

# SINGLE

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**ACTION! DRAMA! THRILLS!**  
A Crucial Singles Review Semi-Final Direct From The Lush Turf of Long Acre . . .

## GOAL!

### FOETUS OVER FRISCO 'Custom Built For Capitalism' (Self Immolation)

Foetus Over Frisco are a basic mutation of You've Got Foetus On Your Breath/Phillip And His Foetus Vibrations/Foetus Under Glass and one or two similarly named others.

Supposedly a seven-piece from San Francisco (but if that is true I'm on the next plane), this is their latest and most fabulous record.

Previous recordings contained works which veered from the monumentally impressive to the plain repulsive. This 12-incher (with a total playing time of around 25 minutes) is a cogent distillation of past

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preoccupations and is their most consistently *listenable* offering.

As you might imagine from the title the general sway of the subject matter is more than a little cynical of high powered world-wide economic exchanges. The singer spits and quips merciless barbs lampooning bastions of free-enterprise with an almost insane reverie.

Musically, this radical delight gallops through a grievously assembled collage of surprise-a-second themes pausing only for the hallowed tones of the stock exchange report.

An anti-monetarist dance of joy!