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Title: **Dead Reckoning** (Mission Impossible – Part One)



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Information

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Genres: Action, Adventure, Thriller (Spy)

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Certification: 12A

Duration: 2h 43 min (163min)

Region Code: 2

Product Code:

Languages: English, Italian, Russian, French

Filming locations: Grand Central, Birmingham, West Midlands, England, UK(Abu Dhabi Airport Shops)

Sound mix: Dolby Atmos, Dolby Digital

Colour: Colour

Aspect Ratio: 2.39:1

Mission: Impossible – Dead Reckoning Part One



Theatrical release poster

Directed by	Christopher McQuarrie
Written by	Christopher McQuarrie Erik Jendresen
Based on	<i>Mission: Impossible</i> by Bruce Geller
Produced by	Tom Cruise Christopher McQuarrie
Starring	Tom Cruise Hayley Atwell Ving Rhames Simon Pegg Rebecca Ferguson Vanessa Kirby Henry Czerny
Cinematography	Fraser Taggart
Edited by	Eddie Hamilton
Music by	Lorne Balfé ^[a]
Production companies	Paramount Pictures ^[1] Skydance ^[1] TC Productions ^[1]
Distributed by	Paramount Pictures
Release dates	June 19, 2023 (Rome) July 12, 2023 (United States)
Running time	163 minutes ^[2]
Country	United States
Language	English
Budget	\$291 million (gross) ^[3] \$220 million (net) ^{[4][5]}
Box office	\$571.1 million ^{[1][6]}

Storyline – Mission Impossible – Dead Reckoning – Part One

The Sevastopol, a next-generation Russian stealth submarine on its inaugural mission, 74 days after traveling 25,000 nautical miles, passing through all the navies of the world without being detected, activates an advanced active learning defence system using a two-piece cruciform key. The AI, designated "the Entity", becomes sentient and goes rogue after deceiving the submarine crew into thinking an enemy submarine was nearby and attacking themselves with a torpedo, killing all aboard and sinking the Sevastopol in the Bering Sea.

World powers compete to obtain the cruciform key in hopes of controlling the Entity. IMF agent Ethan Hunt travels to the Empty Quarter of the Arabian Desert and retrieves one piece of the key from disavowed MI6 agent Ilsa Faust, faking her death to shield her from a bounty. In Washington, D.C., Ethan infiltrates a U.S. Intelligence Community briefing for Director of National Intelligence Denlinger, where CIA Director Eugene Kittridge explains that the Entity can manipulate cyberspace to control global defence intelligence and financial networks. Ethan reveals himself and forces him to admit to placing the bounty on Ilsa, then escapes, determined to destroy the Entity.

Ethan and his IMF teammates Benji Dunn and Luther Stickell travel to Abu Dhabi International Airport to intercept the second piece of the key. It is revealed to be a fake, although Ethan encounters Grace, a thief who steals the first piece of the key from him, while Luther and Benji disarm a hoax nuclear device. Ethan is pursued by US agents but recognizes Gabriel, his old enemy who is a liaison works for an Entity with ties to his pre-IMF past, and aborts the mission, scattering the team. Grace escapes to Rome and is apprehended, but Ethan rescues her from local authorities, the US agents, and an Entity operative named Paris. Grace escapes again, while Ethan rejoins Luther, Benji, and Ilsa.

Ethan and Ilsa follow Grace to Venice and infiltrate a party held by arms dealer Alanna Mitsopolis[c] at Doge's Palace. In possession of the second piece of the key, Alanna hired Grace to steal the first, and will sell the completed key to her buyer the next day on the Orient Express. Gabriel proclaims that he will possess the completed key the next day if either Ilsa or Grace dies. Ethan attempts to dissuade Alanna from the sale, allowing Gabriel and Grace to escape. He pursues Grace, but the Entity hacks into their communications and impersonates Benji, leading Ethan into a fight with Paris, whom he defeats but spares. Gabriel incapacitates Grace and kills Ilsa, devastating Ethan.

While preparing for the sale, Luther leaves for an off-grid location to prevent interference from the Entity, advising Ethan to spare Gabriel for questioning about the Entity. On the train with Paris, Gabriel kills the engine crew and destroys the throttle and brake. He meets with Denlinger, who attempts to form an alliance with the Entity, which he reveals was originally an advanced cyber weapon developed by the United States, and transferred onto the Sevastopol to sabotage the sub's stealth system. The completed key unlocks a chamber inside the Sevastopol containing the Entity's source code, allowing it to be destroyed or controlled. As this secret is known only to Denlinger, Gabriel kills him, and tries to kill Paris as the Entity has predicted she will betray them after Ethan spared her life.

Disguised as Alanna, Grace brings the key to Kittridge, revealed to be the buyer, and negotiates a \$100 million sale alongside protection for herself, but pickpockets the key from Kittridge after cancelling the transfer. Ethan parachutes into the train to save Grace, but Gabriel acquires the key. Fighting Ethan atop the train, Gabriel escapes and detonates a bridge ahead. Detaching the runaway locomotive and saving the passengers, Grace and Ethan climb through the falling train cars until they are rescued by Paris, who tells Ethan about the key's connection to the Sevastopol before collapsing. Grace informs Kittridge of her desire to join the IMF. Ethan flees the wreckage by speed wing with the completed key, which he pickpocketed from Gabriel during the fight, and rendezvous with Benji to continue the mission to find the Sevastopol and destroy the Entity. ^{Wiki}

Ethan Hunt and the IMF team must track down a terrifying new weapon that threatens all of humanity if it falls into the wrong hands. With control of the future and the fate of the world at stake, a deadly race around the globe begins. Confronted by a mysterious, all-powerful enemy, Ethan is forced to consider that nothing can matter more than the mission -- not even the lives of those he cares about most.. [Imbd](#)

Cast

Tom Cruise as Ethan Hunt, an IMF agent and leader of an operative's team.

Hayley Atwell as Grace, a thief and Ethan's new ally. Christopher McQuarrie described Atwell's character as a "destructive force of nature", while Atwell explained that her character's loyalties are "somewhat ambiguous".

Ving Rhames as Luther Stickell, an IMF computer technician, Ethan's best friend, and a member of his team.

Simon Pegg as Benji Dunn, an IMF technical field agent, Ethan's friend and a member of his team.

Rebecca Ferguson as Ilsa Faust, a disavowed MI6 agent who allied with Ethan's team during *Rogue Nation* (2015) and *Fallout* (2018).

Vanessa Kirby as Alanna Mitsopolis, a black-market arms dealer and broker who goes by the alias "White Widow". Alanna is the daughter of Max, a deceased arms dealer originally portrayed by **Vanessa Redgrave** from the first film.

Esai Morales as Gabriel, a liaison assassin and Ethan's adversary who appears to be working with the Entity, an all-powerful AI system, to rule the world. He and Ethan had a fateful encounter with each other prior to Ethan's becoming an IMF agent.

Pom Klementieff as Paris, a French assassin who works for Gabriel.

Mariela Garriga as Marie, a woman from Ethan and Gabriel's past, seen only in brief flashbacks.

Henry Czerny as Eugene Kittridge, the former director of the IMF and current director of the CIA last seen in *Mission: Impossible* (1996).

Shea Whigham as Jasper Briggs, a US Intelligence agent assigned to hunting Ethan and his team.

Cary Elwes as Denlinger, the Director of National Intelligence.

Greg Tarzan Davis as Theo Degas, a US Intelligence agent and Briggs's partner assigned to track down Ethan and his team.

Frederick Schmidt as Zola Mitsopolis, Alanna's brother.

Additionally, **Charles Parnell**, **Rob Delaney**, **Indira Varma** and **Mark Gatiss** appear as heads of US Intelligence agencies, representing NRO, JSOC, DIA and NSA, respectively. **Marcin Dorociński** and **Ivan Ivashkin** appear as the captain and the second-in-command of the Sevastopol submarine, respectively.

Parents Guide

Certification

Sex & Nudity – None **Violence & Gore** – Moderate **Profanity** – Mild, **Alcohol, Drugs & Smoking** – Mild, **Frightening & Intense Scenes** – Moderate

Argentina 13, Australia M, Austria 12, Belgium12, Brazil 14, Bulgaria C, Canada PGAlberta PG British Columbia PG Ontario 13+Quebec, Chile TE+7, Colombia 12, Costa Rica 12+, Czech Republic 12, Denmark 11, Ecuador 12, Finland K-12, France Tous publics, Germany 12, Hong Kong IIA, Hungary 16, India UA, Indonesia 13+, Ireland 12A, Israel ALL, Italy 6+, Japan G, Lithuania N-13, Luxembourg 12, Malaysia P13, Maldives 15+, Malta 12A, Mexico B, Netherlands 12, New Zealand M, Norway 12cinema rating, Philippines PG, Portugal M/12, Russia 16+, Saudi Arabia R12, Singapore PG13, South Africa 13, South Korea 15, Spain 12, Sweden 11, Switzerland 12, Taiwan 6+, Turkey 13A, United Kingdom 12A12DVD rating, United States PG-13certificate #54216, Ukraine 16, United Arab Emirates PG-13, VietnamT16.

