

## Lum Urusei Yatsura Perfect Collection

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Since its inception in 1933, Toho Co., Ltd., Japan's most famous movie production company and distributor, has produced and/or distributed some of the most notable films ever to come out of Asia, including *Seven Samurai*, *Godzilla*, *Ringu*, and *Spirited Away*. The *Toho Studios Story* provides a complete picture of every Toho feature the Japanese studio produced and released.

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fox heard a legend about a magical wedding dress that helped two fated lovers find their bliss. But what does destiny have in store for him and Shinobu when he shows up unannounced in Tomobiki Town?! Meanwhile, the Moroboshi family is used to pinching pennies and making do—until a falling star plunges through their ceiling and grants them three wishes. But is a change of luck always a good thing?!

Become an expert on cultural details commonly seen in Japanese animation, movies, comics and TV shows.

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When Ran's jealous heart gets the best of her again, she launches two ill-conceived plans to try to steal Ataru from Lum. Plus, Sakura concocts a love potion, Ten molts his horns, and a ghost cat haunts the Moroboshi household.

Describes thousands of Japanese animated films and their availability

Graphic novel. Final volume in the trilogy by one of Japan's best known comic strip writers.

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In the 12th installment of urusei yatsura insanity, Ataru takes on every cat in town to save a pretty girl from a cused fate; In the episode voted "Best Episode" by Japanese viewers, Lum decides to find out if Ataru is really serious about wanting to be rid of her; Benten, Oyuki and the rest of Lum's friends descend upon the High School; and then when the gang starts sneaking from school to get fast-food, the teachers mobilize for all-out war!

The phenomenally popular "Power Rangers", the most mainstream offshoot of "anime", or Japanese animation, is just the tip of the iceberg. There are hundreds of these virtually astonishing films, appealing to people of all ages and tastes.

This guide features detailed listings of feature films and direct-to-video features, arranged by title, year of release, and subject, that have been released since 1983. Illustrations throughout.

In an alternate reality timeline, Lum and Co. torment each other during Japan's feudal Heian Period. Plus, a peaceful outing to view cherry blossoms is marred by a poetry-spouting giant, a hang-gliding flight lands them in the land before time, cross-dimensional mayhem breaks out in the school library, and much more.

A guide to programs currently available on video in the areas of movies/entertainment, general interest/education, sports/recreation, fine arts, health/science, business/industry, children/juvenile, how-to/instruction.

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Lum is finally going on another date with Ataru! But while she's waiting for him to show up, an eccentric young man arrives, claiming that he fell in love with her at first sight. Normally Lum wouldn't care, but Ataru is late for their date! Later, Mendo receives a mysterious New Year's card that says, "I know your secret." Mendo doesn't have any secrets, but that doesn't stop him from vowing to track down the culprit! Now he just needs to find a way to analyze the handwriting of every guy at Tomobiki High... -- VIZ Media

Comics are a pervasive art form and an intrinsic part of the cultural fabric of most countries. And yet, relatively little has been written on the translation of comics. *Comics in Translation* attempts to address this gap in the literature and to offer the first and most comprehensive account of various aspects of a diverse range of social practices subsumed under the label 'comics'. Focusing on the role played by translation in shaping graphic narratives that appear in various formats, different contributors examine various aspects of this popular phenomenon. Topics covered include the impact of globalization and localization processes on the ways in which translated comics are embedded in cultures; the import of editorial and publishing practices; textual strategies adopted in translating comics, including the translation of culture- and language-specific features; and the interplay between visual and verbal messages. *Comics in translation* examines comics that originate in different cultures, belong to quite different genres, and are aimed at readers of different age groups and cultural backgrounds, from Disney comics to Art Spiegelman's *Maus*, from Katsuhiro Ōtomo's *Akira* to Gosciniy and Uderzo's *Astérix*. The contributions are based on first-hand research and exemplify a wide range of approaches. Languages covered include English, Italian, Spanish, Arabic, French, German, Japanese and Inuit. The volume features illustrations from the works discussed and an extensive annotated bibliography. Contributors include: Raffaella Baccolini, Nadine Celotti,

Adele D'Arcangelo, Catherine Delesse, Elena Di Giovanni, Heike Elisabeth Jüngst, Valerio Rota, Carmen Valero-Garcés, Federico Zanettin and Jehan Zitawi.

Includes, beginning Sept. 15, 1954 (and on the 15th of each month, Sept.-May) a special section: School library journal, ISSN 0000-0035, (called Junior libraries, 1954-May 1961). Also issued separately.

"What would you do if a tiger skin bikini-clad alien followed you to school every day? Poor Ataru's life has never returned to normal since volatile extraterrestrial princess Lum fell for him. Now an excruciatingly wealthy and genteel rival, Mendo, adds to Ataru's torment. Not to mention an unending stream of extraordinary classroom visitors and educational materials including incompetent cherry blossom spirits, a legendary nightmare-eating tapir, and a fourth-dimensional camera that breeches alternate realities"--Cover.

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Entries covers Japanese life and culture with specific references to the subject in anime and manga.

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From classroom aids to corporate training programs, technical resources to self-help guides, children's features to documentaries, theatrical releases to straight-to-video movies, The Video Source Book continues its comprehensive coverage of the wide universe of video offerings with more than 130,000 complete program listings, encompassing more than 160,000 videos. All listings are arranged alphabetically by title. Each entry provides a description of the program and information on obtaining the title. Six indexes -- alternate title, subject, credits, awards, special formats and program distributors -- help speed research.

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Ryoga's depression may allow him to defeat Ranma.

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cooker. Will she ever talk to them again?!

Lum cultivates a Dream Seed that will allow her to bring her dearest dreams to fruition. But Sakura mistakes it for a sleeping pill and finds herself stuck in a three-day nightmare with Lum's idea of true romance! Later, Benten and Ryunosuke go head-to-head in a battle to see which one is the girliest! When fists can't settle the score, they turn to feminine charm! -- VIZ Media

Lum's exotic mother challenges Mendo's mom to a duel at Parents' Day at Tomobiki High. Then a field trip leads to unexpected meeting with a disgruntled female ninja. Finally, Lum's childhood friend Ran comes to Earth to get revenge for some long-forgotten jealousies and slights. What better way than through Ataru?

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