

**TOP 30 OPENING WEEKENDS OF ALL-TIME - DOMESTIC GROSSES UPDATED THROUGH DECEMBER 20, 2009**

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Sorted by 3-day opening

<u>RANK</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>DISTRIBUTOR</u>	<u>F/S/S</u> <u>3-DAY OPENING</u>	<u>OPENING</u> <u>THEATRES</u>	<u>OPENING</u> <u>RANK</u>	<u>DOMESTIC GROSS</u>	<u>RELEASE DATE</u>	<u>MPAA</u> <u>RATING</u>
1	DARK KNIGHT, THE	WARNER BROS.	\$158,411,483	4366	1	\$533,345,358	Fri, 7/18/08	PG-13
2	SPIDER-MAN 3	SONY	\$151,116,516	4252	1	\$336,530,303	Fri, 5/4/07	PG-13
3	THE TWILIGHT SAGA: NEW MOON	SUMMIT ENT.	\$142,839,137	4024	1	\$274,598,319 *	Fri, 11/20/09	PG-13
4	PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN: DEAD MAN'S CHEST	BUENA VISTA	\$135,634,554	4133	1	\$423,271,331	Fri, 7/7/06	PG-13
5	SHREK THE THIRD	PARAMOUNT	\$121,629,270	4122	1	\$322,719,944	Fri, 5/18/07	PG
6	SPIDER-MAN	SONY	\$114,844,116	3615	1	\$403,706,375	Fri, 5/3/02	PG-13
7	PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN: AT WORLD'S END	BUENA VISTA	\$114,732,820	4362	1	\$309,420,425	Fri, 5/25/07	PG-13
8	TRANSFORMERS: REVENGE OF THE FALLEN	PARAMOUNT/DREAMV	\$108,966,307	4234	1	\$402,076,689	Fri, 6/26/09	PG-13
9	STAR WARS: EPISODE III - REVENGE OF THE SITH	FOX	\$108,435,841	3661	1	\$380,270,577	Thu, 5/19/05	PG-13
10	SHREK 2	DREAMWORKS	\$108,037,878	4163	1	\$436,721,703	Wed, 5/19/04	PG
11	X-MEN: THE LAST STAND	FOX	\$102,750,665	3690	1	\$234,362,462	Fri, 5/26/06	PG-13
12	HARRY POTTER AND THE GOBLET OF FIRE	WARNER BROS.	\$102,335,066	3858	1	\$290,013,036	Fri, 11/18/05	PG-13
13	INDIANA JONES AND THE KINGDOM OF THE CRYSTAL SKULL	PARAMOUNT	\$100,137,835	4260	1	\$317,023,851	Thu, 5/22/08	PG-13
14	IRON MAN	PARAMOUNT	\$98,618,668	4105	1	\$318,313,199	Fri, 5/2/08	PG-13
15	HARRY POTTER AND THE PRISONER OF AZKABAN	WARNER BROS.	\$93,687,367	3855	1	\$249,538,952	Fri, 6/4/04	PG
16	MATRIX RELOADED, THE	WARNER BROS.	\$91,774,413	3603	1	\$281,519,061	Thu, 5/15/03	R
17	HARRY POTTER AND THE SORCERER'S STONE	WARNER BROS.	\$90,294,621	3672	1	\$317,575,550	Fri, 11/16/01	PG
18	HARRY POTTER AND THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS	WARNER BROS.	\$88,357,488	3682	1	\$261,979,634	Fri, 11/15/02	PG
19	SPIDER-MAN 2	SONY	\$88,156,227	4152	1	\$373,377,893	Wed, 6/30/04	PG-13
20	X2: X-MEN UNITED	FOX	\$85,558,731	3741	1	\$214,949,694	Fri, 5/2/03	PG-13
21	X-MEN ORIGINS: WOLVERINE	FOX	\$85,058,003	4099	1	\$179,883,016	Fri, 5/1/09	PG-13
22	PASSION OF THE CHRIST, THE	NEW MARKET	\$83,848,082	3043	1	\$370,270,943	Wed, 2/25/04	R
23	STAR WARS: EPISODE II - ATTACK OF THE CLONES	FOX	\$80,027,814	3161	1	\$310,676,740	Thu, 5/16/02	PG
24	HARRY POTTER & THE HALF BLOOD PRINCE	WARNER BROS.	\$77,835,727	4325	1	\$301,956,980	Wed, 7/15/09	PG
25	HARRY POTTER & THE ORDER OF THE PHOENIX	WARNER BROS.	\$77,408,414	4285	1	\$292,004,738	Wed, 7/11/07	PG-13
26	I AM LEGEND	WARNER BROS.	\$77,211,321	3606	1	\$256,393,010	Fri, 12/14/07	PG-13
27	DA VINCI CODE, THE	SONY	\$77,073,388	3735	1	\$217,536,138	Fri, 5/19/06	PG-13
28	AVATAR	FOX	\$77,025,481	3452	1	\$77,025,481 *	Fri, 12/18/09	PG-13
29	STAR TREK	PARAMOUNT	\$75,204,289	3849	1	\$257,704,099	Thu, 5/7/09	PG-13
30	SIMPSONS MOVIE, THE	FOX	\$74,036,787	3922	1	\$183,132,370	Fri, 7/27/07	PG-13
<b>RUNNING TOTALS</b>			<b>\$2,991,048,309</b>			<b>\$9,127,897,871</b>		