

## ANE LAN

VENUS

single channel video







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VENUS running time: 11:58 min.

VENUS cast:

Beata Kretovicova Iden, Anne Kathrine Fallmyr, Kristin Holand

VENUS music: Ane Lan

VENUS stage design: Ane Lan

VENUS costume design: Synnøve Moe & Ane Lan

VENUS editing: Ane Lan

A pregnant woman is surrounded by mythical creatures in a pagan ritual celebrating fertility and forces of life and sexuality. Addressing the archaic Venus sculptures made in the dawn of human evolution (ref. Venus of Willendorf c. 28,000-23,000 B.C.), the video investigates our past and contemporary relationship with the image of the pregnant female body, through a reading of the Freudian concept of the childs rejection of the mother(body) as a the primary stage of narcissism and the gateway to the symbolic world.

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