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Akira Sakata - alto saxophone, clarinet, voice
Johan Berthling - double bass
Paal Nilssen-Love - drums & percussion

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Recorded at Atlantis Grammofon, Stockholm by Janne Hansson, 20th may 2015
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„The Wire“ about their first trio-release:

(...) there are moments on this album when the energy is so furiously intense it feels like it's going to spin out of control and take someone's eye out. Sakata delivers wry alto phrases, as though from the corner of his mouth, before disgressing into urgent flights of fancy, and finally launching into screaming, red-faced declamation – fuelled by Nilsen-Love's boiling pulse-time drums and and the low bounce of Berthling's double bass.

Tracklisting

01 Snowing at the Temple Garden
02 Blow of Humpback Whale
03 Saitaro Bushi Atlantis
04 Sheep said again Wolf is coming
05 Semikujira

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