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VINYL  
PRESSING

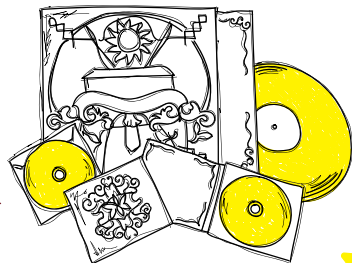
GRAPHIC  
DESIGN

CASSETTE,  
CD & DVD  
MANUFACTURING

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

## QUALITY GUARANTEE

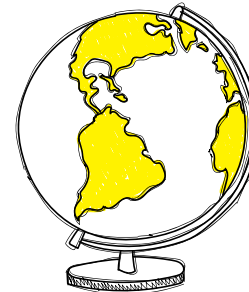
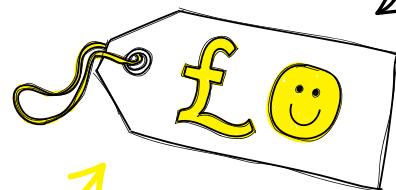


we manufacture for satisfied artists and labels all over the world, and have hundreds of 5 star reviews online!

## 5 STAR RATED

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

we provide the friendliest and most down-to-earth service possible

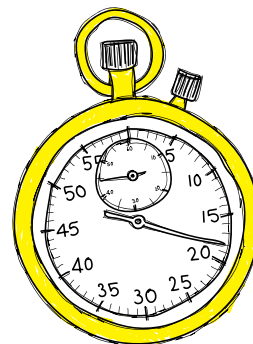
efficiency and quality are at the heart of our ethos



## 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 turnaround times



## FANTASTIC LEAD TIMES

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# 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

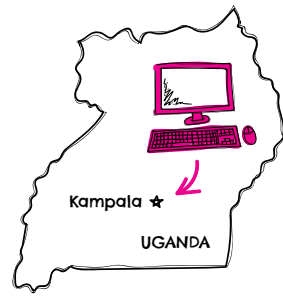
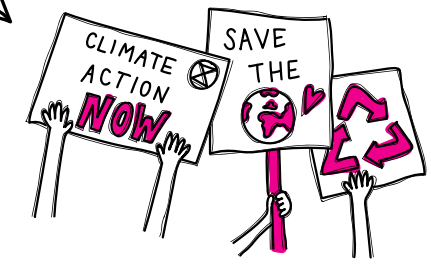
born in the South West over 20 years ago, DMS has grown to become one of the key players in the manufacturing game

"The products and prices are great but it's the customer service which has really kept us coming back. Always in contact and happy to help"

- KEV | BIG SCARY MONSTERS

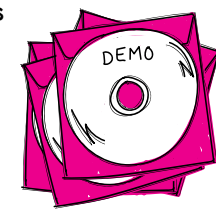
## ENVIRONMENTAL AMBASSADORS

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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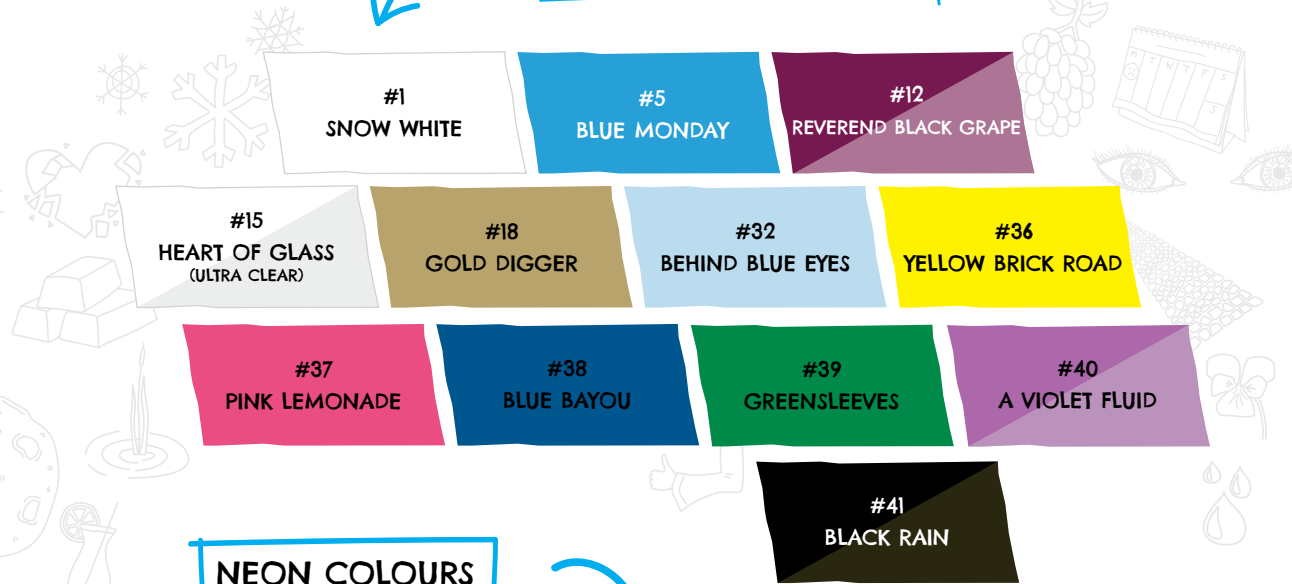
# VINYL COLOURS

## STANDARD COLOURS

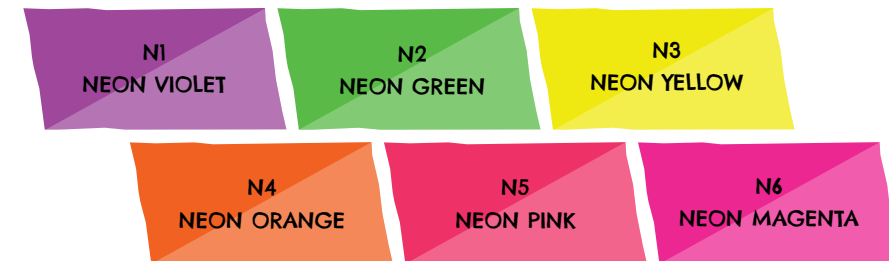
Not sure what colour to go for?  
Just ask – our account managers  
and graphic designers are experts in  
recommending the perfect vinyl colours  
and effects to match the look and feel  
of your artwork!

 = opaque  
 = transparent

## SPECIAL COLOURS



## NEON COLOURS



check out our instagram  
@dmsvinyl for some serious  
vinyl colour inspo!

All vinyl colours and names are for reference only  
and do not guarantee an exact match. Our neon  
colours are super bright in real life – we promise!



# VINYL EFFECTS

1.

SPLATTER

2.

HALF & HALF

3.

COLOUR IN COLOUR

4.

SIDE A/B

5.

TRI-COLOUR

6.

QUAD

7.

TWISTED STRIPE

8.

SMOKE/SB BLENDS

9.

MARBLE/MB & CB BLENDS

10.

INSOMNIA

11.

STARBURST

12.

ECO MIX

13.

CORNETTO

14.

DD GALAXY

15.

SPINNER

16.

TRIPLE BUTTONS

17.

MOON PHASE

18.

BUTTERFLY

19.

GLOW IN THE DARK

20.

CLOUDY

21.

GLITTER

22.

MD (DELUXE) & HB METALLICS

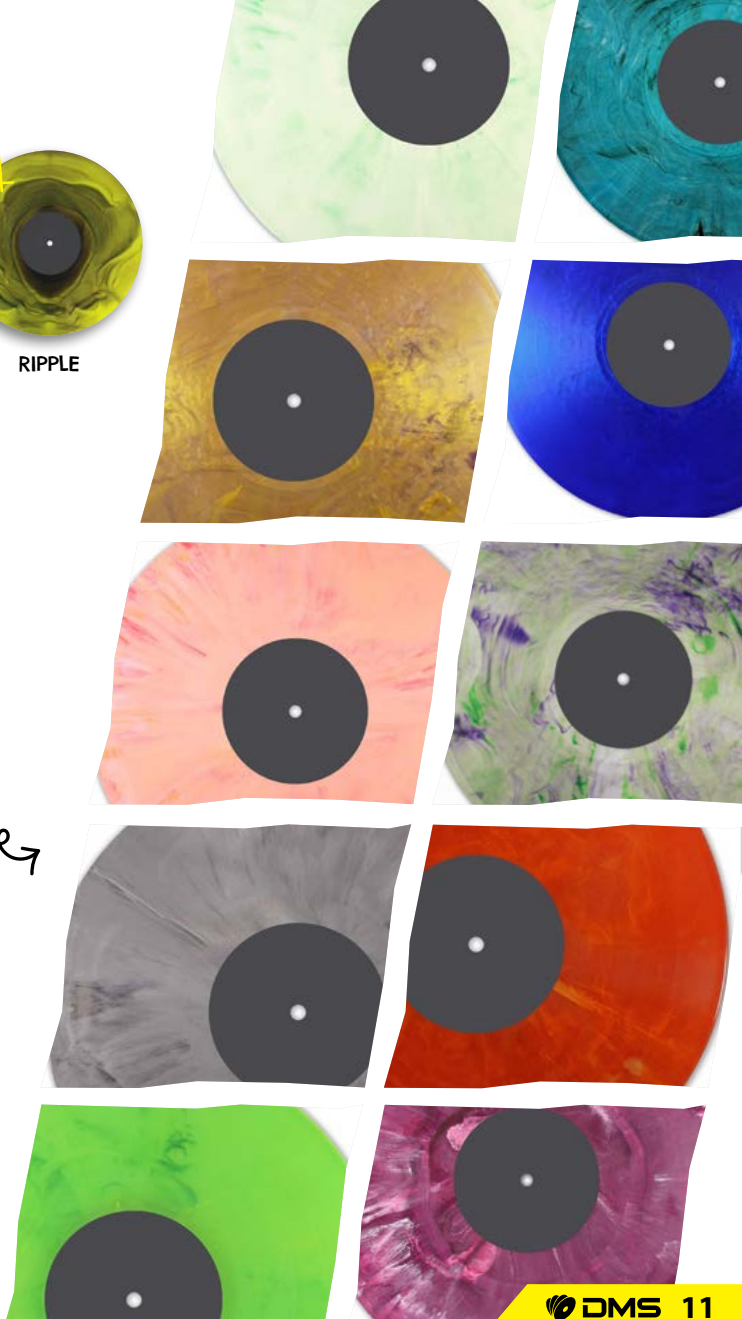
23.

RIPPLE

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!

why not try combining multiple effects?

many of our effects can be combined for a truly unique record





# 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

## ACID ETCHED

a traditional method for etching records

subtler than laser etching, but fantastic quality

## SCREEN PRINTED

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

## UV PRINTED

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.



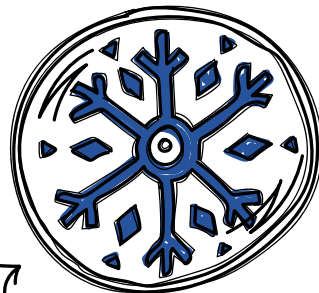
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#24 PURPLE RAIN



# OTHER OPTIONS

## PICTURE DISCS

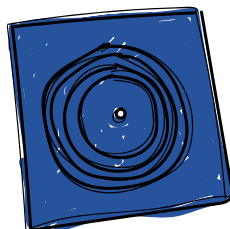


printed material sandwiched between a clear plastic compound into which the grooves are pressed

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

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

## FLEXI DISCS



made with printed cardboard + coated with standard machine varnish

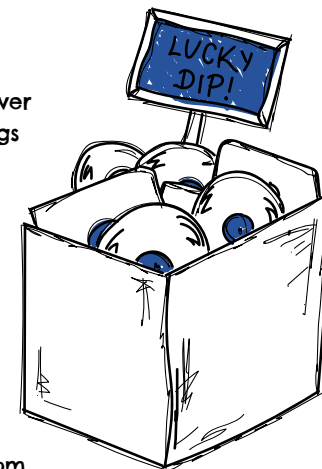
made from a thin flexible PVC compound with a one colour stamped hot-foil design

## FLEXI POSTCARDS

great ways to distribute creative promotional material!

## ECO MIX VINYL

pressed using 100% recycled compound, made from leftover materials from other pressings



fast becoming our most popular colour option for the environmentally conscious!

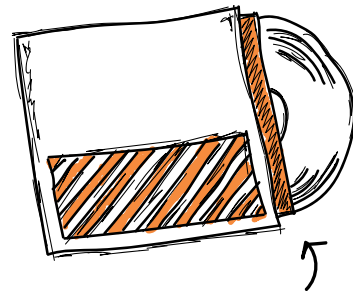
creating a completely random and unique effect with Lucky Dip, or choose which colour range you would prefer from a set collection of colours

"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

# VINYL PACKAGING

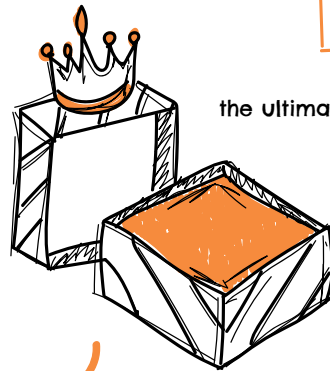
## OUTER SLEEVES



keep your  
prized vinyl  
safe + sound

takes a record packed  
to an inner sleeve

## BOX SETS & SLIPCASES



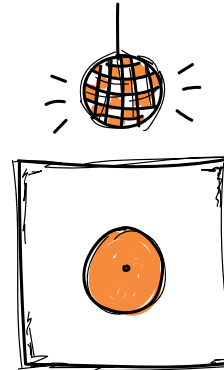
the ultimate luxury in vinyl packaging

ideal for housing  
multiple records + more

see our full range of vinyl  
packaging options at:  
[discmanufacturingservices.com](http://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

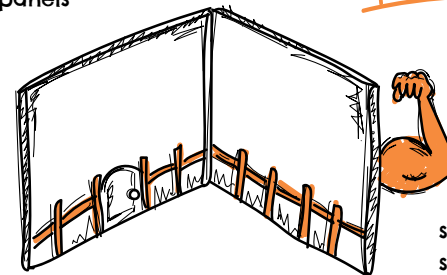


easy on the wallet!

TIP: if you still need more space to show  
your art, we also offer trifold sleeves.

4 printable  
panels

## GATEFOLDS



sturdiest  
standard  
sleeves in  
the game



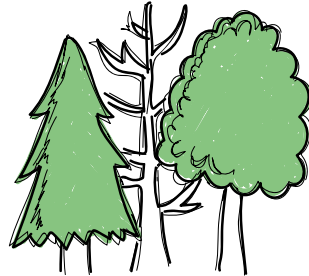
#4 AGENT ORANGE



# ECO-PACKAGING OPTIONS

## FSC-CERTIFIED STOCKS

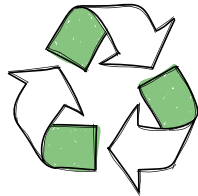
Our eco range is constantly evolving, give us a call on +44 (0) 1752 201275 if you're looking for something specific.



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

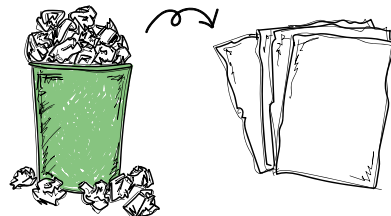
## RECYCLING OPTIONS



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

## RECYCLED STOCKS

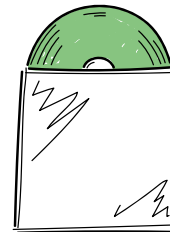
we can offer various recycled stock options



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

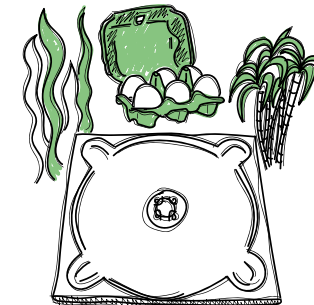
## VEGETABLE INKS

raw plant-based inks and water-based dispersion varnishes are used as standard (on non UV printed materials). plant-based 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



#7 PALE GREEN STARS

# EXTRAS

## BOOKLETS, INSERTS & POSTERS

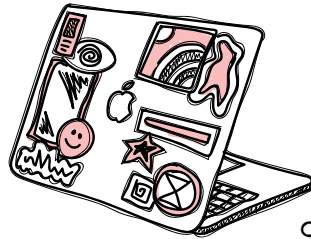
consider a printed insert, or go all out with a poster for your fans' bedroom walls



got lots of images or information to include? consider a lyric sheet or multi page booklet

## STICKERS

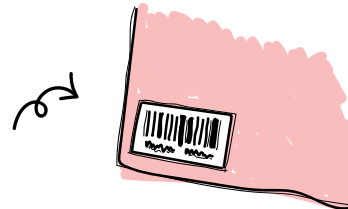
we offer high quality advertising stickers in all shapes, sizes and materials



draw extra attention to your records or CDs or the extras found inside!

## BARCODES

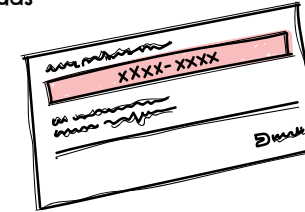
we can generate a barcode and add it to your artwork



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

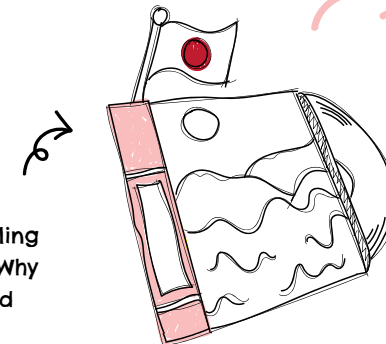
boost your record sales with free digital downloads



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

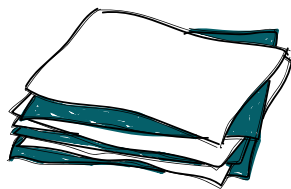
## OBI STRIPS & BELLY BANDS

need somewhere to add information without spoiling your beautiful artwork? Why not consider a belly band or obi strip





# CARD STOCKS



## STANDARD

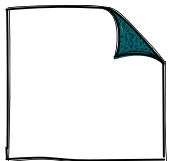
WHITE/WHITE CARD - 265gsm  
as standard, also available  
in 320 + 400gsm

ART PAPER - 200gsm,  
gloss or matt

WHITE/BROWN CARD -  
300gsm, 350gsm or 405gsm,  
WHITE/GREY - 350gsm -  
Eco Kraft Board - give your  
release that organic touch

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

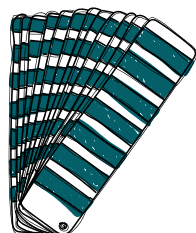
"Everyone is always complimenting us on the high  
quality of our vinyl releases and we know that is  
down to the high standards held at DMS."  
- MARY | TONN RECORDINGS



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!



# 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 FINISHES

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

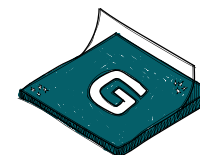
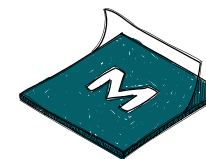
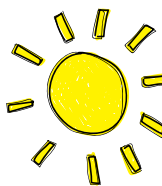
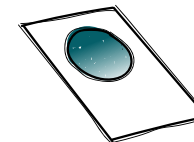
UV PRINTING - an eco friendly  
option, available in gloss for  
vibrant colours or matt for a  
more subdued look

## 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

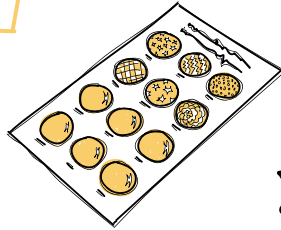
TIP: we also offer  
ANTI-SCRATCH  
matt lamination,  
which protects your  
sleeves from visible  
scratches and  
scrapes. Perfect for  
dark colours.



# SPECIAL FINISHES

## HOT FOILING

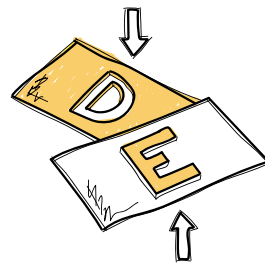
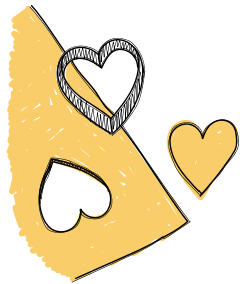
the shiny metallic appearance of hot foiling makes for an incredibly attractive product



we offer many colours including gold, silver + glitter foils

## DIE CUTTING

create cut-out shapes to show off your artwork underneath



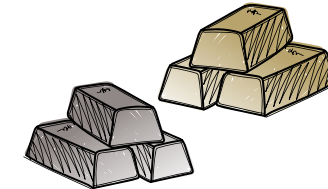
make your print positively 3D with raised or stamped surfaces to compliment your designs

## EMBOSSING & DEBOSSING

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

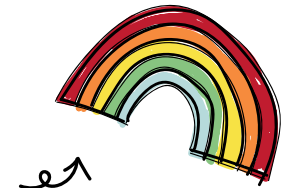
# LAMINATIONS

## GOLD & SILVER



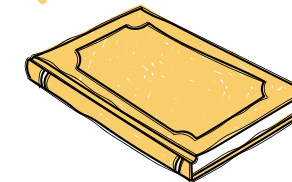
add full coverage gold or silver lamination for that super shiny metallic look

## HOLOGRAPHIC



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

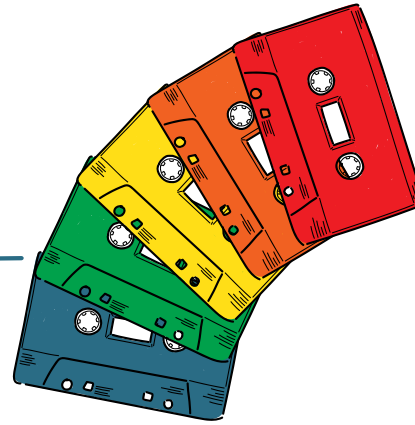




# CASSETTES

## TRADITIONAL CASES

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

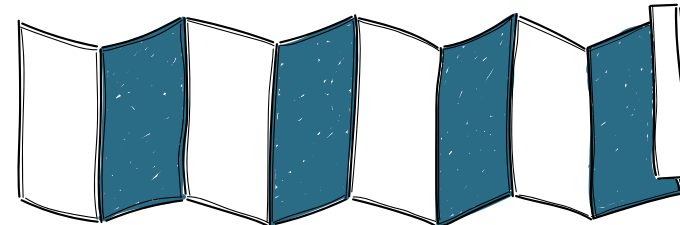


## CASSETTE SHELLS

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

## J CARDS

from 1 panel to a whopping 8 panels



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

card based packaging options

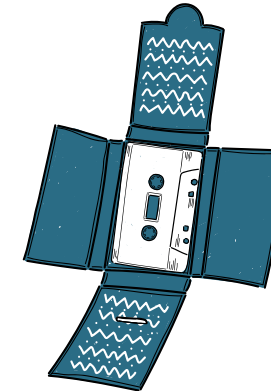
## O - CARDS

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



## MALTESE CROSS

these open up to give extra space to show off your artwork

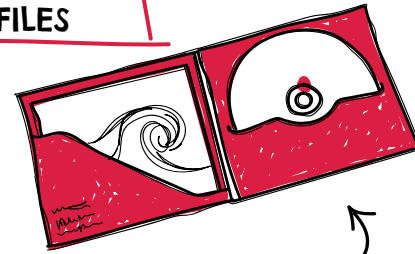




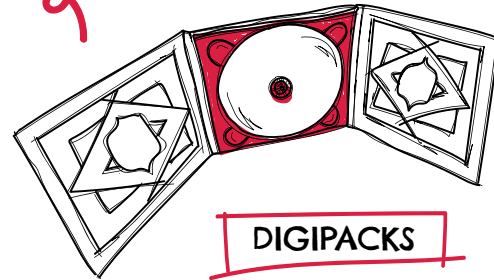
# CD & DVD PACKAGING

## DIGIFILES

the pinnacle of premium card-based packaging



customisable with mooncuts, pockets + more!



## DIGIPACKS

largely card-based, but with a tray for maximum protection of the disc

hard-wearing + robust

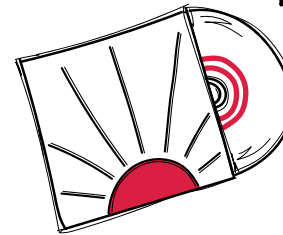
one of the most-produced and timeless options on the market

## JEWEL CASES



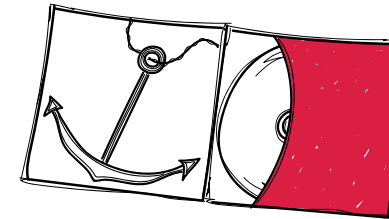
On a budget? Looking to make a splash? Either way, you'll find exactly what you're looking for within our extensive range of ever-popular CD and DVD packaging options.

card based, budget friendly options



## CARD WALLETS & LANCING PACKS

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

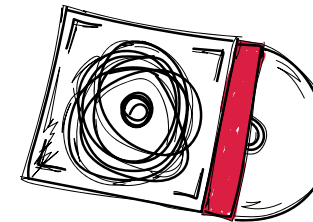


see our full range of packaging options for discs at: [discmanufacturingservices.com](http://discmanufacturingservices.com)

## LP GATEFOLD STYLE SLEEVES

require an inner wallet to hold the disc

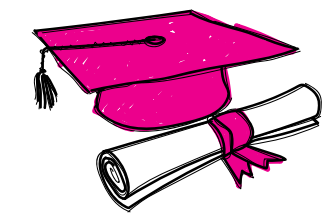
emulate your vinyl counterparts perfectly, ideal for multi-format releases





# GRAPHIC DESIGN

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## DEGREE STANDARD

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

"DMS are wonderful.  
Staffed by friendly  
and passionate  
music fans, who  
clearly care about  
the products that  
they are making"  
- NAT I SONIC  
CATHEDRAL

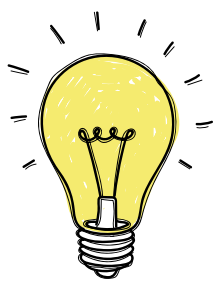
## EXPERIENCED CREATIVES



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

## ORIGINAL IDEAS

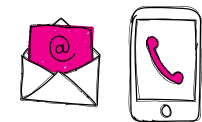
our designers will listen to your  
artwork requirements and quickly  
come up with affordable solutions  
to bring the best out of your release



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...

1.



call or email us to  
discuss what you want

2.

send us your  
files + confirm  
the brief



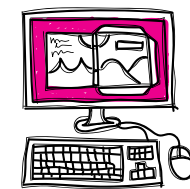
supply us with any text +  
images you want to include

3.



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

4.



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

5.



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

6.



approval! we will  
prepare your files  
for production

# MASTERING

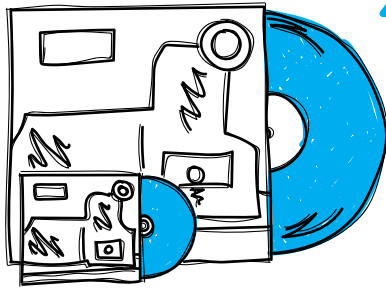
## WORLD CLASS

our audio engineers are highly experienced + industry-proven



## VINYL & DIGITAL

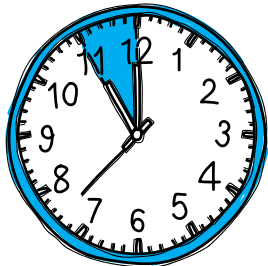
we offer vinyl, CD and digital mastering



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

## HOURLY RATE

our mastering for vinyl is charged hourly - simply send us your audio and we can provide you with a free time-based quote



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.

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

1.



call or email us to discuss what you want

2.

send us your audio files



our engineers will listen to your audio carefully + review it

3.



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

4.



your audio will be mastered in our fully equipped post-production studio using highly-specialised equipment

5.



approval! we will prepare your audio for production

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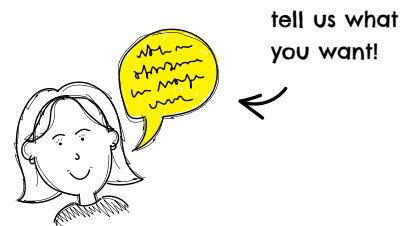


# WHAT TO EXPECT

1.



get in touch:  
hello@discmanufacturingservices.com  
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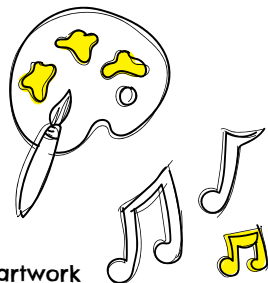
tell us what you want!

2.



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

3.



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.

4.



pay for your order  
(once the quote  
has been agreed)

5.



your discs are manufactured at  
our world-class production plant

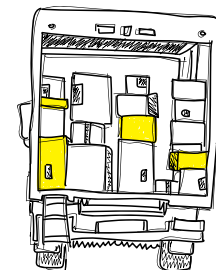
"DMS go above and  
beyond in quality control,  
customer service and  
discovering new effects/  
colour mixes"

- SPENCER HICKMAN |  
MADE BY MUTANT

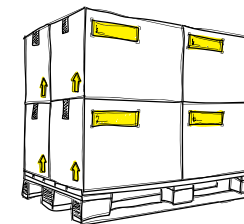
7.

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

6.



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



...and delivered  
straight to  
your door!



# 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...

## ...OR TOO SMALL

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

we produce and distribute our products all over the world

## WORLDWIDE DISTRIBUTION

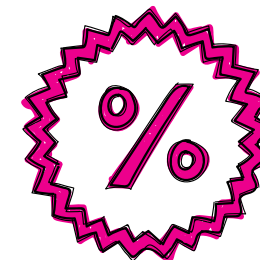
## CREDIT ACCOUNTS

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

get in touch for a quote and ask us about a discount on your first order



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# KEEP IN TOUCH

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## GIVE US A CALL

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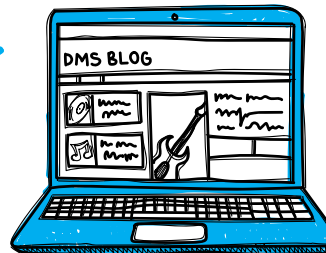
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tips + tricks for getting the best out of your release



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

simplifying the processes for you

## 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,



create your own  
quotes on  
our website

WE LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH YOU SOON!

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