

The Frankenpheme in Popular Culture : Fiction, Drama, Film, Television

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Frankenpheme

- Timothy Morton
- phonemes + graphemes
- elements of culture that are derived from “Frankenstein”
- retellings and parodies
- popular fiction, drama, film, and television

Speech in parliament by George Canning

-In dealing with the negro, Sir, we must remember that we are dealing with a being possessing the form and strength of a man, but the intellect only of a child.....
-would be to raise up a creature resembling **the splendid fiction of a recent romance**; the hero of which constructs a human form, with all the corporeal capabilities of man, and with the thews and sinews of a giant.....

- being unable to impart to the work of his hands a perception of right and wrong, he finds too late that he has only created a more than mortal power of doing mischief, and himself recoils from the monster which he has made.



frankenstein

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[Frankenstein - Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia](#) - [[翻譯此頁](#)]

[Frankenstein](#); or, the Modern Prometheus, generally known as [Frankenstein](#), is a novel written by the British author Mary Wollstonecraft Shelley. ...

en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Frankenstein - 117k - [頁庫存檔](#) - [類似網頁](#)

[Online Literature Library - Frankenstein](#) - [[翻譯此頁](#)]

Contains complete story by the author, Mary Shelley.

www.literature.org/authors/shelley-mary/frankenstein/ - 7k - [頁庫存檔](#) - [類似網頁](#)

[Frankenstein \(1931\)](#) - [[翻譯此頁](#)]

Directed by James Whale. With Colin Clive, Mae Clarke, John Boles. Horror classic in which an obsessed scientist assembles a living being from parts of ...

www.imdb.com/title/tt0021884/ - 56k - [頁庫存檔](#) - [類似網頁](#)

[frankenstein](#)的影片搜尋結果。



[Edgar Winter Group -](#)

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[Frankenstein Trailer](#)

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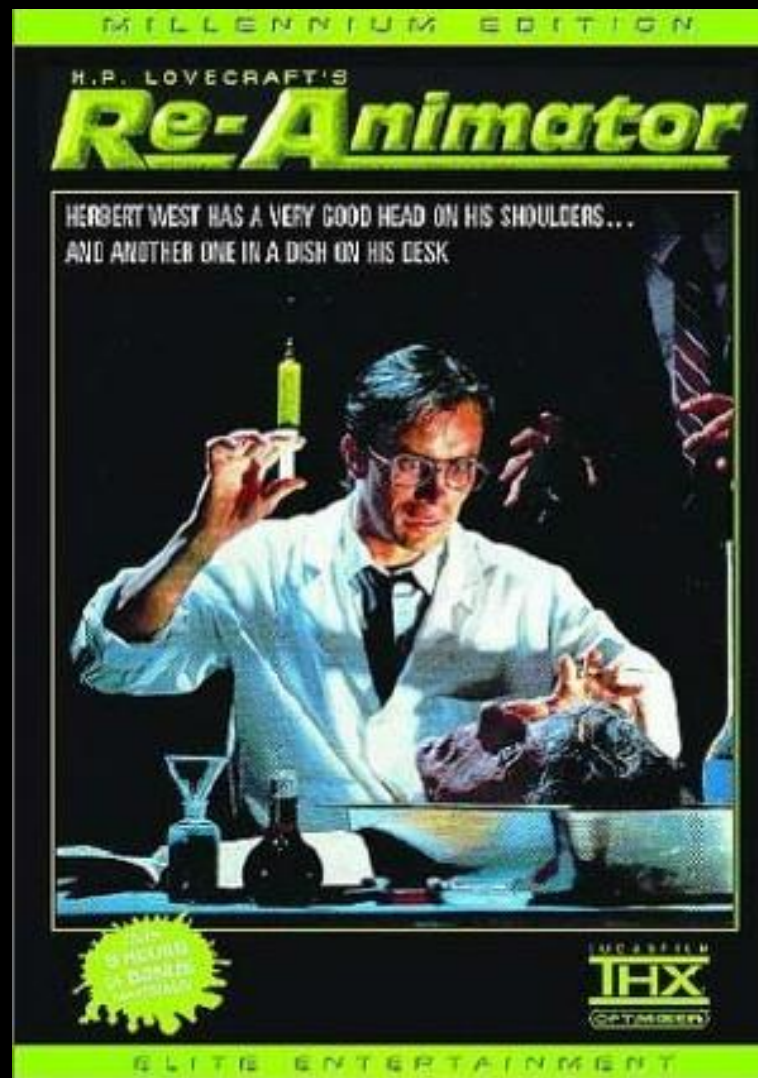
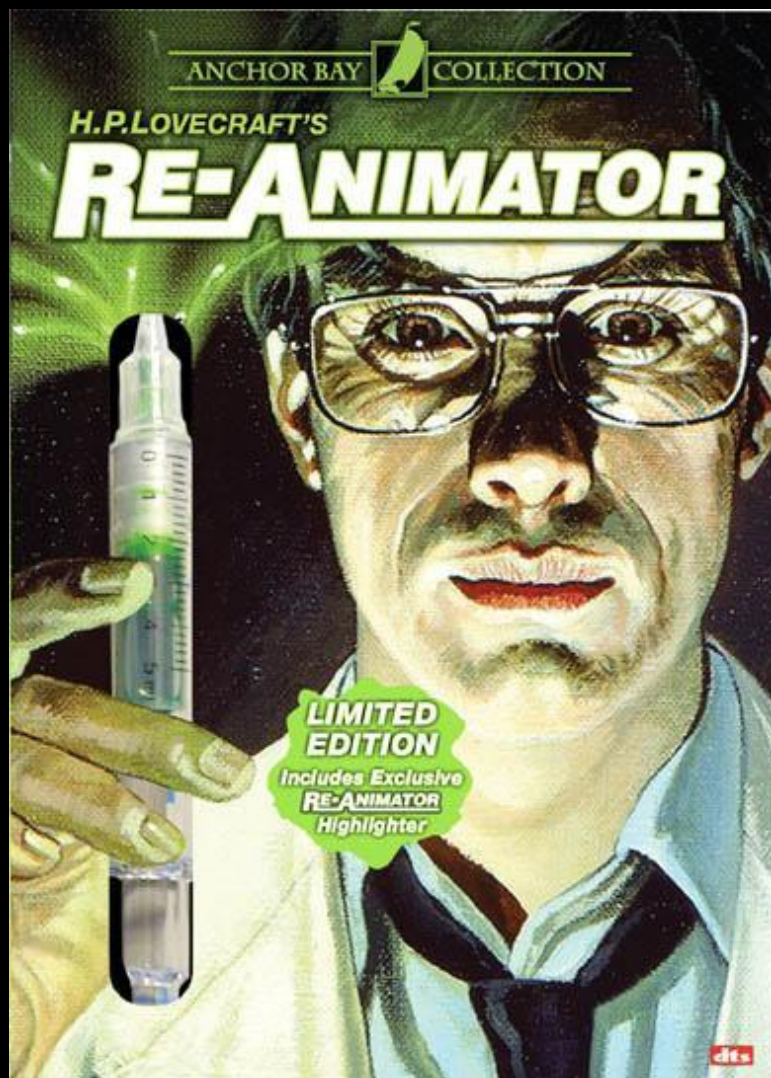
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約有9,560,000項符合frankenstein的查詢結果，以下是第 1-10項。

“The Greatest Horror Story Novel Ever Written” : Frankenstein’s Fictions

- The Frankenstein Omnibus ed. Peter Haining
- “The Bell-Tower” by Herman Melville
- “The Future Eve” (“Tomorrow’s Eve” / “The Eve of the Future”) by Auguste Villiers de l’Isle-Adam
- “The Surgeon’s Experiment” by W. C. Morrow
- “A Thousand Deaths” by Jack London
- “The Master and Margarita” by Mikhail Bulgakov
- “The Memories of Elizabeth Frankenstein” by Theodore Roszak
- “Demons of the Film Colony”

- “The Reanimator” by H. P. Lovecraft
 - According to his letters, Lovecraft wrote the story as a parody of Mary Shelley's Frankenstein. He drops in numerous Frankenstein references (even hinting at the poetry of Samuel Taylor Coleridge, as Shelley did) and purposely makes scenes overly violent, gruesome, and clichéd.
 - Herbert West
 - zombies



Frankenstein on the Stage

- Creature : more horrific
: less blame
 - melodramatic
 - eliminate minor characters and the entire frame structure
 - murder, mayhem
 - A few key scenes are used : the creation scene, the bridal night, the destruction of the Creature
- Victor

- parodies
 - Frankenstitch : Needle Prometheus
 - Franke-n-steam
- The Devil Among the Players
- The Man in the Moon
- “Frankenstein and His Bride”
- The Rocky Horror Show
 - long-running British stage musical
 - Frank-N-Furter
 - planet of Transsexual, in the galaxy of Transylvania



THE ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW

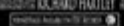
a different
set of jaws

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GIVE YOURSELF OVER
TO ABSOLUTE PLEASURE

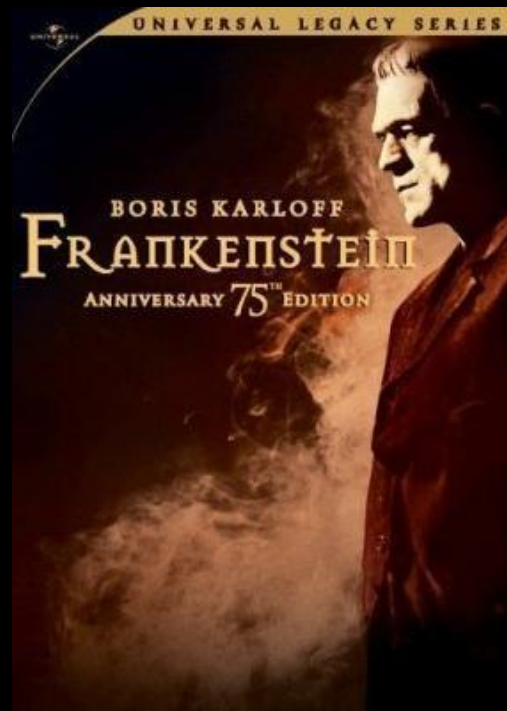
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Film Adaptations

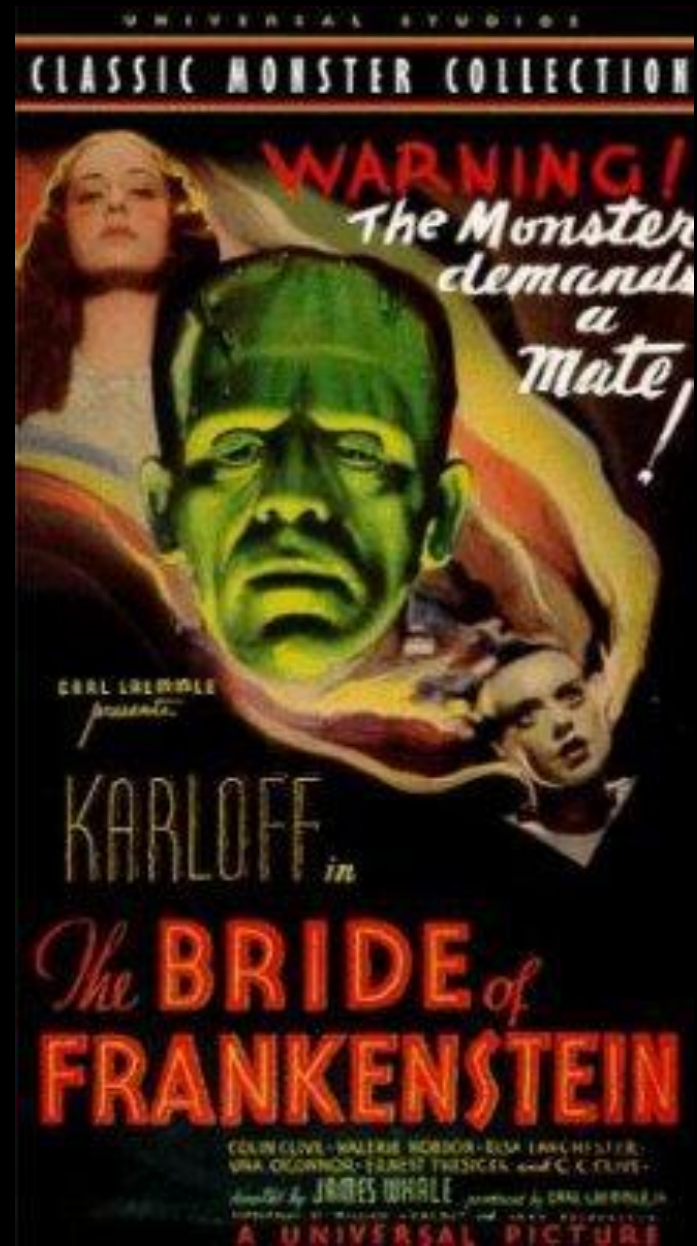
- Frankenstein (1931)
 - most famous of all adaptations
 - the placing of a criminal brain into the monster's body
- James Whale
- Boris Karloff
- the changes Whale made to the story have stuck
 - Henry Frankenstein
 - Fritz (assistant)



- criminal brain
- heredity > environment , economic systems, and education
- pseudoscience -> eugenic
- compulsory sterilization laws



- Bride of Frankenstein (1935)
- This one tends toward comedy, parody, and satire rather than pure horror
- marriage & gay subtext
- Creature : an innocent victim



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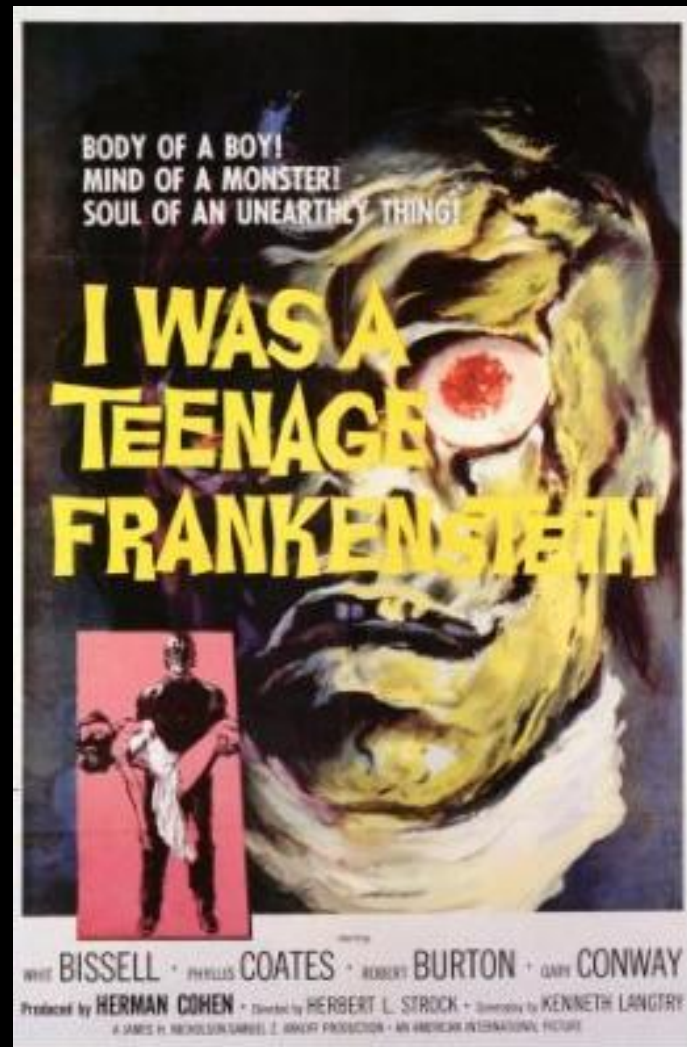
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FRANKESTEIN
EL VAMPIRO
Y COMPAÑIA

DVD
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Der neue Film-Schock. Urweltungstheuer bedrohen die Erde



mit Hans Sattler als Frankenstein, Hans-Joachim Lauth als Victor Frankenstein, Hans-Joachim Lauth als Dr. Frankenstein, Hans-Joachim Lauth als Dr. Frankenstein
Regie: Hans-Joachim Lauth, Germania Film







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THE 6TH DAY



"And on the sixth day,
God created man..."

The Bible, Genesis 1:1

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