New Number Ones for this week’s ARIA Charts – Taylor Swift and Hillsong United blast to the top!

Singles:

Top 5:

2. Wiz Khalifa Feat. Charlie Puth ‘See You Again’
3. Grace Feat. G-Eazy ‘You Don’t Own Me’
4. Walk The Moon ‘Shut Up & Dance’
5. Jessie J ‘Flashlight’

Singles Chartifacts:

#1: Taylor Swift Feat. Kendrick Lamar ‘Bad Blood’ – After debuting at #3 last week, ‘Bad Blood’ jumps to the top spot, giving Taylor Swift her fourth #1 on the ARIA Singles Chart. It’s Swift’s third single #1 from ‘1989’ (#1 Nov. ’14), following ‘Shake It Off’ (#1 Sept. ’14) and ‘Blank Space’ (#1 Nov. ’14).

#12: Guy Sebastian ‘Tonight Again’ (debut) – Guy Sebastian picks up his second chart entry for 2015 with this, the wildcard Australian entry in the 2015 Eurovision Song Contest. ‘Tonight Again’ placed fifth in Sunday morning’s final. Sebastian charted earlier in the year with ‘Linger’ (#Feb. ’15).

#19: Måns Zelmerlöw ‘Heroes’ (debut) – The winning track of the 2015 Eurovision Song Contest by Sweden’s Måns Zelmerlöw. Zelmerlöw is an established artist in his homeland, having placed fifth on their version of Idol in 2005 and subsequently releasing five studio albums. His sixth studio album, which features ‘Heroes’, will be released in June.

#32: Adam Lambert ‘Ghost Town’ (debut) – American singer-songwriter Adam Lambert picks up his first appearance on the ARIA Singles Chart since 2010 with ‘Ghost Town’. The track comes from Lambert’s forthcoming third album ‘The Original High’. Lambert last charted with ‘For Your Entertainment’ (#32 Nov. ’10).

#40: Anja Nissen ‘Anyone Who Had A Heart’ (debut) – Anja Nissen, winner of season three of The Voice, returns with a version of the Bacharach & David classic ‘Anyone Who Had A Heart’. The track, which was recently used in promos for the TV series Love Child, is Nissen’s second chart appearance after ‘I’m So Excited’ (#42 Nov. ’14).
Albums:  

Top 5:  

1. Hillsong United ‘Empires’ (debut)  
2. Daniel Johns ‘Talk’ (debut)  
3. Soundtrack ‘Pitch Perfect 2’  
4. Various ‘Eurovision Song Contest 2015 Vienna’ (debut)  

Albums Chartifacts:  

#1: Hillsong United ‘Empires’ (debut) – Contemporary Christian group Hillsong United pick up their second #1 on the ARIA Albums Chart with ‘Empires’. The group’s fourth studio album comes two years on from ‘Zion’ (#1 Mar. ’13). In between studio albums, Hillsong United released ‘The White Album [Remix Project]’ (#9 Mar. ’14). ‘Empires’ is the third Australian album to top the ARIA Charts in 2015.  


#4: Various ‘Eurovision Song Contest 2015 Vienna’ (debut) – After sitting at #53 last week, the soundtrack to the 2015 Eurovision Song Contest makes its top 50 debut following on from the 60th running of the event in Vienna, Austria, last weekend. The album becomes the highest-charting Eurovision soundtrack and the first top hit the top ten. It features all of the 40 entries, including the winning song by Swede Måns Zelmerlöw, ‘Heroes’ (debuting at #19 this week) and Guy Sebastian’s one-off Australian entry ‘Tonight Again’ (debuting at #12).  


#19: Soundtrack ‘Love Child Season 2’ (debut) – The soundtrack to the second season of the Channel Nine series Love Child. It features tracks by Normie Rowe, Otis Redding, Etta James, Dusty Springfield and more. The soundtrack to Season 1 peaked at #22 in April 2014.
Streaming Tracks

Top 5:

1. Major Lazer Feat. MØ & DJ Snake ‘Lean On’
2. Wiz Khalifa Feat. Charlie Puth ‘See You Again’

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