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SUMMARY.

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- 1) The Final Cut pressing from Ireland
2) The Final Cut pressing from Iceland
3) The Final Cut pressing from Russia (yellow label)
4) The Final Cut pressing from Taiwan

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1) THE FINAL CUT from IRELAND.
(by Stefano Tarquini)

It's a rare pressing from Ireland (EIRE), maybe the record was pressed in Great Britain, but distributed in the Ireland.
The details.

Company: EMI-HARVEST RECORDS
Catalog number: SHPF 1983

Cover: standard gatefold black cover with military stripes.

Label: yellow-green Harvest label, in the upper shows "PINK FLOYD", the catalog number "SHPF 1983" and the additional number "SHPF 1983A" are on the right, in the bottom shows the title and the tracklisting.
Edge text: green letters, two texts, "EMI RECORDS LTD. ALL RIGHTS OF THE MANUFACTURER AND OF THE OWNER OF THE RECORDED WORK RESERVED" and "UNAUTHORISED PUBLIC PERFORMANCE, COPYING AND BROADCASTING OF THIS RECORD PROHIBITED".

Matrix numbers:

Cp SHPF 1983 A-3U-1- IRL TML-M

Cp SHPF 1983 B-2U-1-2 TML--M TML-M (both printed).

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2) THE FINAL CUT from ICELAND.
(by Stefano Tarquini)

Wonderful pressing from Iceland!

The cover was printed in Great Britain, but the record was distributed in Iceland.

Company: FALKINN RECORDS
Catalog number: SHPF 1983

Front cover: standard black gatefold cover with military stripes, with no title, it shows only a little sticker with price.

Back cover: standard, with photo in the upper right, in the bottom shows the text "tm 8303 gl".

Inside: standard with lyrics.

Label: picture standard, the colours are more dark than the UK pressing, the words "Side 1" and "Side 2" are printed as "hlid I", in the label is printed a special company logo from Iceland, the Falkinn Records, as "FÁLKINN' ".

Edge text: white letters and in english.

Matrix numbers:

1) SHPF 1983 A-5U-1-2- TML-S \ SHPF 1983 B-2U-1-1- TML-M TML-M;

2) SHVL 822 A-1U (stampati) TML-X (scritti) \ SHVL 822 B-2U TML-M.

The Falkinn Records was the greatest records company in Iceland, since

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1929, this company distributed local records and imported records, it was sold in the late 1986.

3) THE FINAL CUT from RUSSIA.
(by Stefano Tarquini)

It's a different issue than the one with the red labels.

Company: ?

Catalog number: P94 RAT30737

Year: 1994.

Front cover: black standard no gatefold cover with military stripes and the title "pink floyd the final cut" in the upper right, around the cover is a white border.

Back cover: different, with four photos on the left and title and credits on the right, below the title is the additional text "a requiem for the post war dream by Roger Waters".

Label: white with yellow stripes, the title is "pink floyd the final cut", the tracklisting is in english, the Side A ends with the song "Get ypur filthy hands off my deserts" and the Side B starts with the song "The Fletcher memorial home", there is no company or country name.

Matrix numbers:

RAT 30737 / 1

RAT 30737 / 2 (both printed).

4) THE FINAL CUT from TAIWAN.
(by Stefano Tarquini)

It's another pressing from Taiwan different than the AR Records.

The details.

Company: STAR POWER

Catalog number: LMSP-019

Front cover: black standard no gatefold cover with military stripes, there is no title.

Back cover: different, blue background with lirycs and three photos, there is no company name.

Spine: "LMSP-019" "G.I.O. No. 139".

Label: white label, in the upper shows the star logo of the "Star Power" and the title "PINK FLOYD" "THE FINAL CUT", catalog number "LMSP-019-A" in the center, tracklisting in the bottom, the label shows some mistakes, like "Get Your Filtmy Hands Off My Desert".

Matrix numbers:

RK-046-1 PAL 38243 1H

RK-046-2 PBL 38243 - 1G .

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