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VARATIONS: A MOVEMENT IN CHROME PRIMITIVE

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Genre: Contemporary Classical

Box Lot: 45

Variations: A Movement In Chrome Primitive was created using piano tape loops, which were played randomly against themselves creating feedback loops. By “cloning” small cells of melody then “breeding” them randomly, new sounds were formed. These new sounds move in and out of the original cells, creating a complex crystalline structure, a new life form not unlike a city for example, which the original cells occupy in multitudes, moving in and out of one another in infinite combinations.

Tour Dates

William Basinski curating Arcadia Festival

St. John's Hackney Church

March 12-20, 2014

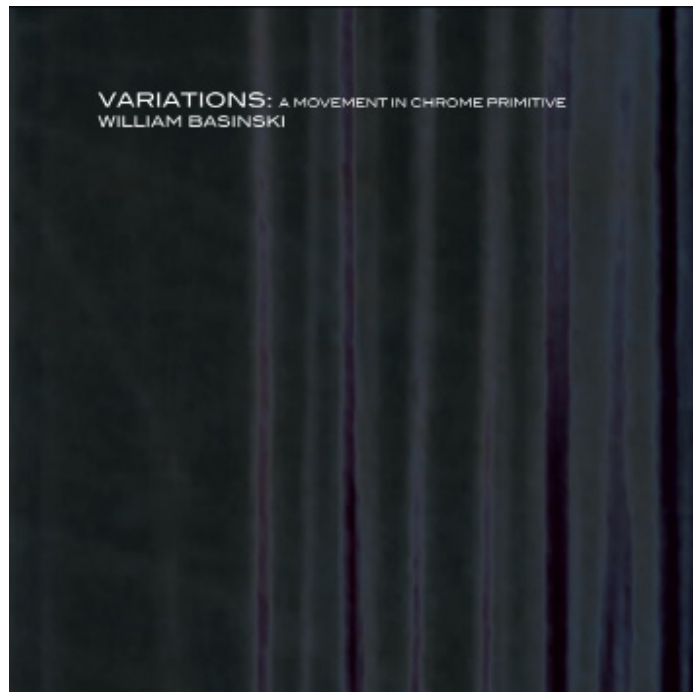
Ecstatic Music Festival

Lincoln Center NYC

March 29, 2014



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Tracklist:

1. VARIATION I 14:25
2. VARIATION II 23:16
3. VARIATION III 11:22
4. VARIATION IV 9:19
5. VARIATION V 15:13
6. VARIATION VI 13:35
7. VARIATION VII 20:19
8. VARIATION VIII 11:39

“A short, melodic piano figure is the basis for each piece, and the breeding of the loops makes for moments of startling beauty...”

- *Joe Tangari Pitchfork*

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