

PRESS RELEASE

Unmap *Pirates*



"...unabashedly fun electro mayhem"
- The Line of Best Fit

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For fans of... AlunaGeorge, NZCA/LINES, Blonde Redhead, Grimes

Having just released their debut album **Pressures** in December last year, **Unmap** are back and ready to claim 2014 as their own with their latest single **Pirates**, out via cutting edge Berlin label **Sinnbus** on **10th March 2014**.

Unmap's dark, intricate and quirky electro sound is a head turner. *Pirates* showcases front woman **Mariechen Danz**'s, deep, sultry female vocals dancing playfully with the band's unique take on their modern electro sound. Whether *Pirates* hits you immediately or slowly grows inside you like an aching hunger, you'll want to hear more. The video for *Pirates* also reveals the band's artistic, avant-garde side, which is no surprise since Mariechen is heavily involved with the modern art scene in Berlin.

Comprised of **Mariechen Danz** (vocals), **Alex Stolze** (violin, guitar, electronics), **Matthias Geserick** (bass) and **Thomas Fietz** (e-drums), the band started life with Mariechen and Alex with the intention to make music to soundtrack her art performances. However, not before long, the pair's soulful, lucid melodies took a life of their own and Unmap was born. Alex had previously worked with Berlin based bands **Dictaphone** and **Bodi Bill** and as the songs took shape, Matthias and Thomas were added to the mix.

Pirates is an accomplished single from a band who've only just released their debut - this is the sound of a group of artists and musicians that have come together to create something original and fresh, carving their own niche within a broader genre. In 2014 Unmap will rise from an underground whisper to one of the most important avant-garde electro pop acts on the scene.



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