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INXS blitzes ARIA Albums Chart with a number one album and three in the top 20, Pharrell Williams returns to top of singles chart

Singles:

Top 5:

1. Pharrell Williams 'Happy'
2. A Great Big World Feat. Christina Aguilera 'Say Something'
3. John Legend 'All Of Me'
4. Joel Fletcher Feat. Savage 'Swing'
5. Rihanna 'Jump'

Singles Chartifacts:

#1: Pharrell Williams 'Happy' – After dropping back to #2 last week, 'Happy' returns to the top of the ARIA Singles Chart for a sixth week.

#5: Rihanna 'Jump' – Last week 'Jump' became Rihanna's 20th top ten single on the ARIA Charts. Its move to #5 gives the singer her 13th top five single in Australia.

#8: Cash Cash Feat. Bebe Rexha 'Take Me Home' – A jump of 25 spots gives New Jersey electronic trio Cash Cash their first top ten appearance on the ARIA Charts. The track's featured vocalist, Bebe Rexha, was one of the co-writers of the Eminem and Rihanna hit 'The Monster' (#1 Nov. '13).

#15: Clean Bandit Feat. Jess Glynne 'Rather Be' (debut) – This is the first ARIA top 50 appearance for British quartet Clean Bandit. 'Rather Be' debuted at #1 on the UK singles chart, giving the electronic group their first chart-topper in their homeland. Currently its notched up three weeks at #1 in the UK.

#16: INXS 'Never Tear Us Apart' – A jump of 29 spots up the chart this week for this track on the back of the INXS mini-series to which it lends its name. It puts 'Never Tear Us Apart' two spots below its previous peak position of #14, reached in September 1988. As well as this week's success on the ARIA Albums Chart, INXS have a further six tracks in the top 100, including 'Need You Tonight' at #33.



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Albums:

Top 5:

1. INXS 'The Very Best'
2. The John Butler Trio 'Flesh & Blood' (debut)
3. Bruce Springsteen 'High Hopes'
4. Soundtrack 'Frozen'
5. Lorde 'Pure Heroine'

Albums Chartifacts:

#1: INXS 'The Very Best' – After three previous weeks in the top ten, 'The Very Best' hits #1 and gives INXS their fourth #1 on the ARIA Albums Chart. The extra sales spike comes after the airing of the first part of the Channel 7 INXS mini-series 'Never Tear Us Apart' on Sunday night. INXS have previously topped the ARIA Charts with the albums 'The Swing' (#1 Apr. '84), 'Listen Like Thieves' (#1 Oct. '85) and X (#1 Oct. '90). Four of the group's studio albums have re-entered the ARIA top 100; 'Kick' (#7), 'Shabooh Shoobah' (#41), 'The Swing' (#43), 'Listen Like Thieves' (#53),

#2: The John Butler Trio 'Flesh & Blood' (debut) – Studio album six from The John Butler Trio is their first in nearly four years. The follow-up to since 'April Uprising' (#1 May '10) includes the single 'Only One' (#44 Nov. '13). In between studio albums, the group released the live album 'Live At Red Rocks' (#22 Aug. '11). John Butler also released the live solo album 'Tin Shed Tales' (#28 May '12).

#6: Neil Finn 'Dizzy Heights' (debut)– The third solo album from Neil Finn is his first since 2001's 'One Nil' (#9 Mar. '01). In between solo studio releases, Finn has released a number of albums as part of collectives; '7 Worlds Collide' (#69 Jan. '02) and its sequel 'The Sun Came Out' (#39 Sept. '09), the Finn Brothers' 'Everyone Is Here' (#2 Aug. '04), the Pajama Club's self-titled debut (#61 Sept. '11) and the live collaboration with Paul Kelly, 'Goin' Your Way' (#5 Nov. '13).

#14: Broken Bells 'After The Disco' (debut) – Album two from the American duo made up of The Shins' James Mercer and producer/multi-instrumentalist Brian Burton (aka Danger Mouse). 'After The Disco' is the follow-up to the duo's self-titled debut album (#20 Mar. '10)



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#17: INXS 'Live At Wembley Stadium 1991' (debut) – As well as the slew of back catalogue INXS albums re-entering the chart, this album makes its debut. It contains the full set the band performed at the iconic London venue in July 1991. The show had previously only been released as the concert film 'Live Baby Live' (#8 Nov. '03).

Streaming Tracks

Top 5:

1. Pharrell Williams 'Happy'
2. Lorde 'Royals'
3. Flume & Chet Faker 'Drop The Game'
4. Vance Joy 'Riptide'
5. A Great Big World Feat. Christina Aguilera 'Say Something'

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