

# BIGFOOT METER EPK

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Birthered from a deep love of progressive rock and jazz fusion, BIGFOOT METER's music tows the line between both genres, refusing to fit entirely into one or the other. The six-part line up consists of Joey Blunk (trumpet), David Bernot (saxophone), Andres Orco (guitar), Rocco Williams (synthesizers and vibraphone), Nate Marsh (bass), and Jeff Peterson (drums). Together, they offer a high intensity, rhythmically intricate, and deeply personal sound throughout Colorado.

BIGFOOT METER formed in mid-2021, performing their first show that August. The band quickly followed up with more shows throughout Colorado. They have played at Larimer Lounge, Globe Hall, Enigma Bazaar, and Muse Performance Space, among others. After several live performances, BIGFOOT METER recorded their debut album, releasing the self-titled work in September of 2022. Their music has been featured on DPRP.net (Dutch Progressive Rock Page), The Progressive Rock Journal, Rock Arte, The Progressive Aspect, and The Rational Alchemy Podcast.

BIGFOOT METER's songs range from progressive rock to jazz fusion to neo soul to heavy metal, with most blending elements from multiple genres. The influences of Mahavishnu Orchestra, Return to Forever, Hiatus Kaiyote, Gentle Giant, and even Mr. Bungle quickly became apparent. Today, BIGFOOT METER continues to perform throughout Colorado, relentlessly pushing the envelope with new, innovative compositions that challenge their audience while maintaining an ease of approachability.