

Top grossing movies

James Cameron's *Avatar* is now the highest-earning movie of all time, but still trails a number of older Hollywood blockbusters when figures are adjusted for inflation



BILLION DOLLAR MOVIES Worldwide

Avatar 2009	\$1.859bn
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Titanic 1997	\$1.843bn
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Lord of the Rings: Return of the King 2003	\$1.129bn
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Pirates of the Caribbean: Dead Man's Chest 2006	\$1.060bn
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The Dark Knight 2008	\$1.002bn
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Adjusted for inflation (U.S. only)

Gone with the Wind 1939	\$1.507bn
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Star Wars 1977	\$1.329bn
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The Sound of Music 1965	\$1.062bn
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E.T. 1982	\$1.058bn
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<i>Titanic</i>	<i>\$952m</i>
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<i>Avatar</i>	<i>\$558m</i>
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