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Aniplex of America Announces English Dub and Product Release Details for *ERASED*



ERASED

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Popular Sci-fi Thriller to Receive English Dub and Home Release

SANTA MONICA, CA (July 1, 2016) –Aniplex of America announced today at their Anime Expo® industry panel in Los Angeles their plans to release ***ERASED*** on Blu-ray starting this fall. The sci-fi thriller anime series based on the award-winning manga by Kei Sanbe will be released in two volume sets with Volume 1 scheduled for release on October 18th of this year and Volume 2 on January 24th of next year. Pre-orders for both volumes will begin today on Aniplex of America’s official ***ERASED*** homepage (www.ErasedUSA.com).

Simulcast as part of Aniplex’s winter streaming lineup earlier this year, ***ERASED*** was produced by an all-star staff including director Tomohiko Ito (*Sword Art Online*), character designer Keigo Sasaki (*Blue Exorcist*), composer Yuki Kajiura (*Sword Art Online*, *Fate/Zero*, *Madoka Magica*), and animation studio A-1 Pictures (*Sword Art Online*, *Your lie in April*, *Blue Exorcist*).

Aniplex of America also showed the English dub trailer confirming their cast members. Under the direction of Alex von David (*Sword Art Online*, *KILL la KILL*, *Durarara!!*), the dub will star Ben Diskin (*Sword Art Online II*, *KILL la KILL*) as Satoru Fujinuma, Michelle Ruff (*Sword Art Online II*, *Durarara!!*, *GURREN LAGANN*) as young Satoru, Sara Cravens as Sachiko Fujinuma, Cherami Leigh (*Sword Art Online*, *Magi*) as Airi Katagiri, and Max Mittelman (*Your lie in April*, *Aldnoah.Zero*) as Jun Shiratori.

ERASED Synopsis:

29-year old Satoru Fujinuma is a struggling manga artist who works part time as a pizza delivery man. But he has a secret ability which he names “Revival.” This ability allows Satoru to go back in time to prevent life-threatening incidents from happening. Now a series of tragic incidents are unfolding before Satoru’s eyes and they may change his life forever...

For details on **ERASED**, please visit: www.ErasedUSA.com

ERASED Blu-ray Volume 1 features:



**Art subject to change*

<BD Features>

- Spoken Language: Japanese & English
- Subtitles: English & Spanish
- Aspect Ratio: 16:9 widescreen
- Episodes: Episodes #1-6 (6 episodes)
- Number of Discs: 2 Blu-ray Discs
- Total Run Time: Approx. 150 min.
- Rating: 13UP

<Bonus Contents>

- Trailer Collection
- Textless Opening
- Textless Ending

<Bonus Materials & Package>

- Original Soundtrack 01 (by Yuki Kajiura)
- Original Short Manga by Kei Sanbe
- Deluxe Booklet
- Package Illustrated by Keigo Sasaki (Character Design)

*** Bonus contents and materials are subject to change.*

Product number and UPC bar code

Title	Street Date	SKU #	UPC	SRP	Retail Price
<i>ERASED Blu-ray Volume 1</i>	10/18/2016	AOA-8401	851822006950	\$114.98	\$89.98

ERASED Blu-ray Volume 2 features:



**Art subject to change*

<BD Features>

- Spoken Language: Japanese & English
- Subtitles: English & Spanish
- Aspect Ratio: 16:9 widescreen
- Episodes: Episodes #7-12 (6 episodes)
- Number of Discs: 2 Blu-ray Discs
- Total Run Time: Approx. 150 min.
- Rating: 13UP

<Bonus Contents>

- #11 & #12 Textless Openings
- #12 Textless Ending

<Bonus Materials & Package>

- Original Soundtrack 02 (by Yuki Kajiura)
- Original Short Manga by Kei Sanbe
- Deluxe Booklet
- Package Illustrated by Keigo Sasaki (Character Design)

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Product number and UPC bar code

Title	Street Date	SKU #	UPC	SRP	Retail Price
<i>ERASED Blu-ray Volume 2</i>	1/24/2017	AOA-8402	851822006974	\$114.98	\$89.98

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

STAFF:

Original Works: Kei Sanbe (Serialized in Young Ace Magazine)

Director: Tomohiko Ito

Series Composition: Taku Kishimoto

Character Design: Keigo Sasaki

Music: Yuki Kajiura

Animation Production: A-1 Pictures

Opening Theme Artist: ASIAN KUNG-FU GENERATION

Ending Theme Artist: Sayuri

CAST (Japanese/English):

Satoru Fujinuma: Shinnosuke Mitsushima / Ben Diskin

Young Satoru: Tao Tsuchiya / Michelle Ruff

Kayo Hinazuki: Aoi Yuuki / Stephanie Sheh

Sachiko Fujinuma: Minami Takayama / Sara Cravens

Airi Katagiri: Chinatsu Akasaki / Cherami Leigh

Jun Shiratori (Yuuki): Takahiro Mizushima / Max Mittelman

Gaku Yashiro: Mitsuru Miyamoto / David Collins

Kenya: Yo Taichi / Erica Mendez

Hiromi: Akari Kito / Christine Marie Cabanos

Osamu: Ayaka Nanase / Ryan Bartley

Kazu: Yukitoshi Kikuchi / Bobby Thong

Misato: Hina Kino / Mela Lee

Kayo's mother: Akemi Okamura / Carrie Keranen

(English Script Writer & Director: Alex von David)

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