



# THE OFFICIAL ARIA CHARTS since 1983

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## New Number Ones for this week's ARIA Charts:

**'Rockabye' from Clean Bandit Feat. Sean Paul & Anne-Marie tops the singles chart, The Weeknd's 'Starboy' debuts at the peak of the albums chart**

### Singles:

#### Top 5:

1. Clean Bandit Feat. Sean Paul & Anne-Marie 'Rockabye'
2. The Weeknd Feat. Daft Punk 'Starboy'
3. Rae Sremmurd 'Black Beatles'
4. James Arthur 'Say You Won't Let Go'
5. Neiked 'Sexual'

### Singles Chartifacts:

**#1: Clean Bandit Feat. Sean Paul & Anne-Marie 'Rockabye'** – British trio Clean Bandit score their first #1 on the ARIA Singles Chart with 'Rockabye'. After jumping twelve spots to #2 last week, the single has reached the top in its fourth week in the top 50.

**#2: The Weeknd 'Starboy'** – After a week at #4, the title track to this week's #1 album has returned to #2 for a seventh week. The current record-holder for most weeks at #2 on the ARIA Singles Chart is Maroon 5's 'Moves Like Jagger', which spent ten straight weeks there between August and October in 2011. The Weeknd's 'I Feel It Coming' has jumped 17 spots this week to snare a new peak at #24.

**#29: Flume 'Skin Companion EP I' (debut)** – A week on from winning eight ARIA Awards, Sydney electronic artist Flume scores a new entry on the ARIA Singles Chart with 'Skin Companion EP I'. The four-track EP features tracks written around the same time as *Skin* (#1 Jun. '16). It's Flume's fourth entry in the top 50 this year, following on from 'Never Be Like You' (#1 Feb. '16), 'Smoke & Retribution' (#23 Feb. '16) and 'Say It' (#5 Dec. '16).

**#33: The Weeknd 'Party Monster' (debut)** – The third track from this week's #1 album to hit the top 50. It follows on from 'Starboy' (#2 Oct. '16) and 'I Feel It Coming' (#24 Nov. '16). One of the track's co-writers is Lana Del Rey, who also features on the album track 'Stargirl Interlude'.





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**#37: Charli XCX Feat. Lil Yachty 'After The Afterparty' (debut)** – Brit Charli XCX picks up her first appearance on the Singles Chart since early 2015 with 'After The Afterparty'. The track is the first to come from her forthcoming third studio album. Charli XCX last charted with 'Break The Rules' (#10 Jan. '15).

## Albums:

### Top 5:

1. The Weeknd 'Starboy' (debut)
2. Metallica 'Hardwired...To Self-Destruct'
3. Michael Buble 'Christmas'
4. 'Friends For Christmas' John Farnham & Olivia Newton John
5. Crowded House 'The Very Very Best Of Crowded House'

## Albums Chartifacts:

**#1: The Weeknd 'Starboy' (debut)** – The third album from The Weeknd gives the Canadian artist his second #1 on the ARIA Albums Chart. The follow-up to *Beauty Behind The Madness* (#1 Sept. '15), *Starboy's* singles have included the title track (#2 Oct. '16), 'I Feel It Coming' (#24 Nov. '16) and 'Party Monster' (#33 Dec. '16). The album features collaborations with Daft Punk, Lana Del Rey, Kendrick Lamar and Future.

**#5: Crowded House 'The Very Very Best Of Crowded House'** – It's been a big week for Crowded House. After being inducted into the ARIA Hall Of Fame on 23 November, the band hit the forecourt of the Sydney Opera House for four nights of shows, the last of which was televised nationally. On the back of all this, *The Very Very Best Of Crowded House* jumps nine spots to a new peak.

**#10: A. B. Original 'Reclaim Australia' (debut)** – Aussie hip hop luminaries Briggs and Trials join forces as A. B. Original. Both have previously charted separately: Briggs with *Sheplife* (#16 Sept. '14) and Trials as a member of Funkoars with *The Quickening* (#11 Sept. '11) and *Dawn*

*Of The Head* (#18 Mar. '14). *Reclaim Australia* features guest appearances by Thelma Plum, Dan Sultan, Gurrumul, Caiti Baker and more.





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**#14: Susan Boyle 'A Wonderful World' (debut)** – Album seven from Scottish singer Susan Boyle. The follow-up to *Hope* (#11 Nov. '14) includes covers of tracks by Madonna, Wings, Robbie Williams, ABBA and more. It also features a virtual duet with Nat King Cole.

**#16: Garth Brooks 'Gunslinger' (debut)** – American country star Garth Brooks picks up his eleventh top 50 appearance on the ARIA Albums Chart with *Gunslinger*. The follow-up to *Man Against Machine* (#11 Nov. '14), Brooks' tenth studio album is his second since coming out of retirement. It's also his second album of 2016, having released *Christmas Together* with his wife Trisha Yearwood earlier in November.

## Streaming Singles:

### Top 5:

1. The Weeknd Feat. Daft Punk 'Star Boy'
2. Rae Sremmurd 'Black Beatles'
3. The Chainsmokers Feat. Halsey 'Closer'
4. James Arthur 'Say You Won't Let Go'
5. Clean Bandit Feat. Sean Paul & Anne-Marie 'Rockabye'

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## ABOUT THE ARIA CHART:

The national ARIA Chart is Australia's pre-eminent music chart representing a broad cross section of retail outlets. More than 1200 music retailers, including department stores, chain stores, independent retailers, streaming outlets, and digital providers contribute their data to ARIA to ensure that comprehensive charts are compiled across various genres and categories during any given week.

