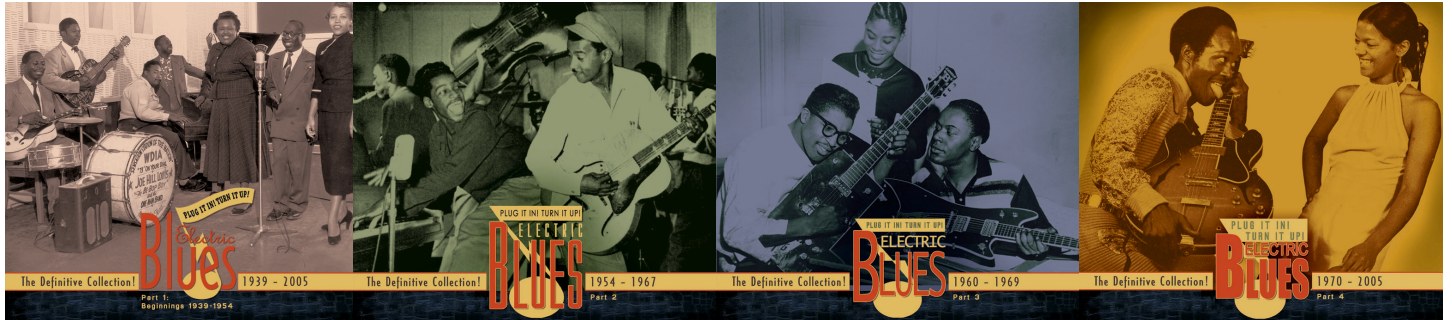




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FORMAT

3 CD-digipac with 160-page booklet

GENRE

Blues / R&B

TRACKS

77

PLAYING TIME

217:58



## TRACKLISTING

**CD 1: Andy Kirk And His Clouds Of Joy** (featuring guitar solo by Floyd Smith): Floyd's Guitar Blues • **T-Bone Walker**: Mean Old World • **Sister Rosetta Tharpe**: Strange Things Happening Every Day • **Johnny Moore's Three Blazers**: Drifting Blues • **Louis Jordan And his Tympany Five**: Ain't That Just Like A Woman • **Arthur 'Big Boy' Crudup**: That's All Right • **Lightnin' Hopkins**: Let Me Play With Your Poodle • **T-Bone Walker**: Call It Stormy Monday (But Tuesday Is Just As Bad) • **Sonny Boy Williamson**: Better Cut That Out • **Big Bill (Bronzy)**: Ramblin' Bill • **Muddy Waters**: I Can't Be Satisfied • **John Lee Hooker**: Boogie Chillen • **Pee Wee Crayton**: Blues After Hours • **Clarence 'Gatemouth' Brown**: Mary Is Fine • **Stick McGhee And His Buddies**: Drinkin' Wine Spo-Dee-O-Dee • **Little Willie Littlefield**: Hit The Road • **Jimmy Witherspoon**: Who's Been Jivin' You • **The Nighthawks (Robert Nighthawk)**: Black Angel Blues (Sweet Black Angel) • **Baby Boy Warren**: My Special Friend Blues • **Lowell Fulson**: Every Day I Have The Blues (Lonely Heart Blues) • **Goree Carter And His Hepcats**: Rock Awhile • **Clarence Garlow**: Bon Ton Roula • **Baby Face Leroy Trio**: Rollin' And Tumblin' Part 1 • **Gene Phillips With Jack McVea Orchestra**: Slippin' And Slidin' • **Jimmy McCracklin And His Blues Blasters**: Rockin' All Day (aka Rockin' And Reelin') • **Roy Brown And His Mighty Mighty Men**: Love Don't Love Nobody

**CD 2: Jimmy Rogers And His Trio**: That's All Right • **Tampa Red**: Midnight Boogie • **Charles Brown**: Black Night • **Cecil Gant**: Rock Little Baby • **Lonnie Johnson**: Why Should I Cry? • **Jackie Brenston And His Delta Cats**: Rocket '88' • **Howlin' Wolf**: How Many More Years? • **James 'Wide Mouth' Brown**: Boogie Woogie Nighthawk • **Floyd Dixon**: Baby Let's Go Down To The Woods • **Robert Nighthawk**: Kansas City Blues • **Sonny Boy Williamson**: Pontiac Blues • **Elmore James**: Dust My Broom • **John Lee Hooker**: I'm In The Mood • **T-Bone Walker**: Cold Cold Feeling • **Boyd Gilmore**: Ramblin' On My Mind • **Sunny Blair**: Please Send My Baby Back • **Fats Domino**: Trust In Me • **Little Walter**: Juke • **Memphis Minnie**: Me And My Chauffeur Blues • **Eddie Boyd**: Five Long Years • **Eddie 'Cleanhead' Vinson**: Lonesome Train • **Willie Mae 'Big Mama' Thornton**: Hound Dog • **Pete 'Guitar' Lewis**: Chocolate Pork Chop Man • **B.B. King**: Woke Up This Morning • **Johnny Shines**: Evening Sun • **Snooky Pryor**: Cryin' Shame

**CD 3: Chuck Norris**: Messin' Up • **B.B. King**: Please Love Me • **Danny Overbea**: Forty Cups Of Coffee • **John Brim**: Ice Cream Man • **Ray Charles**: Losing Hand • **Joe Hill Louis**: Hydramatic Woman • **Little Junior's Blue Flames**: Feelin' Good • **Amos Milburn**: One Scotch, One Bourbon, One Beer • **Rufus Thomas, Jr**: Tiger Man (King Of The Jungle) • **Little Walter And His Jukes**: Blues With A Feeling • **Lil' Son Jackson**: Piggly Wiggly • **Joe Turner And His Blues Kings**: T.V. Mama • **Guitar Slim**: The Things That I Used To Do • **Champion Jack Dupree**: Shim Sham Shimmy • **Clarence 'Gatemouth' Brown With Jimmy McCracklin**: Dirty Work At The Crossroad • **Jimmy Reed**: You Don't Have To Go • **Muddy Waters**: I'm Your Hoochie Coochie Man • **Jimmy Rogers**: Sloppy Drunk • **Wynonie Harris**: Shake That Thing • **Papa Lightfoot**: Wine, Women, Whiskey • **Pat Hare**: I'm Gonna Murder My Baby • **J. B. Hutto And His Hawks**: Pet Cream Man • **Lowell Fulson**: Reconsider Baby • **Lafayette Thomas**: Don't Have To Worry (Jumpin' In The Heart Of Town) • **Dr. Ross**: The Boogie Disease



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## ISBN-CODE

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## FORMAT

3 CD-digipac with 172-page booklet

## GENRE

Blues / R&B

## TRACKS

79

## PLAYING TIME

221:14



## TRACKLISTING

**CD 1:** B.B. 'Blues Boy' King And His Orchestra: You Upset Me Baby • Muddy Waters: I'm Ready • J.B. Lenore (sic): Mamma Talk To Your Daughter • Big Walter and his Combo: Hard-Hearted Woman • Pee Wee Crayton: You Know-Yeah • Earl King And His Band: A Mother's Love • Eddie Taylor: Bad Boy • Little Walter And His Jukes: My Babe • L.C. McKinley: She's Five Feet Three • Robert Jr. And His Combo: Aw Aw Baby • Bo Diddley: I'm A Man • Guitar Slim: Quicksand • Chuck Berry: Wee Wee Hours • Billy Boy: I Wish You Would • Johnny 'Guitar' Watson: Three Hours Past Midnight • 'Sonny Boy' Williamson: Don't Start Me Talkin' • Little Willie John: Need Your Love So Bad • Little George Smith: Rockin' • Jimmy Reed: Ain't That Lovin' You Baby • Jerry McCain: My Next Door Neighbor • Howlin' Wolf: Smoke Stack Lightning • Billy Gayles: I'm Tore Up • John Lee Hooker: Dimples • Otis Rush: I Can't Quit You Baby • Little Junior Parker With Bill Harvey's Band: Next Time You See Me

**CD 2:** Bo Diddley: Who Do You Love • Bill Doggett: Honky Tonk (Part 1) • Clarence 'Gatemouth' Brown: Rock My Blues Away • Jackie Brenston: Gonna Wait For My Chance • Jimmy Rogers: Walking By Myself • Lonesome Sundown: My Home Is A Prison • Muddy Waters: Got My Mojo Working • Slim Harpo: I'm A King Bee • Bobby 'Blue' Bland With Bill Harvey Orchestra: Farther Up The Road • Frankie Lee Sims: Walking With Frankie • Magic Sam: All Your Love • Guitar Jr.: Family Rules • Otis Rush: All Your Love (I Miss Loving) • Larry Davis: Texas Flood • Lazy Lester: Sugar Coated Love • Brownie McGhee: Living With The Blues • Little Milton: That Will Never Do • Fenton Robinson: As The Years Go By • Wilbert Harrison: Kansas City • Hank Ballard & The Midnighters: Look At Little Sister • Jimmy Reed: Baby What You Want Me To Do • Memphis Slim: Messin' Around • Lightnin' Slim: Rooster Blues • Buster Brown: Fannie Mae • Elmore James And His Broomdusters: The Sky Is Crying

**CD 3:** Pee Wee Crayton: Texas Hop • Roy Milton: Junior Jives • T-Bone Walker: Strollin' With Bones • Tiny Grimes Quintet: Tiny's Boogie • Elmore James: Hawaiian Boogie • Jimmy & Walter: Easy • Earl Hooker: The Huckle-Buck • Young John Watson: Space Guitar • Lightnin' Hopkins: Hopkins' Sky Hop • Clarence 'Gatemouth' Brown: Okie Dokie Stomp • Bill Jennings Quintet: Big Boy • Mickey Baker: Shake Walkin' • Jimmy Nolen: Strollin' With Nolen • Guitar Gable: Congo Mambo • Jody Williams: Lucky Lou • Johnny Heartsman: Johnny's House Party (Parts 1 & 2) • Chuck Berry: Guitar Boogie • Cal Green: The Big Push • Little Walter: Back Track • Memphis Slim: Steppin' Out • Wild Jimmy Spruill: Hard Grind • Royal Earl & The Swingin' Kools: Royal Earl Shuffle • Ike & Tina's Kings Of Rhythm: Prancing • Clarence Green: Red Light • Freddie King: Remington Ride • Lonnie Mack: Wham! • Albert Collins: Frosty • Johnny Jones & The Beat Boys: Finger Lickin' • Magic Sam: Looking Good



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## PRICE-CODE

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## FORMAT

3 CD-digipac with 172-page booklet

## GENRE

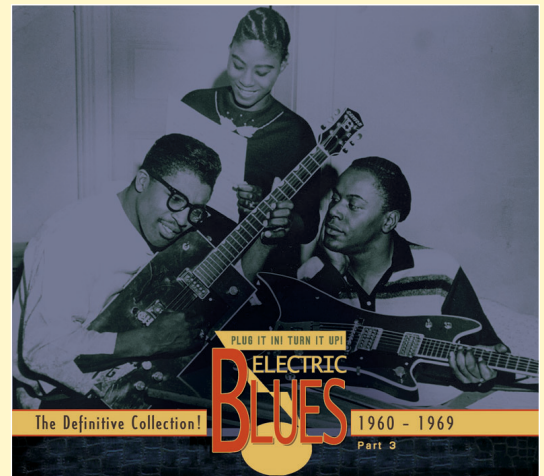
Blues / R&B

## TRACKS

70

## PLAYING TIME

220:42



## TRACKLISTING

**CD 1:** Otis Rush: So Many Roads, So Many Trains • Buddy Guy: First Time I Met The Blues • Jimmy Reed: Big Boss Man • Freddie King: Hide Away • Freddie King: Have You Ever Loved A Woman • Junior Wells: Messin' With The Kid • Bobby Bland: I Pity The Fool • Earl King: Come On (Parts 1 & 2) • Kid Thomas: Rockin' This Joint To-nite • Elmore James: Shake Your Moneymaker • Betty James: I'm A Little Mixed Up • Junior Parker: Driving Wheel • Willie Perryman & The Interns: Doctor Feel-Good • John Lee Hooker: Boom Boom • Bobby Parker: Watch Your Step • Willie Cobbs: You Don't Love Me • Ricky Allen: Cut You A-Loose • Frank Frost: Jelly Roll King • Bo Diddley: You Can't Judge A Book By Looking At The Cover • Christine Kittrell: I'm A Woman • Sonny Boy Williamson: Help Me • Jesse Fortune: Too Many Cooks • Little Johnny Taylor: Part Time Love • Howlin' Wolf: Hidden Charms • James Davis: Blue Monday

**CD 2:** Tommy Tucker: Hi-Heel Sneakers • Little Frankie Lee & The Saxtons: Full Time Lover • B.B. King: Rock Me Baby • Timmy Shaw: Gonna Send You Back To Georgia • Sugar Pie DeSanto: Use What You Got • Howlin' Wolf: Killing Floor • Rufus Thomas: All Night Worker • Junior Wells: Snatch It Back And Hold It • Slim Harpo: Baby Scratch My Back • Koko Taylor: Wang Dang Doodle • Little Milton: Feel So Bad • Johnnie Taylor: Little Bluebird • Wilson Pickett: Mustang Sally • Albert King: Crosscut Saw • Mable John: You're Taking Up Another Man's Place • Lowell Fulson: Tramp • Aretha Franklin: Dr. Feelgood (Love Is A Serious Business) • Albert King: Born Under A Bad Sign • Etta James: I'd Rather Go Blind • Buddy Guy: Mary Had A Little Lamb • Clarence Carter: Slip Away • Sonny Rhodes: One Of These Days • Tyrone Davis: A Woman Needs To Be Loved • Magic Sam: What Have I Done Wrong • Calvin Leavy: Cummins Prison Farm

**CD 3:** Ronnie Hawkins: Who Do You Love • Lonnie Mack: Baby What's Wrong • Johnny Winter: Gangster Of Love • The Animals: The House Of The Rising Sun • Manfred Mann: Bring It To Jerome • Michael Bloomfield: Going Down Slow • The Pretty Things: Judgement Day • The Yardbirds: I Ain't Got You • Paul Butterfield Blues Band: Born In Chicago • John Mayall's Blues Breakers: Have You Heard • John Hammond: I Can Tell • Charley Musselwhite's South Side Band: Baby Will You Please Help Me • The Spencer Davis Group: Stevie's Blues • Ten Years After: I Want To Know • Savoy Brown: Shake 'Em On Down • Taj Mahal: She Caught The Katy (And Left Me A Mule To Ride) • Canned Heat: On the Road Again • Big Brother & The Holding Company: Ball And Chain • Fleetwood Mac: Black Magic Woman • The Jeff Beck Group: I Ain't Superstitious



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## FORMAT

3 CD-digipac with 156-page booklet

## GENRE

Blues / R&B

## TRACKS

65

## PLAYING TIME

263:18



## TRACKLISTING

**CD 1:** **Ted Taylor:** Something Strange is Goin' On In My House • **Al Green:** I Can't Get Next To You • **Israel 'Popper Stopper' Tolbert:** Big Leg Woman (With A Short Short Mini Skirt) • **Bill Coday:** Get Your Lie Straight • **Z.Z. Hill:** Don't Make Me Pay For His Mistakes • **O.V. Wright:** A Nickel And A Nail • **Bobby Rush:** Chicken Heads • **Little Johnny Taylor:** Everybody Knows About My Good Thing, Pt. 1 • **Joe Simon:** Drowning In The Sea Of Love • **Little Beaver:** Joey • **Little Milton:** That's What Love Will Make You Do • **Ann Peebles:** Breaking Up Somebody's Home • **Albert King:** I'll Play The Blues For You • **Denise LaSalle:** Man Sized Job • **Betty Lavette:** Your Turn To Cry • **Little Sonny:** It's Hard Going Up (But Twice As Hard Coming Down) • **B.B. King:** To Know You Is To Love You • **Johnnie Taylor:** Cheaper To Keep Her • **Latimore:** Let's Straighten It Out • **Bobby Bland:** I Wouldn't Treat A Dog (The Way You Treated Me) • **Syl Johnson:** Take Me To The River • **Tyrone Davis:** Turning Point • **Johnny 'Guitar' Watson:** Ain't That A Bitch • **Artie White:** (You Are My) Leanin' Tree

**CD 2:** **B. B. King:** The Thrill Is Gone • **Johnny Winter:** Memory Pain • **Freddie King:** Going Down • **J. Geils Band:** Homework • **Otis Rush:** Right Place, Wrong Time • **Hound Dog Taylor:** Give Me Back My Wig • **Chick Willis:** Stoop Down Baby • **Rory Gallagher:** Should've Learnt My Lesson • **Roy Buchanan:** After Hours • **Son Seals:** Your Love Is Like A Cancer • **The Elvin Bishop Group:** Stealin' Watermelons • **Luther Allison:** Luther's Blues • **The James Cotton Band:** Boogie Thing • **ZZ Top:** La Grange • **Fenton Robinson:** Somebody Loan Me A Dime • **Junior Wells:** The Train I Ride • **Delbert McClinton:** Before You Accuse Me • **Bonnie Raitt:** Runaway • **Koko Taylor:** Hey Bartender • **Roomful Of Blues:** Duke's Blues • **Eddy Clearwater:** Bad Dream

**CD 3:** **Hollywood Fats Band:** Rock This House • **Albert Collins:** Brick • **Z.Z. Hill:** Down Home Blues • **Johnny Copeland:** Claim Jumper • **Clarence 'Gatemouth' Brown:** Dollar Got The Blues • **George Thorogood & The Destroyers:** Bad To The Bone • **Stevie Ray Vaughan & Double Trouble:** Pride And Joy • **Lonnie Brooks:** Don't Take Advantage Of Me • **The Fabulous Thunderbirds:** Tuff Enuff • **Robert Cray:** Smoking Gun • **Joe Louis Walker:** Cold Is The Night • **Buddy Guy:** Damn Right, I've Got The Blues • **Robert Ward:** Your Love Is Real • **Snooks Eaglin:** Red Beans • **Junior Kimbrough & The Soul Blues Boys:** All Night Long • **R.L. Burnside:** Old Black Mattie • **Ronnie Earl & The Broadcasters:** Robert Nighthawk Stomp (live) • **Luther Allison:** Bad Love • **Arthur Adams:** Backup Man • **Nick Moss & The Flip Tops:** Check My Pulse