

EUROSONIC FESTIVAL 2014: FOCUS ON AUSTRIA

ARTIST: THE VEGETABLE ORCHESTRA

ALBUM: ONIONOISE

SHORT INFO:

In these days The Vienna Vegetable Orchestra celebrates its 15th anniversary. In addition to performing on the international concert circuit, the 10-people collective from Vienna has spent the last dozen years experimenting with the building of vegetable instruments, industriously unearthing the acoustic universe of roots and legumes, cabbages and courgettes. All the instruments used are exclusively made from vegetables: from fresh as well as dried plant material such as carrot, leek, celery root, artichoke, dried pumpkin and onion skin.

The sounds produced by the vegetable instruments are amazingly multi-layered. Stylistically the music oscillates between organic pop music and aural sound experiments, with inspiration from various sources. Invitations to renowned festivals such as Sonár in Barcelona or to Huddersfield seem an obvious consequence.



Onionoise, their third album in 11 years, bares the fruits of that search with every crackle, gurgle, honk, squawk, tweet, bleat, thump and bump of countless combinations and servings of one of the world's greatest food groups. [...] ... a Vegetable Orchestra album that demands to be listened to over and over. Exclaim Magazine, Canada

INTERNATIONAL TOUR DATES (Highlights):

Transmusicales, Rennes
Bestival, Isle of Wight
Sonar Festival, Barcelona
Huddersfield Contemporary Music Festival

PARTNERS:

Label: Transacoustic Research / monkey
Booking: Sandra Walkenhofer, Media Loca (DE),
Kongfuzi (F)

LINKS:

www.vegetableorchestra.org
[www.twitter.com/vegetableorch](https://twitter.com/vegetableorch)

VIDEO:

http://youtu.be/ZUADjV_QVNk
<http://youtu.be/hpfYt7vRHuY>

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