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Aniplex of America Announces DURARARA!!×2 The Second Arc Product Release Details







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The Plot Thickens and Characters Clash in the City of Ikebukuro for the Second Installment of Season 2

SANTA MONICA, CA (January 15, 2016) –Aniplex of America announced today at their industry panel at OTAKON Vegas their release plans for *DURARARA!!*×2 Volumes 3 and 4 on Blu-ray and DVD. Volume 3 will be available starting March 22nd and Volume 4 will be available starting May 24th of this year. Pre-orders will begin for all 4 SKUs next Monday (January 18th) on Aniplex of America's official *DURARARA!!*×2 website (www.DurararaUSA.com).

About DURARARA!!x2 The Second Arc:

The story continues as more chaos ensues—

Ikebukuro, a city teeming with the most peculiar characters and the twisted schemes they indulge in. In the aftermath of the assault against the information broker, signs of new disorder begin to develop like ripples across the water. Holding his own ideals, the young man who gains the powers of both the "Dollars" and the "Blue Squares" treads the path to total annihilation. Someone struggles to save their best friend while a psychopath creeps up on a popular idol. Slowly but surely a new threat gains power within the city's shadows...

Paths cross and trouble brews as the plot thickens in this complicated web of conspiracies.

DURARARA!!×2 Volume 3 features:



<Blu-ray and DVD Features>

Spoken Languages: Japanese and English

Subtitles: English and Spanish

Episodes: #13-18Number of Discs: 2

• Total Run Time: Approx. 150 min.

• Rating: 13UP

<Bonus Contents>

Textless Opening and Ending (2nd Arc)

<Bonus Materials and Special Package>

- 16-page Deluxe Booklet
- Illustration Post Cards
- Package Illustrated by Takahiro Kishida (Character Design)
- Clear Cases with 2-sided Wraps

^{*}Bonus contents subject to change.

Product number and UPC bar code

Title	Street	SKU#	UPC	SRP	Store
	Date				price
DURARARA!!×2 Blu-ray	03/22/2016	AOA-7003B	856137005957	\$99.98	\$79.98
Volume 3					

Title	Street Date	SKU#	UPC	SRP	Store price
DURARARA!!×2 DVD Volume 3	03/22/2016	AOA-7003D	856137005988	\$59.98	\$49.98

DURARARA!!×2 Volume 4 features:

<Blu-ray and DVD Features>

• Spoken Languages: Japanese and English

• Subtitles: English and Spanish

• Episodes: #19-24 and OVA 13.5 (7 episodes total)

• Number of Discs: 2

• Total Run Time: Approx. 175 min.

• Rating: 13UP

<Bonus Contents> Bonus Episode 13.5

<Bonus Materials and Special Package>

- 16-page Deluxe Booklet
- Illustration Post Cards
- Package Illustrated by Takahiro Kishida (Character Design)
- Clear Cases with 2-sided Wraps

Product number and UPC bar code

Title	Street Date	SKU#	UPC	SRP	Store price
DURARARA!!×2 Blu-ray Volume 4		AOA-7004B	851822006202	\$99.98	\$79.98

Title	Street	SKU#	UPC	SRP	Store
	Date				price
DURARARA!!×2 DVD	05/24/2016	AOA-7004D	851822006219	\$59.98	\$49.98
Volume 4					

All 4 SKUs will be available through official Aniplex of America retailers. For a list of our retailers, please visit: www.AniplexUSA.com/retailers

Staff & Cast Credits

<STAFF>

Original Story: Ryohgo Narita "DURARARA!!" (published in Dengeki Bunko)

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Original Illustration: Suzuhito Yasuda

Director: Takahiro Omori

Series Composition: Noboru Takagi Character Design: Takahiro Kishida Chief Animation Director: Akira Takata

Action Director: Tatsuo Yamada

Art Board: Ogura atelier Art Settings: Tomoyasu Fujise Prop Design: Eri Yamasaki Color Design: Hiromi Miyawaki CG Producer: Norikazu Kanbayashi

Editing: Kazuhiko Seki

Photography: Hitoshi Tamura, Tetsuya Kawada

Music: Makoto Yoshimori Animation Production: Shuka Produced by Ikebukuro Dollars

Opening Theme: "Day you laugh" by Toshiyuki Toyonaga (the voice actor of Mikado)

Ending Theme: "EXIT" by REVALCY

<CAST> (Japanese/English)

Celty Sturluson: Miyuki Sawashiro / Kari Wahlgren

Mikado Ryugamine: Toshiyuki Toyonaga / Darrel Guilbeau

Masaomi Kida: Mamoru Miyano / Bryce Papenbrook Anri Sonohara: Kana Hanazawa / Michelle Ruff Izaya Orihara: Hiroshi Kamiya / Johnny Yong Bosch Shizuo Heiwajima: Daisuke Ono / Crispin Freeman Shinra Kishitani: Jun Fukuyama / Yuri Lowenthal Kyohei Kadota: Yuichi Nakamura / Steve Blum Walker Yumasaki: Yuki Kaji / Brian Beacock Erika Karisawa: Ayahi Takagaki / Mela Lee

Saburo Togusa: Takuma Terashima / Spike Spencer Simon Brezhnev: Takaya Kuroda / Patrick Seitz Dennis: Shinya Takahashi / Christopher Smith Namie Yagiri: Sanae Kobayashi / Bridget Hoffman Kasuka Heiwajima: Daisuke Kishio / Vic Mignogna Aoba Kuronuma: Hiro Shimono / Kyle McCarley

Egor: Toshiyuki Morikawa / Lex Lang Varona: M·A·O / Brina Palencia Sloan: Satoshi Mikami / Richard Epcar

Kururi Orihara: Hisako Kanemoto / Bridget Hoffman

Mairu Orihara: Eri Kitamura / G.K. Bowes Ruri Hijiribe: Saki Fujita / Cristina Vee Shingen Kishitani: Akio Otsuka / Doug Stone Seiji Yagiri: Kazuma Horie / David Earnest

Mika Harima: Mariya Ise / Kira Buckland

Saki Mikajima: Misato Fukuen / Cassandra Lee Morris Tom Tanaka: Katsuyuki Konishi / Keith Silverstein

Haruya Shiki: Hochu Otsuka / Dan Woren

Kinnosuke Kuzuhara: Keiji Fujiwara / Christopher Smith

Max Sandshelt: Masaya Onosaka / Doug Erholtz

Akane Awakusu: Misaki Kuno / Brianna Knickerbocker

Emilia: Atsumi Tanezaki / Karen Strassman

Mizuki Akabayashi: Kappei Yamaguchi / Matthew Mercer

Mikiya Awakusu: Yasuyuki Kase / Jamieson Price Dogen Awakusu: Shozo Iizuka / Beau Billingslea Kasane Kujiragi: Houko Kuwashima / Wendee Lee

Eijiro Sharaku: KENN / Kaiji Tang

Mikage Sharaku: Hiromi Igarashi / Amanda Miller Hiroto Shijima: Taishi Murata / Max Mittelman Kisuke Adabashi: Yoji Ueda / Ben Diskin

Mimizu: Kikuko Inoue / Carrie Keranen

Ran Izumii: Atsushi Imaruoka / Robbie Daymond

Seitaro Yagiri: Chafurin / Tony Oliver

English Voice Director: Alex von David

ADR Script Writers & Adaptation: Alex von David & Caitlin Glass

For more details on *DURARARA!!*×2, please visit the official homepage: <u>www.DurararaUSA.com</u>

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