Praxis
Datacide
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Praxis is a record label dedicated to experimental hardcore and adventurous electronics, noise and breakcore, founded in 1992 in London by Christoph Fringeli.

In the heady days of the early to mid 90s the hegemony of the music industry was challenged and experimentation and radicalism were encouraged.

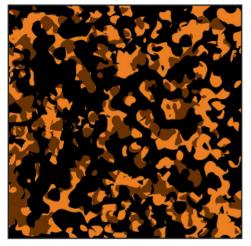
Just as Punk and Post-Punk had picked up the subversive heritage of Rock'n'Roll which had long been commodified and reintegrated into the culture industry, the early Techno and Rave scenes picked up the spirit of negation and selfmanagement and gave it a completely differentook and sound. Of course soon enough the new developments were reintegrated into the spectacle, but a minority is still flying the flag of antagonism.

Praxis has tried to make a substantial contribution to this movement by presenting hard hitting experimental dance music and noise.

Since Praxis turned 25 last year, the label is launching its latest offensive with releases of old as well as brand new material.

new in 2018

Praxis 5 Bourbonese Qualk Autonomia 2xLP 1993/2018



Bourbonese Qualk was formed by Simon Crab in 1979/80. The first performance was an odd non-musical appearance ('mainly vandalism'). After several cassette releases and the addition of band members, the first vinyl album *Laughing Afternoon* appeared in 1983 and marked the be-ginning of a fascinating journey between differ- ent musical genres and styles.

Always managing to elude mainstream attention and acceptance, while occasionally puncturing the screen of ignorance of the independent press and 'scene', Bourbonese Qualk have cre- ated a substantial body of work and maintained a compromise-free slate. After half a dozen al- bums, they had developed a small cult follow- ing, though remained hidden behind a curtain of obscurity for most.

Most of their albums were released on their own labels: Recloose Organisation and New International Recordings respectively, and their tours were also organised in the spirit of fierce, autonomous self-organisation.

It seems only logical that Praxis would join forces with Qualk and start experimenting, synthesising musical nonconformism with radical post-situationist ideas.

Thus Autonomia became their intervention into what was then a burgeoning counterposition to the musical media establishment... TECHNO!?

An unsuspected alliance in the struggle against spectacular givens of the culture industry.

First released only on CD in 1993, Autonomia was mostly a solo project of Simon Crab with the aid of Christoph Fringeli of Praxis, recorded after a 2-month tour in the USA and Europe. Typically Bourbonese Qualk, this album delivers the opposite of the listeners' expectations, breaking the mold set by the two previous albums, My Government is My Soul and Unpop. Autonomia sets out in a completely different direction of harsh electronic 'no compromise techno'. This album divided Qualk's fan base, created violent debate and polarised press reviews.

The Bourbonese Qualk project was terminated after the death of band member Miles Miles, but founder and front man Simon Crab continues to experiment and develop his sound, with a tour in the autumn/winter of 2017/2018 with old comrades Nocturnal Emissions and a brand new solo album titled *Demand Full Automation* on the Klanggalerie label in spring 2018.

In recent years there has been renewed interest in BoQu, as exemplified by the compilation album released by Mannequin records in 2015. This is an official compilation of the group's work from 1983-1986, covering the albums Laughing Afternoon, Hope, Preparing for Power, The Spike and Bourbonese Qualk. In 2016, a 4-LP box set appeared on Vinyl On De-mand with countless tracks either previously un-published or only available on the most obscure cassette releases.

Praxis is happy to present the first vinyl edition of *Autonomia* - featuring all 12 tracks of the original - in the winter of 2017/18 to coincide with the 25th anniversary of the label.



Praxis 56 DJ Scud & Nomex Maschinenbau EP



Maschinenbau was a label run by DJ Scud from Ambush and Nomex from Adverse which released only two 7"s in 1997/98. The first, **Eurostar/Piling Machine,** was limited to just 300 copies. It combined psychogeographical exploration and field recordings with Amigaproduced non-conformist breakcore and noiseabuse, while the second one,

Total Destruction, became a classic of breakcore / noise crossover with several appearances on compilations such as *Collision Drive* on PIAS (compiled by Kevin Martin), but nevertheless fell into relative obscurity - like most of the great early breakcore - during the following decade.

Twenty years after the original 7"s, Praxis is proudly releasing a 12" with all four original tracks in Spring 2018 with the catalogue number Praxis 56.

'Ambush meets Adverse to proliferate and diversify into Maschinenbau. On Eurostar the concrete sound source of a high speed train engine is cut up to provide bass sears, rumbles of re-harnessed energy and grainy Doppler-effects. These dense timbres are set into further movement by tinny breakcore rhythms and quicksand sucks to create a vertigo of sound quality and a collage of propulsions. If this track blows out the 'the battle of the bass sound' at the same time that it is distantly ironic then Pilling Machine does the same for the hardcore 4/4 kick by making a construction site mobile and ever relocatable. Waves of noise, a kitsch refrain and a voice sample move in and out of the ever more insistent pac-ing, waging a guerrilla struggle in defiance of the irrovocable tyranny of the 4/4. Rhythms make light aural tonnage!

Flint Michigan in Datacide 3.

'Scud's best union of post-industrial scuzz, bionic steppers' riddims and rootical reggae was his mind-boggling collaboration with Nomex, "Total Destruction" (1998) on the Maschinenbau label. With a ragga DJ gleefully singing, "Total destruction, the only solution" in the face of searing whiteouts of white noise and escape velo-city "Amen" drum shrapnel, "Total Destruction" sounded like a Sam Peckinpah film breaking out in a Kingston dance- hall.'

Peter Shapiro in Drum'n'Bass - The Rough Guide



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Praxis Anonymous Series
Vol. 3

The third and final (?) installment of the Praxis Anonymous Series spreads out in two direction with harsh noise on the one side and slower beats on the other. An excellent closing chapter of the mysterious series designed to undermine star cults and celebrity status in electronic music.

new in 2018

Sub/Version 012 Christoph Fringeli & DJ Pure Dark Star/Anti-Christ



by DJ Pure of Loop (then in Vienna) and Christoph Fringeli of Praxis (then in London). Inspired by the wave of dark post-junglistic Techstep they first released **Dark Star** (Sub/Version 001) as a one-sided 12" in 1997 and then **Anti-Christ/A.C.**

(Sub/Version 002) in 1998.





This was followed by a remix 12" of Dark Star (Remixes by Panacea and by Fennesz) and a split EP of Pure and Fringeli (Fight 'Em/Fuel for the Fire). Then the label became more clearly a Praxis subsidiary for hard drum'n'bass and epic breakcore on vinyl and digital with releases by Kovert, Vile Enginez, DJ Scud, DJ Hidden, and many others.



Steven Wells in New Musical Express (NME), 1997

Two decades after its foundation, and ending a prolonged phase of semi-activity, we return to the vinyl front with a re-release of *Dark Star* and *Anti-Christ* on one 12" as Sub/Version 01.2.

Label sites:

https://praxis-records.net

https://praxis-records.net/sub-version

vinyl & cd back catalogue of available titles - for full mail order catalogue go to

<u> https://praxis-records.net/shop</u>



Praxis 20 20 Years of Praxis

Fantastic mega-mix of over 50 tracks from the first 20 years of the label's history by Darkmatter Soundsystem DJ's **Diskore, Fiend and Baseck** available both as a cassette tape and a free download (with donation option) from our bandcamp site.

An intense rapid fire tour-de-force through the Praxis catalogue in three chunks with a total of over 50 tracks. Finally the second run of the tape is available now!



Praxis 26CD Pure: Bodyhammer

Bodyhammer is a double CD compilation from 2003 of Pure's works in the realms of industrial hardcore, some of which originally appeared under different monickers (Information:Overload, Violent Shit, PL and Slab) including collaborations with other seminal hardcore artists such as Ec8or and Gangstar Toons Industry, Disciples of Belial and Liza N'Eliaz. Collecting material previously issued by Praxis, Loop, Drop Bass Network and others, as well as unreleased material all from between 1994-2001. Almost like a history of hardcore of the '90s fromdark acid to harsh noise.



Praxis 36 Low Entropy Anarcho-Psychotic EP

Low Entropy's 4-track EP combines hard politically charged breakcore, excellent shimmering production and a passionate intensity.

We received some returns from a distributor, hence a handful of copies are available again of this Praxis record originally released in 2002.

Original first pressing, only very few in stock.



Praxis 48 Cortex Vacuum Theory

A momentous, heavy, noisy and radical release by former 16-17 members Alex and Daniel Buess. This is the first release by their Cortex project which has been going on since 1999, and collaborations with Alex Buess stretch back to the pre-Praxis days of the Vision label, beginning in 1987. More recently 'Skin Craft' - RIND & NOL (Praxis 55), released in 2016, has also featured both Alex and Daniel Buess.



Praxis 49 Bulkrate In the Temple of the Serpent

Bulkrate presents his vinyl debut after some download releases on Dark Winter and Zhark International. Dark and haunting ambience and breaks on five tracks. This release has a less hectic feel than the previous digital releases, but is still dark and cinematic broken core with an occult edge.' (Kovert in *Datacide 12*)



Praxis 50

Electric Kettle News from Berlin

Four slamming tracks full of details and depth by Electric Kettle from 2012.

'Powerful broken riddims that for me work best on the track co-produced with GVK: a bruising broken core cut that re-imagines stepping rhythms into powerful, unsetting constructions, overlaying them with a cut and paste approach with snatches of vocals, noise and other audio strangeness.' (Kovert in *Datacide 12*)



Praxis 52 Prole Sector Nl

Heavy bass and grinding rhythms on this first installment of Prole Sector, a collection of 4 dark tracks, some of which have circulated on dubs for several years and garnered a certain cult status being spun by a select number of DJ's. Others have been written recently for the vinyl release. Unleashed on the world on shining red vinyl, accompanied by a poster and download code. 300 copies only.







Praxis 53 Amboss Vision

A very varied 4-tracker by Amboss - with energetic tracks ranging fromhard-as-nails hardcore drum'n'bass to razor sharp breakcore to a massive industrial dubstep and a hard techno track to round it off!

Excellent follow-up to his releases on Mindbender and Sub/Version, not to be missed! Few copies left!

Praxis 54 Noirodyn Construct Deconstruct

Fernando Narvàez Perez has so far mainly made his mark under his Vile Enginez monicker. The project mutated into Noirodyn with a first digital-only release for Praxis in 2013 titled *Infradesigns*. Immediately it was evident that Fernando was applying his production skills to a more varied sound but regularly returning to slamming beats and far out noise constructions making Noirodyn the logical continuation and development of Vile Enginez. *Construct Deconstruct* shows him at a creative peak over 16 tracks. Full length CD album.

Praxis 55 'Skin Craft' - NOL & RIND works by Alex Buess & Daniel Buess The population by Alex Buess and Daniel Buess

Two powerful compositions by Alex Buess and Daniel Buess, rearranged by Cortex.

RIND is a work using three large self-built cow skin frame drums, 1 horse skin container drum, metal plates and electronics. NOL is a composition by Alex Buess for a percussion trio from 1995. The two pieces were recorded live featuring the musicians Daniel Stalder, Peter Conradin Zumthor and Matthias Würsch. Electronically treated by Cortex in the studio in 2015. This release continues the collaboration with Alex Buess that goes back to the pre-Praxis days of the Vision label since 1987 and includes Praxis 31 by 16-17 and Praxis 48 by Cortex, both of which also included Daniel Buess.

complete discography with players and additional information:

<u> https://praxis-records.net/discography</u>



Sub/Version 006 Kovert Jaffna

Sub/Version 006 appeared in 2004 and was produced by Kovert who had stunned listeners with *Shock Effect* (Praxis 34) as well as *Versioning* (Damage 12003) after drawing attention with his debut contribution to the *Praxis USA* compilation.

Titled Jaffna pt. 1 & 2 - two versions with razor sharp edits and practical dancefloor sub-version at its most concrete!



Sub/Version 014 Amboss Kompressorwahn/Avenida Paulista

Kompressorwahn/Avenida Paulista is a head-on collision of hard drum'n'bass and some kind of speedcore. 'This is too extreme mate', we were told by our drum'n'bass distributor!

For quite some time Sub/Version 014 was the last vinyl release on the label, but it was succeeded by a series of digital releases (including two by Amboss) until return-ing to vinyl with Sub/Version 012 in 2018. Amboss has since released the remarkable *Vision* EP (Praxis 53).

digital releases:

besides the vinyl records and cds, we also have a download site on bandcamp where we offer both download-only releases as well as downloads of releases of which the hard copy editions are sold out.

for more information please check out the link below.

download store news, back catalogue, file-only releases

https://praxisrecords.bandcamp.com/

Datacide is a magazine that covers experimental electronic music, from the avant-garde to hard dance music, its intersections with radical politics and counterculture, in-depth political and historical analysis and critique as well as experimental fiction, poetry and visual works. In each issue there is an extensive record review section as well as detailed book reviews, comics and news items.

Datacide is not affiliated with or part of any specific political group but engages in a revolutionary critique that rejects the historically discredited strains of leftism associated with Social Democracy and Leninism, drawing instead on the rich heritage of dissident Marxism, libertarian communism and critical theory.

Datacide is a critical voice in the increasingly irrational and rightward lurching 'post- truth' times of conspiratorial world views and identity politics.

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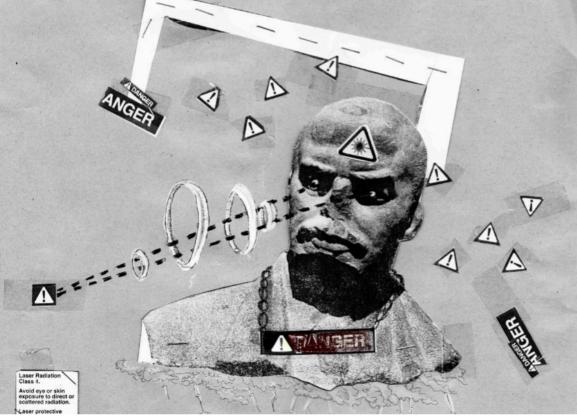


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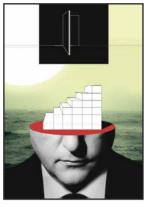


a decade of noise & politics datacide magazine issues 1-10

EVERYTHING ELSE IS EVEN MORE RIDICULOUS a decade of noise & politics: datacide magazine the complete issues 1-10. With new introductions by Flint Michigan, Christoph Fringeli, Nemeton, and Dan Hekate as well as an extensive index.

A major project in the works for quite some time, this is a collection of the complete issues 1-10 of datacide. which originally appeared from 1997-2008. Titled "EVERYTHING FLSE IS EVEN MORE RIDICULOUS", the 364 page volume collects unique material, most of which has been out of print for many years. charting a one-of-a-kind history of the countercultures associated with electronic music and free festivals.

"The free space of the party met the free space of the page and then you got a dynamism that encouraged expression and perversions and tangents because the covers held it together as a nomadic movement and vou were convinced that music had catalysed it all and that music was somehowin-herently political as it sidestepped rhetoric and doama.and absented us from control addicts and the free space of the page was a kind of historic party, a kind of invisible college, a launching pad for driftage." Flint Michigan



Almanac for Noise & Politics

The almanac for noise & politics is a yearly digest in A6 pocket book format which combines material which is already published with exclusive contributions to facilitate and deepen the understanding of topics covered by datacide.

The first volume appeared in 2015 and was designed to serve as an introduction to the

world of praxis and datacide.

The 2016 edition has a focus on some specific topics. One is our

friend, the noise musician and video artist Nomex who has recently died and whose posthumous album we're prepar-ing Another is a critique of the left - from the left.



The 2017 edition is fully dedicated to the Praxis label that celebrated its 25th anniversary in that year.

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