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Michael vs The Matrix - Compare

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Comparing Michael vs The Matrix. The Matrix leads on expert rating.

Poster unavailable Michael 2026 - 127 min - PG Studio: Lionsgate Films / GK Films / Optimum Productions Genres: Biography, Drama, Music Language: en Country: US	Poster unavailable The Matrix 1999 - 136 min - R Studio: Warner Bros. Pictures Genres: Action, Sci-Fi Language: en Country: US
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Overview

Specification	Michael	The Matrix
Studio	Lionsgate Films / GK Films / Optimum Productions	Warner Bros. Pictures
Franchise	-	The Matrix
Release Date	2026-04-24	1999-03-31
Runtime	127 min	136 min
Certification	PG	R
Genres	Biography, Drama, Music	Action, Sci-Fi

Cast & Crew

Specification	Michael	The Matrix
Director(s)	Antoine Fuqua	Lana Wachowski, Lilly Wachowski
Lead Cast	Jaafar Jackson, Juliano Krue Valdi, Colman Domingo, Nia Long, Miles Teller	Keanu Reeves, Laurence Fishburne, Carrie-Anne Moss, Hugo Weaving, Joe Pantoliano

Ratings

Specification	Michael	The Matrix
Critic Rating	7.5/10	8.7/10
Audience Rating	-	-
Review Count	0	0
Page Views	29	104

Box Office

Specification	Michael	The Matrix
Budget	\$200,000,000	\$63,000,000
Worldwide Gross	\$1,001,600,000	\$467,222,728
Awards	0	14

Streaming

Specification	Michael	The Matrix
Available On	-	Max, Prime Video, Apple TV, FindEdition

Verdict

Specification	Michael	The Matrix
Pros	Jaafar Jackson's committed central performance; Iconic Michael Jackson music and performance recreations; Strong global...	Groundbreaking bullet time VFX; Iconic cast and characters; Philosophical depth beneath spectacle; Revolutionary martial...
Cons	The film's selective timeline has generated criticism; Some critics found the portrayal overly controlled or sanitized;...	Dense exposition in third act; Some dated CGI in places; Sequel expectations overshadow standalone story for new viewers