

Mp3 Circular - Glass Darkly



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Details: Circular is an experimental ambient electronica duo from Bergen, Norway. The members are Bjarte Andreassen and Jostein Dahl Gjelsvik. Review by Glenn Folkvord from electronicshadows.net:
This is Circular's third album, and one that offers a wide variety of electronic music. It beautifully jumps between styles and genres, with influences from Biosphere and other ambient artists, science fiction movies, musique concrete, Arabic music and jazzy atmospheres similar to Angelo Badalamenti's Twin Peaks soundtrack. The whole album relies heavily on sampling and electronic treatment of sounds, and thus falls in the Art of Noise tradition where sound is more important than formal musical structure. That's not to say that the music isn't structured or crafted, which it is. Mostly we are served dishes of ambient structures garnished with cute rhythm patterns and weird electronic sounds on the side. Sort of like the ambient brother of another Norwegian act, Sternklang. Glass Darkly is much less ambient (in the drawn-out drone sense) than their previous album, Divergent, and says clearly that Circular is not an ambient group as such anymore, at least not for this album. Granted, you can play Glass Darkly in the background and experience its nonintrusiveness, but there are so many nice details and unusual sounds that it's also an album for dedicated listening. Even though it may be a cliché by now, Glass Darkly is one of those "Arctic ambient" albums, which is typical of Norway, in spite of the band members coming from the West Coast rather than Norway's Arctic areas. But what makes it great is not its arcticness, but the attention to details and combinations of traditional and unusual sounds, and the way different techniques and styles have been melted into a solid plate of musical food that is both exotic and familiar. This is rarely done with success. Rating: 8 of 10

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