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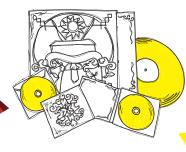




BESPOKE PACKAGING



### WELCOME TO DMS!



We are one of the major UK & European based suppliers of vinyl records, discs, cassettes and custom packaging



we are reputed for providing the finest quality materials and service

we pledge a 100% satisfaction guarantee, every single time





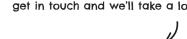
we manufacture for satisfied artists and labels all over the world, and have hundreds of 5 star reviews online!

5 STAR RATED

found a better quote elsewhere?

we work hard to ensure that we supply only top quality products at competitive prices

**COMPETITIVE PRICING** 

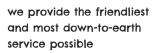




#### GLOBAL SHIPPING



we ship worldwide direct from our UK and European warehouses



efficiency and quality are at the heart of our ethos



#### 1<sup>ST</sup> CLASS CUSTOMER SERVICE



we strive to offer the best lead times in the industry



get in touch to find out our current turnground times



FANTASTIC LEAD TIMES











### WHO WE ARE

A world player in major music manufacturing, DMS has grown organically alongside some of the now-most successful independent labels out there today. Competitive on price, unbeatable on quality and with some of the fastest lead times around, we pride ourselves in our capacity to handle everything from incredibly complex vinyl box sets with specialist inks and print finishes, to the simplest of short-run CD, DVD and cassette products.

Our friendly team are comprised of musicians, artists and record store crate diggers, fuelled by the passions of the independent sector to strive to make a lasting difference to local and international music scenes.



In our free time, the DMS family are gig-goers and songwriters, photographers and event organisers, vinyl ambassadors, community activists and inherent believers that music is one of the most vital cornerstones of our society.



#### **TRADING 20+ YEARS**

born in the South West over 20 years ago, DMS has grown to become one of the key players in the manufacturing game



we've always been conscious of our footprint, and we encourage our clients to do the same wherever possible





#### **COMMUNITY FOCUSED**

we have a rich history of supporting local creative ventures, educational projects, grassroots music venues, and emerging artists and labels







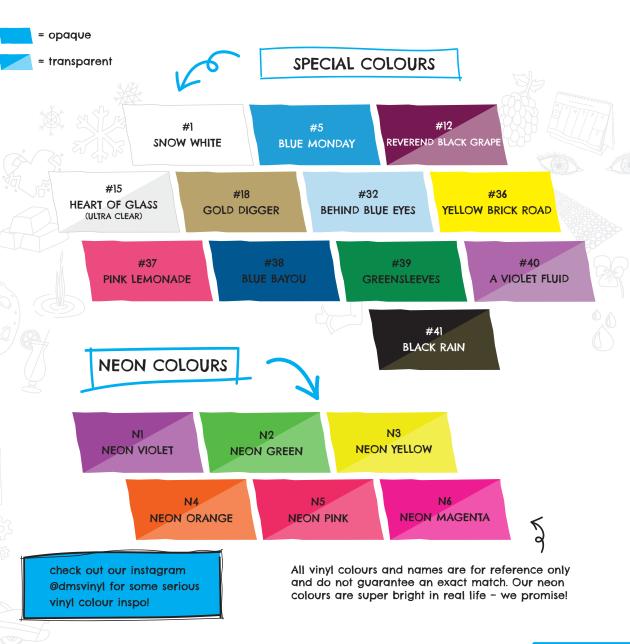
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### VINYL COLOURS

STANDARD COLOURS

Not sure what colour to go for? Just ask - our account managers and graphic designers are experts in recommending the perfect vinyl colours and effects to match the look and feel of your artwork!





### **VINYL EFFECTS**







HALF & HALF



COLOUR IN COLOUR



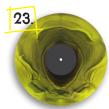
SIDE A/B



TRI-COLOUR

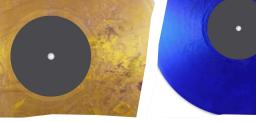


**GLITTER** MD (DELUXE) & HB METALLICS





RIPPLE





QUAD



TWISTED STRIPE



SMOKE/SB BLENDS



MARBLE/MB & CB BLENDS



INSOMNIA



the number 8, 9 and 22 blends are a range of set colour combinations with a huge variety of options. from creamy pastels and shimmery metallics to smokey shades and bright blends, there are over 135 to choose from!







**STARBURST** 



ECO MIX



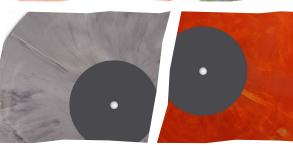
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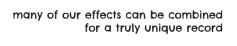
DD GALAXY



**SPINNER** 



why not try combining multiple effects?





TRIPLE BUTTONS



MOON PHASE



**BUTTERFLY** 



GLOW IN THE DARK



CLOUDY







### SURFACE EFFECTS

No one likes leaving one side of their record blank, and you don't have to. Check out the options below to really make your release stand out from the crowd.



#### **SHAPED**

make your records in all sorts of weird and wonderful shapes!

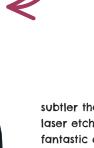
smaller cd-sized circles, or custom shapes like stars, hearts or triangles



#24 PURPLE RAIN

#### ACID ETCHED

a traditional method for etching records



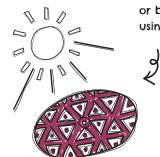
subtler than laser etching, but fantastic quality





when a mirror finish or silent groove just won't do!

if you're only pressing one side of audio, spice up side b with a screen-printed design



we can also print your CMYK or black and white image using UV printing



FYI: you can also make your mark on your records by engraving your artist, label or company name into the runout groove. There is space for a maximum of 60 characters per side, including any spaces.













### OTHER OPTIONS



printed material sandwiched between a clear plastic compound into which the grooves are pressed

DMS are the absolute best in the business, we'd never go anywhere else.

- CARGO

popular since the early 70s, they are especially suited to limited edition pressings + collector's items

FLEXI DISCS

made with printed cardboard + coated with standard machine varnish



made from a thin flexible PVC compound with a one colour stamped hot-foil design

FLEXI POSTCARDS

great ways to distribute creative promotional material! pressed using 100% recycled compound, made from leftover materials from other pressings

ECO MIX VINYL

creating a completely random and unique effect with Lucky Dip, or choose which colour range you would prefer from a set collection of colours

> "We've gone down the Ecomix route on a number of releases. It's amazing we can now incorporate an element of recycling in the production process. Plus the results are always surprising and unique."

> LAGS | VENN RECORDS





fast becoming our most

popular colour option for the

environmentally conscious!

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### VINYL PACKAGING



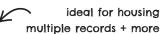


keep your prized vinyl safe + sound

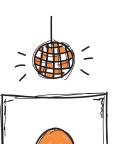
takes a record packed to an inner sleeve



the ultimate luxury in vinyl packaging



see our full range of vinyl packaging options at: discmanufacturingservices.com On a budget? Looking to make a splash? Either way, you'll find exactly what you're looking for within our extensive range of ever-popular vinyl packaging options.



#### DISCOBAGS

no need for inner sleeves



easy on the wallet!











sturdiest standard sleeves in the game

**GATEFOLDS** 









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### **ECO-PACKAGING OPTIONS**

**FSC-CERTIFIED STOCKS** 





the majority of printed materials you can order are available with FSC certificates and provide the best ratio of eco-responsibility and quality

if we allow additional time we can ensure FSC certified stocks and appropriate logos/identifiers are added to artwork too



#### **RECYCLING OPTIONS**

goods are shipped in up to 93% recycled and 100% recyclable shipping boxes



we can offer various recycled stock options



We've campaigned for over a decade to spotlight the amount of plastic in our oceans, polluting our beaches and killing our wildlife. We take an active stance on reducing our carbon footprint, and strive to provide environmentally-conscious packaging solutions wherever possible.

#### 100% RECYCLED POLY OVERBAGS

#### **ECO-FRIENDLY BIO-WRAP**



conventional shrink-wrap is a disposable plastic component; this can be substituted for 100% recycled PE over bags or eco-friendly bio-wrap

#### **VEGETABLE INKS**

raw plant-based inks and water-based dispersion varnishes are used as standard (on non UV printed materials). plantbased inks do not contain any cobalt or mineral oils

#### ECO CD DIGIPACK TRAYS



made from seaweed, egg carton material or sugar cane instead of plastic



### **EXTRAS** BOOKLETS, INSERTS & POSTERS consider a printed insert, or go all out with a poster for your fans' bedroom walls \*39 PINK ROBOTS got lots of images or information to include? consider a lyric sheet or multi page booklet **STICKERS** we offer high quality advertising stickers in all shapes, sizes and materials draw extra attention to your records or CDs or the extras found inside! **BARCODES** we can generate a barcode and add it to your artwork

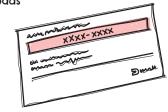
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Make your releases stand out from the crowd with the addition of booklets, download cards and stickers, to name a few. Check out some of our most popular extras below.

#### DOWNLOAD CARDS

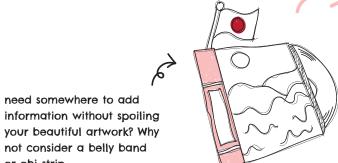
boost your record sales with free digital downloads

or obi strip



10% off all orders with our friends over at ProCards - the world's premier download card provider

#### **OBI STRIPS & BELLY BANDS**







### CARD STOCKS

OFFSET/UNCOATED PAPER - 140gsm. textured feel similar to copy paper

Everyone is always complimenting us on the high quality of our vinyl releases and we know that is down to the high standards held at DMS. " - MARY | TONN RECORDINGS



REVERSE BOARD - give your release a textured feel by printing to the uncoated side of the card

#### **UPGRADES**

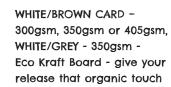
PANTONE COLOURS - all of our printed parts can be produced using Pantone inks for precise colour reproduction. With options for neons, pastels and metallics. you can really make your print stand out!



### **STANDARD**

WHITE/WHITE CARD - 265gsm as standard, also available in 320 + 400gsm

> ART PAPER - 200gsm. gloss or matt







Jon Brooks AUTRES DIRECTIONS





### PRINT FINISHES

SPOT GLOSS UV - make certain elements stand out by applying the varnish to specific areas

**GLOSS MACHINE** VARNISH - our default option for printed parts, colours appear rich + vivid with a soft sheen



GLOSS LAMINATION - super reflective, perfect for bringing out the vibrancy of colours





UV PRINTING - an eco friendly option, available in gloss for vibrant colours or matt for a more subdued look



#### **MATT FINISHES**

MATT LAMINATION - improves the tactile feel of the surface. giving it a smooth feel

MATT MACHINE VARNISH - our standard + most cost effective matt varnish, a non-glossy + smooth look







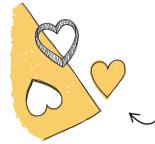
### SPECIAL FINISHES

#### HOT FOILING

the shiny metallic appearance of hot foiling makes for an incredibly attractive product



we offer many colours including gold, silver + glitter foils

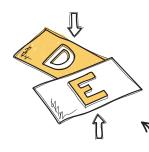


### DIE CUTTING

create cut-out shapes to show off your artwork underneath

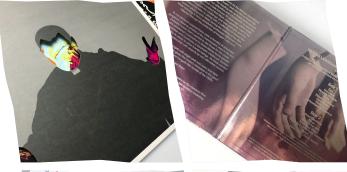
#### EMBOSSING & DEBOSSING

check out our instagram @dmsvinyl for more photos of our special print finishes



make your print positively 3D with raised or stamped surfaces to compliment your designs









### **LAMINATIONS**

#### **GOLD & SILVER**



add full coverage gold or silver lamination for that super shiny metallic look





want rainbows, stars or geometric shapes? holographic lamination will make your packaging sing

#### HARDBACK BOOK-LOOK



have lots of information, multiple records or even CDs? our books are fully bespoke to show off everything in one package and can be tailored to meet your needs

#### **CASEWRAPPING**

ultra professional, similar in construction to a hard back book, and is as gourmet as it gets

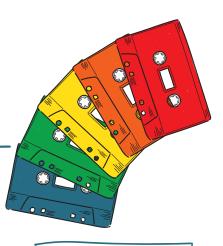


### **CASSETTES**

### TRADITIONAL CASES



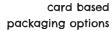
from completely clear to coloured, there is a case for everyone



#### CASSETTE SHELLS

these come in a multitude of colours - black, white, solid, transparent, neon, glitter, glow in the dark, metallic... the list goes on

Get all physical formats for your release in one place, by adding cassettes to your arsenal.





O - CARDS



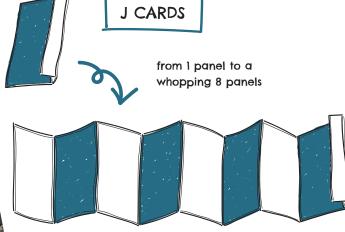
you have the option to use an o-card on its own, or to fit over a standard case



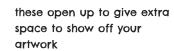




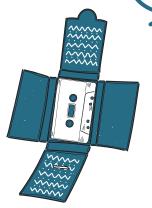


















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# CD & DVD PACKAGING



customisable with mooncuts, pockets + more!

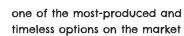




largely cardbased, but with a tray for maximum protection of

the disc

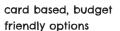








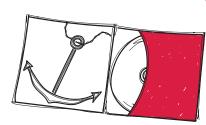
On a budget? Looking to make a splash? Either way, you'll find exactly what you're looking for within our extensive range of ever-popular CD and DVD packaging options.





# CARD WALLETS & LANCING PACKS

ideal for promo purposes but you still want to show off some artwork

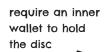




see our full range of packaging options for discs at:
discmanufacturingservices.com

















### GRAPHIC DESIGN



DEGREE STANDARD



our in-house graphic design team are all trained to degree-standard at a minimum

Staffed by friendly and passionate music fans, who clearly care about the products that they are making "

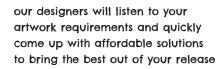
- NAT | SONIC CATHEDRAL

**EXPERIENCED CREATIVES** 



years of experience working in the music industry taking care of all our clients' needs







The DMS graphic design team take great pride and care in the production of your artwork, ensuring the highest possible quality output with every project. Whether we're readying your supplied files for print or assisting you in the graphic design aspects of your project, we'll work with you to help maximise your print potential.

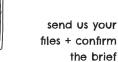
Need a hand? Our graphic design service couldn't be simpler...



call or email us to

discuss what you want







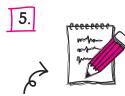
supply us with any text + images you want to include

2.





we will estimate how long the design setup will take + send you a quote



we'll work closely with you to make tweaks and finalise the designs





if you're happy with the quote, we'll make the first set of proofs for you



approval! we will prepare your files for production







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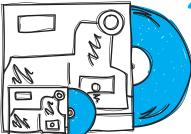
# **MASTERING**

WORLD CLASS



our audio engineers are highly experienced + industry-proven



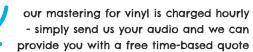


VINYL & DIGITAL

we offer vinyl, CD and digital mastering

our engineers harness specifically tailored hardware and software to get the most out of your recordings

#### **HOURLY RATE**



we guarantee our mastering 100%, if you're genuinely and justifiably not happy, we won't charge you

Our world class vinyl mastering service offers you access to highly experienced, industry-proven engineers at extremely competitive rates. If you need your audio to be mastered by us, the engineers will listen very carefully to your original mixes, take on board any notes and requests you provide and make the fine adjustments needed to transform your audio into a finished master.

> send us your audio files

Need an ear? Our mastering service couldn't be simpler...



call or email us to discuss what you want



we will estimate how long the mastering will take + send you a quote



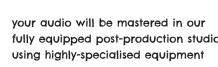
approval! we will prepare your audio for production



our engineers will listen to your audio carefully + review it



your audio will be mastered in our fully equipped post-production studio





# WHAT TO EXPECT



get in touch: hello@discmanufacturingservices.com +44 (0) 1752 201275

4.

one of our friendly account managers will send you a quote + walk you through the process



send us your artwork and audio files. artwork is checked by the design team and digital proofs are sent for your approval. audio files are checked carefully to make sure everything is perfect.

3.



pay for your order (once the quote has been agreed) Getting vinyl pressed or discs manufactured with us is easy! Just follow the steps below to get started.



your discs are manufactured at

our world-class production plant

your order is shipped to you via our trusted couriers...



...and delivered straight to your door!









" DMS go above and beyond in quality control, customer service and discovering new effects/ colour mixes "

- SPENCER HICKMAN I MADE BY MUTANT



all done! your vinyl and/or discs are ready for your latest tour

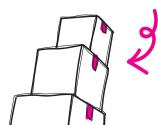






### WHAT ELSE?

NO JOB IS TOO BIG...



we pride ourselves in our capacity to handle everything from incredibly complex vinyl box sets with specialist inks and print finishes...





...to the simplest of short-run CD and **DVD** products

> we produce and distribute our products all over the world

WORLDWIDE DISTRIBUTION

### CREDIT ACCOUNTS



looking to press with us regularly? We offer credit accounts with varying terms for frequent pressers \*.

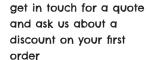
\* credit accounts are subject to passing a company credit check







### **INTRODUCTORY OFFERS**















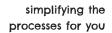
If you create music, press records or sell CDs then we'd love to meet you. There are various ways you can stay in the loop - get in touch for a quote, follow us on social media, or check out our news blog!

### OUR NEWS BLOG

tips + tricks for getting the best out of your release



emerging artists series - our collective advice for emerging artists, penned by a passionate team of musicians + artists heavily involved in the music industry





### AN ONLINE COMMUNITY



we have tens of thousands of followers across all our social media channels



get involved with artist live streams, competitions, music news + more,











QUALITY GUARANTEE



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