

UP Film Institute Filmography of Filipino Films 2007

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In 2007, mainstream films trailed not only their foreign counterparts in terms of number but also the homegrown digital releases. For the first time since the emergence in 2004 of the digital motion picture exhibited commercially in regular theaters, digital releases outnumbered the country's mainstream output. In fact, the Philippine mainstream output's figure for the year would not have reached 39 (a stark drop from 49 in 2006) if not for some crossovers—digital productions that were blown up to the industry-standard 35mm print and outright indie forays on celluloid that had nothing in common with the usual mainstream offerings.

In contrast, digital titles with the full benefit of regular run in 2007 increased to 40 compared to 12 in 2006—a steady increase from five in 2005 and only one in 2004. As expected, much of these digital releases pertained to productions brought about by the previous year's Cinemalaya, Cinema One and Cinemanila festivals. Such was the rapid rise in digital production that the so-called digitals or digimovies now constitute a genre of its own in the context of Philippine cinema at large.

Nevertheless, even the combined efforts of the local mainstream movies on one hand and the digital films on the other—resulting in a combined output of 79—was still no match to the total output of 180 international releases that made it to domestic cinemas in 2007.

Leading studios in the business were the same as in previous years—Star Cinema of ABS-CBN, Regal, Viva and GMA. In a display of cooperation, each of the studios managed to enter into co-production ventures with another: Regal with GMA; Viva with Star Cinema; and GMA with Viva.

Of the Philippine mainstream outputs, straight dramas significantly outpaced all other genres with 10; while comedy had 9; horror, 7; romance, 6; sex drama, 4; and action, 3.

*Star Cinema produced the most number of movies with eight titles, among which was **One More Chance** — the highest grosser in 2007. Star Cinema was also behind two more notable box-office hits of the year, namely, *A Love Story* and *Sakal, Sakali, Saklolo*, further firming up its position as the undisputed top film production company in the land.*

*Philippine cinema continued to gain notice abroad with at least one important title — Brillante Mendoza's *Foster Child* from Seiko Films — leading the way. This dramatic film about an urban-poor family which makes a living by providing a temporary home to abandoned babies pending their formal adoption was selected for the Directors' Fortnight at Cannes and the New Directors/New Films Festival of the Film Society of Lincoln Center in New York.*

In this filmography, each entry contains: 1) the title of the film; 2) genre, running time (in hours and minutes), MTRCB classification; 3) short synopsis; and 4) production data. Abbreviations for the latter are: P = Production Company, D = Director, ST = Story, OST = Original Story, SP = Screenplay, A = Actors, PD = Production Design, C = Cinematography, E = Editor, M = Music, S = Sound, TS = Theme Song, and OTS = Original Theme Song.

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January

HEREMIAS – UNANG

AKLAT: ANG ALAMAT NG
PRINSESANG BAYAWAK

Digital Drama/9:00/R

A nine-hour opus, the film tells a story of a traveling merchant who loses his wares but recaptures his dignity.

P/D: Lav Diaz
A: Ronnie Lazaro
DOP: Mara Benitez
E: Lia Martinez

ENDO

Digital Drama/1:36/R13

This film features two contractual workers whose romance is as short-lived as their casual jobs. They both long for security that neither can provide for each other.

P: Cinemalaya Foundation,
Ned Trespecies, Michiko Yamamoto, Emmanuel Dela Cruz, Raymond Lee
D: Jade Castro
ST/SP: Jade Castro/Michiko Yamamoto/Raymond Lee
A: Jason Abalos, Ina Feleo, CJ Javarata, Ricky Davao, Alcris Galura
PD: Jhek Cogama
C: Wowie Hao
E: JD Domingo
M: Owel Alvero
S: Corinne De San Jose

KADIN

Digital Drama/1:28/PG

A tale about two kids' search for their family's missing goat.

P: Cinemalaya Foundation
D/SP: Adolfo Alix, Jr.



Promotional poster of *Endo*. Retrieved February 10, 2009 from <http://i37.photobucket.com/albums/e68/owl4ever/starmometer4/endo.jpg>

A: Servilino Alavado, Monica Joy Camarillas, Florencia Cardona, Rico Mark Cardona, Ursula Gecha

SINUNGALING NA BUWAN

Digital Drama/1:46/Unrated

Three strangers with intersecting stories go through similar experiences of irony and deceit in their respective relationships.

P: Cinemalaya Foundation
D: Ed Lejano
A: Kalila Aguilos, Jake Macapagal, JR Valentin, Liza Diño, Frank Garcia, Perry Escano, Ma. Isabel Lopez, Ricky Davao

17**AGENT X44**

Comedy/1:33/PG

A reserve agent engages in zany tactics to recover Lapu-Lapu's bolo that helped kill Magellan in 1521.

P: Star Cinema, ABS-CBN Film Productions
 D: Joyce E. Bernal
 ST: Edgar Mortiz
 SP: Mel Mendoza-Del Rosario, Galo Ador, Trina Marie Dusaban, Raz De la Torre
 A: Vhong Navarro, Mariel Rodriguez, Tony Ferrer, Uma Khoung, John Lapuz, Mura, Juliana Palermo, Pokwang, Cassandra Ponti, Jayson Gainza, Jeffrey Quizon
 PD: Dante Nico Garcia, Rodrigo Ricio
 DOP: Charlie Peralta
 E: Renewin Alano
 M: Chuckie Dreyfuss, Jun Regalado
 S: Addis Tabong
 TS: Vhong Navarro
 OTS: Christian Martinez

E:

Sunshine Matutina

M: Tris Suguitan

S: Nonoy Dadivas

2**February****COMPOUND**

Digital Sex Drama/1:10/R

A drug-crazed couple and their tenant who is also an addict create a worse reality for themselves.

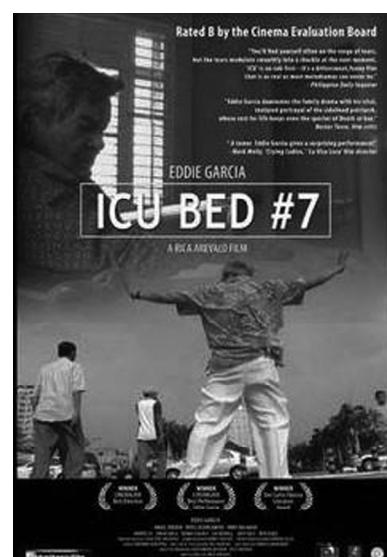
P: Hubo LLC, Philippine Independent Filmmakers Multi-Purpose Cooperative
 D/ST/SP/E/S: Will Fredo
 A: John Arcilla, Janet Russ, Jake Macapagal, Liza Diño, Joan Palisoc, Perry Escaño, Lily Chu, Marq Dollentes, Samantha Zialcita, Eryk Tippes,

31**ICU BED #7**

Digital Drama/1:40/R13

In this heartwarming film, two daughters decide the fate of their ailing father.

P: Cinemalaya Foundation, Rica Arevalo, Mediarevolution
 D/ST/SP: Rica Arevalo
 A: Eddie Garcia, Irma Adlawan, Angel Aquino, Noni Buencamino, Reema Chanco
 PD: Katrina Villa
 C: Ogi Sugatan



Promotional poster of *ICU Bed #7*.
 Retrieved February 8, 2009 from <http://www.filipinasoul.com/wp-content/uploads/2007/01/icu7.jpg>

Sarah Rebueno, Regina
 Davin, Amanda Virrey,
 Bong Cabrera, Andrew
 Gordon, Claire Lee
 PD: Gregory Macaraeg, Ida
 Tiongson
 C: Will Fredo, Gene
 Gallardo, Peter John Sta.
 Maria
 M: Bob Aves

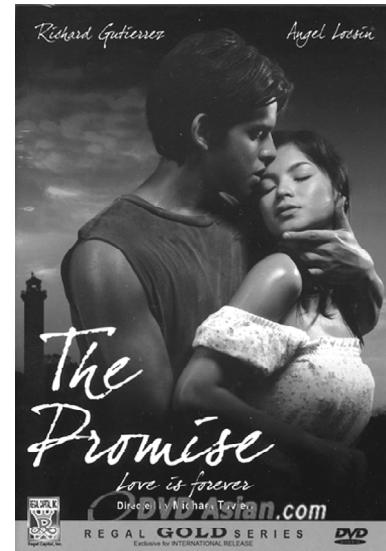
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THE PROMISE

Romance/1:53/PG

Daniel and Andrea's love for each other is tested when the heirs of the hacienda – where they have been working since childhood – fall in love with them.

P: GMA Films; Regal
 Entertainment
 D: Mike Tuviera
 SP: Raquel Villavicencio
 A: Richard Gutierrez, Angel
 Locsin, TJ Trinidad,
 Rhian Ramos, Joel Torre,
 Ryan Eigenmann,
 Eugene Domingo,
 Raquel Villavicencio,
 Melissa Mendez, Mar
 Gachitoren, Ella Cruz,
 Jodell Stasic, Neoptitus
 Kyriacou, King Alcala,
 Eloisa Torresyap
 PD: Mario Lipit
 DOP: Marissa Florendo
 E: Jay Halili, John David
 Hukom
 M: Arnold Buena, Allan
 Feliciano
 S: Ditoy Aguil, Rudy
 Gonzales, Junel Valencia



DVD cover of **The Promise**. Retrieved February 8, 2009 from <http://i37.photobucket.com/albums/e68/owl4ever/starmometer4/endo.jpg>

TROIKA aka THREESOME

Sex Drama/1:40/R

A woman is left by her husband to work in a far-flung province. In his absence, she gets romantically involved with a stranger. Bothered by her conscience, she follows her husband and later finds herself in a vicious sexual triangle.

P: Daven Productions
 D: Emmanuel "Ihman"
 Esturco
 ST: Glenn Dela Cruz, Pinky
 Esturco, Senedy Que
 OST: Senedy Que
 SP: Enrique Ramos
 A: Andre Soriano, Jamil
 Basa, Monica Midler,
 Criselda Volks, Lara
 Morena, Carlo Lacana,
 Jennifer Bacani, Janvier

Daily, Josh Ivan Morales,
Lauren Novero, Joseph
Retirado, Will Sandejas,
Johnron Tañada, Raven
Villanueva
PD: Bianca Gonzales
Dadivas, Cyrus Khan
DOP: Rodolfo Aves Jr., Joey
Lizardo
E: Mike Paquiz
M/S: Dante Tañedo

ROME AND JULIET

Digital Drama/1:45/R18
A bride and her wedding planner form a deep friendship and a passionate love affair, enraging the groom who calls off the wedding. The ensuing events reveal the same-sex couple's enduring love for each other.
P: Creative Programs
D/ST: Connie Macatuno
SP: Connie Macatuno, Chris
Violago
A: Andrea del Rosario,
Mylene Dizon, Rafael
Rosell, Tessie Tomas,
Glydel Mercado, Mico
Palanca, Lui Villaruz,
Crispin Pineda, Liza Diño,
Joshua Docareza, Katy
Dilao, CJ Mercado,
Frances Ignacio, Syke,
Jean Claude, Christina
Yu, Joyce Sunga, Nilda
Maque, Honey Cruz,
Jeffrey Santos, Alvin
Anson, Grace Fujita,
Jennifer Legaspi, Rex
Yadao, PJ, Marose
Urdaneta, Skeeter
Labastilla,
PD: Gerry Santos
DOP: Marcial Tarnate III



Mylene Dizon (left) and Andrea del Rosario (right) in a scene from the movie **Rome and Juliet**. Retrieved February 8, 2009 from <http://www.pep.ph/images/guide/990860bb9.jpg>

E: JP Alcaraz, JV Chiu,
Vincent Chiu, Reggie
Gulle, Lester Olayer, Ray
Rosento, Danzen Santos
M: Sammy Asuncion
S: Alexi Corbilla, Paulo
Zarate

20 PISAY

Digital Comedy/Drama/
1:58/G

The advent of Martial Law in the 1980s did not stop the dreams of six high school scholars from the Philippine Science High School.

P: Cinemalaya Foundation,
Creative Programs,
Roadrunner Network,
Solito Arts
D/ST: Aureus Solito
SP: Henry Grageda
A: Glecy Atienza, Carl John
Barrameda, Rowena
Basco, Bernardo
Bernardo, Elijah Castillo,
Annicka Dolonius,
Eugene Domingo, Carina

Evangelista, Shayne
 Fajutagana, EJ Fallorina,
 Alfred Labatos, Gammy
 Lopez, Claudine Najera,
 Jonathan Neri, Rebecca
 Padilla, Ama Quiambao,
 Mary Raceles, Arnold
 Reyes
 PD: Endi Balbuena, Dante
 Nico Garcia, Martin
 Masadao, Reggie
 Regalado
 DOP: Charlie Peralta
 E: Mikael Pestaño, Aureus
 Solito
 M: Jobin Ballesteros, Irwin
 Cafugauan, Vincent de
 Jesus
 S: Addis Tabong, Ronald de
 Asis, Tad Ermitaño

21 **FACES OF LOVE**
 Drama/1:40/PG
Don Arcadio, a widower, has been receiving love letters for many years from an anonymous sender. When the letters stop coming, he hires a detective to help reveal the letter-writer whose romantic past involves Don Arcadio.
 P: Cinemanila, Seiko Films
 D: Eddie Romero
 SP: Eddie Romero, Rica Arevalo
 A: Christopher de Leon,
 Angel Aquino, Alfred Vargas, Juliana Palermo,
 Chinggoy Alonzo, Jackie Aquino, Mon Confiado,
 Ricky Davao, Bembol Roco, Chanda Romero,
 Rodel Velayo
 C: Jun Aves
 E: Ronald Allan Dale
 M: Jobin Ballesteros

IMAHE NASYON

Various Digital Shorts/2:10/PG
A groundbreaking film composed of 20 independent filmmakers, Imahe Nasyon answers the question "What happened after 1986?" to depict the issues and changes in Philippine society after the first People Power revolt.

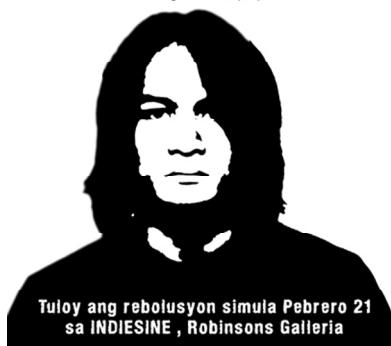
P: Digital Viva
 D: Milo Alto-Paz (segment "Lugaw"), Poklong Anading (segment "Between Intersections"), Sigfried Barros Sanchez (segment "Aksyon Star"), Yeye Calderon (segment "Silid"), Neil Daza (segment "Biyaheng EDSA"), Ramon Mez de Guzman (segment "Tsinelas"), Emmanuel Dela Cruz (segment "Imagining EDSA"), Lav Diaz (segment "Nang Matapos Ang Ulan"), Dennis Empalmado (segment "Tawa"), Tad Ermitaño (segment "Local Unit"), Topel Lee (segment "Ang Manunulat"), Robert Quebral (segment "Barado"), Ellen Ramos (segment "Speci Men"), Raymond Red (segment "Mistulang Kamera Obscura"), R.A. Rivera (segment "Public Service Announcement"), Roxlee (segment "La Pula"), Lyle Sacris (segment "W.I.P."), EJ Salcedo (segment "Talahib"), Ogi

	Sugatan (segment "5 Minutes"), Paolo Villaluna (segment "One Shot")	Joaquin Cariño, Rein Cortez, RJ Reynaldo, Madeleine Red, Jason Red, Luane Dy., Kenjie Villacorte, Karl Mendez, Gary Rada, Yeye Calderon, Malay Javier, George Barraca, Camille Ansaldo, Glenn Ternal, Caloy Santos, Jr., Frank Caronna, Miguel Pancho, Jools Kalanyag, Rene Guan, Manie Magbanua, Jr., Jojo Militante, Goldray Galinero, Giovannie Esposo, Rene Fuentes, Leonila Montilla, Miriam Lacaba, Jepoy Santos, Bito, Zeny Ferraz, Karen Ferraz, Mads Adrias, Liza Jacinto, Lanie, Eric dela Cruz, Mara Paulina Marasigan, Eman Dayao, Vin Dancel, Jason Caballa, Joey Odulio, Buddy Zabala, Monmon Lopez, Karr Cotamorra, Ting Diaz, Cedric Hornedo, Patrick Asuncion, Hector Macaso, Andrew Topacio, Carlos dela Torre, Paolo Villanueva Poklong Anading (segment "Public Service Announcement"), Yeye Calderon (segment "Tawa"), Malay Javier (segment "Talahib"), Paul Mondo (segment "Public Service Announcement"), Ellen Ramos (segment "Speci Men"), Danny Red (segment "Mistulang Kamera Obskura"),
ST/SP:	Milo Alto-Paz (segment "Lugaw"), Sigfried Barros Sanchez (segment "Aksyon Star"), Yeye Calderon (segment "Siliid"), Neil Daza (segment "Biyaheng EDSA"), Ramon Mez de Guzman (segment "Tsinelas"), Emmanuel Dela Cruz (segment "Imagining EDSA"), Lav Diaz (segment "Nang Matapos Ang Ulan"), Dennis Empalmado (segment "Tawa"), Tad Ermitaño (segment "Local Unit"), Topel Lee (segment "Ang Manunulat"), Robert Quebral (segment "Barado"), Ellen Ramos (segment "Speci Men"), Raymond Red (segment "Mistulang Kamera Obskura"), Roxlee (segment "La Pula"), Lyle Sacris (segment "W.I.P."), EJ Salcedo (segment "Talahib"), Ogi Sugatan (segment "5 Minutes"), Paolo Villaluna (segment "One Shot")	PD:
A:	Ping Medina, Bella Flores, Janice Jurado, Bodjie Pascua, Soliman Cruz, Bombi Plata, Raul Morit, Elmo Redrico, Rey Ramos, Jun Sabayton,	

May nagbago ba sa nakalipas na dalawampung taon?

NASA TAO ANG KAPANGYARIHAN NG
IMAHENASYON
20 years after EDSA. 20 directors. 1 film.

PING MEDINA / re:elenco inc.
poklong ANADING / yeve CALDERON / emmon DELA CRUZ / neil DAZA
jov DIAZ dennis EMPALMADO / iodi ERMITARO / mes DE GUZMAN
rox LEE / lopeL LEE / milo paz robert QUEBRAL / ellen RAMOS / raymond RED
r.a. RIVERA / lyne SACRIS / ej SALCEDO sigfried BARROS-SANCHEZ
ogi SUGATAN / paolo VILLALUNA
mula sa digital viva at pelipula



Tuloy ang rebolusyon simula Pebrero 21
sa INDIESINE , Robinsons Galleria

Promotional poster of *Imahe Nasyon*.
Retrieved February 8, 2009 from <http://img.photobucket.com/albums/v355/nothingsee/IMAHEPOSTERNEWSPRINTV2foremailcopy.jpg>

DOP: (segment "One Shot"),
Jun Sabayton (segment
"Public Service
Announcement")
Milo Alto-Paz (segment
"Lugaw"), Poklong
Anading (segment
"Between Intersections"),
Albert Banzon (segment
"Tsinelas"), Neil
Daza (segment "Biyaheng
EDSA"), Eric dela
Cruz (segment "Silid"),
Ruelo Lozendo (segment
"Tawa"), Manie Magbanua
Jr. (segment "Aksyon
Star"), Robert
Quebral (segment
"Barado"), Raymond
Red (segment "Mistulang
Kamera Obscura"), Lyle

E: Sacris (segments "Local
Unit" and "W.I.P.") Ogi
Sugatan (segments "5
Minutes", "La Pula", and
"One Shot") Ogi
Sugatan (segment
"Imagining EDSA")
Jeff Aglubat (segment
"Talahib"), Milo Alto-
Paz (segment "Lugaw"),
Ramon Mez de
Guzman (segment "Nang
Matapos Ang Ulan"), Tad
Ermitaño (segment
"Local Unit"), Ruelo
Lozendo (segment
"Silid"), Manie Magbanua
Jr. (segment "Aksyon
Star"), Robert
Quebral (segment
"Barado"), Ellen
Ramos (segment "Speci
Men"), Raymond
Red (segment "Mistulang
Kamera Obscura"), RA
Rivera (segment "Public
Service Announcement"),
Lyle Sacris (segment
"W.I.P."), Ogi
Sugatan (segment "La
Pula"), Jason
Tan (segment "Biyaheng
EDSA"), Allen
Umali (segment "Tawa"),
Paolo Villaluna (segment
"One Shot")
M: Peach Abubakar and
Robert Quebral (segment
"Barado"), Dodjie
Fernandez and Tris
Sugitan, (segment
"Talahib"), Ogie Sugatan
(segment "Ang
Manunulat"), Orville
Tiamson (segment
"Silid"), Jericho Torres
(segment "Tawa"), Paolo

S: Villauna (segment "One Shot"), Joel Yu (segment "Biyaheng EDSA")
 Tad Ermitaño (segment "Local Unit"), Allan Hilado (segments "Lugaw" and "One Shot"), Alvin Lacerna (segment "Silid"), Peter Marquez (segment "Local Unit"), Twinkle Rada (segment "Talahib"), Benjamin Sacarias (segment "Imagining EDSA"), El Tarik (segment "Nang Matapos Ang Ulan"), Paolo Villaluna (segment "Speci Men")

28 **YOU GOT ME!**
 Romance/1:43/G
A love triangle ensues when a vendor of pirated DVDs attempts to win the heart of the police woman who relentlessly pursues his arrest and who also happens to be the unrequited love of a fellow police officer.

P: Star Cinema, ABS-CBN Film Productions
 D: Cathy Garcia-Molina
 ST: Raz Dela Torre, Francis Lua, Carmi Raymundo, Vanessa Valdez
 SP: Raz Dela Torre, Francis Lua
 A: Tony Gonzaga, Sam Milby, Zanjoe Marudo, Johnny Delgado, Dick Israel, AJ Dee, Jayson Gainza, Pia Moran, Quintin Alianza, Pinky Amador, Toby Alejar, Nuel C. Naval, January Isaac, Mariel Pamintuan, Veronica Domingo, Joyce So

PD: Efren Vibar
 C: Manuel Teehankee
 E: Marya Ignacio
 M: Raul Mitra
 S: Addis Tabong

PEPOT ARTISTA

Digital Drama/1:10/G
A musical-comedy about a boy who dreams of becoming a movie star.

P/D/ST/SP: Cinemalaya Foundation, Clodualdo del Mundo, Jr.
 A: Elijah Castillo, Rio Locsin, Cris Villamueva, Jeffrey Quizon, Bituin Escalante, Noni Buencamino, Joy Solerde Castro, Shiela Mae Junsay, Cedric Lamberte, Han Pascual, Niña Joyel



Promotional poster of *Pepot Artista*. Retrieved February 8, 2009 from <http://photos-p.friendster.com/photos/44/85/15645844/15901425036042m.jpg>

de Jesus, Tado, Ces
 Quesada, Nina Medina,
 Lou Veloso, Yoyoy Villame
 PD: Cesar Hernando, Michael
 Kho Lim
 DOP: Herky del Mundo
 E: Daniel Adapon
 M: Lorrie Ilustre
 S: Lorrie Ilustre, Rachelle
 Tesoro

7 March
SAAN NAGTATAGO

SI HAPPINESS?

Digital Comedy 1:55/PG
An ice cream vendor searches for happiness by finding his long-lost mother and winning the heart of the woman he loves.

P: Cinemalaya Foundation,
 Mediarevolution
 D: Florida Bautista
 ST/SP: Florida Bautista, Real
 Florido
 A: Andy Bais, Mica Torre,
 Caridad Sanchez,
 Nanette Inventor, Rez
 Cortez, Noni
 Buencamino, Ricky
 Davao, Lou Veloso, Kim
 Atienza, Karla Pambid,
 January Isaac, Darling
 Lavina, Kenjie Villacorte,
 Ruth Alferez, Antonette
 Garcia, Elijah Castillo,
 Riza Cruz, Zenaida
 Mabahagui, Lourdes
 Ordinez, Lola Avelina,
 Bridgette Ann Rebucia,
 Angela Rodriguez,
 Michelle Ramilo, Agnes
 De Guzman, Cora
 Lorenzo, Julie Ann
 Venezuela, Ernesto De



Promotional poster of *Saan Nagtatago si Happiness?*. Retrieved February 8, 2009 from <http://www.clickthecity.com/img2/articles/CTC-1538-image4.jpg>

Leon, Policarpio Jimenez,
 Gary Gardoce, Teresa
 Tabura, Ana Candelaria,
 Karen Golfo, Ronald
 Decena
 DOP: Gary Gardoce
 E: Maan Dela Cruz, Neil
 Rara
 M: Jed Balsamo
 S: Jay Delas Alas, Whannie
 Dellosa

14 HAPPY HEARTS
Comedy 1:37/G
A son of a homosexual professor returns to the Philippines, learns to accept his father, and falls in love with the daughter of a powerful man.

P: Regal Entertainment
 D: Joel Lamangan
 ST/SP: Dado C. Lumibao



The main cast of **Happy Hearts**. Retrieved November 20, 2008 from <http://www.regalmultimedia.net/happyhearts/cast.html>

A: Shaina Magdayao, Rayver Cruz, Rustom Padilla, Wendell Ramos, Tirso Cruz III, Jean Garcia, Giselle Sanchez, Alwyn Uytingco, Jill Yulo, Allan Paule, Lauren Novero, Pretty Trizsa, Menggie Cobarrubias, Tom Olivar, Josie Tagle, Tony Carpio, Mhyco Aquino, Sergio Garcia, Rodjun Cruz
PD: Edgar Martin Littaua
C: Rodolfo Aves, Jr.
E: Marya Ignacio
M: Vincent De Jesus
S: Ditoy Aguil'a, Junel Valencia

SIQUIJOR: MYSTIC ISLAND
Horror/1:30/R13
A TV production team fabricates a possession episode in Siquijor for its horror program. Upon their return to Manila, each crew member goes through his or her own ghastly episodes, prompting the team's director to probe into what seems to be a curse after the trip.
P: Centerstage Productions, Viva Entertainment
D/E: Mark Philipp Espina
ST: Adolfo Alix, Jr., Mark Philipp Espina
A: Ian Veneracion, Assunta De Rossi, Yul Servo, Angel Aquino, Coco Martin, Sid Lucero, Rodel Velayo, Dan Alvaro, Simon Ibarra, Bing Pimentel, Maritess Samson, Criselda Volks
PD: Benjamin Padero
C: Miguel V. Fabie III
M/S: Jerrold Tarog



Promotional poster of **Batad**. Retrieved February 8, 2009 from http://img.photobucket.com/albums/v651/sassy_lucha/blog/batad.gif

BATAD

Digital Drama/1:30/G
Upon realizing his dream of owning a pair of rubber shoes, a Batad boy leaves his tribe and pursues the big city life.
 P: Cinemalaya Foundation, Mediarevolution
 D: Benji Garcia
 ST/SP: Vic Acedillo
 A: Annette Aas, Grant J. Adams, Gina Alajar, Noni Buencamino, Bids Dela Cruz, AA Fernandez, Alcris Galura, Joe Gruta, Jeffrey Japso, Heidi Morata, Dave Navarro, Erwin Navarro, Paolo O'Hara, Chris Pasuran, Ronald Roga, Carmen Villaseñor
 PD: Noel Navarro, Aped Santos
 C: Ruben Hamahiga Dela Cruz

E: Danny Añonuevo
 M: Sr. Belinda Salazar

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PANTASYA

Various Shorts/1:30/
 Unrated

This digital feature shows five homoerotic fantasies.

P: Viva Entertainment, Centerstage Productions
 D/C: Brillante Mendoza
 ST: Boots Agbayani Pastor
 A: Arthur Estrella, Rov Roxas, Mark Dionisio, Harold Montano, Kiko Montenegro, Kervin Castillo, Dexter Castro, Brent Lorenzo, Nicco Taberna, Kyle Zenorio, Justin De Leon, Trent Allan, Kyro Baldemor, Jon Eric, Rhyme Rodriguez
 PD: Harley Alcasid
 E: Charliebebs Gohetia
 M: Marissa Cadiz

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ANG M.O.N.A.Y. (Misteyks Obda Neyson Adres Yata) NI MR. SHOOLI

Comedy/1:39/G
Jun Urbano and Leo Martinez join forces once again to present a full-length satire of Philippine society.
 P: Onabru Films
 D/ST/SP: Jun Urbano
 A: Jun Urbano, Leo Martinez, Archie Adamos, Boy Alano, Jay-Ar Apuyan, Bayani Casimiro, Jr., Rez Cortez, Tirso Cruz III, Ricky Davao, Jaime Fabregas, Flora Gasser, Nanette Inventor, Berting Labra, Ronnie Lazaro,

Gary Lising, Long Mejia,
Vanessa Mercado,
German Moreno, Palito,
Mat Ranillo III, Jeric Raval,
Riva Reyes, Bembol
Roco, Gloria Romero,
Caridad Sanchez, Giselle
Sanchez, Rafran Santiago,
Jimmy Santos, Shalala,
Rey Solo, Philip Supnet,
Tado, Mely Tagasa, Noel
Trinidad, Ramon Zamora

ANAK NG TINAPA

Digital Drama/1:05/R-18
*Two crooked cops meet a fatal end
when a group of young filmmakers
plots a scheme to have them
exposed and arrested.*

P: Creative Programs
D: Jon Red
A: China Cojuangco,
Soliman Cruz, Ryan
Eigenmann, Hector
Macaso, Ping Medina,
Ryan Redillas, Paolo
Villaluna

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ANG HULING ARAW NG LINGGO

Digital Drama/1:43/PG

*This film narrates the
interconnected stories of seven
people and the choices they make
and do not make.*

P: Mediarevolution, Red
Door
D/ST/SP: Nick Olanka
A: Johnny Delgado, Levi
Ignacio, Fe Olanka,
Daniel Magisa, Gigi
Pirote, Sol Garcia, Iggy
Gulosino, Kiel Fernandez,
Gael Fernandez, R.V.
Tating, Kir Ocampo, Nick

Olanka, Jennifer Sevilla,
Rodel Velayo, Jay Mark
Yadao, Jill Masalonga,
Bryan Pascual, Ruzzle
Ocampo, Claudine
Ramirez, Joven Ramirez,
Boots Anson-Roa, Carme
Sanchez, Archie Adamos,
Rog Amon, Cheska
Bayan, Christian Bayan,
Dax Carnay, Eshei
Mesina, Angel Quirud,
Bonbon Quirud, RR
Queteris, AA Queteris,
Arnold Reyes, Kathrina
Dimal, Roland Inocencio,
Dindo Martinez, Gerald
Napoles, Pia Augustha
Agatep, Brent Reodica,
Precious Ann Tayag,
Kristelle Tee, Arceli Sulit,
John Villareal, Adelle
Austria, Jonard Bague,
Riolisa Bumbane, Ruel
Castillo, Karla Lizardo,
Bryan Sumera, Angeli
Bayani, Chunchi
Cabasaan, Baron Geisler,
Perry Dizon, Bor Ocampo,
Jasper Chavez Zarzuela,
Monica Llamas,
Madeleine Nicolas, Sol
Corong, Gavin Herrera,
Amrei Dizon, Roma
Regala

PD: Armi Cacanindin, Roma
Regala
C: Pao Pangan
E: Amrei Dizon
M: Nani Naguit
S: Mike Lim, Raffy
Magsaysay

7 April

ANG CUTE NG INA MO

Comedy/1:42/G

After 20 years of being separated from her daughter, Georgia attempts to win her child's love despite the latter's disapproval. A series of wacky events happens as they try to rebuild their relationship.

P: Viva Entertainment; Star Cinema; ABS-CBN Film Productions

D: Wenn V. Deramas

ST: Mel Mendoza-Del Rosario

SP: Mel Mendoza-Del Rosario, Arlene Tamayo, Wenn V. Deramas

A: Ai-Ai De las Alas, Anne Curtis, Luis Manzano, Eugene Domingo, Deejay Durano, John Lapuz,

Vince Saldaña, Nikki Bacolod, Reychar

Everley, Lou Veloso, Makisig Morales, Jojit

Lorenzo, Cheena, Pen Medina, Shamaine

Buencamino, Cristal Neria, Rita Carlos, RJ

Baretto, Moises Miclat, Paris Hitchin, Vince

Maristela, Marielle Alonso, Josie Tagle, Kathy Despa,

Roderick Lindayag

PD: Danny Cristobas

DOP: Sherman Philip T. So

E: Marya Ignacio

M: Vince De Jesus

S: Bebet Cases

TS: Makisig Morales

OTS: Christian Martinez



Promotional poster of **Ang Cute ng Ina Mo**. Retrieved November 20, 2008 from <http://beta.abs-cbn.com/Portals/1/Movies/cuteposter.jpg>

18 DILIM

Digital Drama/1:20/R13

A mysterious night

creature defends hapless victims of violence by devouring their attackers. Consequently, the night creature becomes the target of a police chase, leading to a series of bloody clashes.

P: Creative Programs

D: Topel Lee

ST: Sigfried Barros Sanchez, Hector Macaso

A: Archie Adamos, Emilio Garcia, Mario Magallana,

Rica Peralejo, Rado

C: Odyssey Flores, Wowie Hao

E: Hector Macaso, Sunshine Matutina

S: Tris Suguitan

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RUMBLE BOY

Action/1:25/R13

*A daughter seeks revenge
for the death of her father.*

P: Derek Dee, Apache Films
D: Ronnie Ricketts
SP: Willy Laconsay
A: Derek Dee, Kyla Cole,
Ariel Villasanta, Maverick
Relova, Aliya Mortel
C: Macoy Tarnate
E: Jess Navarro
M: Nonong Buenamino

TULAD NG DATI

Digital Drama/1:45/R13

*This is a cinematic ode to the hit
Filipino rock group in the 1980s,
The Dawn. Its narrative centers on
the life of its vocalist who loses his
memory and tries to rebuild his
life.*

P: Cinemalaya Foundation,
Echo and Mirage
Multimedia Entertainment
D/ST/SP: Mike Sandejas
A: Jett Pangan, JB Leonor,
Francis Reyes, Buddy
Zabala, Carlos Balcells,
Ping Medina, Agot Isidro,
Mylene Dizon, Zoe
Sandejas, Raffy
Francisco, Nina
Sandejas, Karl Roy, Buko
Raymundo, Philip
Corpus, Edsel Ochoa,
Aleth Dela Cruz, Nanding
Josef, Deogracias Reyes,
John Mitchell, Erica
Villongco, Maxi Sandejas,
Denzel Garrovillas, Melsi
Macatangay, Monona
Dumaual, Tuttie



Promotional poster of *Tulad ng Dati*.
Retrieved February 8, 2009 from http://img.photobucket.com/albums/v441/nipututoot/tulad_ng_dati_FINAL_POSTER.jpg

Tanchuling, Samantha
Silver, Ecru De Assi,
Yellow Milano, Brenda
Brown, Jackie Pink,
Kristel White, Kate
Maroon, Thea Aquino,
Raymund Marasigan, Miro
Valera, Benson Tanoja,
Regie Mangubat, Relly
Mangubat, Aia De Leon,
Zach Lucero, Myrene
Academia, Tim Cacho,
The Dawn
PD: Greg Lipit
DOP: Luis Quirino
E: Mikael Pestaño
M: Francis Reyes, Buddy
Zabala
S: Ronald De Asis

SA NORTH DIVERSION ROAD
Digital Drama/1:37/PG13
A couple journeys through love, betrayal, and recovery.
P: Creative Programs
D/SP: Dennis Marasigan
ST: Antonio Jose Perez
A: John Arcilla, Irma Adlawan, Madeleine Nicolas, Rolando Inocencio, Teresa Jamias, Kalila Aguilos
PD: Bianca Gonzales Dadivas
DOP/E/S: Mo Zee
M: Jesse Lucas

SP: Juan Miguel Sevilla, Bobi Bonifacio
A: Maricel Soriano, Albert Martinez, Meryll Soriano, Ping Medina, Estrella Kuenzler, Francisco Ocampo, Justin Cabal, Jeffrey Payawal, Bob Bonifacio, Carl Clemente, Maan Agsalud, Zig Marasigan, Spanky Fernandez, RR Velasco, Christopher Santos, Jasmine Fuentes, Joel Tiongson, Cedric Valera, Bobi Bonifacio, Fidel Panganiban, Michelle Dela Rosa, Martin sunga, Edna Noble, Mackie Galvez, Gaudencio Frilles, Missy Maramara, Mely Soriano, Jake Ofrasio, Maui Mauricio, Christina Dy, Alfredo Florendo PD: Jhek Cogama, Cris Silva, Mihk Vergara
DOP: Dan Villegas
E: Jesson Yap
M: Emerzon Texon
S: Mark Villena

1 May STOCKROOM
Drama, Horror/1:28/R13
Two people battle with malevolent spirits that have inhabited the stockroom of their house.
P: Two Lights Productions
D/ST: Hero Angeles
A: Hero Angeles, Maria Angela, Maria Teresa, Denzel Allen, Dianne Mae, Enteng Batacan, Caye Brivergo, Michael Chua, Cheche
M: Dann McEachern, Mark Stevens

9 MANORO
Digital Drama/1:15/G
A young Aeta attempts to empower illiterate middle-aged and elderly Aetas by teaching them how to read and write so they can vote in the 2004 elections.
P: Centerstage Productions
D/DOP: Brillante Mendoza
ST/SP: Ralston Jover
A: Jonalyn Ablong
PD: Benjamin Padero
E: Charliebebs Gohteria
M: Jerrold Tarog
S: Albert Michael Idioma

2 NUMBALIKDIWA
Digital Drama/2:00/R13
A young man performs a ritual called numbalikdiwa to give his dead girlfriend the chance to live again.
P: Philippine Independent Filmmakers Multi-Purpose Cooperative
D/ST: Bobi Bonifacio

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SANDALANG BAHAY

Digital Drama/1:28/PG
*As they bury the remains
of their mother, three sisters
retrace their roots and confront
their painful past.*

P: Creative Programs
D: Mark Gary
ST: George De Jesus
SP: Ralph Peña
A: Albert Martinez, Adriana Agcaoili, Madeleine Nicolas, Tala Santos, Shamaine Buencamino, Julia Buencamino, Gillett Sandico, Sofie Sandico, Noni Buencamino, Jose Buencamino, Ronnie Lazaro, Ermie Concepcion, Renato Reyes, Marcus Adoro, Dodo Lim, George De Jesus, Edwin Carrasco, Rosie Papayan, Maria Enelyn Torres, Rious Caliso, Denisa Reyes, Roence Santos
PD: Kious Caliso
DOP: Miguel V. Fabie III, Ivan Sarena
E: Dempster Samarista
M: Denisa Reyes
S: Alan Paulo Confiado, Dempster Samarista

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BALIW

Digital Drama/0:10/R
An orphan turned serial killer, Angelo yearns to purge his personal demons.

P: Redd5Luke Productions
D/ST/SP: Redd Ochoa
A: Ryan Eigenmann, Joshua Docareza, Jaime Fabregas, Joel Torre, Liza

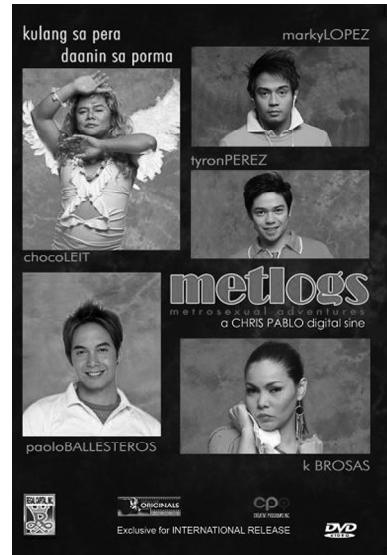
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Promotional poster of *Paano Kita Iibigin*. Retrieved November 20, 2008 from <http://www.eimichiko.com/images/PKI.JPG>

PD: Nina Torres
DOP: Rommel Sales
S: Mark Locsin

30 PAANO KITA IIBIGIN
Romance/1:54/PG
Two people seeking a second chance meet and fall in love.
P: Viva Entertainment Star Cinema ABS-CBN Film Productions
D: Joyce E. Bernal
ST: Tammy Bejerano, John Paul Abellera
SP: Mel Mendoza-Del Rosario, John Paul Abellera, Vanessa Valdez
A: Regine Velasquez, Piolo Pascual, Eugene Domingo, Quintin Alianza, Mark Bautista, Iya Villania, Erich Gonzales, Robin Da Roza, Roence Santos, Denise Joaquin, Hyubs Azarcon, Rhap Salazar, Gian Terry, Paw Diaz, JC Cuadrado, Jett Pangan, Jigo Garcia, Beth Tamayo, Rico Barrera, Leo Rialp, Menggie Cobarrubias, Tessie Villarama, Polly Cadsawan, CJ Javarata, Maricel Dimayuga, Jordan Zuñiga, Maynard Lapid, Reb Sibal, Ma. Teresa Joaquin, Joselito Reyes, Iñigo Dominic Pascual, PJ Valerio, Yuuya Kadooka, Mara Schnittka, Tess Gonzales, Krisheela Gonzales, Nico Deyro, Marco Morales
PD: Chris Ecker De Guzman
DOP: Charlie Peralta



Promotional poster of **Metlogs**.
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E: Marya Ignacio
M: Raul Mitra
S: Addis Tabong
TS: Regine Velasquez, Piolo Pascual
OTS: Ogie Alcasid

METLOGS
Digital Drama/1:45/PG
Another term for metrosexual jologs, Metlogs is about three Manila-bound rural men who wish to change their lives.

P: Creative Programs
D/ST/SP: Cris Pablo
A: Tyron Perez, Paolo Ballesteros, Marky Lopez, K Brosas, Chokoleit

6**SILIP**

Sex Drama/1:43/R13

A newly-wed couple tries to uncover the mystery that haunts their town.

P: Seiko Films
 D: Joel Lamangan
 ST/SP: Raquel Villavicencio
 A: Diana Zubiri, Francine Prieto, Polo Ravales, Fritz Chavez, Cris Daluz, Eva Darren, Tony Mabesa, Dennis Marasigan, Willy Moreno, Jim Pebanco, Tony Ramos, Joel Tolosa
 PD: Edgar Martin Littaua
 DOP: Romeo Vitug
 E: Jess Navarro
 M: Jobin Ballesteros
 S: Arnold Reedica

**ANG DAAN PATUNGONG
KALIMUGTONG**

Digital Drama/1:29/G

This moving film shows how young children value education despite living in remote areas where schools are scarce.

P: Sampay Bakod Productions
 D/SP/PD: Ramon Mez De Guzman
 A: Joey Almoete, Analyn Bangsi-il, Jay Bassig, Rhenuel Ordoño, Hallen Sumingwa, Nemee Tocdangan
 C: Albert Banzon
 E: Ramon Mez De Guzman (as Abbas Tabas), Noel Montano (as Arasaw Kurabokov)
 M: Bernard "Nio" Manzano
 S: Bob Macabenta



Promotional poster of *Blackout*.
 Retrieved February 12, 2009 from http://www.regalfilms.com/newshop/pic_upload/BLACKOUT.JPG

13**BLACKOUT**

Horror/1:45/R13
The paths of an alcoholic landlord and one of his tenants intersect as they try to solve the mystery behind the former's blood-stained car bumper and the latter's missing child.

P: Unico Entertainment, Unitel Pictures
 D: Ato Bautista
 SP: Ato Bautista, Shugo Praico
 A: Robin Padilla, Iza Calzado, Ella Guevara, JM Reyes
 C: Lyle Sacris
 E: Richard Barnett

20**ANGELS**

Drama/1:50/G

This trilogy revolves around the family stories of a career woman who becomes an adoptive mom to an abandoned child; an ex-convict's bitter relationship with a boy whose father he killed for raping his wife on their wedding day; and an orphaned musician who helps a young man overcome his regrets while struggling to support her siblings.

P: Eagle Eye Entertainment
D: Gina Alajar, Dingdong Dantes, Mark A. Reyes
ST: Rebecca Aguila, Gina Marissa Tagasa-Gil
SP: Gina Marissa Tagasa-Gil, Agnes De Guzman
A: Angel Locsin, Marvin Agustin, Jennylyn Mercado, Patrick Garcia, Eunice Lagunsad, Nash Aguas, Ella Cruz, Valerie Concepcion, Bianca Aguila, Katrina Aguila, Marco Alcaraz, Pinky Amador, Boots Anson-Roa, Angela Antonio, Nico Antonio, Popoy Bardos, Mhalouh Crisologo, Malou De Guzman, Eric Eleazar, Ketchup Eusebio, Carlo Gonzales, Cheska Ihigo, Jacklyn Jose, Aiza Marquez, Joseph Mercado, Paolo Paraiso, Allan Paule, Gerard Pizzaras, Bianca Pulmano, Sweet Ramos, Martin Delos Santos, Empress Schuck
PD: Ronnie Cruz
C: Armin Collado, Nap Jamir, Pao Orendain

E: Aleks Castañeda, Jason Cauman, Miren Fabregas, Jay Halili, Ian Hontanosas
S: Ditoy Aguila, Junel Valencia

27**MORENO**

Digital Drama/1:20/R

A man finds himself confronted by his sad past, as he helps a young T'boli woman avoid going through the same path.

P: Grupong Sinehan, Philippine Independent Filmmakers Multi-Purpose Cooperative
D/ST/SP: Crisaldo Pablo
A: Ynez Veneracion, Ray An Dulay, Mark Dionisio, Roy Castillon, JV Roxas, Crisaldo Pablo, Arlan Degullacion, Andro Morgan, Myles Santos, Nesty Ortiz, Rodel Dapulag, Jeff Andaya, Arnel Ariate, Datu Ponciano Bandalan, Michelle Blem, Daryl Brecio, Aiden Candado, Datu Alas Candado, Shaina Candado, May Lynn Casatro, Mark Dean Cruz, Nicole Eniego, Ian Garcia, Peachy Garcia, Robert Garcia, Nikki Jimenez, Myrna Legal, Melai Lubigan, Rose Ann Maginding, Rachelle Ann Marudal, Maria Midal, Mercy Mindal, Karyl Mindal, Datu Nongos, Mairanne Oliquino, Francis Padilla, Isabel Retamar, Jessa Mae Seazer, Jaime Joyce Yaya

PD: Isabel Retamar
DOP: Crisaldo Pablo, Jonathan Batoy, Claude Santos
E: Bubbles Evangelista
M: Isha

4 July
PARAISO: TATLONG KUWENTO NG PAG-ASA
(Paradise: Three Stories of Hope)
Drama/1:50/G

Gawad Kalinga (GK), a local version of Habitat for Humanity, has changed the lives of ordinary people as it helps poor families acquire their own home. Stories featured in this film are: "Umiyak Man Ang Langit" (Even If Heaven Cries) in which a woman carries on after losing her loved ones in the mudslides of St. Bernard, Southern Leyte; "Ang Kapatid Kong Si Elvis" (My Brother Elvis), about a poor boy adopted by a GK volunteer couple; and "Marie", a widower's ode to his wife who perished in the 9/11 tragedy.

P: Gawad Kalinga
D: Ricky Davao, Jun Lana, Joel Ruiz
A: Maricel Soriano, Cesar Montano, Ricky Davao, Michael V, Robert Arevalo, Carmi Martin, Lilia Dizon, Maricel Laxa, Gian Bernabe, Noni Buencamino, Sam Bumatay, Paulken Bustillo, Ella Cruz, Eva Darren, BJ Forbes, Ella Guevara, Gillett Sandico, Lexi Schulze, Jennifer Sevilla
M: Antonio P. Tuviera



Promotional poster of *Sindie: Sa Pagsisimula ng Indie*. Retrieved February 8, 2009 from <http://www.pep.ph/images/guide/bb17ecb8a.jpg>

SINDIE: SA PAGSISIMULA NG INDIE
Various Digital Shorts/2:10/
R/R13/PG/G
Produced by participants of GMA 7's Summer Filmmaking Workshops, this is composed of 14 short films: *Katha, Saka, Mga Kuwento Kong Sana, Taong Grasa, Otra Ves, Sidewalk, Kasal, Baritada, and In A Flash* (8 minutes), *Lea, Batang Bato, Binhì, and Photo Express, and Glen Con Banyo*.

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TULI

Digital Sex Drama/1:53/R
A daughter is tasked to follow in her father's footsteps as the town's only circumciser. Loathing this tradition and her abusive father, she rebels against the status quo with the help of her best friend and a man who is willing to defend her.

P: Digital Viva
 D: Aureaus Solito
 ST: Jimmy Flores
 A: Desiree Del Valle, Carlo Aquino, Vanna Garcia, Bembol Roco, Luis Alandy, Eugene Domingo, Ama Quiambao

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HANGGANG DITO NA LAMANG AT MARMING SALAMAT

Digital Drama/1:30/R
A closet gay's unrequited love for his ward leads to a bitter ending.
 P: Philippine Independent Filmmakers Multi-Purpose Cooperative
 D/SP: Lino Tañada
 ST: Orlando Nadres
 A: Noni Buencamino, Jon Santos, Jerwin Mercado, Josefina Flores Sace, Marco Rodas, Darius Manalo, Eddson Guerra, Meriam Quimpo, Franklin Baltazar, Marvin Rodas, Monching Leynes, Jann Melchizedek Talabong, Junjun Añoso, Marco Morales, Peter Pacheco, Jerica Suarez, Volet Paderon, Alvin Trinidad, Ronald Orda, Normal Pedro, Meynard Lagrosa,

Glen Ariate, Paolo De Leon, Jonathan Tatlonghari, Angelo Madrigal, Arjay Venavidez, Mark Peramo
 C: Chris Golez
 E: Raul Manalo, Jr.
 M: Willy Cruz

TIYANAKS

Horror/1:33/G
A group of friends embarks on an out-of-town trip that leads them to encounter creatures called tiyanaks, believed to be unbaptized dead babies whose souls the devil owns.

P: Regal Entertainment
 D: Mark A. Reyes
 ST: Mark A. Reyes, Fairlane Raymundo, Venjie Pellen, Roselle Monteverde-Teo
 SP: Fairlane Raymundo, Venjie Pellen
 A: Rica Peralejo, Jennylyn Mercado, Mark Herras, JC de Vera, Lotlot de Leon, TJ Trinidad, Nash Aguas, Karel Marquez, Ryan Yllana, Jill Yulo, Alwyn Uytingco, Andrei Felix, Tom Olivar, Alcris Galura, Mika dela Cruz, Rian Josh Conde, Moki Torralba, Ana Roces
 PD: Eric Torralba
 DOP: Tim Jimenez
 E: Frank Aldana
 M: Arnold Buena, Allan Feliciano
 S: Ronald de Asis



Promotional poster of **Ouija**. Retrieved November 20, 2008 from <http://viva.com.ph/movies/images/83/poster.jpg>

OUIJA

Horror/1:36/PG

Five girls accidentally burn an old Ouija board, resulting in fatal consequences and a terrifying journey.

P: GMA Films, Viva Entertainment
 D: Topel Lee
 ST: Annette Gozon-Abrogar
 SP: Aloy Adlawan
 A: Judy Ann Santos, Jolina Magdangal, Iza Calzado, Rhian Ramos, Desiree del Valle, JC de Vera, Valerie Concepcion, Perla Bautista, Anita Linda, Ruby Rodriguez, Jackie Lou Blanco, Angelo Ilagan, Nanding Josef, Ilonah Villanueva, Jean

Villanueva, Anthony Roquel, JC Cuadrado, Ryan Agoncillo, Bebong Muñoz, Deo Custodio, Evio Medina, Gari Tiongco

PD: Mark Sabas

DOP: Neil Daza

E: Marya Ignacio

M: Carmina Cuya

S: Ditoy Aguila, Rudy Gonzales, Richard Hocks

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August CASA

Sex Drama/1:29/R

Isabel rekindles her romance with a former lover after learning that her husband was declared missing in action. An intriguing turn of events takes place when the soldier returns as a blind man left in the dark about sharing his wife and his home with another man.

P: Artiste Entertainment Works

D: Deo Fajardo, Jr.

ST/SP: Digna Fabian

A: Asia Agcaoili, Mikaela Espinosa, Paolo Paraiso, Michael Rivero

IDOL: PAG-ASANG BAYAN

PG Digital Drama/1:17/PG

A working student succumbs to peer pressure as he defies personal values of honesty, honor, and integrity.

P: Jesuit Communications

D/ST: Cesar Evangelista

A: Cedric Jose, Michael De Mesa, Jaclyn Jose, Maila Romero

ISNATS

Digital Drama/2:00/R
A mobile phone snatcher and a drug dealer connive to escape the clutches of a druglord.
P: Philippine Independent Filmmakers Multi-Purpose Cooperative
D/ST: Mark Dagñalan
A: Jourdan Sebastian, Joel Olano, Teddy Corpuz, Ida Ramos, Berting Labra, Archie Adams, Maui Manalo, Ronald Tupas, Oz Mendoza, Vanessa Liwanag, Benjo Mariano, Lily Chu, Third Gonzales, Philip Mendez, Philipp Hart, Nic Milligan, Rico Versoza, Bombi Plata, Sigfried Barros Sanchez, Anthony Nabor, Reinier Laiño, Miko Aguilas, Mark Granados, Martin Big Bike, Syke Dolero, Rohan Perkins, Simon Monte, Jobin Ballesteros, Lawrence Fajardo, Camilla Kim
PD: Arman Samonte
DOP: Rodolfo Aves, Jr.
E: Milos Curameng
M: Jobin Ballesteros

8**HAW-ANG (BEFORE HARVEST)**

Digital Drama/1:45/PG
A young nun touches the lives of a farming village in Ifugao during the time of haw-ang.
P: Sizzling Gambas
D: Bong Ramos, Sigrid Andrea Bernardo
ST: Bong Ramos, Murphy Redd

A: Kalila Aguilas, Racquel Reyes, Neil Ryan Sese, Dacmay Tangliban
PD: Felisberto Besina, Bianca Gonzales Dadivas
C: Vincent Paul Pangan

TODOTODO TEROS

Digital Drama/1:50/PG
Embedded in a collage of creative media and snippets of Philippine history, this film juxtaposes love and betrayal with terrorism.
P: John Torres, Philippine Independent Filmmakers Multi-Purpose Cooperative
D/E: John Torres
ST: John Torres, Joel Toledo
A: Regiben Romana, Olga Aliseichyk, Pusong Bughaw, Lav Diaz, John Torres
C: Albert Banzon, John Torres
M: Earl Drilon, Khavn, Armie Millare
S: Arvie Bartolome, Earl Drilon

ALA MUERTE, ALA SWERTE

Digital Drama/1:45/PG
A poignant movie about a young widow's agonizing search for her lost son.
P/D: Briccio Santos
ST/SP: Briccio Santos, Jorge Arago
A: Ana Capri, Maricel Dimayuga, Jacob Tingson, Perry Escaño, Menggie Cubbarubias
C: Steve Sagun, Briccio Santos
E: Anil Rao



Opening scene of *Autohystoria*.
Retrieved February 11, 2009 from <http://estanli.net/blog/wp-content/uploads/2007/08/autohystoria.jpg>

AUTOHYSTORIA

Digital Drama/1:35/PG

A modern cinematic tale about the historical death of the Bonifacio brothers under the Aguinaldo regime.

P/D/ST: Raya Martin
A: Lowell Conales
PD: Armi Cacanindin
DOP: Albert Banzon, Raya Martin
E: Luis Quirino
S: Arvie Bartolome

GREEN ROCKING CHAIR (JUAN BAYBAYIN STORY)

Digital Drama/1:00/PG

This movie is about the search for ancient Filipino writings called Baybayin or Alibata.

P/D/ST: Roxlee
A: Ramon Bautista, Pusong Bughaw, Carmela Cruz, Bryan Quesada, Regiben Romana
C/E: Jim Lumbera

VOICE, TILTED SCREENS AND EXTENDED SCENES OF LONELINESS: FILIPINO ON HIGH DEFINITION

Digital Drama/1:40/PG13

Essentially about failed dreams and relationships, this film captures the pains of Filipinos in different shores.

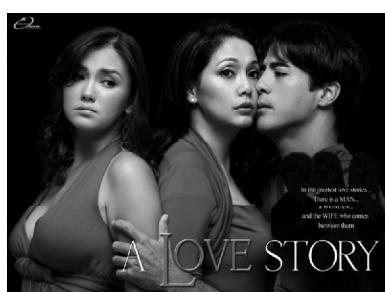
P: Peliculas Los Otros
D/C: John Torres
A: Errol Balcos, Mario Lim, Ian Lomongo, Donna Miranda, Chico Pace, Nympha Torres, Rodolfo Torres, Topper Torres
E: Ruelo Lozendo, John Torres
M: Arvie Bartolome, Tad Ermitaño, John Torres
OTS: Khavn, Makilling Ensemble

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A LOVE STORY

Drama/2:00/PG

A love triangle ensues after a rich married industrialist falls for another woman. His wife and his mistress contemplate on whether or not their love for him is worth fighting for.



Promotional poster of Maryo J. DeLos Reyes' *A Love Story*. Retrieved November 20, 2008 from http://i75.photobucket.com/albums/i290/matchbox_07/LSBW.jpg

P: Star Cinema, ABS-CBN
 Film Productions
 D: Maryo J. De los Reyes
 ST/SP: Vanessa Valdez
 A: Maricel Soriano, Aga
 Muhlach, Angelica
 Panganiban, Dante
 Rivero, Chin Chin
 Gutierrez, Bobby
 Andrews, TJ Trinidad,
 Baron Geisler, John
 Arcilla, Gerald Madrid,
 Mark Acueza, Bart
 Guingona, RS Francisco,
 Anita Linda, Eva Darren,
 Gillett Sandico, Jaymee
 Joaquin, Charee Pineda,
 Dianne Media, Mark Gil,
 Carla Humphries, Bonita
 Donato, Liza Diño, Rose-
 Cel Aguilar, Julijo Pisk
 PD: Gerry Santos
 DOP: Gary Gardoce
 E: Tara Illenberger
 M: Jesse Lucas
 S: Albert Michael Idioma

22 MAICLING PELICULA
NAÑG YSAÑG INDIO
NACIONAL (O Ang
Mahabang Kalungkutan ng
Katagalugan)
 Drama/1:36/PG
*A man mulls over his soul's
 redemption amidst the Philippine
 revolution against Spain in the
 1890s.*
 P: Arleen Cuevas
 D/SP: Raya Martin
 A: Bodjie Pascua, Suzette
 Velasco, Lemuel
 Galman, Mark Joshua
 Maclang, Russell
 Ongkeko

C: Maisa Demetillo,
 Roymark Gerez
 E: Anne Esteban, Luis
 Quirino
 M: Khavn Dela Cruz



Scene from the movie *Indio Nacional*.
 Retrieved November 20, 2008 from
http://farm1.static.flickr.com/163/398553751_07a36c9a72.jpg?v=0 -

SIGNOS

Horror/1:36/PG
*With an environmental slant, this
 horror-suspense film features a
 man who returns to his hometown
 after his father's death. His stay
 gets marred by unexplained
 deaths, including that of his
 childhood sweetheart's, where
 each victim is covered with mud.*

P: Daven Productions
 D/ST/SP: Aloy Adlawan
 A: Luis Alandy, Ricky Davao,
 Irma Adlawan, Lauren
 Novero, Nancy
 Castiglione, DM Sevilla,
 Chx Alcala, Eloisa Yap,
 Nicolet Bell, Jan Errol
 Cui, Macky De Lara,
 William Lemuel Suerte,
 PD: Fritz Silorio
 C: Alma Dela Peña
 E: Marvi De Guzman
 M: Alfredo Ongleo
 S: Edward Martinez, Marlon
 Ongleo

XENOA

Digital Fantasy Adventure/1:30/PG
A wicked alien goes after the three heirs of Xenoa, a rival world, to complete its reign over the universe.

P: Xion Studios
D: Sean Lim
SP: Maya Cruzada, Ali Co, Sean Lim
A: Isabel Granada, Paolo Ballesteros, Rafael Nanquil, Geryk Genasky Aguas, Clementine Poblete, Ronnie Felipe Martinez, Lesley Leveriza, Marq Dollentes, Richard Turner, Sophia Castañeda, Michael Poblete, Apollo Abraham, Hiyasmin Neri, Katsuji Kikuchi, Monette Rosello, Alan Marasigan, Lily Chu, Daniel Magisa, PJ Lanot, Aileen Besa, Ning Corteza, Karen Agustin, Sherwin Borromeo, Manolo Gonzales, Cecilia Tumamak, April Perez, Manolet Garcia, Marsian Mendoza, Dedel Gonzales, Glenna Miniao, Joy Cuizon, Mary Masamayor, Niño Ventura, Dino Buntra, Angelo Moratillo, Randell Panganiban, King, Angel Baroma, Ailenn Joy Zapanta, Berna Jao, DJ Alvaro, Katrina Bungay, Hedley Calanog, Mimi Rodelas, Monique Rivera, Victoria Farell, Zach Nazareth, Gilbert Llanos, Red Roda, Kharl Sereda, Daniel Chua, Sheena Gonzales, Sangmee Lee, Michelle Yara



Promotional poster of *Xenoa*.
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PD: Pio Herras
DOP: Ruben Hamahiga Dela Cruz
M: Arnold Buena, Allan Feliciano
S: Eric Adorable

29 MY KUYA'S WEDDING

Comedy/1:55/G
Armed with crazy antics, Kat tries her best to block the wedding of her brother Jeff, with whom she has a very close relationship as a kid.

Unexpectedly, she falls for the brother of her future sister-in-law.

P: Regal Entertainment
D: Topel Lee
ST: Roselle Monteverde-Teo, Allan Tijamo
SP: Alan Tijamo

A: Ryan Agoncillo, Maja Salvador, Pauleen Luna, Jason Abalos, Say Alonzo, Dick Israel, Ethel Booba, Janus Del Prado, Ryan Yllana, Frank Garcia, Dominic Ochoa, IC Mendoza, Debraliz, Raquel Villavicencio, Kitkat, Cheena, Cheska Billones, Mika Dela Cruz, Paul Salas, Jorel Tan
 PD: Mark Sabas
 DOP: Luis Quirino
 E: Marya Ignacio
 M: Von De Guzman
 S: Arnold Reodica, Rod Soliven

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Digital Drama/1:35/R13
Life in the slums of Tondo is graphically depicted in this movie about gang wars.

P: Cinemalaya Foundation, Cinemanila
 D/SP: Jim Libiran
 A: Havy Bagatsing, Karl Egger Balingit, Honey Concepcion, Mhalouh Crisologo, Charena Escala, Jamir Garcia, Rey Javier Guevarra, Apollo Labastida, Gilbert Lozano, Shielbert Manuel, Ira Marasigan, Faye Martel, Albert Moreno, Resty Perez, O.G. Sacred
 PD: Armi Cacanindin
 C: Albert Banzon
 E: Lawrence Ang
 M: Francis De Veyra
 S: Mark Laccay

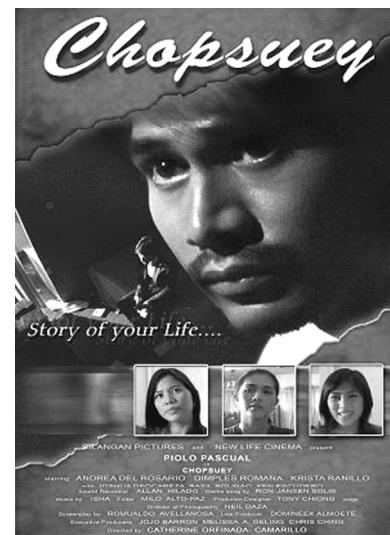
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CHOPSUEY

Drama/1:42/PG

Inspired by the Chinese-Filipino vegetable dish, this film reflects the experiences of Chinese-Filipinos.

P: Silangan Pictures
 D: Catherine O. Camarillo
 SP: Romualdo Avellanosa
 A: Piolo Pascual, Andrea Del Rosario, Dimples Romana, Krista Ranillo, Basil Bolinao, Hazel Abenuja, John Docareza, Denver Chua, Kay Hernandez, Ken Escudero, Patricia Barron, Grace Tariana, Albert Guinto, Jared Brown, Ann Guinto, Denver Olivarez



Promotional poster of *Chopsuey*.

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PD: Tony Chiong
DOP: Neil Daza
E: Milo Alto-Paz
M: Isha
S: Allan Hilado
TS/OTS: Ron Jancen Solis

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FOSTER CHILD

Drama/1:38/PG

With measly allowance and limited provisions, a foster mother must now surrender to new foster parents the child she has grown to love.

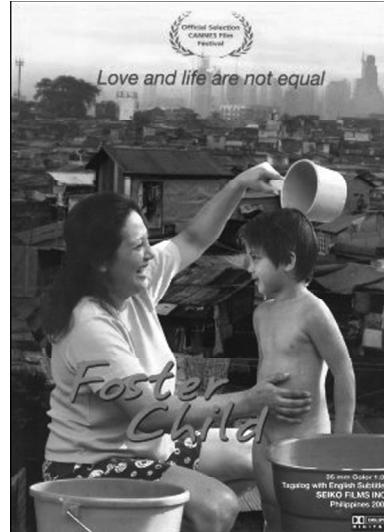
P: Seiko Films
D: Brillante Mendoza
ST/SP: Ralston Jover
A: Cherry Pie Picache, Eugene Domingo, Jiro Manio, Kier Segundo, Dan Alvaro, Alwyn Uytingco
PD: Benjamin Padero
DOP: Odyssey Flores
E: Charliebebs Gohetia
M: Jerrold Tarog
S: Emmanuel Clemente, Arnold Reodica

ANINO NG SETYEMBRE

Digital Drama/1:45/PG13

A woman forced to flee martial law as a child returns from exile to face the ghosts she left behind.

P: Muchachos Bravos Filmworks
D: Briccio Santos
ST: Jorge Amado
A: Alessandra De Rossi, Luis Alandy
E: Anil Rao



Promotional poster of *Foster Child*.
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<http://www.clickthecity.com/img2/articles/CTC-2085-image4.jpg>

LIGAW LIHAM

Digital Drama/1:30/PG

When the post office in a remote town closes down, Nor disguises himself as Karen's husband who sends her letters from overseas. The exchange leads him to fall in love with her even more.

P: Cinemalaya Foundation, Philippine Independent Filmmakers Multi-Purpose Cooperative
D: Jay Abello, Manny Montelibano
ST: Jay Abello
SP: Jet Orbida, Checcs Osmeña, Jade Snow
A: John Michael Lee, George Macainan, Clarissa Deles, John Arceo, Karylle, Dingdong Dantes, Joy Geduyon, Ivy Amor Nabos, Ameejan



Promotional poster of *Ligaw Liham*. Retrieved February 19, 2009 from http://www.philippinecinemashowcase.org/images/thumbs/Ligaw_Liham.jpg

Dizonon, Trixia Marie Yap,
Louie Zahaljauregi,
Rodolfo Paclibar, Jr.,
Dennis Ascalon, Vanya
Castor, Arianne Castor,
Charito Ferrer-Motus,
Marjorie Militar, Kimmy
Maclang, Gabriel Motus
PD: Emilio G. Montelibano, Jr.
DOP: Carlo Mendoza
E: Kats Serrano
M: Joaquin Acosta, Nani
Nuguit
S: Raffy Magsaysay

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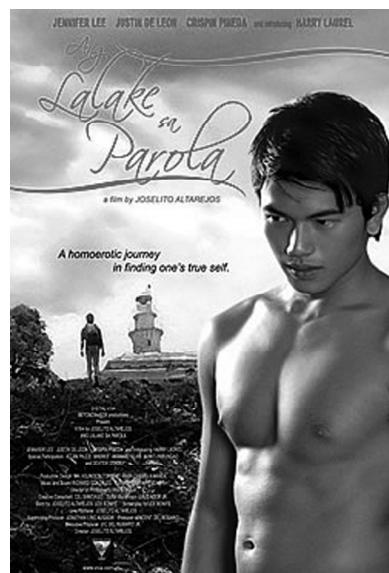
ANG LALAKE SA PAROLA

Digital Drama/1:30/R

A man's journey to find a distant loved one leads him to a path towards self-discovery.

P: Digital Viva
D: Joselito Altarejos
ST: Joselito Altarejos, Lex Bonife

A: Harry Laurel, Jennifer Lee, Justin De Leon, Crispin Pineda, Allan Paule, Sheree, Richard Quan, Monti Parungao, Dexter Doria, Micol Manansala, Luisa Marasigan, Adela Ferrer, Wilma Lusanta, Sean Michael Valera, Mariel Valera, Arman Enriquez, Tita Lee, Arvin Reyes, Emmanuel Garcellano, Dindo Flores, Myrna Cruz, May-I Fabros, Lex Bonife, Anna Liao, Benjie Hilado, Xeno Alejandro,
PD: Anna Carmela Manda, Ma. Asuncion Torres
DOP: Arvin Viola
E: Sherwin Pescasio
M/S: Richard Gonzales



Promotional poster of *Ang Lalaki Sa Parola*. Retrieved February 8, 2009 from <http://manila.metblogs.com/archives/images/2007/09/poster.jpg>

28**GULONG**

Digital Drama/1:00/G
*Reminiscent of Italy's **The Bicycle Thief**, this film revolves around three boys, an old bicycle, and a summer they will never forget.*

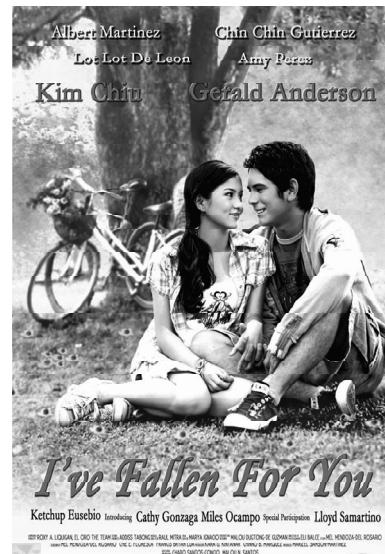
P: Cinemalaya Foundation, Philippine Independent Filmmakers Multi-Purpose Cooperative
D/ST: Sockie Fernandez
SP: Jeanne Lim
A: Tricia Amper, Robert Arevalo, Jopet Concordia, Ina Feleo, Steven Fermo, Igi Boy Flores, Antoinette Garcia, Odette Khan, Joshua Medina, Barbara Perez, Ed Sicam, Gary Valenciano, Gardo Versoza,
PD: Ed Cruz, Aped Santos
DOP: Lee Melly
E: Billy De Leon
M: Geri Gil

28**I'VE FALLEN FOR YOU**

Romance/1:40/G
A young couple's blossoming romance is threatened by their parents' past.

P: Star Cinema, ABS-CBN Film Productions
D: Lino Cayetano
T: Mel Mendoza-Del Rosario
SP: Mel Mendoza-Del Rosario, Che E. Florescam Francis Bryan Lua
A: Kim Chiu, Gerald Anderson, Lotlot De Leon, Ketchup Eusebio, Alex Gonzaga, Chin Chin Gutierrez, Albert Martinez, Miles Ocampo, Amy Perez, Lloyd Samartino

PD: Malou Dugtong-De Guzman
DOP: Eli Balce
E: Marya Ignacio
M: Raul Mitra
S: Addis Tabong



Ketchup Eusebio Introducing Cathy Gonzaga Miles Ocampo Special Participants Lloyd Samartino
Directed by Lino S. Cayetano
Promotional poster of ***I've Fallen For You***. Retrieved November 20, 2008 from <http://i93.photobucket.com/albums/l62/gsm228/IveFallen4U/iffy-official-poster.jpg>

1**October****PITONG TAGPO**

Various Shorts, Drama/1:55/PG13
This film depicts seven unrelated stories of ordinary people whose lives reflect a common universal theme.

P: Creative Futures
D/ST: Rahyan Carlos
A: Diether Ocampo, Cherry Pie Picache, Krystal Reyes, Bembol Roco,

Karylle, Isay Alvarez,
Maybelline Dela Cruz,
Vaness del Moral, Steven
Fermo, Sheena Halili,
Jenny Jamora, Vangie
Labalan, Jake
Macapagal, Ritchie
Macapagal, Coco Martin,
Crispin Pineda, LJ Reyes,
Robert Sena

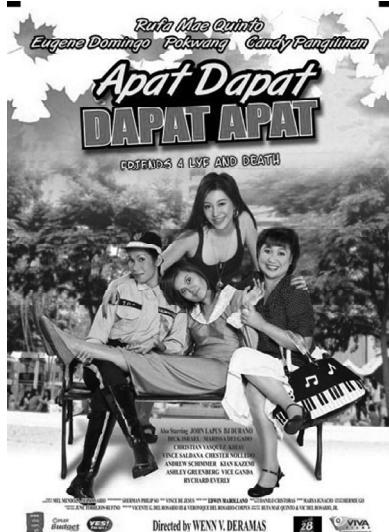
3 TUKSO
Digital Drama/1:15/PG
An investigation involving people close to the murder victim reveals how the victim's life and death have affected them.
P: Cinemalaya Foundation,
Philippine Independent
Filmmakers Multi-
Purpose Cooperative
D: Dennis Marasigan
ST/SP: Dennis Marasigan, Mara
Paulina Marasigan, Nikki
Torres
A: Irma Adlawan, Noni
Buencamino, Shamaine
Buencamino, Miles
Canapi, Soliman Cruz,
Ricky Davao, Ronnie
Lazaro, Sid Lucero, Diana
Malahay, Ping Medina,
Paolo O'Hara, Bing
Pimentel
PD: Bianca Gonzales Dadivas
DOP/E/S: Mo Zee
M: Vincent De Jesus

DAGYANG: AN ILONGGO STORY

Digital Drama/1:29/PG
Touted as "the first full-length Ilonggo movie", this film presents a story of love and passion.
P: Mowelfund Film Institute,
D/ST: Joenar Pueblo
A: Julianne Baronda, Erwin
Chiongson, Joanne
Paulette Libo-on, Edward
Divinagracia, Geoffrey
Ore, Eloize Suzanne
Pueblo, Rleone Gerochi.
PD: Alan Cabalfin, Dimas
Esmilla
C: Rhodora Solis, Leanne
Salas, Wilfred Galila
E: Vincent Angelo Gefes,
Rhodora Solis and
Leanne Salas
S: Russel Te

10 APAT DAPAT, DAPAT APAT

Comedy/1:45/G
Four close friends work as domestic helpers in Hong Kong. However, one of them dies from abuse by her employer. Scared of what could happen if their friend's husband finds out about her death, the three remaining women attempt to resurrect her with their uncanny yet comic tricks.
P: Viva Entertainment
D: Wenn V. Deramas
ST: Mel Mendoza-Del Rosario
SP: Mel Mendoza-Del
Rosario, Arlene Tamayo
A: Rufa Mae Quinto, Candy
Pangilinan, Pokwang,
Eugene Domingo, John
Lapuz, Deejay Durano,
Dick Israel, Marissa
Delgado, Christian
Vasquez, Ashley



Promotional poster of *Apat Dapat, Dapat Apat*. Retrieved November 20, 2008 from <http://img258.imageshack.us/img258/9906/posterpp7.jpg>

Gruenberg, Chester
Nolledo, Andrew
Schimmer, Vince
Saldaña, Kiray Celis, Emil
Sandoval, Reychar
Everley, Kian Kazemi, Vice
Ganda, Madam Auring,
Kaye Villaseñor, Nicole
Dulalia

PD: Danny Cristobas
C: Sherman So
E: Marya Ignacio
M: Vincent De Jesus
S: Angie Reyes

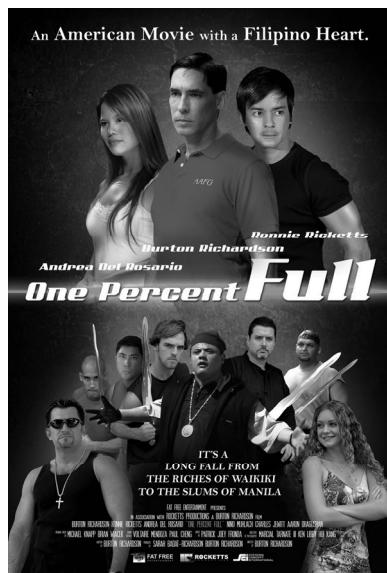
Promotional poster of *One Percent Full*. Retrieved November 20, 2008 from http://bp3.blogspot.com/_rufwlUd37k/RuhJYmkbAll/AAAAAAAANY/RCNpiy-DJBw/s1600-h/final-poster.jpg

ONE PERCENT FULL

Action Comedy/1:43/G

Frank Hopkins is a wealthy American who goes to Manila on a business trip and gets entangled in a nasty business deal. His bodyguard helps him resolve this unexpected mess.

P: Rocketts Productions, Fat Free Entertainment
D/ST/SP: Burton Richardson
A: Burton Richardson, Ronnie Ricketts, Andrea Del Rosario, Niño Muhlach, Charles Jewitt, Aaron Dragushan, Levi Bussanich, David Giomi, Nolan Hong, Jarlo Ilano, Scott Ishihara
DOP: Hui Kang, Ken Libby, Marcial Tarnate III
E: Patrick Joey Fronda
M: Michael Knapp, Brian Wicek
S: Voltaire Mendoza, Paul Cheng



ROXXXANNE

Digital Drama/1:30/Unrated
This movie is about sex videos stored in a mobile phone.

P: Octobertrain Films
D/ST: Jun Lana
A: Sheree, Jay Aquitania, Janvier Daily, Elizabeth Oropesa, Bodjie Pascua, Hanni Miller, Mel Martinez, Jeffrey Tan, Lao Rodriguez, Xeno Alejandro, Buddy Caramat, Eva Dulay, Jason Terry, Apol Nuevas, Anne Garcia, Mhalouh Crisologo, Joel Ortega, Ricky Caro, Ian Duarte, Joseph Rapal, Jhonatan Santos, Aron Cruz, Caloy Locsin
PD: Joel Quilang
DOP: Mo Zee
E: John Wong
M: Richard Gonzales

STILL LIFE

Digital Drama/1:47/PG
A woman becomes a sick artist's reason to continue fighting for life.
P: Cinemalaya Foundation, Philippine Independent Filmmakers Multi-Purpose Cooperative
D/ST/SP: Maria Katrina Flores
A: Ron Capinding, Glaiza De Castro, Irma Adlawan, Morny De Guzman, Joseph Dela Cruz, Alcris Galura, Dimples Romana
PD: Cris Silva
C: Dan Villegas
E: Maui Mauricio
M: Wincy Ong
S: Maria Katrina Flores, Joey Santos

10 HIDE AND SEEK

Horror/1:43/PG
A family moves into an isolated house, only to be haunted by a malevolent spirit.
P: Regal Entertainment
D: Rahyan Carlos
ST: Roselle Monteverde-Teo, Gina Marissa Tagasa-Gil
SP: Gina Marissa Tagasa-Gil
A: Eric Quizon, Jean Garcia, Jennica Garcia, Mart Escudero, Alessandra De Rossi, Ryan Eigenmann, Julijo Pisk, Angel Sy, Rubirubi, Valeen Montenegro
PD: Edgar Martin Littaua, Vic Villavicencio II
C: Eli Balce, Luis Quirino
E: CJ Piol
M: Von De Guzman
S: Arnold Reodica

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ATAUL FOR RENT
Drama/1:34/R13
A couple earns a living by renting coffins to their destitute and desperate neighbors in the slums.
P: Artiste Entertainment Works
D/SP: Neal "Buboy" Tan
ST: Anthony Gedang
A: Joel Torre, Jaclyn Jose, Ronnie Lazaro, Pen Medina, Irma Adlawan, Noni Buencamino, Coco Martin, Irish Contreras, Tita Swarding, Ramon Zamora, Aleera Montalla, Denver Olivarez, Jet Alcantara, Cheryl Ramos, Jimmy Concepcion, Ina Alegre, Susan Corpuz,

Jack Gamboa, Betong,
 Pipoy, Jr., Alex
 Montenegro,
 PD: Willy Urbino
 C: Renato De Vera
 E: Rocky Ko
 M: Nonong Buencamino
 S: Patrick Fronda

14 ONE MORE CHANCE
 Romance/1:54/PG
An engaged couple goes through a bitter break-up only to rediscover themselves and the love they thought they had already lost.

P: Star Cinema, ABS-CBN
 Film Productions
 D: Cathy Garcia-Molina
 ST/SP: Vanessa Valdez, Carmi Raymundo
 A: John Lloyd Cruz, Bea Alonzo, Derek Ramsay, Maja Salvador, Dimples Romana, James Blanco, Janus Del Prado, Ahron Villena, Beatriz Saw, Nikki Gil, Nanette Inventor, Denise Joaquin, Al Tantay, Melissa Mendez, Shamaine Buencamino, Bodjie Pascua, Robert Woods, Lauren Young, Jodell Stasic, Janel Dangcalan, Dorcas Gazelle Canlas, Malaya Lewandowski, Panying Limon
 PD: Elfren Vibar
 DOP: Manuel Teehankee
 E: Marya Ignacio
 M: Jessie Lasaten
 S: Addis Tabong



Promotional poster of *Pain Things*.
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PAIN THINGS
 Digital Drama/1:00/R
A heart-broken artist gets seduced by a woman involved with the subject of his documentary.

P: Bernice Ilagan, Manie Magbanua Jr., Francis Magalona, Carol Bunuan Red
 D/ST: Jon Red
 A: Christian Vasquez, Michael De Mesa, Diana Malahay, Cheryl Ramos, Paolo Villaluna
 PD: Danny Red
 C: Ogi Sugatan
 E/S: Manie Magbanua, Jr.
 M: Bong Rosario, Otto Hernandez

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INA, ANAK, PAMILYA

Drama/2:31/G

A documentary-feature film about overseas Filipino workers and their families.

P: Morning Star Productions
D/ST: Jenny Pearl Bautista
A: Eula Valdez, Joel Torre,
Miguel Aguila, Angel Aquino, Jade Lopez, Brian Marasigan, Lance Oñate

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GREEN PARADISE

Sex Drama/1:35/R

A farm girl gets involved with a city-dweller whom her father believes could help them escape from poverty.

P: New City Entertainment
D: Kant Leung, Esmeraldo Santos
ST/SP: Dinno Erece
A: Cristine Reyes, Andrew Schimmer, Kris Martinez, Joel Torre, Rio Locsin, Juan Rodrigo, Jiro Manio, Charee Pineda, Raffy Anido, Justin De Leon, Paolo Serrano, Raja Montero, Vanessa Baisa, Randy Ronquillo
PD: Metchie Balicao, Randy Dela Rea, Rey Dela Rea, Rossman Dela Rea, Ding Durango, Randy Ronquillo
C: Romulo Araojo
E: Juancho Gloriani
M: Kiko Ortega
S: Ruel Geslani

ANIMAHENASYON

This festival is a showcase of original animation films produced by aspiring and professional Filipino animators.

There were 37 entries for the professional division which are, for Category A (1-5 minutes): *"Pandepinoy" Teaser Trailer; Godspeed; Putek!; Fiesta 2052; End of Part 11; Poring Glory; May Lakad; PMS; One Minute Death; Goner; Row Our Boat; Sketch of War; and Red Balloon*, for Category B (6-20 minutes): *Assorted Nuts! Episode 6; Funfair Mayhem; Inday Wanda; Kariton; The Forgotten Legacy; Barter of Panay"; Left Turn; Building Diamonds; Si Silang at ang Haring Ibon; and Libingan*, for Category E (Music Video): *Alkohol; Parapap; Dream Systems; En El Baño Con Frida; WWIII; Sweet Cheeks ("E"); Tumatakbo; and Tuparin Nating ang Banta ng Ating Panahon*, for Category F (Title Sequences, Publicity, and Information, Demo Reel): *"Art Jam" OBB; "Bitemark Animation Studios" Demo Reel; Stop the Killings; A Day in the Life of Gloria Arrovo; "Imperialist's Puppet" (Part I: Expanded Value Added Tax); "Lips" TVC; and "Siopawman" Teaser*. No entries were received for Categories C (21-60 minutes), D (Full-animated Feature), and G (TV Series).

There were 64 entries for the Student/Amateur Division which are, for Category H (1-5 minutes): *Magbaroto: Take 1; A Dog's Tale; Double Trouble; Akeyah; Homebond; Berg; Last Haven; The Last Bloom; The Legend of*

Tibud: The Journey Begins; Doodle of Doom; Pinish Product; Reprogress 1.5; Kalapit-Bahay; When Only Blood Will Fill Your Heart; A Dull Story; Call of Nature; Karaniwang Tae; Kokie; Swok, The Sidewalk Story; The Golden Tooth; Night Shift; Si Diego at ang Halimaw Dagat; and Goat It, for Category I (6-20 minutes); *The Tear Stealer; Sinta's Wish; Afterbirth; The 3R's; Lola Pia; My Pet; Makina ng Manggagawa; Ang Paglikha; and Patik*, for Category J (Music Video); *Yeah; Babae Po Ako; Bad; Go the Distance; Pop; The Spider and the Fly; Over the Rainbow; Si Filemon; Makulay ang Buhay; Same Ground; and I Believe I Can Fly*, and for Category K (Title Sequences, Publicity, and Information, Demo Reel); *Mutationpermutation; Tech Gen (Y4IT 2007 National Youth Congress in Information Technology) OBB; "ADAAF 2006" OBB; "Mongo!" TVC; "Crayola" TVC; "Adidas" TVC; "Nike" TVC; "DHL" TVC; "FedEx" TVC; "Coca-Cola" TVC; "Yellowcab" TVC; "Purina" TVC; "Game Boy Micro" TVC; "Sony Bravia" TVC; "Sony Ericsson W900i" TVC; "Apple Macbook" TVC; "Power Mac G5" TVC; "Logitech" TVC; "Toyota Yaris 2006" TVC; "Lexus RX 300" TVC; and "Greenmind" Demo Reel.*

Exhibition films are *I Am the Superhero; Please Don't Touch My Birdie; Sige, Yosi Pa; Dok; Happy Dream; Unang Araw; The Jerk; A Short Message; Flower Trail; Ulan; Pawn; Ziga; The Monkey and the Turtle; Positive*

for Negative; and the teasers of "Jobert", "Just-Tiis" League, and "Dayo".

28 PASUKOB

Comedy/1:35/G
A parody of the hit horror-suspense film *Sukob* (2006), with elements of the TV show *Kampanerang Kuba*, this movie is about two orphaned sisters separated from birth, who later experience contrasting fates, as both try to find their real identities. Hilarious twists happen, as their paths cross during their search for their mother.

P: Octoarts Films
D: Wenn V. Deramas
ST/SP: Mel Mendoza-Del Rosario
A: Ai-Ai De las Alas, Rufa Mae Quinto, Allan K., Antonio Aquitania, Deejay Durano, Eugene Domingo, Rhap Salazar, Paul Salas, Joshua Cadelina, Nel Rapiz, Robert Woods, Bodie Cruz, John Lapuz, Chokoleit, Mahal, Debraliz, Andrew Schimmer, Lilia Cuntapay, Jim Salas, James Salas
PD: Danny Cristobas
DOP: Sherman So
E: Marya Ignacio
M: Vincent De Jesus
S: Lamberto Casas, Jr.

29 DEATH IN THE LAND OF ENCANTOS

Digital Drama/9:00/
Unrated
A Filipino poet from Russia returns to the Philippines and rekindles

long-lost relationships in the midst of a devastated landscape.

P: Sine Olivia, Hubert Bals Fund
D/ST/C/E/M: Lav Diaz
A: Roeder, Kalila Aguilos, Sophia Aves, Angeli Bayani, Gemma Cuenca, Perry Dizon, Dante Perez
PD: Lav Diaz, Dante Perez
S: Laurel Lee Peñaranda, George Vibar

Kristalyn Engle, Anna Faybyshev
PD: Fritz Silorio
DOP: Luis Quirino
E: Maisa Demetillo, Rico Maria Ilarde
M: Malek Lopez

CONFESSİONAL

Digital Comedy/1:30/PG13
A frustrated filmmaker becomes the confidant of an ex-politician whose claims may not be real at all.

P: Cinema One
D: Ruel Dahis Antipuesto, Jerrold Tarog
ST/E/S: Jerrold Tarog
A: Publio Briones III, Jerrold Tarog, Greg Fernandez, Donna Gimeno, Owee Salva, Paola Aseron, Jude Bacalso, Bambi Beltran, Archie Modequillo, Jai Rabin, Ruel Rigor
DOP: Ruel Dahis Antipuesto
M: Donna Gimeno, Jerrold Tarog

MONA: SINGAPORE ESCORT

Drama/1:45/PG

Hoping to emancipate her family from poverty, single mom Mona accepts a job as a chambermaid in Singapore only to realize that she has been victimized by traffickers. Her story reflects the plight of Filipino trafficked women.

P: Bandit Films; Outline Digital Films
D: Jowee Morel
ST/SP: Pete Daza
A: Iza Calzado, Mia Ayesa, Liza Diño, Miguel Faustmann, Jake Macapagal, Brad Murdoch

ALTAR

Digital Horror/1:30/PG13
As he tries to rebuild his life as a carpenter, a former boxer confronts the lurking evil forces in the house where he works.

P: Cinema One
D/ST: Rico Maria Ilarde
SP: Mammu Chua
A: Zanjoe Marudo, Nor Domingo, Dimples Romana, Dido Dela Paz,

MALING AKALA

Digital Drama/1:07/PG
A gay outlaw and a single mom meet and forge a bittersweet yet spurious relationship.

P: Cinema One
D: Pablo Bing-awa, Veronica Velasco
ST: Veronica Velasco
A: Jodi Sta. Maria, Victor Basa, Jess Everdon, Roselyn Perez, Mel Martinez
PD: Baba Velasco, Vilma Velasco

C: Larry Manda
E: Danny Anonuevo, Lester Olayer
M: Danny Gil
S: Albert Michael Idioma

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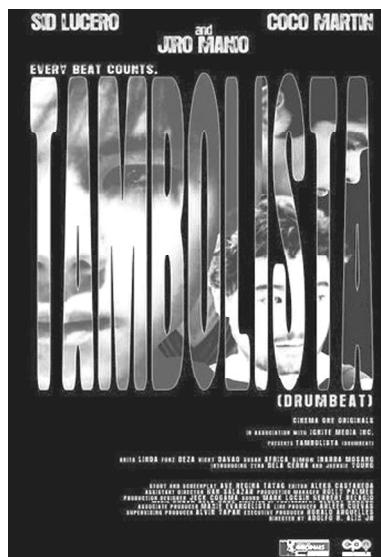
Digital Drama/1:30/G
A moving story of how a child copes with being parentless. It also associates obesity to being alone and longing for a loved one.
P: Cinema One
D: Lawrence Fajardo
ST: Veronica Velasco
A: Romnick Sarmenta, Katrina Michelle Legaspi, Archie Adamos, Shamaine Buencamino, Ermie Concepcion, Christa Joi Reyes

TAMBOLISTA

Digital Drama/1:30/R18
Two struggling brothers with separate dreams find themselves engulfed in betrayal and violence.
P: Cinema One
D: Adolfo Alix, Jr.
ST: Regina Tayag
A: Jiro Manio, Sid Lucero, Coco Martin, Anita Linda, Fonz Deza, Ricky Davao, Susan Africa, Simon Ibarra, Mosang
PD: Jhek Cogama
DOP: Albert Banzon
E: Aleks Castañeda
M: Khavn Dela Cruz
S: Mark Locsin

3 December TIRADOR

Digital Drama/1:26/Unrated
Three characters struggle to survive in a dog-eat-dog Manila.
P: Centerstage
D: Brillante Mendoza
ST: Ralston Jover
A: Coco Martin, Nathan Lopez, Kristoffer King, Jiro Manio, Jaclyn Jose, Jean Andrews, Julio Diaz, Benjamin Fileo, Harold Montano, Angela Ruiz
PD: Harley Alcasid, Deans Habal
DOP: Jeffrey Dela Cruz, Brillante Mendoza, Gary Tria, Julius Villanueva
E: Charliebebs Gohetia
M: Teresa Barrozo
S: Ditoy Aguilera, Junel Valencia

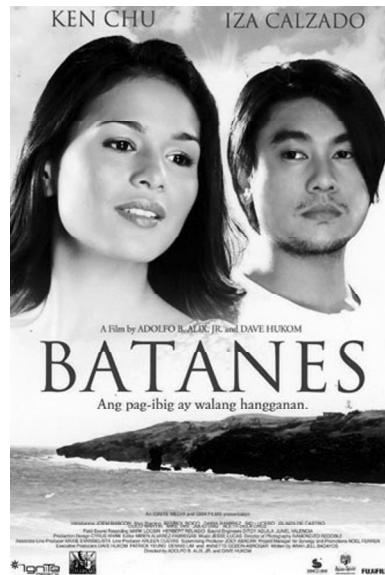


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5 BATANES

Romance/1:40/PG
With scenic Batanes as backdrop, this film is about a woman's journey to rediscover herself and her capacity to love.

P: GMA Films
D: Adolfo Alix, Jr., John David Hukom
ST/SP: Arah Badayos
A: Iza Calzado, Ken Zhu, Joem Bascon, Glaiza De Castro, Julio Diaz, Sid Lucero, Coco Martin, Daria Ramirez, Bembol Roco, Mike Tan, Cyrus Khan
C: Ramoncito Redoble
E: Miren Fabregas
M: Jesse Lucas
S: Ditoy Aguilal
TS: Jolina Magdangal
OTS: Noel Cabangon



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28 SIKIL

Digital Drama/1:49/R18
Three people face the dilemma of choosing friendship over love...or love over friendship.

P: New Life Cinema
D: Roni Bertubin
ST: Romualdo Avellanosa
A: Ken Escudero, Will Sandejas, Ashley Silverio, Justine Plummer, Reynald Russel Santos, Angelina Plummer, Sylvia Sanchez, Dido Dela Paz, Ernie Garcia, Anita Linda, Joy Viado, Sophia Valdez, AJ Gustillo, Ethan Javier, Corinne Concepcion, Rocky Martinez, Robert Delgado, Marty Mendoza,

Ed Ramos, Herlie Cabreta, Grace Villablanca, Donineek Almoete, Anthony Hernandez, Dodie Roman, Elezer Avila, Rico Lazaro, Denver Chua, Gary Boy Gano, Richard Guebar, Jazz Garcia, Ron Solis, Jaybee Cepede, Oligar Cavetinio, Andrew Morgan, Harold Montano, Marvin Ignacio
PD: Tony Chiong
C: Gary Gardoce
E: Lee Mi Soon
M: Robert Delgado
S: Allan Hilado
TS/OTS: Ron Jancen Solis

NARS

Digital Drama/1:20/PG

Filipino nurses pursue different courses that could help them achieve their dreams.

P: Carl and Carl Productions
D: Adolfo Alix, Jr.
ST: Carl Balita
SP: Agnes De Guzman
A: Jon Avila, Herlene Bautista, Joseph Bitangcol, Jeffrey Hidalgo, Agot Isidro, Jaclyn Jose, Bianca King, Kristoffer King, Jay Manalo, Coco Martin, Jennylyn Mercado, Allan Paule, Jodi Sta. Maria, Beth Tamayo, Andrew Wolfe
E: Aleks Castañeda

TATLONG ARAW NG KADILIMAN

Digital Horror/1:30/R

Three women suffer the Armageddon. In the midst of harrowing damnation, they decide to either seek salvation or fulfill carnal desires.

P: Filmless Films, Khavn Dela Cruz
D/ST/M: Khavn Dela Cruz
SP: Aloy Adlawan
A: Katya Santos, Gwen Garci, Precious Adona, Bugz Daigo, Richard Joson
PD: Jhek Cogama
C: Albert Banzon
E: Lawrence Ang
S: Corinne De San Jose

VHAGETZ

Drama/1:10/PG

A story about the lives of three adolescent gays, as they define what their friendship means to them.

P: Sunflower Films
D/ST: Joven Tan
A: Alec Romano, Edcel Villanueva, EJ Jallorina, Mon Confiado, Cris Daluz, Dexter Doria, Jordan Herrera, Richard Quan
C: Romy Vitug

SELSA**23** Drama/2:20/R18

An ex-convict struggles to confront his sexuality as he tries to recover from a tainted life.

P: Starview Productions
D: Ellen Ramos, Paolo Villaluna, Leo Dominguez
SP: Leo Dominguez, Ellen Ramos
A: Ara Mina, Sid Lucero, Emilio Garcia, Soliman Cruz, Michael De Mesa, Ping Medina, Allan Paule, Madeleine Red, Odyssey Flores
TS: Pike Ramirez, Veena Ramirez
OTS: Paolo Villaluna, Pike Ramirez

BAHAY KUBO**25** Drama/1:70/G

A devoted mother and wife face the challenge of raising her adopted and biological children whose lives changed when their father abandoned them.

P: Regal Entertainment
D: Joel Lamangan



Main cast of the movie **Bahay Kubo**.
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ST: Lily Y. Monteverde, RJ
Nuevas, Suzette
Doctolero
SP: RJ Nuevas, Suzette
Doctolero
A: Maricel Soriano, Eric
Quizon, Marian Rivera,
Shaina Magdayao,
Yasmien Kurdi, Gloria
Romero, Eugene
Domingo, Mark Herras,
Jiro Manio, Rayver Cruz,
Bearwin Meily, Mhalouh
Crisologo, Isabella De
Leon, Rita Iringan, Sam
Bumatay, Anita Linda,
Karla Estrada, Irma
Adlawan, John Apacible,
Krista Valle, Gabb Drilon,
Angelo Patrimonio, AJ
Perez, Mark Barillo, Mark
Corpuz, Simon Ibarra,
Richard Quan, Dante
Javier, Minnie Aguilar,
Josie Tagle, Pretty Trizsa,
EJ Jallorina, Jet Paz
PD: Edgar Martin Littaua
DOP: Charlie Peralta
E: Marya Ignacio
M: Vonn De Guzman
S: Arnold Reodica

ENTENG KABISOTE 4 – OKAY KA FAIRY KO... THE BEGINNING OF A LEGEND

Fantasy-Comedy-Adventure/
1:49/G

The fourth of a series of Enteng Kabisote flicks, this narrates the period when Enteng Kabisote loses his memory to the maneuverings of a wicked prince who is his nemesis in winning the affection of Faye, the princess with magical powers.

P: Octoarts Films; M-Zet
D: Tony Y. Reyes
ST/SP: Bibeth Orteza, Tony Y.
Reyes
A: Vic Sotto, Kristine
Hermosa, Carlos Agassi,
Ian De Leon, Joey De
Leon, Michael De Mesa,
Peque Gallaga, Eunice
Lagusad, Jose Manalo,
Candy Pangilinan, Eliza
Pineda, Francine Prieto,
Mikylla Ramirez, Cristine
Reyes, Ruby Rodriguez,
Caridad Sanchez, Aiza
Seguerra, Arthur Solinap,
Charito Solis, Oyo Boy
Sotto, Tita Swarding,
Giselle Toengi, Ian
Veneracion, Jomari
Yllana
PD: Mitoy Sta. Ana
DOP: Gary Gardoce
E: Renewin Alano
M: Michael Alba
S: Addis Tabong

KATAS NG SAUDI

Drama/1:40/G

After a decade of drilling oil in Saudi Arabia, an overseas Filipino worker (OFW) returns to the Philippines and is faced with the dilemma of re-establishing familial ties.

P: Maverick Films
D/ST/SP: Jose Javier Reyes
A: Jinggoy Estrada, Lorna Tolentino, Bayani Agbayani, Rayver Cruz, Sharon Cuneta, Ricky Davao, Eugene Domingo, Julian Estrada, Dick Israel, Liza Lorena, Shaina Magdayao, Aaron Villaflor
C: Lito Mempin
E: Renewin Alano
M: Jesse Lucas
TS/OTS: Davey Langit

RESIKLO

Fantasy Action Adventure/1:50/G
Threatened by aliens that invaded the planet, survivors in the Philippines led by a former military officer defend themselves and the country by creating robots out of used machines and other waste.

P: Imus Productions
D/ST/SP: Mark A. Reyes
A: Ramon Revilla, Jr., Dingdong Dantes, Jennylyn Mercado, Michelle Madrigal, Paolo Contis, Benjie Paras, Roi Vinzon, Bobby Andrews, Mylene Dizon, Luis Alandy, Ella Cruz, Jairus Aquino, Barbie Sabino, Empress Schuck, Bryan Revilla,



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Jolo Revilla, Andrew Schimmer, TJ Trinidad, Chinggoy Alonzo, Cloyd Robinson, King Gutierrez, Ram Revilla

PD: Rodell Cruz
DOP: Jay Linao
E: Aleks Castañeda, Jay Halili
M: Arnold Buena, Allan Feliciano
S: Ditoy Aguila, Junel Valencia

SAKAL, SAKALI, SAKLOLO

Comedy/1:49/PG

A young married couple try to raise a child while dealing with in-laws, aging parents, and keeping romance alive.

P: Star Cinema, ABS-CBN
 Film Productions
 D/ST/SP: Jose Javier Reyes
 A: Judy Ann Santos, Ryan Agoncillo, Gina Pareño, Gloria Diaz, Ariel Ureta, Soliman Cruz, Dominic Ochoa, Kat Alano, Robin Da Roza, Gerard Pizzaras, Ricky Davao, Tuesday Vargas, Derek Ramsay, Lui Villaruz, Ketchup Eusebio, Juliana Palermo, Hans Montenegro, Freddie Webb, Cacai Bautista, Cheena, AJ Perez, Timothy Chan, Carlo Balmaceda, Manny Castañeda
 PD: Nancy Arcega
 C: Rodolfo Aves Jr.
 E: Vito Cajili
 TS: Yeng Constantino
 OTS: Annabelle Borja, Rolando Borja

"Bangungot": Roselle

Monteverde-Teo, Mike Tuviera, Venjie Pellenas, Fairlane Raymundo

"Engkanto": Roselle Monteverde-Teo, Andrew Paredes

SP: "Christmas Tree": Enzo Valdez, Fairlane

Raymundo, Paul Daza
 "Bangungot": Venjie Pellenas, Fairlane

Raymundo

"Engkanto": Andrew Paredes

A: John Prats, Gina Alajar, Boots Anson-Roa, Tonton Gutierrez, John Lapuz,

Nash Aguas, Sophia Baars, Lovi Poe, Dennis Trillo, Pauleen Luna, Roxanne Guinoo,

Jaymee Joaquin, Jayson Gainza, Andrea Torres, Eugene Domingo, Ernie Zarate, Barbie Forteza,

Anna Tablizo, Niña Sacdalan, Ed Murillo, Katrina Halili, Matt Evans,

Melissa Ricks, Mart Escudero, Jewel Mische, Sam Concepcion, Felix Roco, Jojo Alejar,

Nanding Josef, Hector Macaso, Carme Sanchez

PD: Raymund George

Fernandez, Dante Nico

Garcia, Edgar Martin

Littaua, Mark Sabas

DOP: Eli Balce, Luis Quirino

E: Ria De Guzman, Joseph Samala, Mike Tuviera

M: Von De Guzman

S: Bebet Cases, Arnold Reodica

SHAKE, RATTLE AND ROLL 9

Horror/2:10/G

This trilogy is about wicked forest spirits (engkanto), a human-eating Christmas tree, and nightmares (bangungot).

P: Regal Entertainment
 D: Paul Daza, Topel Lee, Mike Tuviera
 ST: "Christmas Tree": Enzo Valdez, Fairlane Raymundo, Paul Daza

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