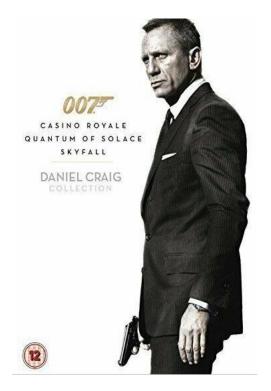
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# The Paragon Multimedia DVD, VHS Collection

Title: 007 – Daniel Craig as James Bond

**Trilogy** 

(3 Movies)



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<u>List</u> of James Bond Films



ISBN: 5039036058377

### **Information**

Release Title: Daniel Craig as James Bond 007

26<sup>th</sup> December 2011 (United Kingdom)

From: Ian Lancaster Fleming was a British writer, best known for his post-war James Bond series of spy novels. Fleming came from a wealthy family connected to the merchant bank Robert Fleming ...

AKA: Origin: United States, Sweden, Norway

Release date: United States – 14<sup>th</sup> December 2011 (New York Prem)

Genres: Crime, Drama, Mystery, Thriller

Disc Nos. - 1
Certification: 18
Duration: 2h 38m
Region Code:
Region: 2
Product Code:

MPN: EAN: UPC:

Languages: English, Swedish

Filming locations

Hofsta Manor, Björkvik, Södermanlands län, Sweden (Vanger's estate)

Sound mix: Dolby Digital, Datasat, SDDS, Dolby Surround 7.1





Colour: PAL

Aspect Ratio: 2.39:1

#### **Information**

## 22 - Title: Casino Royale



Release Date: 16<sup>th</sup> November 2006 UK Release Date: 17<sup>th</sup> November 2006 US

Duration: 2h 24m

Genres: Action, Adventure, Thriller

Cert: 15

Languages: English, Serbian, German, Italian, French

AKA: Bond 21

Filming locations: la La Gaeta, Lake Como, Lombardia

Italy (Villa of Mr. White)

Sound Mix: Dolby Digital, SDDS, DTS

Colour: PAL

Aspect Ratio: 2.39:1

**ISBN:** 

## **Storyline**

MI6 operative James Bond earns his licence to kill and promotion to 00 agent status by assassinating the traitorous Dryden and his contact at the British Embassy in Prague. In Uganda, Mr. White introduces Steven Obanno, a high-ranking member of the Lord's Resistance Army, to Le Chiffre, an Albanian private banker to terrorists. Obanno entrusts Le Chiffre with \$100 million to invest. Using knowledge of his own upcoming terrorist attack on aerospace manufacturer Skyfleet, Le Chiffre shorts the company's stock.

In Madagascar, Bond blows up an embassy while capturing and then killing a bomb-maker named Mollaka. MI6 chief M admonishes Bond for causing an international incident and ignoring her orders to take Mollaka alive. Using the information on Mollaka's phone, Bond is led to the Bahamas and a corrupt Greek official, Alex Dimitrios, who had hired Mollaka at Le Chiffre's request to bomb Skyfleet's prototype airliner. After winning Dimitrios' vintage Aston Martin in a poker game and seducing his wife, Solange, Bond pursues Dimitrios to Miami. Bond fends off an attack by Dimitrios and kills him. At the airport, Bond chases down the new bomber Dimitrios has hired and thwarts the destruction of the Skyfleet airliner. With the Skyfleet stock secure, Le Chiffre loses Obanno's money. Surmising that somebody talked about the terrorist plot, Le Chiffre tortures Solange to death.

To recoup his clients' money, Le Chiffre organizes a Texas hold 'em tournament at the Casino Royale in Montenegro. MI6 enters Bond — the agency's best poker player — in the tournament, believing a defeat will force Le Chiffre to seek asylum with the British government in exchange for information on his clients. Bond is paired with Vesper Lynd, a British Treasury agent overseeing the \$10 million buy-in. They meet their contact, René Mathis, in Montenegro. Obanno, furious that his money is missing, threatens Le Chiffre but allows him to continue playing to win back the money. Obanno and his bodyguard attack Bond, who kills them both. Bond loses his \$10 million stake after Le Chiffre is tipped off about his own tell, and Vesper refuses to authorize an additional \$5 million for Bond to continue. However, fellow player Felix Leiter, a CIA agent, stakes Bond to the money in exchange for letting his agency take Le Chiffre into custody. Le Chiffre's lover, Valenka, poisons Bond's martini, but Vesper rescues him. Bond returns to the game and wins the tournament. Le Chiffre kidnaps Vesper to trap Bond and takes them to an abandoned ship. He tortures Bond to reveal the password to the bank account holding the winnings, but Bond resists. Mr. White bursts in and kills Le Chiffre but inexplicably spares Bond and Vesper.



UK theatrical release poste

Directed by Martin Campbell
Screenplay by Neal Purvis

by Neal Purvis Robert Wade Paul Haggis

Based on Casino Rovale

by Ian Fleming

Produced by Michael G. Wilson Barbara Broccoli

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Starring Daniel Craig
Eva Green

Mads Mikkelsen Jeffrey Wright Judi Dench

Isaach de Bankolé

Cinematography Phil Méheux
Edited by Stuart Baird
Music by David Arnold

Production Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer

Columbia Pictures
Eon Productions

Distributed by Sony Pictures Releasing[1]

Release dates 14 November 2006

(London)

16 November 2006 (United Kingdom) 17 November 2006 (United States)

Running time 144 minutes

Countries United Kingdom<sup>[2]</sup>
United States

Czech Republic Germany

Language English

Budget \$150 million

Box office \$616 million<sup>[3]</sup>

Bond awakens in hospital and recovers with Vesper at his side. He has Mathis apprehended after believing that he had tipped off Le Chiffre about his tell. Bond falls in love with Vesper and resigns from MI6. The couple sails to Venice. When M reveals that his winnings were never transferred to the British treasury, Bond realizes that Vesper has betrayed him. He tails her to a hand-off of the money, where gunmen spot him and take her captive inside a Venetian palace undergoing restoration. Bond shoots the building's flotation devices, causing it to gradually sink into the Grand Canal as he picks off the shooters. Vesper is imprisoned in the building's elevator and, after locking herself in to prevent Bond from saving her, drowns. Mr. White, meanwhile, escapes with the money.

M informs Bond, who has returned to service, that the organization behind Le Chiffre threatened to kill Vesper's lover unless she became a double agent. When Bond angrily denounces Vesper as a traitor, M reasons that she likely made a deal with White by trading the winnings for Bond's life. Realizing Vesper left her phone to help him, Bond checks the contacts and locates Mr. White at an estate in Lake Como. He shoots White in the leg and introduces himself: "The name's Bond, James Bond".

#### Cast

Daniel Craig as James Bond: A British MI6 officer newly assigned 00 status, giving him a licence to kill. He is sent on a mission to arrest a bomb-maker in Madagascar, where he stumbles upon Le Chiffre's terrorist cell and is then sent to defeat him in a high-stakes poker game at Casino Royale.

Eva Green as Vesper Lynd: An agent for Her Majesty's Treasury assigned to supervise Bond and finance him in a high-stakes poker game.

Mads Mikkelsen as Le Chiffre: A banker who services many of the world's criminals and terrorists and associate partner of SPECTRE, he is a mathematical genius and expert chess player, using these skills when playing poker.

Giancarlo Giannini as René Mathis: Bond's contact in Montenegro.

Jesper Christensen as Mr. White: A liaison for an unnamed criminal organization (the nature of this group is explored more in the next film, Quantum of Solace).

Judi Dench as M: The head of MI6. Although she feels she has promoted Bond too soon and chides him for his rash actions, she plays an important maternal figure in his life. Dench was the only cast member retained from the Pierce Brosnan films.

Tobias Menzies as Villiers: M's young secretary at MI6 headquarters. His character's last name is a reference to James Villiers, who portrayed Bill Tanner in For Your Eyes Only, and to the character of Amherst Villiers in the original novel.

Isaach de Bankolé as Steven Obanno: A leader of the Lord's Resistance Army, he is introduced to Le Chiffre by Mr. White to account his finances.

Simon Abkarian as Alex Dimitrios: A contractor in the international criminal underworld and associate of Le Chiffre, he is based in the Bahamas.

Ivana Miličević as Valenka: Le Chiffre's girlfriend and henchwoman, she accompanies him to the poker game.

Caterina Murino as Solange Dimitrios: Dimitrios's wife; Bond seduces her, causing her unintentionally to reveal one of his plans. After Bond kills Dimitrios, she is found tortured and killed. Claudio Santamaria as Carlos: A terrorist employed by Le Chiffre to blow up an aircraft.

Sébastien Foucan as Mollaka: A bomb-maker pursued by Bond through a construction site in Madagascar. Credited in opening title cards under "Free running stunts".

Jeffrey Wright as Felix Leiter: A CIA operative, he is participating in the poker tournament while assisting Bond. This is the first Eon-produced Bond film in which Leiter is played by a black actor. (Leiter was played by black actor Bernie Casey in Never Say Never Again, which was not produced by Eon.)

Casino Royale includes a cameo by British entrepreneur Richard Branson (seen being TSA-screened at Miami International Airport). The cameo was cut out of the in-flight versions shown on British Airways' in-flight entertainment systems, and the Virgin Atlantic aircraft Branson supplied had its tail fin (bearing the company logo) obscured. Brazilian model Alessandra Ambrosio makes an unspoken cameo as a tennis player.

#### **Parents Guide**

Certification

Argentina:13 Australia:M Austria:14 Belgium:KT/EA Brazil:14 Canada:14A (Alberta/British Columbia/Manitoba) Canada:14A (Canadian Home Video rating) Canada:PG (Nova Scotia/Ontario) Canada:13+ (Quebec) Chile:TE Colombia:12 Czechia:12 (HBO) Denmark:11 Ecuador:12 (self-applied) Egypt:PG-13 (self-applied) Finland:K-15/13 Finland:K-16/13 France:Tous publics avec avertissement Germany:12 Greece:K-13 Hong Kong:IIA Hungary:16 Iceland:12 India:UA India:U (Tamil dubbed) Indonesia:R (self-applied) Ireland:15A Ireland:15 (DVD rating) Israel:14 Italy:T Japan:G (2015) Malaysia:U Malaysia:P13 (TV rating) Mexico:B Netherlands:12 New Zealand:M Norway:15 Peru:14 Philippines:PG-13 Poland:12 (self-applied) Portugal:M/12 Russia:12+ Singapore:PG Singapore:PG13 (TV rating) South Africa:13 South Africa:PG (video) South Korea:15 Spain:13 Sweden:15 Switzerland:14 (canton of Geneva) Switzerland:14 (canton of Vaud) Taiwan:12+ Thailand:15 Turkey:13A (self-applied) United Kingdom:15 United Kingdom:12 (DVD rating, cut theatrical version) United Kingdom:12A (cut) United Kingdom:15 (uncut version) United States:PG-13 (certificate #42012) United Arab Emirates:PG-15 (self-applied)

Sex & Nudity – Moderate Violence & Gore – Moderate Profanity – Mild Alcohol, Drugs & Smoking – Mild Frightening & Intense Scenes - Moderate

MPAA Rated PG-13 for intense sequences of violent action, a scene of torture, sexual content and nudity

