. AUDIOSLAVE
6. SEAN PAUL
7. COLDPLAY
8. NOW VOL. 12 (VAR)
9. ROBBIE WILLIAMS
10. REWIND: THE HIP-HOP... (VAR)

**BORDERS** SHANNON LUMETTA  
290 Retail Stores (Ann Arbor)

#### BORDERS BOOKS & MUSIC

1. NORAH JONES
2. CHICAGO (ST)
3. CELINE DION
4. THE WHITE STRIPES
5. LINKIN PARK
6. NOW VOL. 12 (VAR)
7. COLDPLAY
8. JOHN MAYER
9. CHER (G. HITS)
10. EVANESCENCE





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DAVID LANG  
8 Retail Stores  
(South Plainfield, NJ)

## COMPACT DISC WORLD

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. LINKIN PARK
3. 50 CENT
4. DIPLOMATS
5. EVANESCENCE
6. CHER (G. HITS)
7. CELINE DION
8. R. KELLY
9. BRIAN MCKNIGHT
10. NORAH JONES



STEVE BOWEN  
27 Retail Stores  
(Nashville)

## CAT'S MUSIC

1. LINKIN PARK
2. R. KELLY
3. 50 CENT
4. HOT BOYS
5. 7-1-3
6. THE WHITE STRIPES
7. DIPLOMATS
8. EVANESCENCE
9. BRIAN MCKNIGHT
10. GHOSTFACE KILLAH



CHRIS WESTER  
4 Retail Stores  
(Mpls)

## DOWN IN THE VALLEY

1. THE ATARIS
2. LINKIN PARK
3. THE WHITE STRIPES
4. JULIANA THEORY
5. NORAH JONES
6. ROSEANNE CASH
7. EVANESCENCE
8. 50 CENT
9. BEN HARPER
10. AUDIOSLAVE



GEORGE BALICKY  
2500+ Retail  
Accounts

## GALAXY MUSIC DISTRIBUTION

1. 50 CENT
2. THE WHITE STRIPES
3. LINKIN PARK
4. R. KELLY
5. NORAH JONES
6. DIPLOMATS
7. SEAN PAUL
8. GRAMMY NOMINEES 2003 (VAR)
9. BRIAN MCKNIGHT
10. HOUSE OF 1,000 CORPS (ST)



JOE NARDONE JR.  
11 Retail Stores  
(Wilkes Barre)

## GALLERY OF SOUND

1. LINKIN PARK
2. 50 CENT
3. THE WHITE STRIPES
4. NOW VOL. 12 (VAR)
5. SEAN PAUL
6. EVANESCENCE
7. CHER (G. HITS)
8. BREAKING BENJAMIN
9. AUDIOSLAVE
10. BOY SETS FIRE



MICHAEL PHILLIPS  
3 Retail Stores  
(Raleigh)

## PHILLIPS ONE-STOP

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. LINKIN PARK
3. STEPHEN MALKMUS
4. BEN HARPER
5. CURSIVE
6. PLACEBO
7. ALLMAN BROTHERS BAND
8. COLDPLAY
9. 50 CENT
10. CAT POWER



DAVID DOYLE  
9 Retail Stores  
(Greensboro)

## RECORD EXCHANGE

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. 50 CENT
3. LINKIN PARK
4. DIPLOMATS
5. R. KELLY
6. BOY SETS FIRE
7. EVANESCENCE
8. A.F.I.
9. BEN HARPER
10. ANI DIFRANCO



JOHN KUNZ  
1 Retail Store  
(Austin, TX)

## WATERLOO

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. NORAH JONES
3. BEN HARPER
4. WILLIE NELSON
5. DERAILERS
6. RY COODER & MANUEL GALBAN
7. DIXIE CHICKS
8. LYLE LOVETT
9. SIGUR ROS
10. CAT POWER



KARL E. GROEGER JR.  
1 Retail Store  
(Long Island)

## LOONEY TUNES

1. LINKIN PARK
2. OVERKILL
3. EVANESCENCE
4. 50 CENT
5. THE WHITE STRIPES
6. ALLMAN BROTHERS BAND
7. FABOLOUS
8. SEAN PAUL
9. A.F.I.
10. CELINE DION



TONY VICK  
1 Retail Store  
(Encinitas, CA)

## LOU'S RECORDS

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. BEN HARPER
3. LINKIN PARK
4. NOFX
5. A.F.I.
6. DERAILERS
7. BOY SETS FIRE
8. CAT POWER
9. SLIGHTLY STOOPID
10. ATTICUS: (VAR)



ERIC LEVIN  
1 Retail Store  
(Atlanta, GA)

## CRIMINAL RECORDS

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. D4
3. ...TRAIL OF DEAD
4. THE KILLS
5. IDLEWILD
6. STEPHEN MALKMUS
7. CAT POWER
8. LIBERTINES
9. THE POSTAL SERVICE
10. SPECIAL GOODNESS



BRAD GILBERT  
8 Retail Stores & 150  
One-Stop Accts (Phoenix)

## IMPACT

1. THE WHITE STRIPES
2. LINKIN PARK
3. EVANESCENCE
4. 50 CENT
5. THE ATARIS
6. AUDIOSLAVE
7. A.F.I.
8. BOY SETS FIRE
9. FABOLOUS
10. SEAN PAUL



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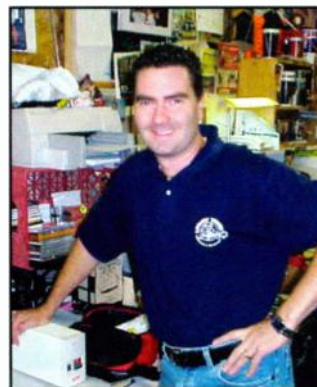
**RERAP**

**BY MARK PEARSON**

Long Island's **Looney Tunes** has been hailed by many as the "Waterloo of the Northeast." Karl Groeger Sr. started the store 32 years ago, with his two sons Karl Jr. and Jamie taking over the operation some 15 years ago. Taking full advantage of the niche mentality, Karl Jr. feels like he doesn't have any real direct competition. He believes Looney Tunes has "the deepest catalog in Long Island." And, with the **Best Buys** and **Towers** of the world insisting on more draconian catalog policies, reacting to the realities of the slow-moving marketplace, Groeber feels he has a chance to gain ground. "We'll take one of absolutely everything," he says. And the reality is that it's been paying off. In a down market since the monster year of '99, by comparison, they have been thriving. In 2000, they were down 1/2%. And actually, LT's numbers were up in '01 by 3% and in '02 by 2%. While most retailers have been experiencing major decreases, that's a major feat. When Karl Sr. founded the store, it was a

mere 900 sq ft. Thirty-two years later, it boasts some 4,500 sq. ft., having annexed neighboring retail space. The Groeger family has finally purchased the building where they've been leasing all these years and plan to ultimately fill the entire 10k sq. ft. They joined **CIMS** some three years ago and Karl Jr. believes that it's been a great thing for his business. "Being on Long Island, we've always had a very close relationship with the N.Y.-based labels, but CIMS has put me in touch with the West Coast. And we're really honored to be affiliated with some just absolutely amazing stores like **Waterloo** or **Twist and Shout**. The CIMS members are the kinds of stores that I look to and try to emulate." Karl Jr. has also become very close with CIMS associate **Rob Roth** of **Vintage Vinyl**. Together, they have started a new program called the **Metro Break-out**. "With him in in New Jersey and me in New York, we can really get behind a band and try to break it out of this area"... While we were away at NARM, **Alliance Entertainment Group** promoted an old friend of ours, **Nancy Goldwin**, to VP Merchandising. Goldwin has been with AEC for the last six years. We adore her. Apparently, they do, too... The shuttering of **Immergent Records** has left their incredibly talented VP of Marketing **Melissa Boag** looking for opportunities. Someone should do themselves a favor and hire her. She can be reached at (818) 566 4338.

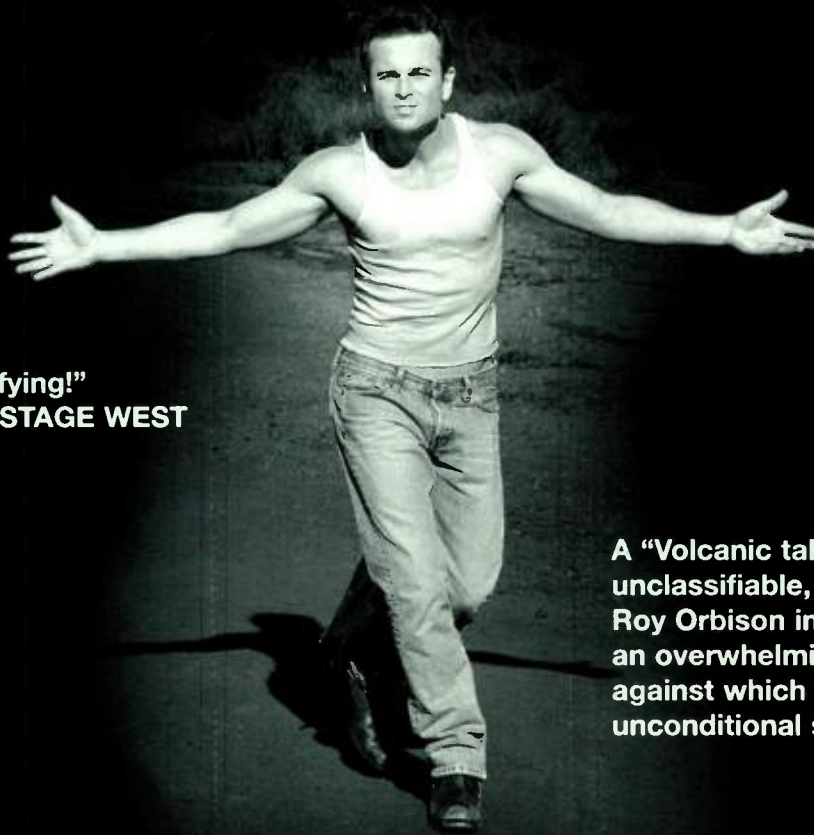
#### **LOONEY IN TUNE**



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## WINNERS

- |                                |                  |                  |                                      |                    |                    |
|--------------------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| <b>1</b> <b>JEWEL</b>          | Intuition        | (Atlantic/Atl G) | <b>6</b> <b>AUDIOSLAVE</b>           | Like A Stone       | (Epic/Interscope)  |
| <b>2</b> <b>JENNIFER LOPEZ</b> | I'm Glad         | (Epic)           | <b>7</b> <b>BUSTA RHYMES</b>         | I Know What...     | (J Records)        |
| <b>3</b> <b>EVANESCENCE</b>    | Bring Me To Life | (Wind-up)        | <b>8</b> <b>LILLIX</b>               | It's About Time    | (Maverick/Reprise) |
| <b>4</b> <b>JASON MRAZ</b>     | The Remedy       | (Elektra/EEG)    | <b>9</b> <b>ALL AMERICAN REJECTS</b> | Swing Swing        | (DreamWorks)       |
| <b>5</b> <b>AVRIL LAVIGNE</b>  | Losing Grip      | (Arista)         | <b>10</b> <b>TRAIN</b>               | Calling All Angels | (Col/CRG)          |

**HITMAN**

KBFM/BROWNSVILLE  
Coldplay/Evanescence/L Park/L Kim

**BIG BEAR**

KCAQ/OXNARD  
Monica/702/E-40

**BEEJ**

KLCA/RENO  
J Johnson/Train/AA Rejects

**JANA**

KMXV/KANSAS CITY  
J Mayer/Audioslave/W Wonder

**MARCO**

KPTY/HOUSTON  
B Rhymes/Nelly/K Players

**JAMMER**

KWID/LAS VEGAS  
DJ KaySlay/D Brat/Chico

**STU**

WCHH/CHARLOTTE, NC  
P Pablo/L Jon/L Kim/F Mob

**FISHER**

WHZT/GREENVILLE, SC  
Santana f/ Musiq/Punjabi MC

**BEATA**

WLLD/TAMPA  
D Brat

**KRAIMER**

WMBZ/MEMPHIS  
Train/Maroon 5/Evanescence/TE Blind

**JOE**

WMC/MEMPHIS  
J Lopez/Evanescence/A Lavigne

**AXL**

Z100/NEW YORK  
AA Rejects/J Rule/Coldplay/J Lopez

**JIM ALLEN**

WDJX/LOUISVILLE  
W Wonder/Frankie J/50 Cent/Audioslave

**JAMES BAKER**

K101/SAN FRANCISCO  
Train/F Hill/Live/Jewel

**AJ CARLISLE**

KVUU/COLORADO SPRINGS  
Audioslave/Everclear/J Johnson/Jewel

**BRAD CARSON**

WIXM/ATLANTIC CITY  
Train/Jewel/J Mraz

**ROBIN COLE**

WBNS/COLUMBUS  
Jewel/A Lavigne

**GROVER COLLINS**

WKRQ/CINCINNATI  
Jewel/Train/Evanescence

**MARKUS D**

KBKS/SEATTLE  
Lillix/Troys/Jewel

**JILL DEVINE**

WVRV/ST. LOUIS  
Train/A Lavigne

**TONY DOOLIN**

WCDA/LEXINGTON  
Evanescence/Audioslave

**MARK EDWARDS**

KALC/DENVER  
Lifeshouse

**ALLEY FAITH**

KWID/LAS VEGAS  
DJ KaySlay/D Brat

**ALLAN FEE**

WQAL/CLEVELAND  
J Mraz/Maroon 5/Evanescence

**LAURA FRANCIS**

WOMX/ORLANDO  
Jewel/Train/Evanescence/D Glover

**CHARESE FRUGE**

KMXB/LAS VEGAS  
A Lavigne/Jewel/Audioslave

**MICHAEL GIFFORD**

KIMN/DENVER  
Train

**KIM GOWER**

KIZS/TULSA  
A Lavigne/J Mayer/Lifeshouse/Train

**STEVE GRANATO**

WMXY/YOUNGSTOWN, OH  
GG Dolls/B Jovi/J Mraz

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Jewel/Maroon 5/Audioslave



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**TRED HULSE**

WRVE/ALBANY  
J Kelly/Train

**LUCIOUS ICE**

KXHT/MEMPHIS  
D Banner

**DEREK JAMES**

WLNK/CHARLOTTE  
Train/Evanescence/D Glover/Lifehouse

**ED JOHNSON**

KLAL/LITTLE ROCK  
J Mayer/Sum 41

**KELLY K**

WKRZ/WILKES-BARRE  
Jewel/J Mraz

**JB KING**

KLUC/LAS VEGAS  
J Lopez

**TOBY KNAPP**

WFLZ/TAMPA  
Jewel/S Ray/Evanescence/B Rhymes

**KRISTY KNIGHT**

WSSR/TAMPA  
Wallflowers/RHC Peppers/Train

**SIMON KNIGHTS**

KTOZ/SPRINGFIELD  
Maroon 5/TO Deadman/Lillix/J Kelly

**JIM LAWSON**

KFMD/DENVER  
Jewel/J Mraz

**LESLIE LOIS**

KZPT/TUCSON  
Train/AA Rejects

**MIKE MARINO**

MARINO RADIO MKT./LOS ANGELES  
Evanescence/J Lopez/Reina/S Dogg

**MICHAEL MARTINEZ**

KEZR/SAN JOSE  
AA Rejects/Maroon 5/G Charlotte/J Timberlake

**DARREN MCPEAKE**

KBBY/OXNARD  
R Farris/Jewel/Audioslave

**JOHNNY MEDRANO**

KKFR/PHOENIX  
Bravehearts

**TOM MITCHELL**

WNTQ/SYRACUSE  
Jewel/J Mraz/Frankie J

**TAP MONEY**

WJMH/GREENSBORO, NC  
Monica/L Kim/T Kweli

**STEVE MONZ**

WWMX/BALTIMORE  
Train/Ike

**JJ MORGAN**

WZOK/ROCKFORD  
Jewel/AA Rejects/Ginuwine

**SHAWN MURPHY**

WQGN/NEW LONDON  
Evanescence/B Rhymes/Coldplay

**COURTNEY NELSON**

KSII/EL PASO  
R Farris/F Perez/F Hill

**DANNY OCEAN**

WKCI/NEW HAVEN  
Train/J Lopez/J Mraz/A Lavigne

**RON PRICE**

KMXP/PHOENIX  
Audioslave/Evanescence

**JOE PROKE**

WMWX/PHILADELPHIA  
B Baeling/R Farris/J Timberlake/Train

**JONATHON REED**

WDBT/JACKSON  
50 Cent/B Rhymes

**JUSTIN RILEY**

KQMB/SALT LAKE CITY  
Train/Jewel/D Bedingfield

**BECKY ROGERS**

KURB/LITTLE ROCK  
Jewel/F Hill/Maroon 5

**ROBB ROYALE**

KBOM/SANTA FE, NM  
Jay-Z/Monica/LSG/Bravehearts

**PABLO SATO**

Z90/SAN DIEGO  
Latif

**MIKE SCOTT**

KCDU/SALINAS  
Lillix/Jewel

**NEAL SHARPE**

WLNK/CHARLOTTE  
Evanescence/Train

**GORDON SMITH**

WXLO/WORCESTER  
D Bedingfield

**SHERYL STEWART**

KRSK/PORTLAND  
TE Blind/Jewel/Evanescence/Audioslave

**CHRIS TAYLOR**

WMC/MEMPHIS  
TLC/Jewel/H Blowfish

**TONY TECATE**

KSFM/SACRAMENTO  
Punjabi MC/Chingy/R Kelly

**MARK THOMAS**

KMHX/SANTA ROSA  
Jewel/Train/AA Rejects

**GARY TRUST**

WSNE/PROVIDENCE  
Plumb/N Jones

**EJ TYLER**

KLLY/BAKERSFIELD  
Jewel

**CHRIS TYLER**

WJMN/BOSTON  
D Brat/M Easy/Fabolous f/ Ashanti/J Lopez

**SCOTTY VALENTINE**

KKMG/COLORADO SPRINGS  
S Paul/Sum 41

**SHAWN VINCENT**

WMMX/DAYTON  
Plumb/Jewel

**BOB WALKER**

WKTJ/MILWAUKEE, WI.  
H Blowfish/S Hazel

**JORDAN WALSH**

WLDI/W PALM BEACH  
Dream

**ROB WEAVER**

WKPK/NORTHWEST, MI  
B Walker/F Perez/AA Rejects

**REBECCA WILDE**

WOAL/CLEVELAND  
Maroon 5/D Bedingfield/Jewel





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# REQUESTS

*Edwin Starr does not call in.*

LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	HOTS	INCLUDING	%
—	1	50 CENT	In Da Club	Shady/AM/Inter	36	WLDI KKMG WJMN WDBT KSFM KBFM	48
—	2	R. KELLY	Ignition	Jive	30	WWKX KLAL KSFM KDGS KKFR WZOK	40
—	3	D. BEDINGFIELD	Gotta Get Thru This	Island/IDJ	29	KBKS WNTQ WLDI WKCI KMXV WZOK	39
—	4	EVANESCENCE	Bring Me To Life	Wind-up	28	KBKS KFMD KQMB WKCI WQAL KBFM	37
—	5	50 CENT	21 Questions	Shady/AM/Inter	27	WLLD KBOM KKFR KCAQ KSFM KWID	36
—	6	MATCHBOX TWENTY	Unwell	Atlantic/Atl G	26	KQMB WIXM WQAL WMWX WMMX WKRO	35
—	7	KID ROCK/S. CROW	Picture	Atlantic/Atl G	25	KFBZ WZOK WKRO WNTQ WMYX K101	33
—	8	3 DOORS DOWN	When I'm Gone	Universal	24	KQMB WIXM WKRO WMXY WMBZ KFBZ	32
—	9	GOOD CHARLOTTE	The Anthem	Daylight/Epic	23	WDJX KBFM WKRZ KFMD WKSS WNTQ	31
—	10	FABOLOUS	Can't Let	Elektra/EEG	22	KKFR KCAQ Z90 WLLD KSFM WWKX	29
—	11	AMANDA PEREZ	Angel	Virgin	21	Z100 WQGN KMXV WDBT WDJX WVSR	28
—	12	SEAN PAUL	Get Busy	VP/Atlantic/Atl G	20	WJMH KWID Z100 Z90 WJMN WKSS	27
—	13	FRANKIE J	Don't Wanna Try	Columbia/CRG	19	WFLZ WHZT Z90 KCAQ WKST WKSS	25
—	14	EMINEM	Superman	Aftermath/Inter	18	KMXV WCHH WFLZ KSFM WIOQ WIHT	24
—	15	EMINEM	Sing For The Moment	Aftermath/Inter	17	WDJX WKRZ WKSS WVSR WXKS WBZZ	23
—	16	COUNTING CROWS	Big Yellow Taxi	Geffen/Inter	16	WVMX KFBZ WPRO WMMX WKRZ WERZ	21
—	17	COLDPLAY	Clocks	Capitol	14	WQAL WMMX WERZ WSTR WBTZ KRBV	19
—	18	UNCLE KRACKER	Drift Away	Lava/Atl G	14	WQAL WMXY WXKS WKRO WAYV K101	19
—	19	FLEETWOOD MAC	Peacekeeper	Reprise	13	WTSS K101 WBMX WSNE WOMX WKRO	17
—	20	JASON MRAZ	Remedy	Elektra/EEG	12	WXKS WMBZ WAYV WSTW WSSR WDVD	16

**Total stations reporting this week: 154**



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32\* (+178)  
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- WKQI
- KDWB
- KHTS
- WKSE
- WXSS
- WWHT
- WSNX
- WAKS
- WKFS
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# TOP 50

# Most Powerful MP3 Songs

## Cuts That Impact Album Sales



			ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL	COMMENTS
—	1	1	<b>LINKIN PARK</b>	SOMEWHERE I BELONG	Warner Bros.	#1 LP #1 PoMo, #1 A. Rock, Mod A/C, MTV/MTV2, MMUSA
1	3	2	<b>50 CENT</b>	IN DA CLUB/WANKSTA	Shady/AM/Interscope	T40, Urban, X-over, MTV/MTV2, BET, LP approaching 4 million
—	2	3	<b>CELINE DION</b>	I DROVE ALL NIGHT	Epic	VH1, Chrysler commercial, T40, APM, VH1, LP selling
4	5	4	<b>EVANESCENCE</b>	BRING ME TO LIFE	Wind-up	#2 Pomo, A. Rock, Mod A/C, T40, MTV(Buzzworthy), MTV2, VH1
2	4	5	<b>NORAH JONES</b>	DON'T KNOW WHY	Blue Note	Mod A/C, APM, VH1, "Come Away With Me" now
3	6	6	<b>R. KELLY</b>	IGNITION-REMIX	Jive	T40, X-over, Urban, MTV/MTV2, BET, VH1, LP past Platinum
5	7	7	<b>KID ROCK &amp; SHERYL CROW</b>	PICTURE	Lava/Atlantic/Atl G	MTV, MTV2, VH1, T40, Mod A/C, APM
8	8	8	<b>SEAN PAUL</b>	GET BUSY	VP/Atlantic/Atl G	Multi-format airplay, MTV/MTV2, BET, VH1, requests
—	—	9	<b>THE WHITE STRIPES</b>	SEVEN NATION ARMY	V2	PoMo, press, fan base, strong debut from Detroit duo
10	10	10	<b>COLDPLAY</b>	CLOCKS	Capitol	T40, Mod A/C, PoMo, APM, MTV/MTV2, VH1, "The Scientist" next
11	11	11	<b>AUDIOSLAVE</b>	LIKE A STONE	Epic/Interscope	MTV, MTV2, VH1, Mod A/C, PoMo, A. Rock, debut LP Platinum
7	9	12	<b>FABOLOUS</b>	CAN'T LET YOU GO	DS/Elektra/EEG	f/Lil' Mo & Mike Shorey, X-over, Urban, Reebok commercial
6	12	13	<b>DIXIE CHICKS</b>	LANDSLIDE	OW/Mon/Columbia	Press, Hot A/C, Top 40, APM, LP sales continue
9	13	14	<b>LIL' KIM</b>	THE JUMP OFF	QB/Atlantic/Atl G	f/Mr.Cheeks, X-over, Urban, MTV, MTV2, BET
12	14	15	<b>AVRIL LAVIGNE</b>	I'M WITH YOU	Arista	Still has tons of radio, VH1, "Losing Grip" now
17	16	16	<b>GOOD CHARLOTTE</b>	THE ANTHEM	Daylight/Epic	T40, A. Rock, PoMo, MTV/MTV2, Platinum-plus LP, phones
13	17	17	<b>JOHN MAYER</b>	YOUR BODY IS A...	Aware/Col/CRG	LP 2x Platinum, T40, Mod A/C, APM, "Why Georgia?" now
14	18	18	<b>AFI</b>	GIRL'S NOT GREY	DreamWorks	PoMo, A. Rock, phones, MTV(Buzzworthy), MTV2, MMUSA
32	23	19	<b>JUSTIN TIMBERLAKE</b>	ROCK YOUR BODY	Jive	Top 40, Mod A/C, X-over, multi-Platinum LP, MTV, MTV2, VH1
—	15	20	<b>BRIAN MCKNIGHT</b>	SHOULDA, COULDA, W..	Motown/Universal	VH1, BET, R&B, fan base, LP selling, phones
22	22	21	<b>ALL-AMERICAN REJECTS</b>	SWING, SWING	DreamWorks	MTV, VH1, PoMo, LP selling
16	19	22	<b>MISSY ELLIOTT</b>	GOSSIP FOLKS	GoldMind/Elektra/EEG	T40, X-over, Urban, f/Ludacris, MTV/MTV2, VH1, BET
35	24	23	<b>CATHERINE ZETA-JONES</b>	ALL THAT JAZZ	Epic/SMS	Press, VH1, Platinum LP, Oscars
20	20	24	<b>SNOOP DOGG</b>	BEAUTIFUL	Priority/Capitol	Hot track f/Pharrell, X-over, Urban, MTV, VH1, BET
29	29	25	<b>3 DOORS DOWN</b>	WHEN I'M GONE	Republic/Universal	#1 Mod A/C, #2 Top 40, PoMo, A. Rock, "Road I'm On" now



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39 28 26	TRAPT	HEADSTRONG	Warner Bros.	#2 A. Rock, PoMo, Mod A/C, LP sales solid
25 27 27	SIMPLE PLAN	I'D DO ANYTHING	Lava/Atlantic/Atl G	Top 40, Mod A/C, PoMo, MTV, requests, LP selling
18 21 28	T.A.T.U.	ALL THE THINGS SHE..	Interscope	Top 40, X-over, LP approaching Gold
21 25 29	EMINEM	SUPERMAN	Aftermath/Interscope	Top 40, X-over, "Sing For The Moment" now on MTV/MTV2
23 26 30	J. LOPEZ/LL COOL J	ALL I HAVE	Epic	T40, X-over, Urban, VH1, BET, on LL's & J-Lo's LPs
— — 31	<b>ROBBIE WILLIAMS</b>	<b>FEEL</b>	<b>Virgin</b>	<b>Hot A/C, VH1, MTV2, requests, AOL Sessions, in-theater ads</b>
26 33 32	TYRESE	HOW YOU GONNA ACT...	J Records	MTV, MTV2, BET, X-over, Urban, Top 40 airplay, LP Gold
— — 33	50 CENT	21 QUESTIONS	Shady/AM/Interscope	f/Nate Dogg, X-over, Urban, mega-Platinum release
44 40 34	MATCHBOX 20	UNWELL	Atlantic/Atl G	Top 40, Mod A/C, APM, phones, Platinum LP
41 37 35	CHRISTINA AGUILERA	FIGHTER	RCA	T40, phones, multi-Platinum LP
— 36 36	B2K	GIRLFRIEND	Epic	X-over, Urban, MTV, BET, R&B, requests
43 39 37	CHEVELLE	SEND THE PAIN BELOW	Epic	MTV, MTV2, MMUSA, PoMo, A. Rock, LP approaching Platinum
19 30 38	GOOD CHARLOTTE	LIFESTYLES OF THE...	Daylight/Epic	On it's way down after a good run, "The Anthem" now
33 38 39	EMINEM	LOSE YOURSELF	Shady/Inter/UMG ST	Airplay, phones, "Sing For The Moment" the hot cut now
— — 40	AVRIL LAVIGNE	LOSING GRIP	Arista	T40, MTV(Making Of The Video), requests
31 34 41	CHRISTINA AGUILERA	BEAUTIFUL	RCA	X-over, T40, Mod A/C, APM, multi-Platinum LP
— — 42	NELLY	PIMP JUICE	Fo'Reel/Universal	X-over, Urban, MTV, MTV2, VH1, BET, LP sells
37 42 43	NAS	I CAN	Columbia/CRG	X-over airplay, MTV, MTV2, BET, LP Platinum
36 41 44	FOO FIGHTERS	TIMES LIKE THESE	Roswell/RCA	MTV, MTV2, VH1, multi-format airplay, Gold LP
34 49 45	RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS	CAN'T STOP	Warner Bros.	Mod A/C, PoMo, A. Rock, VH1, LP selling
— — 46	B.RHYMES/M.CAREY	I KNOW WHAT YOU WANT	J Records	f/The Flipmode Squad, X-over, Urban, MTV, MTV2, BET
40 43 47	JAY-Z f/BEYONCÉ	03 BONNIE & CLYDE	Roc-a-Fella/IDJ	X-over, T40, LP selling, "Excuse Me Miss" now
45 47 48	VIVIAN GREEN	EMOTIONAL...	Columbia/CRG	X-over, Urban, R&B, MTV2, BET, VH1, developing LP sales
24 32 49	HED (PLANET EARTH)	BLACKOUT	Volcano/Jive	A. Rock, PoMo, fanbase, request
38 44 50	SANTANA f/ MICHELLE BRANCH	THE GAME OF LOVE	Arista	LP 2x Platinum, "Nothing At All" f/Musiq the cut now

**POWER POTENTIALS:**

GODSMACK (Republic/Universal)  
 EMINEM (Aftermath/Interscope)  
 AVRIL LAVIGNE (Arista)

GINUWINE (Epic)  
 LISA MARIE PRESLEY (Capitol)  
 FLEETWOOD MAC (Reprise)

JOHN MAYER (Aware/Columbia/CRG)  
 NORAH JONES (Blue Note)  
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LW	TW	ARTIST	TITLE	LABEL
1	1	AVRIL LAVIGNE	I'm With You	Arista
2	2	KID ROCK	Picture	Lava/Atlantic/Atl G
4	3	MATCHBOX TWENTY	Unwell	Atlantic/Atl G
3	4	3 DOORS DOWN	When I'm Gone	Republic/Universal
5	5	UNCLE KRACKER	Drift Away	Lava/Atl G
7	6	C. CROWS f/v. CARLTON	Big Yellow Taxi	Geffen/Interscope
6	7	JOHN MAYER	Your Body Is A...	Aware/Columbia/CRG
8	8	SANTANA f/M. BRANCH	Game Of Love	Arista
9	9	COLDPLAY	Clocks	Capitol
10	10	NORAH JONES	Don't Know Why	Blue Note
14	11	JASON MRAZ	The Remedy	Elektra/EEG
16	12	JOHN MAYER	Why Georgia	Aware/Columbia/CRG
11	13	NO DOUBT	Underneath It All	Interscope
12	14	CHRISTINA AGUILERA	Beautiful	RCA
15	15	BON JOVI	Misunderstood	Island/IDJ
17	16	GOO GOO DOLLS	Sympathy	Warner Bros.
13	17	SIXPENCE NONE THE...	Don't Dream It's Over	Squint/Curb/Reprise
18	18	FLEETWOOD MAC	Peacekeeper	Reprise
21	19	EVANESCENCE	Bring Me To Life	Wind-up
19	20	NO DOUBT	Running	Interscope
20	21	LISA MARIE PRESLEY	Lights Out	Capitol
29	22	MAROON 5	Harder To Breathe	Octone/J
22	23	C. KREVIUZUK	In This Life	Columbia/CRG
26	24	HOOTIE/BLOWFISH	Innocence	Atlantic/Atl G
25	25	NORAH JONES	Come Away With Me	Blue Note
—	26	TRAIN	Calling All Angels	Columbia/CRG
28	27	SISTER HAZEL	Your Mistake	C. Poets/Sixthman R
23	28	CELINE DION	I Drove All Night	Epic
30	29	ROBBIE WILLIAMS	Feel	Virgin
—	30	FEEL	Got Your Name On It	Curb

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## HACHING RECORDS

by **Bobbill Hoch**

Too many records, not enough time—let's dive into the hits... And when you talk hits, you're talking Audioslave's "Like A Stone," with Epic's Jo Hodge and Kevin Powell in charge. It's massive at Post Modern and Rock radio, and for those of you living in a cave, the band consists of Soundgarden's Chris Cornell and three-fourths of Rage Against The Machine. New at WSSR, KMXB, KPEK, KFBZ, KHTO, KALZ and KMHX. Oscar-bagging Chicago siren Catherine Zeta-Jones is getting Top 10 callout at KLLC and solid spins already at VH1, KYKY, WOMX, WKRQ and KMXB. Tori Amos is spinning at WBMX, WVRV, WKRQ, KLLC, KALC, KPEK, KKPN and KLLY; new at KDMX and WKZN... The media frenzy continues for Capitol's Lisa Marie Presley. Mark Rizzo has callout stories from WMC (#11 callout with their core) and KYSR (strong upper-end callout). New at WTMX, KMXB, KSRZ, WMXL and WMYX... In the trenches: Curb's Linde Thurman with Feel. New at KAMX and spinning at WSRQ, WVRV, KVVQ, WRFY, WOZN and WMC. KFBZ checks in with Top 5 requests. Plumb is already on WSNE, KPEK, WVIC, KALZ, KKPN and KURB. New at KFBZ, KMHX and KLLY... When it comes to Columbia's Train, all I can say is "home run." Pete Cosenza and Laura LaBadia are smokin', earning Most Added honors again—including WTMX, KFMB, KOMB, KIMN, WKRQ, WOMX, WWZZ and KEZR. Already spinning at WPLJ, KIOI, WBMX, WVRV, WOAL, WSSR, KMXB, KPLZ and KRKS. I just love that Chantal Kreviazuk. WVIC, WMBZ, KZON and KZPT are getting great callout. Top requests at WMMX, WBNS, WOAL, KMXB and KVVU. New at WTMX, KZZO, KSRZ and WSNE... As MTV adds Arista's TLC, Etoile Zisselman has major believers at KFMB, WBMX, WZPL, KIMN, KEZR and KRKS. Butch Walker's "Sober" is new at KPEK and KAMX... WB's Debbie



Jo Hodge:  
A Slave to Joel.

Cerchione grabs Most Added first-week stripes on Faith Hill's "One," bringing in WTSS, KOMB, WSNE, WVIC, WVTI, WMYX and KJRB... The Counting Crows just keeps going up, thanks to huge callout everywhere. Major spins at WPLJ, WMMX, KRKS, KAMX, KQMB, WKTI, WBMX and KSTP... Top requests for Reprise's Fleetwood Mac at WSNE, WOMX, KPLZ and KIOI. Alex Coronfly is getting great spins at WPLJ, WMBX, WMMX, KEZR, WBMX, KHMV, WOAL, WENS and WKRQ. New at WMMX, WMYX and KVVU... The story on Wind-up's Evanescence remains stunning, with Lori Holder-Anderson in charge. Closeout adds at WMMX, WVRV, WLNK and KBBY. Explosive spins at KYSR, WPLJ, WKRQ, KFMB, WBMX, WWZZ, KLLC, KMXB, KDMX, WZPL. Top requests at WOAL, KMXB, KALC, WSSR, KZZO, KEZR, KAMX, WKZN, KPLZ and KOSO... I just can't hear enough of Elektra's Jason Mraz. Michelle Babbit snags huge callout at KFMB, WBMX, WTMX, WZPL and KAMX. Major-market airplay everywhere, including KYSR, WSSR, KALC, KLLC, WMMX, WZPT and WKRQ. Jason performs on Regis and Kelly 4/23 and Leno 5/19. Impacting now: Rhett Miller's "Come Around," a great song that's getting huge AAA research at WXRT, KBGO, KTCZ and WXRV... DreamWorks' Marc Rabner is growing the Dana Glover nicely each week. Big response at WTSS and KLCA. Leading the way are KRKS, WLNK, WTSS, KOSO, KEZR, KAMX, KZPT, WHYNY and KURB. New at WMC and WMXL. Lifehouse enjoys great spins at WTMX, WPTI, WMYX, WWZZ, KRKS, WVRV, WVIC and WKRQ. New at KALC, KAMX, KIZS and WMBZ. All American Rejects makes you want to roll down the windows and crank the radio. Already on KOSO, KLCA and KVVU... Blue Note's Norah Jones is already getting Top 5 callout at KLLC, WBMX, KFMB and KPLZ. Virgin's Danny Cooper and Jason McFadden check in with big spins at WPLJ, WLNK, WTMX, WOAL, WBNS, KIOI, WKRQ and WOMX. New at WVIC. Every time Robbie Williams visits a station, females just melt. #1 requests at KLLC. Spinning at KFMB, KPEK, KURB, WLNK, KVVU, KRKS, KLTG, WSNE and WMYX. New at WKDD and KZPT... The more you listen, the more you'll like Big 3's Rachel Farris. Mark Landis has believers at KOMB, KFBZ, WMMX, KZZO, KKPN, KPEK, KLLY, KALZ, KMHX and KVVU. New at WVIC... A solid opening week looks certain for Universal's Jack Johnson. Dave Reynolds delivered KLLC, WWZZ, WBMX, WPTI, WSSR and KZZO... Maroon 5 opens for matchbox twenty and Sugar Ray this spring, and RCA Music Group's Adrian Moreira continues to get great spins at VH1, KYSR, WTMX, WSSR, KLLC, KRKS, KEZR, KPLZ, WWZZ, KALC and KAMX. Top 5 callout at WZPL. Top requests at WVRV, KMXB, KZPT and WMBZ. New at WOAL and WXMA... IDJ's Theory Of A Dead Man builds nicely as Mike Easterlin spreads the word. Spinning away at KALC, WTMX, WBMX, WVRV, KOMB, WALC, KIZS and WOZN. Callout remains solid for Bon Jovi at KIMN, WWZZ, KMXB, WMC and WKRQ. After exploding at Pop, Daniel Bedingfield crosses nicely to Hot. Great spins at KPLZ, WMMX, KSII, WJLQ, WMC, KEZR and KBBY. New at WOAL and WMMX... Artemis' artist Brooke is worth a listen; adds on his "Coming Home" include WBMX, KPEK, KVVU, KLCA and WINK... Hollywood's Nick Bedding continues to have a nice run with Josh Kelly at WTMX, WPTI, WVIC, WMBZ, WSSR, WSNE, WOMX, WRFM, KQMB, WVRV and WMBX. New at WMMX, WMMX, WLNK, WMAD and WMXL... Records I love: Lucinda Williams and Audioslave. See ya...

## MOST ADDED

Artist	Title	Label
1. Jewel	"Intuition"	Atlantic/Atl G
2. Train	"Calling All Angels"	Columbia/CRG
3. Jack Johnson	"Horizon Has Been..."	Enjoy/Universal
4. Faith Hill	"One"	Warner Bros.
5. Audioslave	"Like A Stone"	Epic/Interscope





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1	1	50 CENT In Da Club (Aftermath/Shady/Interscope)	8407	332	1001181	9	122/1
2	2	3 DOORS DOWN When I'm Gone (Rep/Universal)	7702	556	844445	16	125/1
4	3	AMANDA PEREZ Arael (Powerhouse/Virain)	6672	388	647533	11	122/0
9	4	R. KELLY Janition (Jive)	6267	1082	695785	6	118/3
3	5	J. LOPEZ F/LL COOL J All I Have (Epic)	6235	-636	545916	15	128/0
8	6	JUSTIN TIMBERLAKE Rock Your Body (Jive)	6177	895	730229	5	130/1
5	7	JA RULE F/ASHANTI Mesmerize (Murder Inc./IDJ)	5576	-621	517764	14	123/0
6	8	KID ROCK/SHERYL CROW Picture (Lava/Atlantic/Atl G)	5504	-593	663918	22	118/0
7	9	AVRIL LAVIGNE I'm With You (Arista)	5283	-747	468783	18	130/0
12	10	DANIEL BEDINGFIELD If You're Not... (Island/IDJ)	4615	549	490740	7	126/0
10	11	MISSY ELLIOTT Gossip Folks (GM/Elektra/EEG)	4605	-240	469298	11	111/0
11	12	AALIYAH Miss You (Black/Universal)	4573	352	491545	12	105/1
18	13	EMINEM Sing For The Moment (Aftermath/Interscope)	4494	1191	526442	4	120/2
13	14	B2K AND P. DIDDY Bump, Bump, Bump (Epic)	3755	-310	413212	16	125/0
20	15	CHRISTINA AGUILERA Fighter (RCA)	3723	593	395154	4	126/1
23	16	GOOD CHARLOTTE The Anthem (Epic)	3287	526	413619	5	113/1
19	17	BOWLING FOR SOUP Girl All The Bad... (Jive)	3278	71	346660	12	117/4
14	18	CHRISTINA AGUILERA Beautiful (RCA)	3252	-473	293780	20	124/0
17	19	NIVEA Don't Mess... Man (Jive)	3152	-173	319911	23	123/0
25	20	STACIE ORRICO Stuck (Virain/Fore)	2977	277	282794	8	117/1
21	21	TLC Damaged (Arista)	2975	-144	325982	6	117/0
16	22	T.A.T.U. All The Things... (Interscope)	2972	-359	316364	17	127/0
15	23	EMINEM Superman (Aftermath/Interscope)	2966	-447	308299	13	118/0
26	24	GINUWINE Hell Yeah (Epic)	2785	244	303860	7	96/5
27	25	MATCHBOX TWENTY Unwell (Atlantic/Atl G)	2742	355	229660	7	83/3
22	26	JUSTIN TIMBERLAKE Cry Me A River (Jive)	2668	-316	365448	17	126/0
31	27	EVANESCENCE Bring Me To Life (Wind-up)	2603	870	275532	6	108/23
24	28	NO DOUBT Running (Interscope)	1980	-772	214380	10	118/0
40	29	AVRIL LAVIGNE Losing Grip (Arista)	1968	607	223521	2	113/9
46	30	SEAN PAUL Get Busy (VP/Atlantic/Atl G)	1955	731	351046	2	85/19
43	31	MADONNA American Life (WB)	1902	590	206667	2	86/4
33	32	FIELD MOB Sick Of Being Lonely (MCA)	1836	178	191801	6	74/4
28	33	SIMPLE PLAN I'd Do Anything (Lava/Atl G)	1789	-366	218337	16	101/0
44	34	COLDPLAY Clocks (Capitol)	1683	397	149084	4	88/4
42	35	COUNTING CROWS Big Yellow Taxi (Geffen/Interscope)	1623	308	121401	5	73/3
47	36	TYRESE How You Gonna Act... (J Records)	1486	315	181254	3	85/7
32	37	JAY-Z F/BEYONCE '03 Bonnie & Clyde (Roc-A-Fella/IDJ)	1466	-214	163854	19	106/0
30	38	SMILEZ AND SOUTHWEST Tell Me (ArtistDirect)	1388	-543	145934	14	78/0
34	39	LUCY WOODWARD Dumb Girls (Atlantic/Atl G)	1307	-300	149098	9	84/0
29	40	CELINE DION I Droye All Night (Epic)	1282	-849	120037	10	98/0
48	41	WAYNE WONDER No Letting Go (VP/Atlantic/Atl G)	1273	184	282060	3	56/5
36	42	JC CHASEZ Blowin' Me Up... (Jive)	1240	-247	228701	14	108/0
41	43	NELLY Air Force Ones (FR/Universal)	1219	-108	110659	20	101/0
39	44	BLU CANTRELL Breathe (Arista)	1208	-156	110309	8	55/0
35	45	BON JOVI Misunderstood (Island/IDJ)	1173	-341	104302	11	83/0
45	46	GOOD CHARLOTTE Lifestyles Of... (Daylight/Epic)	1162	-109	132423	20	105/0
49	47	LISA MARIE PRESLEY Lights Out (Capitol)	1124	156	122600	6	70/1
DEBUT	48	NAS I Can (Columbia/CRG)	1111	252	133555	1	56/6
37	49	KELLY ROWLAND Can't Nobody (Columbia/CRG)	1095	-389	103883	7	70/0
50	50	SNOOP DOGG Beautiful (Pri/Capitol)	1032	82	93829	2	53/4

## MOST ADDED

1. JENNIFER LOPEZ I'm Glad (Epic)	75	6. AUDIOSLAVE Like A Stone (Epic/Interscope)	13
2. JEWEL Intuition (Atlantic/Atl G)	72	6. FOO FIGHTERS Times Like These (Roswell/RCA)	13
3. EVANESCENCE Bring Me To Life (Wind-up)	23	6. LILLIX It's About Time (Maverick/Reprise)	13
4. JASON MRAZ The Remedy (Elektra/EEG)	21	6. PLAY I Must Not Chase The Boys (Columbia/CRG)	13
5. SEAN PAUL Get Busy (VP/Atlantic/Atl G)	19	6. SUM 41 Hell Song (Def Jam/IDJ)	13

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**Music First™ Top 20 Countdown**





# POP MART



## Pop Go The Weasels

by Billy Bored

In the midst of the industry's constant upheaval, let's look at what keeps the Record Biz running. HITS!... Capitol's Hubbard, Green & Baker have research & momentum on Lisa Marie Presley. She's very visible on a National Media Blitz, her debut album is released, and Top 40 spins turn-around strong. "Lights Out" IS A HIT! Top 40's warmed up to Coldplay in a BIG way & crossover is underway for Snoop Dogg...Nipper's new "Dawg House" has hits! RCA/J's Palmese & Bergin move Christina Top 15, debut Tyrese at CHR & have Busta Rhymes' biggest Top 40 hit yet with "I Know What You Like" f/Mariah Carey.



**Joel Klaiman:**  
*The Orange was it.*

Play now & thank us later...Evanescence is doing at Top 40 what they did at PoMo, EXPLODING! Already Top 25 & Wind-up's Lori Holder-Anderson says they are going #1...The CHR Top 5, familiar territory for Joe Riccitelli, this time R. Kelly & Justin Timberlake keep Jive's string-o-hits intact as Bowling For Soup moves Top 20 with 3000+ spins...Warner's Grover, Boulos, Connone & Flea quickly have a Top 40 fire lit for Madonna & if you want something more rhythmic, they'll be happy to send you Paul Oakenfold's re-mixes...Epic's Joel & Tommy have the next BIG multi-format Rock hit for Mainstream with Audioslave's "Like A Stone." 30 Million in sales & GIGANTIC video exposure, you should get on it now or you'll be late! Good Charlotte rocks into CHR's Top 20, Ginuwine has over 2500+ spins plus Jennifer Lopez & B2K are quickly chart bound...Virgin's Hilary, Jason & Danny fly into the Top 3 with Amanda Perez's "Angel," a true Top 40 blessing & Stacie Orrico soars Top 20 while sticking around in TRL's Top 10...John Mayer's already blowing-up at Hot & Modern AC, now Columbia's Walk & Glassman are connecting at CHR, as they keep Nas & Frankie J edging closer to the chart, while impacting America's next BIG Pop hit Play's "I Must Not Chase The Boys"... Eminem's latest looks like one of his biggest, as "Sing" soars Top 10 with Top 40's biggest spin increase, and Counting Crows debut strong on the CHR Chart for Interscope's Romano & Lopes. Research at Hot AC has sent their smash into orbit... MCA's Greg Marella takes Field Mob's first Top 40 hit to 1800+ spins with solid research stories...The all-girl band Lillix is quickly in "play" with major CHR adds for Reprise's Phil Costello & Maverick's Ken Lucek. Did we tell you how much we love Fleetwood Mac's "Peacekeeper?" Listen & you will too...Hot & Modern AC agrees, "The Remedy" by Jason Mraz is a hit & now Top 40 steps up to the plate with adds for Elektra's Reese, Lewis & Starr...Swung on & hit the All-American Rejects is a home-run for DreamWorks' Leben, Tuggey & Barbis (Baseball's back & we need it bad)... Requests, sales and a Top 10 CHR hit, we're talkin' Daniel Bedingfield! IDJ's Ken, Mike & Erik have it going on with Jay-Z's hit crossing to Top 40, Sum 41's "Hell Song" Top 10 on MTV's TRL Countdown & Theory Of A Deadman grabbing more CHR adds...Have you noticed the major adds Big 3 Entertainment's Mark Landis is getting on Rachel Farris? We have! Also check out Prymary Colorz, with one of the best pop tunes out...Universal's Val & Dave are knocking on Top 40's #1 door with 3 Doors Down, as Aaliyah spins a path toward Top 10, Brian McKnight's sells solid for a second week & Android's "Madonna" grab early believers...Arista's Steve, Joe & Margaret-Ann move Avril's 4th hit Top 30 at CHR & gain momentum on "Nothing At All" from Santana's 1.8 Million selling album...Atlantic's Andrea, Danny & Pamela debut BIG at Top 40 with Sean Paul as Wayne Wonder waits for his spot this Monday & Matchbox Twenty moves Top 25 with monster research...Music We Love: Foo Fighters, Troys, Train and Rachel Loy.



HE'S PEAK'D: KLLC's John Peake (r) boasted, "My shirt is the most beautiful of them all! None of you are wearing a shirt as luxurious as mine!" Seen not caring but definitely judging from l-r are: Big 3's Kim Hughes, KLLC's Derek Madden, Big 3 artist Rachel Farris & Peake.



ARE YOU HOT? HITS' Bobbii Hach-Jacobs (not pictured, which is an oddity) is taking a poll. Sure Elektra's Steven Jenkins (Third Eye Blind) is pictured, but Bobbii would like to know if you think she's: a) almost as hot as KRSK's Sheryl Stewart, b) as hot as Sheryl or c) not even close.

## Set-Up Box



**Joe Reichling:**  
*Thunderpuss.*

Whitney Houston returns to the sound that made her famous with "Try It On My Own!" Produced by Babyface, who lends his background vocals on the single, this is Whitney's strongest ballad in years. She still knocks us out with her emotional & powerful voice and for programmers so inclined, Arista included a classic Thunderpuss remix on the CD Pro which shipped to radio for adds now! Joe Reichling hasn't been this fired-up since Antonio "LA" Reid actually remembered his name.



**Pamela Joan:**  
*Jewel of New York.*

America's love affair with Jewel began with 1995's Pieces Of You. Producing hits like "Who Will Save Your Soul" & "Foolish Games," her debut is over 10 Million sold & Jewel's combined album sales top 25 Million Worldwide. Now, from her as-yet untitled new album, comes her most innovative single yet "Intuition." We love this rarely heard Pop side of Jewel! But, what does Radio think? Atlantic's Pamela Joan says "Most Added" at Hot AC & CHR speaks for itself!



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# HITS WAVELLENGTH

BY LENNY BEER & TODD HENSLEY

Top story of the week is out of New York (no, not the Syracuse NCAA basketball win), but the long-awaited flip of Infinity's WNEW. The station, which bears the name 102.7 Blink, will be a current-based, slightly rhythm-leaning music station that targets females. The Andy Schoun-led ship is helmed by WXRK OM Steve Kingston. The company is also throwing a big kickoff party Thursday night (4/10). Word out of Manhattan is that, despite the weather, the butt-kissing lines are already forming.... Also in NYC, EMI is set to form an auxiliary promotion department for releases that fall outside Capitol and Virgin's priorities. Blue Note's Kevin Carroll will head up promotion efforts, with former Artemis promo player

Mitch Mills joining as his lieutenant..... Epic's Joel Klaiman is celebrating not only the Orangemen win but two

weeks in a row of Most Added honors at Top 40.... What well-respected major-market programmer is being wooed

for an important A&R post on the label side?.... Capitol's Lisa Marie Presley is showing strong out-of-the-box sales and is starting to garner callout at radio.... Citadel Top 40/Mainstream KZMG Boise PD Beau Richards exits the station and will leave the radio wars after almost 30 years. He is teaming up with Ted Michaud and Associates, which creates promotional merchandise for radio.... Big 10 at MTV are Audioslave, Christina Aguilera, Nas, Justin Timberlake, R. Kelly, Sean Paul, Linkin Park, Eminem, Snoop Dogg and 50 Cent.... Blowin' in the Wind: Caroline Bazbaz, Tony Monte, Andrea Kline, Rick Thomas, Sherri Trahan, Terry Anzaldo and Sheryl Stewart.



Murder Inc.'s Ja Rule visits WIOQ, where he convinces the following to help him move his label's offices into 50 Cent's house during one of those times you wish Bobby Poe was still around (l-r): WIOQ's Todd Shannon, IDJ's Trina Morehouse & WIOQ's Marian Newsome.



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