

“Rock and Roll Music”/“The TM Song”

Label B76adj

Brother/Reprise

RPS-1354

Cream/tan with Warner Communications logo and 91510 zip code

Mono/stereo promotional single

Issued May, 1976.



THE BEACH BOYS, “ROCK AND ROLL MUSIC”
(prod. by Brian Wilson) (Arc, BMI).
This song's not really much of a surprise as the group has been basing its music around Chuck Berry songs for years. Here, one of rock's greatest themes is interpreted by one of its greatest exponents. The Beach Boys are back in full vocal regalia! Brother/Reprise RPS 1354.

Label B70

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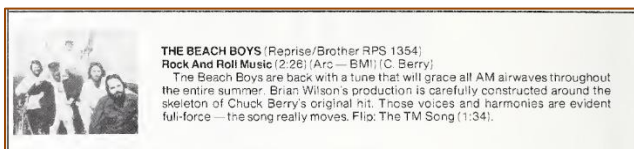
Cream/tan label with “subsidiary and licensee” rim print.

The print on the label is at a slightly reduced size.

First appearance in trade magazines: May 28, 1976



Factory:
Columbia Santa Maria



The print on the label is at full size.



Factory:
Columbia Terre Haute

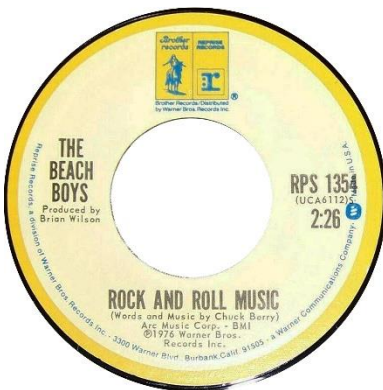
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Cream/tan label with Warner Communications logo and 91505 zip code

The print on the label is at full size. The R in RPS is just to the right of the word MUSIC below it.



Factory:
Columbia Terre Haute

The print on the label is at full size. The R in RPS over the word MUSIC below it.



Factory:
Columbia Terre Haute



While Columbia was preparing copies of the single for release, Warner Brothers signed an agreement with Capitol Records to use its three pressing plants to make records for Warner. Columbia stopped making the single, and Capitol began immediately. Apparently, Columbia had not yet prepared any promotional singles, for every known copy was pressed by Capitol's LA plant.

Label B76a

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Cream/tan label with Warner Communications logo and 91510 zip code

The print in the middle of the label is located near the rim and often touches the rim text on each side.



Factory:
Capitol Los Angeles

Like the LA pressing, Jax pressings have a blank line above the phono-copyright on the label. However, the print in the middle of the label is moved toward the center.



Factory:
Capitol Jacksonville

There is no blank line above the copyright line, and the label copy at the 3:00 position has been shifted up.



Factory:
Capitol Winchester