
Drose — boy man machine+

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ABOUT

Drose is an experimental rock band from Columbus, Ohio, featuring the songwriting and voice of Dustin Rose. Their fevered, nihilistic new release, boy man machine+, combines their 2016 album of the same name with their debut 7", "a voice", and an assemblage of unreleased tracks – all freshly remastered by veteran engineer Carl Saff.

Dustin Rose calls boy man machine+ "an indictment of human consciousness." The music explores the torments of sentience through the sound of machines across four uncompromising sides of vinyl, featuring slashing lines from guitarist Gregory Packet and bizarre drum patterns from John Mengerink. The results are harsh, bewildering and strangely beautiful.

boy man machine+ will be out on October 18 2019 via Computer Students, a unique, futuristic record label as part of North of the Internet, Inc. It will be the first under their new Anatomical Reissues series, which reissues albums with highly conceptual design and presentation.

ADDITIONAL NOTES ABOUT THE RECORDING

This album was written and recorded during the design and construction of a race car at the Center for Automotive Research in Columbus, Ohio, USA. The facility was home to constant manufacturing activity and cavernous ambient spaces where the machines, instruments and vocals were recorded.

The main studio for live instruments and vocals was underneath a sectioned steel floor in a heavy-duty chassis dynamometer facility. Accessing the underside of the floor required a forklift to move one of the floor sections. This confined space was affectionately referred to as "the hole." The album also showcases CNC mills and lathes, robotic welding, pneumatics and other mechanical sonic sources to represent the voice of the machine.

FORMAT NOTES

boy man machine+ is offered in three forms:

– 2xLP with all sides running at 33rpm, inside a superb gatefold cover with high-gloss lamination finish, and a 12-page codex guide all housed in a unique aluminum sleeve.

– CD with artwork and info printed directly on transparent super jewel case.

– MP3 and M4A digital files for download as well as streaming on all platforms.

TRACKLISTING

1. the unraveling	02:07:31
2. an idol	02:22:44
3. a loss	05:24:11
4. numerical control	05:30:03
5. mechanism is lord	04:12:57
6. a clay mind	03:06:09
7. the man	02:43:74
8. a change	05:48:63
9. heat and patience	02:55:48
10. his reflection	04:50:58
11. mine	05:35:15
12. a room	05:44:65
13. the tapping	06:54:62
14. a voice	03:21:16
15. my face	04:31:15
16. a cry	04:27:40
17. knuckle	02:56:00

CREDITS

All tracks recorded and mixed by Dustin Rose at The Center for Automotive Research, Columbus, Ohio, USA and mastered or remastered by Carl Saff.

– Tracks 1 to 10 contain the "boy man machine" album, originally released in 2016 and remastered by Carl Saff in 2019.

– Tracks 11 to 13 contain unreleased songs recorded in December 2018 and mastered by Carl Saff in 2019.

– Tracks 14 to 17 contain Drose's debut 7", "a voice", originally released in 2012 and remastered by Carl Saff in 2019.