

clairerecords and tonevendor proudly present:



various artists - test tones vol. 2.1 CD

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**bio**

Clairerecords, in conjunction with toneVENDOR, presents the second volume in their quarterly compilation series titled "test tones". The idea behind the series is to showcase some of the best bands, labels and releases offered by toneVENDOR mailorder and distribution. Volume 1.1 kicked off late last year with an overwhelming success. Volume 2.1 is looking to be even bigger and better, with more tracks, more exclusives, and an unparalleled crop of talent!

Jamming 24 tracks by 24 artists in just a hair short of 80 minutes, Test Tones Volume 2.1 is packed to the gills with great tunes at a bargain price! HALF of the tracks here are EXCLUSIVE, from artists like Midsummer, Le Pepes, The Birthday Machine, Sexconsciousyoungmoderns, Remora, Morella's Forest, Your Favorite Horse (aka Accelera Deck), Pony Express(members of Starflyer 59), Trace (ex-Rocketship & Electro Group members), Shakespace, Ksine, and Silver Screen. But you also get a dozen more tracks from recent and forthcoming releases by For Against, Mean Red Spiders, Ai Phoenix, The Flir, Cat and Dog Dialogue, Lab Partners, Silent Kids, The Caribbean, The Rules, Whirlaway, Valet, and Dreamend. These artists come from labels such as Clairerecords, Endearing, Top Quality Rock & Roll, Kittridge, SunSeaSky, Silber, Sonic Syrup, Velvet Blue Music, Omnibus, Words on Music, Popgun, Big Beef, Two Sheds, Snowglobe, Graveface and more! These are all labels that are making a difference in today's independent music community, so you need to check out what they have to offer!

Although this release was originally slated for late Winter 2003, delays in production have brought its release into summer 2003. This matters not, for the music herein is what really matters! Test Tones Volume 2.1, as with all volumes in the Test Tones series, is strictly limited to 1000 copies, with only half of that amount available to distributors and record shops worldwide. The first volume in the series is nearly sold out already, so don't hesitate!!

selling points

- TWELVE exclusive tracks to this release!
- limited to just 1000 copies
- are you kidding?? look how cheap this is!!!
- second in a series that is already quite successful!

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track listing

1. For Against-Medication
- 2.*Midsummer-Silent Blue (Violet Mix)
- 3.*Le Pepes-All Star Low
4. Mean Red Spiders-My Soul To Keep
- 5.*Birthday Machine-closet superhero
- 6.*Sexconsciousyoungmoderns-Brown Eyed Girl
- 7.*Remora-Angel Fall
8. Ai Phoenix - Revolutionfriend
- 9.*Morella's Forest-Hopeless (Original Version)
10. The Flir-Golden
- 11.*Your Favorite Horse-Tuning Up On Cloud Nine
- 12.*Pony Express - Living On Dimes
13. Cat and Dog Dialogue - Beep The Horn!
14. Lab Partners-Those Things
- 15.) Silent Kids - Engine of a Lifetime
- 16.) *Trace-Rollin' Mice
- 17.) The Caribbean-Bulbs and Switches
- 18.) The Rules-CanadianCraftsmanship
- 19.) Whirlaway-strangeplanes
- 20.) *Shakespace-newlands
- 21.) Valet - Ode to an Auteur
- 22.) *Ksine-Godrest3
- 23.) Dreamend-Ellipsis (part 3)
- 24.) *Silver Screen-All I Have

* indicates exclusive track!

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