MADE UP

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DURATION
4:20

YEAR
2008

ORIGINAL LANGUAGE
English

CATEGORY
Video Art



DESCRIPTION
What is masculinity? What is it to be a man? How do these terms apply to homosexual identity? In reaction to homophobic behaviour towards gay men, *Made Up* criticizes how gays are often dismissed for being too "effeminate", too "flamboyant" or not "straight-acting" enough. Through manipulations of both sound and image, it demonstrates how social constructs are made and how they can be deconstructed.

IMAGE FORMAT
4:3

SOUND
Stereo

SHOOTING FORMAT
MiniDV

KEYWORDS
Transformation, Masculinity, Accumulation, Seduction, Desire, Queerness, LGBQTIA+, Femininity, Society, Social Constructs, Makeover , Prejudice, Stereotype, Body, Homophobia

THEMES
Art and culture
Identity
Private life
Society