

Søren Kragh-Jacobsen, Denmark, 1983
102 min. | DK/Feature



The film that marked Søren Kragh-Jacobsen's move from kiddie and youth movies to mainstream melodrama: John and René are in their twenties, close friends but different enough for René to be nicknamed Thunderbird, while John remains just plain John. John feels irresistibly drawn into Thunderbird's orbit, but René isn't all flash. He actually longs to share John's plainness and quiet calm.

Basic information

Credits

Festivals & awards

Materials

Original title	Isfugle
Danish title	Isfugle
Other titles	Thunderbirds
Director	Søren Kragh-Jacobsen
Screenplay	Søren Kragh-Jacobsen , Hans Hansen
Director of Photography	Dan Laustsen
Editor	Janus Billeskov Jansen
Sound	Jan Juhler , Morten Degnbol , Stig Sparre-Ulrich
Composer	Kenneth Knudsen
Production designer	Palle Nybo Arestrup
Appearances	Peter Hesse Overgaard , Michael Falch , Mette Munk Plum , Rita Angela
Production country	Denmark
Production companies	Metronome Productions
Domestic distribution	Warner & Metronome
Technical info	35 mm, Widescreen, color, Dolby
Danish theatrical release	26.12.1983
Cinemas	Dagmar, Slagelse, Odense, Esbjerg, Randers, Århus, Aalborg, Palads, Bio Lyngby, Næstved Bio, Nykøbing F., Middelfart Bio, Kolding, Holstebro, Hjørring, Hvidovre, Frederikshavn, Assens
TV release	09.03.1988, TV
Find more	Henrik Jul Hansen: Ildfuglen. Levende Billeder 1/1984. Lene Nordin: Isfugle. Kosmorama 167/1984.
Danish rating	Allowed for children over the age of 12

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