

After grossing \$19.5 million at the US box office and \$34.2 million internationally in its fourth weekend of release, The Dark Knight Rises has surpassed the \$800 million mark at the worldwide box office. The movie now sits on a very impressive worldwide cumulative of \$835.4 million, having taken in \$445.3 million internationally and \$390.1 million in the US in total. Many wondered how the movie would be affected by the Colorado shootings, and although earnings have been lower than anticipated -- particularly at late evening screenings -- if The Dark Knight Rises continues to rake it in for another couple of weeks, it should have no problem reaching that \$1 billion mark, joining that other great CBM of 2012, Marvel's The Avengers.

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