The 355
3 out of 5 stars
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TRADE

In "The 355", Jessica Chastain is a rogue CIA agent in search of a doomsday device along with 4 other female agents from their country's respective intelligence agencies. "355" is a reference to "Agent 355" a female spy during the American Revolution.

This is a perfectly decent action film. Interesting that it was the first theatrical release of the year. The first 2/3 of the movie was rather slow, but things picked up in the third act. Kinberg's script and direction leaves a little to be desired, though it is certainly better than his rookie film Dark Phoenix. Based off these two films, I can't say whether or not I am a Kinberg fan.

There is some needless exposition in the movie, but what eventually leads me to recommend is the outstanding cast, in particular, Lupita Nyong'o-an actress who brings her 'A' game to anything she does.

Check it out if you are a fan of one of the principal actors. I do hope to see a sequel. Not as bad as most of the critics would lead you to believe.