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## 'The Devil Wears Prada 2' Tops Weekend Box Office Over 'Mortal Kombat 2'

### Description

The Devil Wears Prada 2 did very well at the box office in the US. It made \$43 million in its second weekend. Mortal Kombat 2 was close behind, earning \$40 million in its first weekend.

The success of The Devil Wears Prada 2 is important for its distributor, 20th Century Studios. This film is their first major hit since December. The film has made a total of \$433.2 million worldwide, with \$100 million spent to make it. In contrast, Mortal Kombat 2 made only \$63 million worldwide.

The third best film this weekend was Michael, which earned \$36.5 million in its third week. It is one of the most successful films this year, despite its high budget of \$200 million.

A new film called Obsession will come out next week. It may challenge The Devil Wears Prada 2 for the top spot. Obsession costs only \$1 million to make. It is directed by popular YouTuber Curry Barker, who received great reviews for his previous film.

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### Vocabulary List:

1. **distributor** //dɪ'strɪbjətə// (noun): a company that sends films to cinemas
2. **worldwide** //ˈwɜːld,wɑɪd// (adverb): in many countries around the whole world
3. **budget** //ˈbʌdʒɪt// (noun): the amount of money planned for something
4. **contrast** //ˈkɒntræst// (noun): a difference that shows two things clearly
5. **earning** //ˈɜːnɪŋ// (verb): making money from sales or work
6. **challenge** //ˈtʃælɪndʒ// (verb): try to defeat or compete against someone

### Comprehension Questions

#### Multiple Choice

1. How much did The Devil Wears Prada 2 make in its second weekend?

Option: \$40 million

Option: \$43 million



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Option: \$36.5 million

Option: \$100 million

2. Which film was close behind The Devil Wears Prada 2 in box office earnings?

Option: Michael

Option: Obsession

Option: Mortal Kombat 2

Option: December

3. How much did The Devil Wears Prada 2 cost to make?

Option: \$40 million

Option: \$100 million

Option: \$63 million

Option: \$1 million

4. What is the total worldwide gross of The Devil Wears Prada 2?

Option: \$433.2 million

Option: \$200 million

Option: \$63 million

Option: \$40 million

5. What was the budget for the film Obsession?

Option: \$1 million

Option: \$63 million

Option: \$200 million

Option: \$40 million

6. Which film earned \$36.5 million in its third week?

Option: The Devil Wears Prada 2

Option: Mortal Kombat 2

Option: Michael

Option: Obsession

### True-False

7. The Devil Wears Prada 2 was 20th Century Studios' first major hit since December.

8. Mortal Kombat 2 made more money than The Devil Wears Prada 2.



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9. Michael had a budget of \$200 million and is considered one of the most successful films this year.
  10. Obsession is directed by Curry Barker, who is a well-known musician.
  11. The Devil Wears Prada 2 made a total of \$40 million worldwide.
  12. Obsession is set to come out next week.

### Gap-Fill

13. The Devil Wears Prada 2 made a total of \$433.2 million \_\_\_\_\_ worldwide.
14. Mortal Kombat 2 made only \$63 million \_\_\_\_\_ worldwide.
15. Michael earned \$36.5 million in its \_\_\_\_\_ week.
16. Obsession costs only \$1 million to \_\_\_\_\_.
17. The success of The Devil Wears Prada 2 is important for its \_\_\_\_\_, 20th Century Studios.
18. Obsession may challenge The Devil Wears Prada 2 for the \_\_\_\_\_ spot.

### Answer

**Multiple Choice:** 1. \$43 million 2. Mortal Kombat 2 3. \$100 million 4. \$433.2 million 5. \$1 million 6. Michael  
**True-False:** 7. True 8. False 9. True 10. False 11. False 12. True  
**Gap-Fill:** 13. worldwide 15. third 16. make 17. distributor 18. top

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