

DROPTHATBEAT

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THEHOT*ISH

"You a slave to a page in my rhyme book," declares **Nas** on the single, "**Made U Look**" (Columbia). Proving that statement holds true, Nas brings forth his legendary lyricist skills with a classic hip-hop beat on this joint, making DJs nationwide flip their lids. Look for the album, *God's Son*, to hit the shelves December 17.

Ready for a lil' Philharmonic in the mix? Okay, well, it's *really* the Philharmonic done the **Dre** way, but it's about to go down on the next **Xzibit** single, "**Symphony In X Major**" (Loud/Columbia). Get ready, as vinyl ships in a couple weeks.

Ladies Love Cool James has had much success with the single, "**Luv U Better**" (Def Jam/IDJMG) and now he's paired up with R&B songstress **Amerie** on "**Paradise**" (Def Jam/IDJMG). Already a favorite among many DJs, "Paradise" has Amerie singing the hook penned by **50 Cent** and **LL** giving the ladies more of what they love—him!

Already on stations such as KPWR Los Angeles, KKBTV Los Angeles, WJMN Boston and WFUN St. Louis, **Damani's** first single, "**Move**" (Compound Ent.) is making a steady climb at radio. Stay tuned as the remix featuring **Clipse** and **Kardinal Offishall** gets ready to drop. Contact **Clinton Sparks** for vinyl: 617.908.6300.

The new generation of West Coast music has arrived in the form of **Homeless Nation** member and CEO of Homeless Records, **Lunch**. Lunch has had the streets of Cali on lock for years doing the independent thing, and now he's back with the single "**Lunchtime**" (Homeless Records), which features **WC** and **Dr. Stank** on the remix tip. Check for the video daily on BET's *Digital*. For more info, contact Lunch: 909.855.0514.

TRACKS WATCH

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| NAS "Made U Look" | COLUMBIA |
| 50 CENT "Wanksta" | SHADY RECORDS/INTERSCOPE |
| FREEWAY "What We Do" | ROC-A-FELLA/IDJMG |
| LIL MO F/LIL KIM "10 Commandments" | ELEKTRA |
| WAYNE WONDER "No Letting Go" | GREENSLEEVE |

Q-BURN



FELLI FEL
KPWR LOS ANGELES
DAMANI
 "Move" COMPOUND ENT.
 "Another Inglewood superstar with lyrics of fire!"



DNS
WCDX RICHMOND
LIL MO F/LIL KIM
 "10 Commandments" ELEKTRA
 "I played it off the CD and got instant phone reaction. It's the perfect single to come with and I can't wait for the video to hit. It's one of the hottest joints out right now!"

MIXER PROFILE

SCOTT BOOGIE CKRK, CKCU AND CBC/GALAXIE CANADA

Scott Boogie got his start behind the tables after spending years promoting parties in his homeland of Canada. Once he realized that he too could rock the crowd with two turntables and a microphone, Scott began his DJing career after winning a competition in Ontario. It wasn't until he met Sway and Tech of the legendary "Wake Up" show that Scott realized the importance of radio in terms of reaching people with his craft. Getting his start at college station CHOU every Tuesday night from 1-3 am helped paved the way for Scott. "I kept moving up, from Tuesday nights to Fridays during afternoon drive, and finally I made the switch to 10 pm-midnight every night," Boogie says. "Currently, I'm doing the K103 Syndicated Show." Scott holds down both a countdown show, "Soundscan 4:17" and an underground show, "Street Sound Madness" with co-host El K, which can be heard throughout Canada. His love of College radio has remained so heavy that he still broadcasts on the college station, CKCU, every Saturday night.



When he's not tearing up the tables on radio, Scott keeps himself busy programming an urban digital music satellite called Urban Hitz Stream. Reaching over 5.5 Million listeners, Scott makes sure to bring hip-hop culture to the forefront of Canada. "I try to bring excitement to my mixes," he says. "I add a lot of samples, including the scream Biz Markie does. I use that constantly. It's become my trademark." Known in and around Canada for his skills, Scott just wants everyone out there to know he's breaking artists in Canada. "A lot of people don't realize that we do mix shows here in Canada," he says. "There is so much stuff that goes on here in Canada. Don't be scarrrrred."

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SHOUTS: "I am Canada's only Tech.Nition!"

PICKS FOR THE WEEK: Nate Dogg "I Need A Bitch" (Elektra), Nas "Made U Look" (Columbia) and Miss. Dynamite "It Takes More" (Polydor/UK).