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THE EARTH IS FLAT

Henrik Stangerup, Denmark, 1977
 116 min. | DK/Feature



Novelist-filmmaker Henrik Stangerup transplanted a classical Danish satirical comedy to the 17th century Portugese-speaking Brazil, but retained Ludvig Holberg's original story about the university student who returns to his native village to announce that the earth is round and to prove sundry inanities with half-cocked scientific wisdom. A mainly Brazilian cast was given free commedia dell'arte rein.

Basic information

Credits

Music

Materials

Original title	Jorden er flad
Danish title	Jorden er flad
Other titles	A terra é plana
Director	Henrik Stangerup
Screenplay	Henrik Stangerup , Fausto Wolff
Based on	Ludvig Holbergs komedie "Erasmus Montanus" (1731).
Director of Photography	Flemming Arnholm
Editor	Hilde Løchen Trier
Sound	Jacob Trier
Composer	Jurij Moskvitin
Production designer	Erik Böttzauw
Appearance	Fausto Wolff , Wilson Grey , Lucia Mello Kohler , Abel Prazer
Production country	Denmark
Domestic distribution	Dagmar Distribution
Technical info	35 mm, Widescreen, Eastmancolor, Sound
Danish theatrical release	01.02.1977
Cinemas	Grand
Find more	Henrik Stangerup: "Jorden er flad eller Erasmus Montanus. En film af Henrik Stangerup". Gyldendal 1976 (udgave af manuskriptet med artikler af Henrik Stangerup og Erik Böttzauw). Henrik Stangerup: "Mens tid var. Kronik og journalistisk 1961-77". Gyldendal 1978 (s. 186-199 optryk af artiklen i manuskriptudgaven). F.J. Billeskov Jansen: Holberg i Brasilien. Levende Billeder 2/1977. Ebbe Iversen: Jorden er flad. Kosmorama 133/1977.
Danish rating	Allowed for all

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