

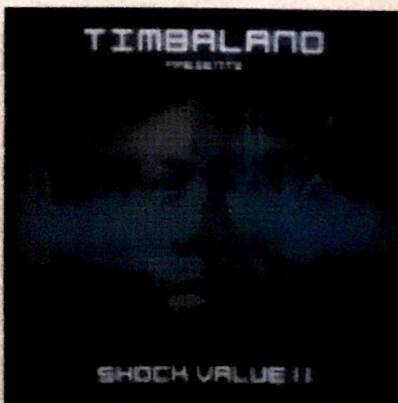
Rihanna: Rated R
Genre: R&B

Rihanna must have been feeling some type of way when she recorded this album. Rated R is simply an understatement, but nonetheless, she is killing everyone with this one. Bouncing back from the gossip and rumors about she and Chris Brown, Rihanna is handling her fame in a very respectable way, and she is showing more of her emotion through her music rather than her actions. Her hot and steamy new amped style is only helping her image, and it goes right along with the album name, Rated R. I love Rihanna, and am glad her comeback was strong & successful. She is back with her new look and her new found freedom and is definitely back to killing every other chick in the game with style. It's really essential to have this album on your iTunes, so make it snappy and click download please. **Personal Fav: Rude Boy**



Lady Gaga: The Fame Monster
Genre: Pop

Lady Gaga has to be one of my new favorite artists of all time. She came out strong with her image and music, and is holding nothing back. The Fame Monster is a deluxe edition album of her original piece The Fame, including eight new songs such as my current video obsession, Bad Romance. Her music has a certain edge to it that just makes it different from other pop stars. She pushes the limit on a regular basis, and I think that's why everyone loves her so much. This album is brilliant, and is currently on repeat in my car. If you enjoyed her performance at the 2009 MTV Awards, then it is clear that you will surely enjoy listening to her new album, over and over again. **Personal Fav: So Happy I Could Die**



Timbaland: Shock Value II
Genre: Hip-Hop

The sequel to his 2007 album, Shock Value II is on the lines of the same type of music, but upgraded. I haven't seen so many different people featured on one album in a long time. Timbaland is a genius in the studio, and truly knows how to make more than just club hits. Timbaland makes hits that people recognize years and years later. His music doesn't get murdered in the club by endless repeats, it gets appreciated and remembered for the quality. Cameos on his album include Madonna, The Jonas Brothers, Keri Hilson, Justin Timberlake, Gwen Stefani, Linkin Park, Jay-Z, Rihanna, Missy E & Coolio, among many others. Just by the line-up you have to know that this album is crack. Bringing the forces of the best artists out today with one of the best producers of all time, you can't go wrong with Shock Value II. **Personal Fav: Across The Sky feat. Justin Timberlake & Madonna**