

Top 40 Singles

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| 1 La Bamba Los Lobos Last week 1 / 4 weeks UNIVERSAL | 21 Sweet Sixteen Billy Idol Last week 15 / 12 weeks FESTIVAL |
| 2 Star Trekkin' The Firm Last week 3 / 2 weeks POLYGRAM | 22 Flames Of Paradise Jennifer Rush and Elton John Last week 26 / 9 weeks CBS |
| 3 I Just Can't Stop Loving You Michael Jackson Last week 4 / 3 weeks CBS | 23 Caravan Of Love Housemartins Last week 24 / 17 weeks FESTIVAL |
| 4 Who's That Girl Madonna Last week 2 / 5 weeks WEA | 24 Head To Toe Lisa Lisa & Cult Jam Last week 25 / 11 weeks CBS |
| 5 Wanted Dead Or Alive Bon Jovi Last week 8 / 2 weeks POLYGRAM | 25 First We Take Manhattan Jennifer Warnes Last week 30 / 9 weeks BMG |
| 6 What Have I Done To Deserve This Pet Shop Boys & Dusty Springfield Last week 13 / 3 weeks EMI | 26 U Got The Look Prince (and Sheena Easton) Last week - / 1 weeks WEA |
| 7 Breakout Swing Out Sister Last week 9 / 11 weeks POLYGRAM | 27 Irish Rover The Pogues and Dubliners Last week 28 / 5 weeks FESTIVAL |
| 8 Respectable Mel & Kim Last week 5 / 11 weeks FESTIVAL | 28 Luka Suzanne Vega Last week 18 / 9 weeks FESTIVAL |
| 9 When Smokey Sings ABC Last week 12 / 4 weeks POLYGRAM | 29 Just To See Her Smokey Robinson Last week 32 / 7 weeks BMG |
| 10 Wishing Well Terence Trent D'Arby Last week 29 / 2 weeks CBS | 30 Running In The Family Level 42 Last week 23 / 11 weeks POLYGRAM |
| 11 Sensitive To A Smile Herbs Last week 10 / 12 weeks WEA | 31 Down To Earth Curiosity Killed the Cat Last week 22 / 6 weeks POLYGRAM |
| 12 Glad I'm Not A Kennedy Shona Laing Last week 6 / 8 weeks VIRGIN | 32 The Locomotion Kylie Minogue Last week - / 1 weeks FESTIVAL |
| 13 I Want Your Sex George Michael Last week 11 / 10 weeks CBS | 33 Jump Start Natalie Cole Last week 27 / 7 weeks EMI |
| 14 Boops (Here To Go) Sly & Robbie Last week 14 / 5 weeks FESTIVAL | 34 Heartache Pepsi & Shirley Last week 37 / 10 weeks POLYGRAM |
| 15 I Still Haven't Found What I'm Lookin... U2 Last week 7 / 9 weeks FESTIVAL | 35 You Give Love A Bad Name Bon Jovi Last week 46 / 10 weeks POLYGRAM |
| 16 Let's Dance Chris Rea Last week - / 1 weeks POLYGRAM | 36 I Wanna Dance With Somebody Whitney Houston Last week 31 / 13 weeks BMG |
| 17 Crazy Icehouse Last week 16 / 4 weeks FESTIVAL | 37 Songbird Kenny G Last week 50 / 5 weeks BMG |
| 18 Always Atlantic Star Last week 17 / 9 weeks WEA | 38 April Skies The Jesus & Mary Chain Last week 41 / 8 weeks WEA |
| 19 If you Let Me Stay Terence Trent D'Arby Last week 21 / 13 weeks CBS | 39 Livin' On A Prayer Bon Jovi Last week 36 / 16 weeks UNIVERSAL |
| 20 Rhythm Is Gonna Get You Gloria Estefan & Miami Sound Machi... Last week 19 / 6 weeks CBS | 40 Heart And Soul T'Pau Last week 35 / 11 weeks VIRGIN |

Top 40 Albums

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| 1 The Joshua Tree U2 Last week 3 / 8 weeks Platinum / FESTIVAL | 21 Sensitive To A Smile Herbs Last week 14 / 13 weeks Gold / WEA |
| 2 Slippery When Wet Bon Jovi Last week 2 / 22 weeks Platinum / POLYGRAM | 22 Crossroads OST Ry Cooder Last week 31 / 6 weeks WEA |
| 3 Solitude Standing Suzanne Vega Last week 4 / 8 weeks Gold / FESTIVAL | 23 Whispering Jack John Farnham Last week 25 / 30 weeks Platinum / BMG |
| 4 F.L.M. Mel & Kim Last week 3 / 8 weeks Gold / FESTIVAL | 24 Rhythm Killers Sly & Robbie Last week 24 / 3 weeks FESTIVAL |
| 5 Whitney Whitney Houston Last week 5 / 12 weeks Platinum / BMG | 25 Bigger And Deffer Il Cool J Last week 28 / 10 weeks CBS |
| 6 Whiplash Smile Billy Idol Last week 7 / 26 weeks Platinum / FESTIVAL | 26 False Accusations Robert Cray Last week 28 / 10 weeks POLYGRAM |
| 7 Graceland Paul Simon Last week 10 / 46 weeks Platinum / WEA | 27 Different Light The Bangles Last week 17 / 33 weeks Platinum / FESTIVAL |
| 8 Who's That Girl OST Madonna Last week 12 / 2 weeks WEA | 28 The Final Countdown Europe Last week 44 / 18 weeks CBS |
| 9 Strong Persuader Robert Cray Last week 8 / 14 weeks Gold / POLYGRAM | 29 She Was Only A Grocers Daughter The Blow Monkeys Last week 21 / 6 weeks BMG |
| 10 Famous Blue Raincoat Jennifer Warnes Last week 11 / 5 weeks BMG | 30 Tango In The Night Fleetwood Mac Last week 35 / 15 weeks Gold / WEA/WARNER |
| 11 Running In The Family Level 42 Last week 6 / 11 weeks Gold / POLYGRAM | 31 It's The New Style Def-Jam Last week 29 / 4 weeks CBS |
| 12 By The Light Of The Moon Los Lobos Last week 16 / 4 weeks FESTIVAL | 32 Keep Your Distance Curiosity Killed the Cat Last week 20 / 4 weeks POLYGRAM |
| 13 Raindancing Alison Moyet Last week 15 / 20 weeks Platinum / CBS | 33 Beverly Hills Cop II OST Various Last week 26 / 4 weeks WEA |
| 14 It's Better To Travel Swing Out Sister Last week 13 / 8 weeks POLYGRAM | 34 Women Hold Up Half The Sky Ruby Turner Last week 48 / 26 weeks Gold / FESTIVAL |
| 15 One Voice Barbra Streisand Last week 18 / 14 weeks Gold / CBS | 35 The Big Chill OST Various Last week 33 / 21 weeks POLYGRAM |
| 16 Men And Women Simply Red Last week 9 / 23 weeks Platinum / WEA | 36 Spanish Fly Lisa Lisa & Cult Jam Last week 37 / 3 weeks CBS |
| 17 Third World Child Johnny Clegg & Savuka Last week 27 / 5 weeks EMI | 37 Body & Soul Jenny Morris Last week 40 / 3 weeks WEA |
| 18 So Peter Gabriel Last week 19 / 55 weeks Platinum / VIRGIN | 38 Whitney Houston Whitney Houston Last week 32 / 101 weeks Platinum / FESTIVAL |
| 19 Crowded House Crowded House Last week 22 / 27 weeks Platinum / EMI | 39 Picture Book Simply Red Last week 39 / 59 weeks Platinum / WEA |
| 20 Bad Influence The Robert Cray Band Last week 38 / 2 weeks POLYGRAM | 40 Bon Jovi Bon Jovi Last week 23 / 9 weeks POLYGRAM |