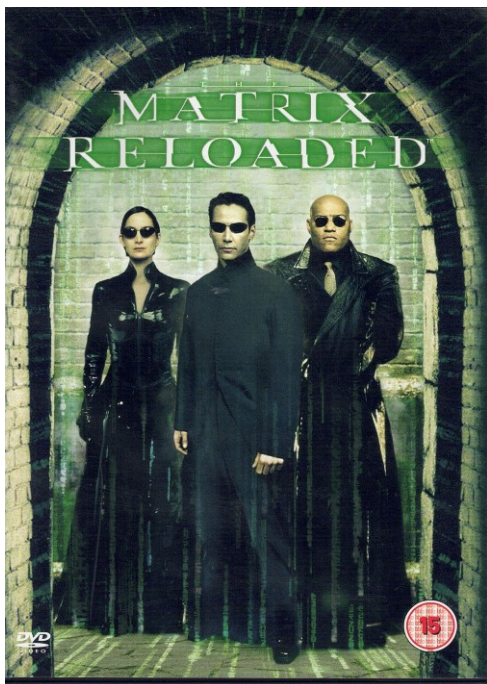


REF: 69

See Also Ref: 68, 70, &
206 Collection

The Paragon Multimedia DVD, VHS Collection

Title: **Matrix Reloaded**



Library Image

Check 68, 70, 206 for
previous Matrix films: (Franchise)

1. Matrix
2. **Matrix Reloaded**
3. Matrix Revolutions
4. Resurrections

ISBN:7321900286480
D028648

Information

Release Title: Matrix Reloaded – 21st May 2003 (United Kingdom)

From:

AKA: The Burly Man

Release date: 7th May 2003 USA

Origin: United States

Genre: Action, Sci-Fi

Disc Nos. - 1

Certification: 15

Duration: 2h 18m

Region Code:

Region: 2

Product Code:

MPN:

EAN:

UPC:

Languages: English, French

Filming locations: Nimitz Freeway, Oakland, California, USA

Sound mix: Dolby Digital, SDDS, Dolby Atmos

Colour: PAL

Aspect Ratio:2.39:1

The Matrix Reloaded



Theatrical release poster

Directed by	The Wachowskis^[a]
Written by	The Wachowskis
Based on	Characters by The Wachowskis
Produced by	Joel Silver
Starring	Keanu Reeves Laurence Fishburne Carrie-Anne Moss Hugo Weaving Jada Pinkett Smith Gloria Foster
Cinematography	Bill Pope
Edited by	Zach Staenberg
Music by	Don Davis
Production companies	Village Roadshow Pictures NPV Entertainment Silver Pictures
Distributed by	Warner Bros. Pictures
Release dates	May 7, 2003 (Mann Village Theatre) May 15, 2003
Running time	138 minutes^[1]
Country	United States^{[2][3]}
Language	English
Budget	\$127^[4]–150^[5] million
Box office	\$741.8 million^[5]

Storyline

Six months after the events of *The Matrix*, Neo and Trinity are now romantically involved. Morpheus receives a message from Captain Niobe of the Logos calling an emergency meeting of all ships of Zion. An army of Sentinels is tunnelling towards Zion and will reach it within 72 hours. Commander Lock orders all ships to return to Zion to prepare, but Morpheus asks one ship to remain to contact the Oracle. Within the Matrix, the lone ship's crew is encountered by the former Agent Smith, who copies himself over the body of crew member Bane and uses the phone line to leave the Matrix.

In Zion, Morpheus announces the news of the advancing machines. The Nebuchadnezzar leaves Zion and enters the Matrix, where Neo meets the Oracle's bodyguard Seraph, who leads him to her. The Oracle reveals that she is part of the Matrix and instructs Neo to reach its Source with the help of the key maker. As the Oracle departs, Smith appears, telling Neo that after being defeated by him, he became a rogue program. He demonstrates his ability to clone himself over other inhabitants of the Matrix, including the new upgraded Agents. He tries to take over Neo's body but fails, prompting a battle between Neo and many copies of Smith. Neo defends himself, but is forced to retreat.

Neo, Morpheus, and Trinity visit the Merovingian, who is imprisoning the key maker. The Merovingian, a rogue program with his own agenda, refuses to let him go. His wife Persephone, seeking revenge on her husband for his infidelity, leads the trio to the key maker. Morpheus, Trinity, and the key maker flee while Neo holds off the Merovingian's henchmen. Morpheus and Trinity try to escape with the key maker, pursued by several Agents and the Merovingian's chief henchmen, the Twins. After a long chase, Trinity escapes, Morpheus defeats the Twins, and Neo saves Morpheus and the key maker from Agent Johnson.

The crews of the Nebuchadnezzar, Vigilant, and Logos help the key maker and Neo reach the Source. The Logos crew must destroy a power plant and the Vigilant crew must disable a back-up power station to bypass a security system, which will allow Neo to enter the Source. Haunted by a vision of Trinity's death, he asks her to remain on the Nebuchadnezzar. The Logos is successful, but the Vigilant is destroyed by a Sentinel. Trinity replaces the Vigilant crew and completes their mission. Agent Thompson corners her and they fight. As Neo, Morpheus, and the Key maker try to reach the Source, the Smiths ambush them. The Key maker is killed after unlocking the door to the Source for Neo.

Neo meets a program called the Architect, the creator of the Matrix, who explains that as the One, Neo is himself an intentional part of the design of the Matrix, which is now in its sixth iteration. Neo is meant to stop the Matrix's fatal system crash that naturally recurs due to the concept of human choice within it. As with the five previous Ones, Neo has a choice: either reboot the Matrix from the Source and pick a handful of survivors to repopulate the soon-to-be-destroyed Zion, as his predecessors all did, or go to save the imperilled Trinity, causing the Matrix to crash and killing everyone in it. Neo chooses the latter, prompting a dismissive response from the Architect.

Neo's vision of Trinity comes true as she is shot by Agent Thompson while falling off a building. Before she hits the ground, Neo arrives and catches her. He then removes the bullet from her chest and restarts her heart. They return to the real world, where Sentinels attack them. The Nebuchadnezzar is destroyed, but the crew escape. As the Sentinels catch up to them, Neo realizes he is able to sense the machines in the real world, and telepathically destroys them but falls into a coma from the effort. The crew are picked up by another ship, the Hammer. Its captain reveals that other ships defending Zion were wiped out by the machines after someone prematurely activated an EMP. Only one survivor was found: the Smith-possessed Bane.

Cast

Keanu Reeves as Neo
 Laurence Fishburne as Morpheus
 Carrie-Anne Moss as Trinity
 Hugo Weaving as Smith
 Jada Pinkett Smith as Niobe
 Harold Perrineau as Link
 Gloria Foster as the Oracle
 Randall Duk Kim as the Keymaker
 Monica Bellucci as Persephone
 Lambert Wilson as the Merovingian
 Helmut Bakaitis as the Architect
 Nathaniel Lees as Captain Mifune
 Neil and Adrian Rayment as the Twins
 Daniel Bernhardt as Agent Johnson
 Leigh Whannell as Axel
 Collin Chou as Seraph
 Nona Gaye as Zee
 Gina Torres as Cas
 Donald Anjaya Batte as Vector
 Anthony Zerbe as Councillor Hamann
 Roy Jones Jr. as Captain Ballard
 David A. Kilde as Agent Jackson
 Matt McColm as Agent Thompson
 Harry Lennix as Commander Lock
 Cornel West as Councillor West
 Steve Bastoni as Captain Soren
 Anthony Wong as Ghost
 Ian Bliss as Bane
 Clayton Watson as the Kid

Zee was originally played by Aaliyah, who died in a plane crash on August 25, 2001, before filming was complete, requiring her scenes to be reshot with Nona Gaye. Jet Li was offered the role of Seraph, but turned it down as he did not want his martial arts moves digitally recorded.

Parents Guide

Argentina:13 Australia:M Brazil:14 (2022) Brazil:12 (2006) Canada:14A (Alberta/British Columbia/Manitoba/Ontario)
 Canada:14 (Nova Scotia) Canada:13+ (Quebec) Chile:TE Denmark:11 Egypt:(Banned) Egypt:16+ (new rating)
 Finland:K-11 France:Tous publics Germany:16 Greece:K-12 Hong Kong:IIB Hungary:16 Iceland:12 India:UA
 India:UA (2010, TV) India:A (2003, theatrical) Indonesia:D (self-applied) Ireland:15 Ireland:15A (recommended rating)
 Israel:PG Italy:T Japan:PG-12 Malaysia:18SG Mexico:B15 Netherlands:12 New Zealand:M Nigeria:PG Norway:11
 (cinema rating) Norway:12 (re-rating) Peru:Apt Philippines:R-18 Philippines:R-13 (new-rating) Poland:12
 Portugal:M/12 Russia:16+ Saudi Arabia:PG12 Singapore:NC-16 Singapore:PG (cut) South Africa:13 South Korea:15
 Spain:13 Spain:16 (TV rating) Sweden:11 Switzerland:14 (canton of Bern) Switzerland:14 (canton of Geneva)
 Switzerland:14 (canton of Vaud) Switzerland:14 (canton of the Grisons) Taiwan:6+ Thailand:u 15+ (self-applied)
 Turkey:18+ (self-applied) United Kingdom:15 United States:R (certificate #39829) Ukraine:16 United Arab
 Emirates:18+

Sex & Nudity

Moderate

Violence & Gore

Moderate

Profanity

Moderate

Alcohol, Drugs & Smoking

Mild

Frightening & Intense Scenes

Moderate

MPAA Rated R for sci-fi violence and some sexuality

