"Back Off Boogaloo"/"Blindman"

Label aw1dj

Apple 1849 White label with no promotional print





Contains dedicated mono mixes of the two songs.

Factories: Los Angeles

Label af1b

Apple 1849

Blue Apple label with "MFD. BY APPLE" on the full side.



Factories: Los Angeles, Jacksonville, Winchester

First pressings at the three Capitol factories have a common label design and are colored blue.

Although Capitol's plant in Scranton, Pennsylvania was still pressing records in 1972, the "Back Off Boogaloo" singles that are associated with the fourth pressing plant have no plant indicator in the matrix. Typically, the Scranton plant would have the International Association of Machinists (IAM) triangle in the matrix, but these singles do not.

Label af1

Apple 1849
Apple label with "MFD. BY APPLE" on the full side.



Label as 1S has the copyright information on three lines. This is the first pressing from the fourth pressing plant that issued the single originally.

Factories: Scranton (?)



Label af1L has STEREO in small print. Factories: Los Angeles, Jacksonville



Label af1W has STEREO in round, bold print.

Factories: Winchester

Picture Sleeve:

There are three picture sleeves for this single, but the distinctions between them are not merely factory/printer variations. It appears that the first printing was glossy with a deep black color on both sides. These are known with Winchester singles, and possibly with others. As the sleeves were being prepared, some printers observed that the image of Ringo was fading into the background.





Some printers lightened the

background color of the *front* side of the glossy sleeve to gray, while others replaced the glossy sleeve with a matte gray sleeve. The matte gray sleeve is known with singles from all three Capitol pressing plants. The matte sleeve has a lighter gray color on the *back* side as well.





Label 72r

Capitol 1849 Orange label with "all rights" disclaimer. Factories: Jacksonville, Winchester



Label 78

Capitol 1849 Purple label with "MFD." rim print Factories: Jacksonville, Winchester





