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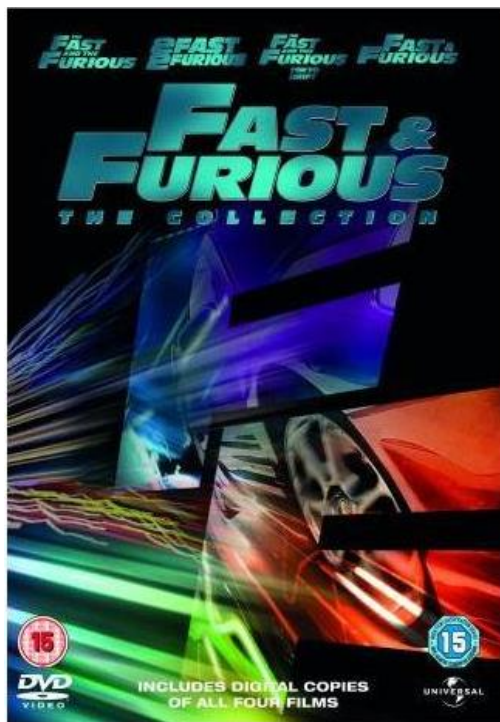
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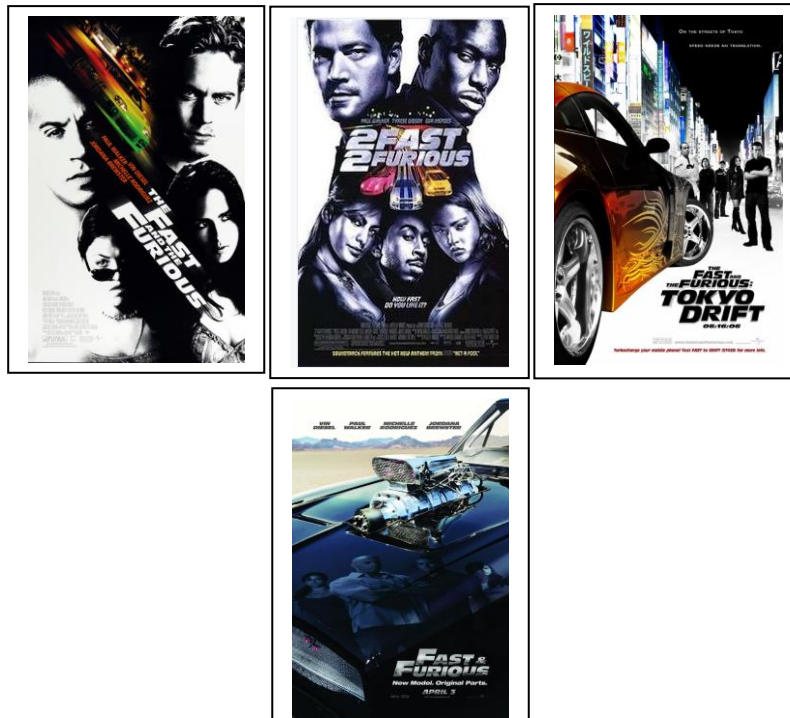
## Multimedia DVD, VHS Collection

### Title: **Fast & Furious** Collection 1-4 Franchise

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## Information

Release Title: **Fast & Furious** 14th September 2001 (United Kingdom)

Publication date:

Origin: United States, Germany

AKA: Racer X

Release date: United States – 10<sup>th</sup> May 2000 (Premiere)

Genres: Action, Crime, Thriller

Disc Nos. – 1-4

Certification: 15

Duration: 1h 46m

Region Code:

Region:

Product Code:

MPN:

EAN:

UPC:

Languages: English, Spanish

Filming locations: Hemet, California, USA (chase scene)

Sound mix: DTS, Dolby Digital, SDDS

Colour: PAL

Aspect Ratio: 2.39:1

# 1 – Title: **Fast & Furious 1-4**

## Storyline

In 3000, Earth is a desolate wasteland. The Psychlos, a brutal race of giant humanoid aliens, have ruled the planet for 1,000 years, and use human slave labour to strip its minerals and other resources, with a special desire for gold. A few primitive hunter-gatherer tribes of humans live in freedom in remote, hidden areas, but after ten centuries of Psychlo oppression, they have abandoned any hope of regaining control of their planet. Jonnie Goodboy Tyler rejects this universal hopelessness and leaves his tribe in the Rocky Mountains on a journey of exploration with a nomad hunter named Carlo. Both are captured by a Psychlo raiding party and transported to a slave camp in the ruins of Denver, Colorado, the Psychlos' principal base of operations. A massive dome over the base protects the Psychlos from Earth's atmosphere, which is toxic to them.

At the camp, they meet Terl, the Psychlo security chief, and his deputy, Ker. Terl's superiors have had him reassigned to his remote Earth outpost indefinitely following unexplained incidents involving "the Senator's daughter". He plans to bribe his way back to the Psychlo home planet by illegally mining gold in areas of high radioactivity. Psychlos avoid such areas because radiation reacts explosively with the gas mixture that they breathe. Terl observes that Jonnie is a resourceful human and selects him to lead the mining operation. Jonnie acquires a comprehensive knowledge of human history and literature in a Psychlo rapid-learning machine. He defiantly declares that one day, humans will overthrow the Psychlos and retake their planet. An amused Terl shows Jonnie the ruins of Denver and its public library and boasts that the Psychlos conquered all of Earth in only nine minutes early in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. Jonnie spends time in the library and is particularly inspired by the Declaration of Independence.

Terl gives Jonnie a party of slaves and a Psychlo flying shuttle and orders him to find gold. Jonnie locates a plentiful supply at the long-abandoned Fort Knox. He also discovers an abandoned underground military base with working Harrier jump jets, weapons, and fuel. While they are supposed to be labouring in the mines, Jonnie and his followers plot a revolution, training themselves in aerial combat using the military base's flight simulators.

After a week of training, the rebels launch their attack. In a suicide mission, Carlo flies his Psychlo flying shuttle into the Denver dome, destroying it and suffocating the Psychlos inside. Jonnie captures a teleportation device and uses it to teleport a dirty bomb to the Psychlo home world. When it detonates, the radiation it releases reacts catastrophically with the Psychlo atmosphere, destroying the planet completely. The humans have retaken Earth but face an uncertain future. The last Psychlo survivors are Terl—who is imprisoned inside Fort Knox, in a makeshift cell surrounded by gold bars, as a bargaining chip in the event of a counterattack by Psychlos living off their home world—and Ker, who joins the victorious humans in their challenging project to rebuild their civilization.

## Cast

Paul Walker as Brian O'Conner:

An LAPD police officer sent to infiltrate a crew of hijackers. Mia's love interest

Vin Diesel as Dominic Toretto:

*The Fast and the Furious*



Theatrical release poster

Directed by	Rob Cohen
Screenplay by	Gary Scott Thompson Erik Bergquist David Ayer
Story by	Gary Scott Thompson
Based on	"Racer X" by Ken Li
Produced by	Neal H. Moritz
Starring	Paul Walker Vin Diesel Michelle Rodriguez Jordana Brewster Rick Yune Chad Lindberg Johnny Strong Ted Levine
Cinematography	Ericson Core
Edited by	Peter Honess
Music by	BT
Production company	Universal Pictures <sup>[1]</sup>
Distributed by	Universal Pictures <sup>[1]</sup>
Release dates	June 18, 2001 (Mann Village Theatre) June 22, 2001 (United States)
Running time	106 minutes <sup>[2]</sup>
Countries	United States <sup>[3]</sup> Germany <sup>[3]</sup>
Language	English
Budget	\$38 million <sup>[2]</sup>
Box office	\$207.3 million <sup>[2]</sup>

Leader of the heist crew and a professional street racer. He was banned from professional racing after a violent retaliatory attack on the man he believed had accidentally killed his father.

Michelle Rodriguez as Letty Ortiz:

A member of Dom's crew and his girlfriend.

Jordana Brewster as Mia Toretto:

Dom's sister and owner of the Toretto general store. Brian's love interest.

Rick Yune as Johnny Tran:

A Vietnamese gang leader and rival of Dom.

Chad Lindberg as Jesse:

A member of Dom's crew. Highly intelligent with math, algebra, and in computing, but he suffers from attention deficit disorder.

Johnny Strong as Leon:

A member of Dom's crew.

The central cast is rounded out by Ted Levine and Thom Barry as Tanner and Bilkins, respectively, members of the team that organized the investigation to place Brian undercover, and Matt Schulze as Vince, a member of Dom's crew and his childhood friend. Noel Gugliemi appears as Hector, the organizer of the drag race. Musician and rapper Ja Rule and car tuner R.J. de Vera also act as Edwin and Danny, fellow drivers at the drag race who race against Dom and Brian. Vyto Ruginis plays Harry, an informant and owner of The Racer's Edge. Reggie Lee portrays Lance Nguyen, Tran's cousin, and right-hand man. Neal H. Moritz and Rob Cohen both appear in cameos; Moritz plays an unnamed driver of a black Ferrari F355 convertible who is given a challenge by Brian, while Cohen plays a Pizza Hut delivery man.

### Parents Guide

#### Certification

Argentina:Atp Australia:M Brazil:14 Canada:14A (Alberta/British Columbia) Canada:14A (Canadian Home Video rating) Canada:PA (Manitoba) Canada:14 (Nova Scotia) Canada:AA (original rating, Ontario) Canada:13+ (Quebec) Canada:14A (2003, re-rating, Ontario) Denmark:15 Ecuador:15 (self-applied) Egypt:G (self-applied) Finland:K-15/13 Finland:K-16/13 France:Tous publics Germany:16 Greece:K-13 Hong Kong:IIA Hungary:14 Iceland:12 India:UA (re-rating) India:A (2001, original rating) Indonesia:17+ (self-applied) Ireland:15 Israel:14 (self-applied) Italy:T Japan:R15+ (self-applied) Malaysia:18SG Mexico:B Netherlands:12 New Zealand:M New Zealand:M (re-rating, DVD) Norway:15 (2001, cinema rating) Peru:14 Philippines:R-13 (self-applied) Poland:15 Portugal:M/12 Russia:16+ Singapore:NC-16 Singapore:PG (cut) South Africa:16 South Korea:15 Spain:13 Sweden:11 Switzerland:14 (canton of Geneva) Switzerland:14 (canton of Vaud) Taiwan:PG-12 Thailand:u 18+ (self-applied) Turkey:7+ (self-applied) United Kingdom:15 (original rating) United Kingdom:12A (2020, re-rating) United States:TV-PG (DLSV) United States:PG-13 (certificate #38053) Ukraine:16 United Arab Emirates:PG-15 (self-applied)

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

MPAA Rated PG-13 for violence, sexual content and language



## 2. Fast & Furious 2 Information

Release Title: Fast & Furious 20<sup>th</sup> June 2003 (United Kingdom)

Publication date:

Origin: United States, Germany

AKA: Racer X

Release date: United States – 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2003 (Hollywood, California, Premiere)

Germany: 19<sup>th</sup> June 2003

Genres: Action, Crime, Thriller

Disc Nos. – 2-4

Certification: 15

Duration: 1h 47m

Region Code:

Region:

Product Code:

MPN:

EAN:

UPC:

Languages: English, Spanish

Filming locations: Weston, Florida, USA

Sound mix: DTS, Dolby Digital, SDDS

Colour: PAL

Aspect Ratio: 2.39:1

After aiding known felon Dominic Toretto, ex-LAPD officer Brian O'Conner makes a living in Miami participating in illegal street races organized by his mechanic friend Tej Parker. After winning a race, the police show up and Brian is arrested. He is given a deal by his former boss, FBI Agent Bilkins, and U.S. Customs Agent Markham to go undercover and bring down Argentinian drug lord Carter Verone in exchange for clearing his criminal record. Brian agrees, on the condition that he gets to choose his partner.

Brian heads home to Barstow, California, where he enlists the help of Roman Pearce, an estranged childhood friend who had served jail time and is currently under parole for stealing cars. Blaming Brian for his arrest due to the fact that he was a cop, the two engage in a brief scuffle, after which Roman agrees to help in exchange for the same deal that Brian was offered. In Miami, Agent Monica Fuentes, who has been undercover with Verone for a year, assists them into his organization. After acquiring confiscated vehicles and being hired by Verone as his drivers, the duo returns to a Customs/FBI hideout, where Roman confronts Markham over his interference with the mission. Brian informs Bilkins and Markham that Verone plans to smuggle the money into his private jet and fly off.

To evade their GPS traces, Brian and Roman challenge a pair of muscle car drivers they raced earlier for pink slips. Despite engine and power output handicaps, Brian and Roman manage to win the race and the other two cars. Roman confronts Brian about his attraction to Monica and the constant threat of Verone's men, but they patch up their differences. At a nightclub, Brian and Roman witness Verone torturing MPD Detective Whitworth into giving his men a window of opportunity to make their getaway. The next morning, Monica warns them that they will be killed once the drop is made. Despite this, Markham refuses to call off the job, claiming that it is their one chance to catch Verone.

On the day of the mission, Brian and Roman begin transporting duffel bags of Verone's money with two of Verone's men—Enrique and Roberto—riding along to watch them. Before the 15-minute window is set, Whitworth, the detective in charge, decides to call in the police to move in for the arrest, resulting in a high-speed chase across the city. The duo leads the police to a warehouse, where a "scramble" by dozens of street racers organized by Tej disorients the police.

As Brian approaches the destination point in a Yenko Camaro, Enrique tells him to make a detour away from the airfield to the Tarpon Point Marina exit. Meanwhile, Roman gets rid of Roberto by using an improvised ejector seat in his Dodge Challenger powered by nitrous

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Theatrical release poster

Directed by	<a href="#">John Singleton</a>
Screenplay by	<a href="#">Michael Brandt</a> <a href="#">Derek Haas</a>
Story by	<a href="#">Michael Brandt</a> <a href="#">Derek Haas</a> <a href="#">Gary Scott Thompson</a>
Based on	<a href="#">Characters</a> by <a href="#">Gary Scott Thompson</a>
Produced by	<a href="#">Neal H. Moritz</a>
Starring	<a href="#">Paul Walker</a> <a href="#">Tyrese Gibson</a> <a href="#">Eva Mendes</a> <a href="#">Cole Hauser</a> <a href="#">Chris "Ludacris" Bridges</a> <a href="#">James Remar</a>
Cinematography	<a href="#">Matthew F. Leonetti</a>
Edited by	<a href="#">Bruce Cannon</a> <a href="#">Dallas Puett</a>
Music by	<a href="#">David Arnold</a>
Production company	<a href="#">Universal Pictures</a> <sup>[1]</sup>
Distributed by	<a href="#">Universal Pictures</a> <sup>[1]</sup>
Release dates	<a href="#">June 3, 2003</a> ( <a href="#">Universal Amphitheatre</a> ) <a href="#">June 6, 2003</a> ( <a href="#">United States</a> )
Running time	<a href="#">108 minutes</a> <sup>[2]</sup>
Countries	<a href="#">Germany</a> <sup>[1]</sup> <a href="#">United States</a> <sup>[1]</sup>
Language	<a href="#">English</a>
Budget	<a href="#">\$76 million</a> <sup>[3]</sup>
Box office	<a href="#">\$236.4 million</a> <sup>[3]</sup>

oxide. At the airfield, Customs Agents have Verone's plane and convoy surrounded, only to discover they have been duped into a decoy manoeuvre while Verone is at a boatyard miles away. Verone reveals he knew Monica was undercover, and gave her the wrong destination point and plans to use her as leverage. When Brian arrives at the marina, Enrique prepares to kill him; Roman appears and helps incapacitate Enrique. Verone escapes aboard his private yacht, but Brian and Roman drive the Yenke Camaro off a ramp, crashing on top of it. The duo apprehends Verone and save Monica.

As part of the deal, Markham clears Brian and Roman's criminal record, and in return Roman turns over the second half of Verone's cash. The two agree to stay in Miami, and Brian suggests opening a garage—funded by a cut of Verone's cash Roman kept for themselves.

## CAST

**Paul Walker as Brian O'Conner:** A former LAPD police officer who became a fugitive after letting Dominic Toretto escape in the previous film who has now settled in Miami. He drives a 1999 Nissan Skyline GTR R34 and a 2002 Mitsubishi Lancer Evolution VII.

**Tyrese Gibson as Roman Pearce:** Brian's childhood friend who is on house arrest after serving time in prison, for which he still blames Brian. He drives a 2003 Mitsubishi Eclipse Spyder GTS.

**Eva Mendes as Monica Fuentes:** A U.S. Customs agent working undercover as Carter Verone's aide and Brian's love interest.

**Cole Hauser as Carter Verone:** A ruthless Argentinian drug lord whose organization the Customs Service sent Monica and later Brian and Roman to infiltrate.

**Chris "Ludacris" Bridges as Tej Parker:** A race host and a friend of Brian's. He arranges high stakes street racing events in which Brian often races and wins.

**James Remar as Agent Markham:** A U.S. customs agent in charge of the operation against Verone and Monica's superior.

**Devon Aoki as Suki:** A friend of Brian, Tej, and Jimmy. She is the only named female racer in the movie, and her crew is made up entirely of women. She normally drives a hot pink custom Honda S2000.

**Thom Barry as Agent Bilkins:** Who Brian first met during his undercover work in the first movie, who has come to Miami to oversee the situation. As before, he holds a grudging respect for O'Conner's driving and street racing skills.

## Parents Guidance

Certification: Argentina:13 Australia:M Austria:14 Brazil:14 Canada:14A (Alberta/British Columbia/Manitoba/Ontario) Canada:14 (Nova Scotia) Canada:13+ (Quebec) Denmark:11 Ecuador:15 (self-applied) Egypt:G (self-applied) Finland:K-15 France:Tous publics avec avertissement Germany:16 Hong Kong:IIB Iceland:12 India:A (Mumbai) India:UA (TV) Indonesia:A (self-applied) Israel:14 (self-applied) Italy:T Japan:PG-12 Japan:R15+ (Prime Video) Malaysia:18PL Mexico:B Netherlands:12 New Zealand:M Norway:15 (2003, cinema rating) Peru:14 Philippines:R-13 Poland:12 Russia:12+ Russia:16+ (Blu-ray) Singapore:PG Singapore:PG13 (re-rating) South Africa:13 (self-applied) South Korea:12 Spain:13 Sweden:11 Switzerland:14 (canton of Geneva) Switzerland:14 (canton of Vaud) Switzerland:16 (canton of Zurich) Thailand:u 13+ (self-applied) Turkey:13+ (self-applied) United Kingdom:15 United Kingdom:12 (DVD rating, cut) United Kingdom:12A (cut) United Kingdom:15 (uncut version) United States:PG-13 (certificate #39925) Ukraine:16 United Arab Emirates:PG-15 (self-applied)

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

MPAA Rated PG-13 for street racing, violence, language and some sensuality

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### 3. Fast & Furious 3 Information - Tokyo Drift

**Fast & Furious** Release Title: 16th June 2006 (United Kingdom)  
Publication date:  
Origin: United States, Germany, Japan  
AKA:  
Release date: United States – 4th June 2006 (Universal City, California, Prem.)  
Japan: 16th September 2003, Portugal 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2006  
Genres: Action, Crime, Thriller  
Disc Nos. –3-4  
Certification: 12A  
Duration: 1h 44m  
Region Code:  
Region:  
Product Code:  
MPN:  
EAN:  
UPC:  
Languages: English, Japanese, Portuguese  
Filing locations: Victorville, California, USA  
Sound mix: DTS, Dolby Digital  
Colour: PAL  
Aspect Ratio: 2.39:1

Troubled high school student Sean Boswell and athlete Clay race their cars, a 1970 Chevrolet Monte Carlo, and a 2003 Dodge Viper. Sean cuts through a structure and catches up to Clay. Desperate to win, Clay hits Sean's car repeatedly until they reach a high-speed turn, which causes both cars to crash; Clay's Viper hits a cement pipe, and Sean's Monte Carlo rolls. Clay's wealthy family helps him escape punishment, but because Sean is a repeat offender, to avoid jail he is sent to live in Japan with his father, a U.S. Navy officer stationed in Tokyo.

In Tokyo, Sean befriends Twinkie, a military brat who introduces him to the world of drift racing. After driving to an underground car show in Twinkie's 2005 Hulk-themed Volkswagen Touran, Sean has a confrontation with Takashi—the Drift King (DK) who drives a 2003 Nissan 350Z—over Sean talking to Takashi's girlfriend, Neela. Though barred from driving, Sean decides to race against Takashi, who has ties to the Yakuza, in a 1999 Nissan Silvia S15 Spec-S loaned by a racer named Han, but loses his first race with Takashi due to his unfamiliarity with drifting.

To repay his debt for the car he destroyed, Sean agrees to work for Han, who drives a 1994 Veilside Fortune Mazda RX-7. They become friends, and Han offers to teach Sean how to drift, explaining that he is helping Sean as he is the only person willing to stand up to Takashi. Sean soon masters drifting by practicing in a 2006 Mitsubishi Lancer Evolution IX, gaining respect after defeating DK's right-hand man, Morimoto. Sean soon asks Neela out on a date, and learns that after her mother died, she moved in with Takashi's grandmother, which resulted in their relationship. An enraged Takashi beats Sean up the next day, telling him to stay away from Neela; Neela subsequently leaves Takashi and moves in with Sean and Han.

#### *The Fast and the Furious: Tokyo Drift*



Theatrical release poster

Directed by	Justin Lin
Written by	Chris Morgan
Based on	Characters by Gary Scott Thompson
Produced by	Neal H. Moritz
Starring	Lucas Black Bow Wow
Cinematography	Stephen F. Windon
Edited by	Fred Raskin Kelly Matsumoto
Music by	Brian Tyler
Production companies	Universal Pictures <sup>[1]</sup> Relativity Media <sup>[2]</sup>
Distributed by	Universal Pictures <sup>[1]</sup>
Release dates	June 4, 2006 (Gibson Amphitheatre) June 16, 2006 (United States)
Running time	104 minutes
Countries	Germany <sup>[3]</sup> United States <sup>[3]</sup>
Languages	English Japanese
Budget	\$85 million <sup>[4]</sup>
Box office	\$159 million <sup>[5]</sup>

Takashi's uncle Kamata, the head of the Yakuza, reprimands Takashi for allowing Han to steal from him. Takashi and Morimoto confront Han, Sean, and Neela about the thefts. Twinkie causes a distraction, allowing Han, Sean, and Neela to flee, who are then pursued by Takashi and Morimoto. During the chase, Morimoto crashes, leaving Takashi to pursue the trio on his own. Han allows Sean to overtake him to hold Takashi off, but the chase ends when Sean and Neela crash. Meanwhile, Han's car is broadsided by a Mercedes, exploding before Sean has a chance to save Han.

Takashi, Sean, and his father become involved in an armed standoff which is resolved by Neela agreeing to leave with Takashi. Sean's father prepares to send him back but Sean pleads him to let him fix his own mess. His father agrees and they make amends. Twinkie gives his money to Sean to replace the money Han stole from Takashi, which Sean then returns to Kamata. Sean proposes a race against Takashi, with the loser having to leave Tokyo. Kamata agrees to the challenge, on the condition that the race take place on the mountain which Takashi himself has been the only person to descend successfully. Sean and Han's crew restore a 1967 Ford Mustang Fastback that Sean's father was working on to drift specification, using several components of the previously wrecked Silvia, including the engine.

That night, on the mountain, crowds gather to see the race; Takashi takes the lead initially, but Sean's training allows him to catch up. Takashi repeatedly rams Sean's car, eventually misses, and drives off the mountain while Sean crosses the finish line, with Takashi's car almost falling on him in the process. Kamata keeps his word, and lets Sean remain in Tokyo; Sean is dubbed the new Drift King. Later, Neela, Twinkie, and Sean, now driving a 2001 Nissan Silvia S15 Spec R, are enjoying themselves at another car show. Dominic Toretto shows up to challenge Sean in a 1970 Plymouth Road Runner, and Sean accepts after Dom proclaims that Han was family. As part of the deal, Markham clears Brian and Roman's criminal record, and in return Roman turns over the second half of Verone's cash. The two agree to stay in Miami, and Brian suggests opening a garage—funded by a cut of Verone's cash Roman kept for themselves.

## CAST

Main articles: [List of Fast & Furious cast members](#) and [List of Fast & Furious characters](#)

Lucas Black as Sean Boswell: A young man interested in street racing.

Bow Wow as Twinkie: Sean's first friend he meets in Tokyo and who sells various consumer goods and introduces Sean to drift racing.

Sung Kang as Han Lue: DK's business partner and old friend of Dominic Toretto, who befriends Sean and teaches him how to drift.

Brian Tee as Takashi: Sean's enemy who is acknowledged as the best drift racer and given the title "Drift King", or simply "D.K.".

Nathalie Kelley as Neela: Takashi's girlfriend who later falls for Sean.

Sonny Chiba (credited as JJ Sonny Chiba) as Kamata: Takashi's uncle who is the head of the Yakuza.

Leonardo Nam as Morimoto: Takashi's right-hand man.

Brian Goodman as Major Boswell: Sean's father.

Zachery Ty Bryan as Clay: The quarterback of Sean's school whom Sean races at the beginning of the film.

Lynda Boyd as Ms. Boswell: Sean's mother who is fed up with moving them around and sends him to Tokyo, Japan to live with his father.

Jason Tobin as Earl: One of Han's friends who specializes in tuning the cars, along with Reiko.

Keiko Kitagawa as Reiko: Earl's friend and fellow tuner.

Nikki Griffin as Cindy: Clay's girlfriend, who suggests that Clay and Sean race to win her.

Satoshi Tsumabuki as Exceedingly Handsome Guy: Who starts the first race between Sean and Takashi (cameo)

Keiichi Tsuchiya as an elderly fisherman (uncredited cameo)

Kazutoshi Wadakura as an elderly fisherman (uncredited cameo)

Vin Diesel as Dominic Toretto (uncredited cameo)

### Character development after the events of Tokyo Drift

Han Lue went on to make a brief appearance in *Fast & Furious* before returning as a main character in *Fast Five*, *Fast & Furious 6*, *F9* and *Fast X*. Sean Boswell, Twinkie and Earl also returned to the series in *F9*. During the events of *F9*, Boswell, Twinkie and Earl had left Japan and were involved in rocket development for the German Military, in Germany. How they came from their circumstances of the Japanese drift scene to their work in the military industry is not explained in the series. They are shown testing rockets by attaching them to the top of motor vehicles.

### Parents Guidance

Certification: Argentina:Atp Australia:M Austria:14 Brazil:14 Canada:PG (Alberta/Nova Scotia/Ontario) Canada:14A (British Columbia) Canada:14A (Canadian Home Video Rating) Canada:18A (Manitoba) Canada:G (Quebec) Denmark:11 Egypt:G (self-applied) Finland:K-11 France:Tous publics Germany:12 Hong Kong:IIA Hungary:14 Iceland:12 India:UA Indonesia:17+ (self-applied) Ireland:12A Ireland:15 (DVD rating) Israel:14 (self-applied) Italy:T Japan:R15+ (self-applied)

Malaysia:18SG Mexico:B Netherlands:12 New Zealand:M Norway:11 (2006, cinema rating) Philippines:SPG Poland:12 Portugal:M/16 Russia:12+ Russia:16+ (Blu-ray) Singapore:NC-16 Singapore:NC16 (Netflix) Singapore:PG (edited version) South Africa:13 (self-applied) South Korea:12 Spain:18 Sweden:11 Switzerland:14 (canton of Geneva) Switzerland:14 (canton of Vaud) Taiwan:PG-12 Thailand:u 18+ (self-applied) Turkey:7+ (self-applied) United Kingdom:12A United Kingdom:12 (DVD rating) United States:PG-13 (certificate #42737) Ukraine:16 United Arab Emirates:PG-15 (self-applied)

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

MPAA Rated PG-13 for reckless and illegal behaviour involving teens, violence, language and sexual content



## 4. Fast & Furious 4 Information

**Fast & Furious 4** Release Title: 10h April 2009 (United Kingdom)  
 Publication date:  
 Origin: United States, Japan  
 AKA:  
 Release date: United States – 12th March 2009 (Universal City, California, Prem.)  
 Japan: 9<sup>th</sup> October 2009  
 Genres: Action, Crime, Thriller  
 Disc Nos. 4-4  
 Certification: 12A  
 Duration: 1h 47m  
 Region Code:  
 Region:  
 Product Code:  
 MPN:  
 EAN:  
 UPC:  
 Languages: English, Spanish  
 Filming locations: Dominican Republic  
 Sound mix: DTS, Dolby Digital, SDDS  
 Colour: PAL  
 Aspect Ratio: 2.39:1

Dominic Toretto and his crew, consisting of girlfriend Letty, Tego Leo, Rico Santos, Cara and Han Lue, are hijacking fuel tankers in the Dominican Republic. Dom suspects the police are on their trail, and leaves Letty behind to protect her from being caught. Months later, in Panama City, Dom gets a call from his sister Mia, who tells him Letty has been killed in a car crash. Dom heads to Los Angeles to attend her funeral and finds traces of nitromethane at the crash site. He coerces the local mechanic into giving the name of the buyer, David Park, and is informed that the only car that uses nitromethane in the area is a green 1972 Ford Torino Sport. Meanwhile, FBI agent Brian O'Conner is trying to track down a Mexican drug lord, Arturo Braga, whose identity to the public is unknown; his search also leads him to Park.

Dom arrives at Park's apartment and hangs him out of the window by his ankles before Brian arrives. Brian saves Park, who in turn becomes the FBI's new informant and gets Brian into a street race. Brian selects a modified 2002 Nissan Skyline GT-R R34 from the impound lot; Dom also shows up, in his

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Theatrical release poster

<b>Directed by</b>	Justin Lin
<b>Written by</b>	Chris Morgan
<b>Based on</b>	Characters by Gary Scott Thompson
<b>Produced by</b>	Neal H. Moritz Vin Diesel Michael Fottrell
<b>Starring</b>	Vin Diesel Paul Walker Michelle Rodriguez Jordana Brewster
<b>Cinematography</b>	Amir Mokri
<b>Edited by</b>	Christian Wagner Fred Raskin
<b>Music by</b>	Brian Tyler
<b>Production companies</b>	Universal Pictures <sup>[1]</sup> Relativity Media <sup>[2]</sup> Original Film <sup>[2]</sup> One Race Films <sup>[2]</sup>
<b>Distributed by</b>	Universal Pictures <sup>[1]</sup>
<b>Release dates</b>	March 12, 2009 (Gibson Amphitheatre) April 3, 2009 (United States)
<b>Running time</b>	107 minutes <sup>[3]</sup>
<b>Countries</b>	United States Japan <sup>[1]</sup>
<b>Language</b>	English
<b>Budget</b>	\$85 million <sup>[4]</sup>
<b>Box office</b>	\$360.4 million <sup>[5]</sup>



1970 Chevrolet Chevelle SS. Ramon Campos, Braga's second-in-command, and Gisele Yashar, Braga's liaison, reveal that the winner will become the last driver on a team that traffics heroin between the Mexico–United States border. Dom wins by bumping Brian's car while in nitro, making him lose control. Brian uses his power as an FBI agent to arrest another driver, Dwight Mueller, and takes his place on the team. The team meets up with Braga's henchman, Fenix, and Dom notices that Fenix drives the same Torino the mechanic described.

They drive across the border using tunnels to avoid detection. Dom confronts Fenix and learns that he kills the drivers after their work is done, and that he killed Letty when she tried to escape him. A stand-off ensues; Dominic detonates his car with nitrous to distract Braga's men, and Brian hijacks a 1999 Hummer H1 with \$60 million worth of heroin in it. Brian and Dom drive back to LA and hide the heroin in police impound lot, where they pick up a modified 2008 Subaru Impreza WRX STI hatchback; they drive to Dom's house and reunite with Mia. Dom attacks Brian when he learns he was the last person in contact with Letty; Brian explains Letty was working undercover, tracking Braga in exchange for clearing Dominic's record. Brian tells his superiors that in exchange for Dominic's pardon, he will lure Braga into a trap, forcing him to show up to exchange money for the heroin. At the drop site, the man who claims to be Braga is revealed as a decoy, and Campos—the real Braga—escapes with Fenix to Mexico. In the ensuing chaos, Fenix nearly runs over Gisele before Dom saves her. The failed trap results in Brian being taken off active duty.

With Gisele's help, Brian and Dom travel to Mexico to catch Braga in the Subaru and Dom's rebuilt 1970 Dodge Charger R/T, and apprehend him at a church. As Braga's henchmen try to rescue him, Brian and Dom drive through the tunnels back to the United States. Brian is chased by Fenix ahead of the others until he is T-boned and pushed out of the tunnels. Before Fenix can kill him, Dom drives out of the tunnels and into Fenix, killing him. As police and helicopters approach the crash site on the American side of the border, Brian tells Dom to leave, but Dom says he is tired of running. Despite Brian's request for clemency, the judge sentences Dom to 25 years to life. Brian resigns from the FBI and Dom boards a prison bus that will transport him to Lompoc penitentiary. As the bus drives down the road, Brian, Mia, Leo, and Santos arrive in their cars to intercept it.

## CAST

Main articles: [List of Fast & Furious cast members](#) and [List of Fast & Furious characters](#)

Vin Diesel as Dominic Toretto: A professional street racer, criminal, and fugitive.

Paul Walker as Brian O'Conner: An FBI agent and former LAPD police officer who previously aided Dom in avoiding law enforcement, and was in a relationship with Mia Toretto, which later got patched up again.

Michelle Rodriguez as Letty Ortiz: Dominic's wife, who dies in an automobile explosion caused by Fenix Calderon.

Jordana Brewster as Mia Toretto: Dominic's sister and Brian's ex-girlfriend, but the relationship was later patched up again.

John Ortiz as Arturo Braga / Ramon Campos: A Mexican drug lord who recruits street racers to smuggle heroin across the Mexico–U.S. border.

Gal Gadot as Gisele Yashar: A liaison for Braga who shows a romantic interest in Dom.

Laz Alonso as Fenix Calderon: Braga's right-hand man.

The central cast is rounded out by Sung Kang as Han Lue, Ron Yuan as David Park, Braga's right-hand man, while Puerto Rican singers Tego Calderón and Don Omar feature as Leo and Santos respectively, members of the oil heist team. Shea Whigham plays Brian's snarky colleague Michael Stasiak, and Liza Lapira portrays Sophie Trinh, an FBI agent who works closely with Brian. Jack Conley features as Richard Penning, Brian's boss, a scout of street racers for Braga. Greg Cipes, Neil Brown Jr., and Brandon T. Jackson play Dwight Mueller, Malik Herzon, and Alex, respectively, the other members of Braga's street racing team.

## Parents Guidance

Certification: Argentina:13 Australia:M Belgium:KT/EA Brazil:14 Canada:14A (Alberta/British Columbia/Manitoba/Ontario) Canada:13+ (Quebec) Denmark:11 Egypt:G (self-applied) Finland:K-13 France:Tous publics Germany:12 Hong Kong:IIB Iceland:12 India:UA (2010, re-rating, video) India:A (2009, cinema rating) Indonesia:D (self-applied) Ireland:15A Israel:16 Italy:T Japan:G Malaysia:18PL Mexico:B Netherlands:12 New Zealand:M Norway:15 (2009, cinema rating) Peru:14 Philippines:R-13 (MTRCB) Poland:12 Portugal:M/12 Russia:16+ Singapore:PG Singapore:NC-16 (DVD rating) Singapore:M18 (Netflix, Region 1 DVD rating) South Africa:13 (self-applied) South Korea:15 Spain:18 Sweden:15 Switzerland:14 (canton of Geneva) Switzerland:14 (canton of Vaud) Taiwan:PG-12 Thailand:u 18+ (self-applied) Turkey:15+ United Kingdom:12A United Kingdom:12 (DVD rating, cut theatrical version) United Kingdom:12A (cut) United States:TV-PG (DLSV) United States:PG-13 (certificate #45181) Ukraine:16 United Arab Emirates:PG-15 (self-applied)

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

MPAA Rated PG-13 for for intense sequences of violence and action, some sexual content, language and drug references.

## Further: DVD 5-10 within the Franchise to date: below

Film	U.S. release date	Director(s)	Screenwriter(s)	Story by	Producer(s)
<i>The Fast and the Furious</i>	June 22, 2001	Rob Cohen	Gary Scott Thompson and Erik Bergquist and David Ayer	Gary Scott Thompson Based on: "Racer X" by Ken Li <sup>[1]</sup>	Neal H. Moritz
<i>2 Fast 2 Furious</i>	June 6, 2003	John Singleton	Michael Brandt & Derek Haas	Michael Brandt & Derek Haas and Gary Scott Thompson	
<i>The Fast and the Furious: Tokyo Drift</i>	June 16, 2006	Justin Lin	Chris Morgan	Chris Morgan	Neal H. Moritz, Vin Diesel and Michael Fottrell
<i>Fast &amp; Furious</i>	April 3, 2009				
<i>Fast Five</i>	April 29, 2011				
<i>Fast &amp; Furious 6</i>	May 24, 2013				
<i>Furious 7</i>	April 3, 2015	James Wan			Neal H. Moritz, Vin Diesel and Clayton Townsend
<i>The Fate of the Furious</i>	April 14, 2017	F. Gary Gray			Neal H. Moritz, Vin Diesel, Michael Fottrell and Chris Morgan
<i>Fast &amp; Furious Presents: Hobbs &amp; Shaw</i>	August 2, 2019	David Leitch			Chris Morgan and Drew Pearce
<i>F9</i>	June 25, 2021	Justin Lin	Daniel Casey & Justin Lin	Justin Lin & Alfredo Botello and Daniel Casey	Neal H. Moritz, Vin Diesel, Justin Lin, Jeff Kirschenbaum, Joe Roth, Clayton Townsend and Samantha Vincent
<i>Fast X</i>	May 19, 2023	Louis Leterrier	Dan Mazeau & Justin Lin	Dan Mazeau & Justin Lin and Zach Dean	Neal H. Moritz, Vin Diesel, Jeff Kirschenbaum, Samantha Vincent and Justin Lin

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