

APPLE SBC-100 - THE BEATLES' CHRISTMAS ALBUM [Fan Club release]



Winchester

Note: Counterfeits of this album exist.

Counterfeits can be distinguished from the real thing by checking these characteristics:

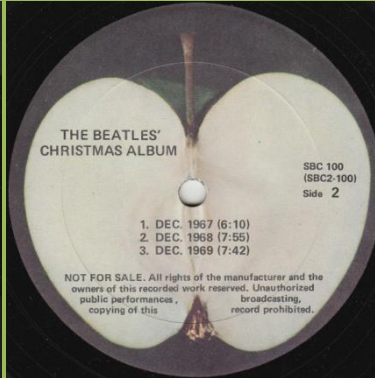
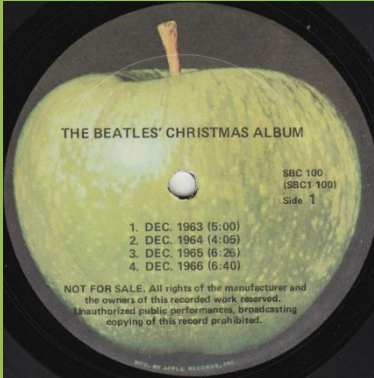
- 1) Counterfeit covers have blurred photos on the front. On legitimate covers, in the picture located in the lower left corner, both of Ringo's eyeballs are clearly visible. On all confirmed counterfeit copies, the right eye is covered by a dark shadow. On the adjacent picture, on original copies the words THEATRE ROYAL over Paul and John's heads are legible, on counterfeit copies they are not.
- 2) All covers printed on white posterboard are counterfeits (originals have slicks pasted onto the cover).
- 3) All legitimate copies of "The Beatles Christmas Album" were manufactured by Capitol Records at its Winchester, Virginia factory. The pressing machines used by Capitol leave a visible 1 1/2" - diameter indentation ring located 5/8" from the center hole. If the record has a different size indentation ring, then it is a counterfeit (Most counterfeit copies have a significantly larger indentation ring).



Original cover (detail)



Counterfeit cover (detail)



Counterfeit record with large indentation ring