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The Lion King vs The Odyssey - Compare

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Comparing The Lion King vs The Odyssey. The Odyssey leads on expert rating.

Poster unavailable The Lion King 2019 - 118 min - PG Studio: Walt Disney Pictures Genres: Animation, Adventure, Drama Language: en Country: US	Poster unavailable The Odyssey 2026 - 172 min - R Studio: Universal Pictures Genres: Adventure, Action, Fantasy, Drama, Epic Language: en Country: US
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Overview

Specification	The Lion King	The Odyssey
Studio	Walt Disney Pictures	Universal Pictures
Franchise	Disney Live-Action	Christopher Nolan Films
Release Date	2019-07-19	2026-07-17
Runtime	118 min	172 min
Certification	PG	R
Genres	Animation, Adventure, Drama	Adventure, Action, Fantasy, Drama, Epic

Cast & Crew

Specification	The Lion King	The Odyssey
Director(s)	Jon Favreau	Christopher Nolan
Lead Cast	Donald Glover, Beyoncé Knowles-Carter, James Earl Jones, Chiwetel Ejiofor, Seth Rogen	Matt Damon, Tom Holland, Anne Hathaway, Robert Pattinson, Zendaya

Ratings

Specification	The Lion King	The Odyssey
Critic Rating	6.5/10	8.8/10
Audience Rating	-	-
Review Count	0	0
Page Views	29	555

Box Office

Specification	The Lion King	The Odyssey
Budget	\$260,000,000	\$250,000,000
Worldwide Gross	\$1,657,000,000	-
Awards	3	2

Streaming

Specification	The Lion King	The Odyssey
Available On	Disney+, Apple TV	Theaters, IMAX, Apple TV, FindEdition

Verdict

Specification	The Lion King	The Odyssey
Pros	Groundbreaking photorealistic animation; Iconic, beautifully performed music; James Earl Jones' returning Mufasa; Faithf...	First full Hollywood Odyssey adaptation at this scale; Entirely shot on new IMAX 70 mm cameras; Massive ensemble cast; L...
Cons	Lacks originality; Realistic faces limit emotional expression; Little new to justify the remake	Not yet in wide release - final critical scores TBD; R rating may limit family audience; Historical-accuracy debates ove...