

Big budget blockbusters coming our way

Some of the most popular action movie franchises have sequels out in 2015

Furious 7 (out Apr 1)

Star: Vin Diesel

Director: James Wan

Budget: \$250m

Global box office forecast: \$995m

Age of franchise:
14 years (began 2001)

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Avengers: Age of Ultron (May 1)

Star: Robert Downey, Jr

Dir.: Joss Whedon

Budget: \$250m

Forecast: \$2,500m

Age: 7 (2008)*

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Movie
#11

Mad Max: Fury Road (May 15)

Star: Tom Hardy

Dir.: George Miller

Budget: \$150m

Forecast:
\$290m

Age: 36
(1979)

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Movie
#4

Jurassic World (Jun 12)

Star: Chris Pratt

Dir.: Colin Trevorrow

Budget: \$150m

Forecast:
\$1,100m

Age: 22 (1993)

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Movie
#4

Terminator: Genisys (Jul 1)



Star: Arnold Schwarzenegger

Dir.: Alan Taylor

Budget: \$170m

Forecast: \$490m

Age: 31
(1984)

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Movie
#5

Mission: Impossible 5 (Jul 31)



Star: Tom Cruise

Dir.: Christopher McQuarrie

Budget: Unknown

Forecast: \$730m

Age: 19
(1996)

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Spectre (Nov 6)

Star: Daniel Craig

Dir.: Sam Mendes

Budget: \$300m

Forecast:
\$1,300m

Age: 53
(1962)

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Movie
#24



Star Wars: The Force Awakens (Dec 18)

Star: Harrison Ford

Dir.: J.J. Abrams

Budget: \$200m

Forecast:
\$1,800m

Age: 38
(1977)

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*Marvel Cinematic Universe releases