

# D Company (2021 film)

***D Company*** is a 2021 Indian Hindi language docudrama film, written and directed by Ram Gopal Varma.<sup>[1][2][3]</sup> Produced by Sagar Machanuru of Spark Production.<sup>[4]</sup> The film was theatrically released on March 21, 2021 as a prelude to Ram Gopal Varma's D Company web series, also produced by Spark OTT.<sup>[5]</sup> The web series and film make up the fifth and sixth installments of the *Gangster* franchise. They are unrelated to the original trilogy and *Satya 2*.

## Premise

The film chronicles the events leading to Dawood Ibrahim's rise and subsequent formation of the "D" company - an organized crime syndicate running outside India's borders.

## Cast

- Ashwat Kanth as Dawood Ibrahim
- Shaleen Malhotra as Manya Surve
- Rudr Kanth as Saabir Ibrahim
- Naina Ganguly

## Reception

A critic from *Pinkvilla* opined that "Ram Gopal Varma's directorial is a crashing bore of a gangster flick".<sup>[6]</sup>

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<i><b>D Company</b></i>	
<b>Directed by</b>	<u>Ram Gopal Varma</u>
<b>Written by</b>	Nitin Raikwar (Lyrics)
<b>Screenplay by</b>	Ram Gopal Varma Hareesh M Kotian
<b>Story by</b>	Ram Gopal Varma
<b>Produced by</b>	Sagar Machanuru
<b>Starring</b>	Ashwat Kanth <u>Shaleen Malhotra</u> Rudr Kanth <u>Naina Ganguly</u> Irra Mor <u>Anketa Maharana</u> Mursaleen Qureshi Pranay Dixit Sandeep Bose Abhilash Chaudhary
<b>Cinematography</b>	V. Malhar Bhatt Joshi
<b>Edited by</b>	Pratap Kumar Sanga (Bobby)
<b>Music by</b>	Paul Praveen
<b>Production company</b>	Spark Productions
<b>Distributed by</b>	Spark Productions A Company Production

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<b>Release date</b>	21 March 2021
<b>Running time</b>	90 minutes
<b>Country</b>	India
<b>Language</b>	Hindi

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