## Super ticket sales

Marvel Studio's Avi Arad is on a hot streak, having produced six consecutive No. 1 hits at the box office.

*Blade* (1998) Opening **Total ticket** \$17.1 \$70.1 weekend sales *X-Men* (2000) (in millions) \$157.3 \$54.5 *Blade 2* (2002) \$32.5 \$81.7 Spider-Man (2002) \$114.8 \$403 Daredevil (2003) **S45** \$102.2 *X2: X-Men United* (2003) \$200.31 \$85.6 1 – Still in theaters

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