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DerMensch24 - October 6, 2016, 9:31 pm

Ark IX (Ark Nine)

Synopsis (Courtesy of MAL):

Spoiler [\(Click to View\)](#) The world has been divided into two halves by a giant wall to prevent the epidemic of "Dark mist". In order to shelter the refugees, artificial cities called "Arks" were built. Shido Enishi is a private detective, who works at the ninth Ark. One day, he is asked to capture a burglar. The seemingly simple case leads him to a great conspiracy.

Ep: 1 OVA

Studio: none; Producers: Hood Entertainment

Aired: Jul 2, 2013

Genre(s): Action, Mystery, Sci-Fi

Source: https://myanimelist.net/anime/17395/Ark_IX

Sub/Dub: Only sub exists as far as I am aware

Anime OP: Nevereverland by nano

[Video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2eGazzxcp3I>]

This is an 11 minute OVA from the well-regarded light novel of the same name. There really is no story, character development, and so forth. If anything, this was essentially an elongated trailer for what the anime could have been if the creators chose to do thusly. There are a multitude of randomized scenes with the MC, almost as if they are taken out of chronological episodes.

The only notable feature from this anime is the popular OP Nevereverland by nano (linked above) and to a degree the art is done well. Otherwise, this is an average anime that is only famous for that song and the light novel. Shame that it was never an actual series, for if done right it could have been a decent anime.

Aura - October 7, 2016, 2:13 pm

Would love to see this become a full fledged Anime, it have potential. Maybe if more material gets released it'll be possible?

DerMensch24 - October 7, 2016, 8:36 pm

Woops, forgot to add the date that it aired.

(Oct 7, 2016 02:13 PM)Aur? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Would love to see this become a full fledged Anime, it have potential. Maybe if more material gets released it'll be possible?

Perhaps, it seems that the light novel was popular, and after doing some digging there wasn't a studio that made this but a few independent animators along with the producers at Hood Entertainment. It does have potential, but the only adaptation of the light novel atm is the OVA which is too short and seems random, hence its poor MAL rating.

