::FB01 - The Compact Disc

rothkamm's FB01 is a set of 6 synthesizer pieces with 7 sonic IDs, utopian and scientific. Recorded in full stereophonic sound, FB01 sweetens rothkamm's uncompromising experimentation with the crowd-pleasing sleight of "head music". Over 6 extended passages, pure electronic music burbles, shimmers, surges, swoops and speaker-pans in hazily melodic and crystalline shapes. FB01 is a consummate headphone album, a crafty and cosmic delight guaranteed to captivate all contemplating minds.

rothkamm's FB01 investigates the realms of pure electronic music; synthesized only through mathematical operations on sine waves, the most fundamental building blocks of sound. A nod to the first pioneers of electronic music, notably the "Forbidden Planet" work of Carlos & Bebe Barron, Vladimir Ussachevsky's signal generator experiments, and the electronic serialism of Herbert Eimert and Franco Evangelisti that emerged in the 50s from the WDR studios in Cologne. rothkamm's aesthetic harvests the utopian energy of these modernists to form a supermodernism. Not unlike Raymond Scott's 1958 modifications of a Theremin, which led to his 'Clavivox' synthesizer, rothkamm's 2002 'IFORMM' system takes a commercial sound module and transforms it into a enigmatic new form of a sound-sculpting instrument.

rothkamm's FB01 was recorded in Hollywood and manufactured in a limited edition of 500. The Compact Disc is purely electronic and makes full use of the left - right - and phantom channel.

[01]	rothkamm	IDHollywood	2003
[02]	rothkamm	Incident outside MesquiteHollywood	2003
[03]	rothkamm	IDHollywood	2003
[04]	rothkamm	Message from Space MountainHollywood	2002
[05]	rothkamm	IDHollywood	2003
[06]	rothkamm	Independent Bernoulli TrialsHollywood	2003
[07]	rothkamm	IDHollywood	2003
[08]	rothkamm	Earth Frequency OscillatorHollywood	2002
[09]	rothkamm	IDHollywood	2003
[10]	rothkamm	Binary Rhythms of the Lizard People .Hollywood	2003
[11]	rothkamm	IDHollywood	2003
[12]	rothkamm	Atmospheric.CompositionHollywood	2002
[13]	rothkamm	IDHollywood	2003
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