



MAPSTATION Present Unmetrics

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DESCRIPTION

Since 2000, **Mapstation** has been the moniker for the solo work of TAL Label founder **Stefan Schneider**. Schneider has won international acclaim as a founding member of **Kreidler** and **To Rococo Rot**, as well as through unique collaboration works with artists such as **Joachim Roedelius (Cluster, Harmonia)**, **Bill Wells**, **Katharina Grosse**, **Dieter Moebius (Cluster, Harmonia)**, **Sofia Jernberg**, or **Jochen Irmeler (Faust)**. There has not been a new Mapstation release since 2009's *The Africa Chamber* (SCAPE 059CD) which had former **Fela Kuti** member **Nicholas Addo-Nettey** on percussion. *Present Unmetrics* is not entirely a stand-alone creation either. There are guest appearances by **Thomas Klein (Kreidler)** on percussion, **Michael Acher (The Notwist)** on Sousaphone and an outstanding vocal contribution from Japanese singer **Haco**, all deeply woven into the digital topography of the music. *Present Unmetrics* offers a collection of radically subtle music. The guiding principle of the album was to construct direct and nuanced tracks which embody a sense of open-ended incompleteness and heterogenous dynamics. Out-of-sync bass arpeggios, infused with uneven rhythms, fractured synth stabs, and intimate melodies, frequently created here with a Schlumberg sine wave generator, are continuously engage with experimentation, both on sound and structure. Expertly pieced together and produced in timeless fashion, *Present Unmetrics* displays all the coherence and artistic authority of an album on a constant quest so vital to the music of Mapstation. An album that couldn't have been made by any other than Mapstation. LP version includes download code.

TRACKLISTING

01. Absence Répétée (3:08)
02. Blacks Umbo (6:28)
03. Matta Station (3:00)
04. Buenaventura (5:07)
05. Ahora Schlumberg (2:20)
06. TV Dream (3:27)
07. Sousa Pruden (4:41)
08. Passage (3:27)
09. Reusen (3:47)
10. Entfernung (1:58)



HIGHLIGHTS

- Since 2000, **Mapstation** has been the moniker for the solo work of TAL Label founder **Stefan Schneider**.
- *Present Unmetrics* offers a collection of radically subtle music with out-of-sync bass arpeggios, infused with uneven rhythms, fractured synth stabs, and intimate melodies, frequently created with a Schlumberg sine wave generator.
- Features appearances by **Thomas Klein (Kreidler)**, **Michael Acher (The Notwist)**, and Japanese vocalist, **Haco**.
- Schneider has won international acclaim as a founding member of **Kreidler** and **To Rococo Rot**, as well as through collaborations with **Joachim Roedelius**, **Dieter Moebius**, and **Jochen Irmeler**, among others.
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Also available: Catalog titles from Mapstation as well as from Kreidler and To Rococo Rot, contact your salesperson for a complete list.

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