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Thread: [Should I start watching Anime rated bad/unpopular on MAL?](#)

Aura - January 9, 2017, 6:32 pm

Question in the thread title obviously.

Like, Anime that are above the 1,000th in popularity on MAL. I could watch one from time to time and see if I encounter an hidden perl that I could post here or not.

If you have any recommendations, feel free to shoot them as well.

Deany - January 9, 2017, 6:58 pm

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verydank - January 9, 2017, 7:13 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 07:58 PM)Japanese Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I personally don't trust MAL ratings and don't find them very accurate as people make them out to be.

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Deany - January 9, 2017, 7:15 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 08:13 PM)verydank Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) THIS, i'd rather do my own judging then MAL since people's opinions differ and it can differ ALOT

and not everyone likes the same thing so there's also that

?aber - January 9, 2017, 7:27 pm

I think MAL ratings are ok , not amazing but ok , I don't use them myself when picking an anime to watch I just watch whatever is on the recommended list

as everyone has their own genre tastes/fetishes and people rate high just when they are watching a genre they like.

Here is my recommendation if you like or seen Darker Than Black :

[Phantom: Requiem for the Phantom](#)
[Black Cat](#)

If they are not to your liking link me your mal.

Tsunfire - January 9, 2017, 7:29 pm

Ecchi is generally 7

Hentai is generally 6

Feels Anime and Overrated trash are 8+.

Don't trust them and form an opinion for yourself is all I have to say

Caliban - January 9, 2017, 7:29 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 07:58 PM)Japanese Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I personally don't trust MAL ratings and don't find them very accurate as people make them out to be.

i agree, i dont trust the ratings at all.

Deany - January 9, 2017, 7:30 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 08:29 PM)Ecch? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Hentai is generally 6
hmu if anyone wants the goods t b h

Tsunfire - January 9, 2017, 7:30 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 08:30 PM)Japanese Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) hmu if anyone wants the goods t b h
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Deany - January 9, 2017, 7:31 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 08:30 PM)Ecch? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I never said the ratings for hentai were off. They are
generally bad imo

Oh I know

I'm js hmu if you want the good stuff ;)

Nine - January 9, 2017, 7:31 pm

i liked some low 7

under 7 is a no go tho

but then again

i only watch magic

Tsunfire - January 9, 2017, 7:32 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 08:31 PM)Nine Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) i liked some low 7

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gtfo with that gay shit

Stashyy - January 9, 2017, 7:33 pm

Havent watched anime in a little while but I tend to just look at summaries and watch whatever.

Deany - January 9, 2017, 7:33 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 08:32 PM)Ecch? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) gtfo with that gay shit

He'll send your ass to the shadow realm boy

Dark Magic attack (worry)

Tsunfire - January 9, 2017, 7:33 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 08:33 PM)Japanese Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) He'll send your ass to the shadow realm boy

Dark Magic attack (worry)

I'll anal strike that pussy so hard, it'll combust.

Caliban - January 9, 2017, 7:48 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 08:31 PM)Japanese Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Oh I know

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i want the goods

thanks

Nine - January 9, 2017, 7:51 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 08:32 PM)Ecch? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) gtfo with that gay shit

ur waifu is a guy

Tsunfire - January 9, 2017, 8:26 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 08:51 PM)Nine Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) ur waifu is a guy
nani?!?!?

Aura - January 10, 2017, 4:13 am

Guys I'm mostly talking about the Popularity rating (how many people have the show on their MAL liste), not the score.

Tsunfire - January 10, 2017, 7:35 am

(Jan 10, 2017 05:13 AM)Aur? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Guys I'm mostly talking about the Popularity rating (how many people have the show on their MAL liste), not the score.
I seeeeee. I rarely look at it.

Nine - January 10, 2017, 7:37 am

(Jan 10, 2017 05:13 AM)Aur? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Guys I'm mostly talking about the Popularity rating (how many people have the show on their MAL liste), not the score.
if its higher than 7
then yes.

Aura - January 10, 2017, 3:45 pm

(Jan 10, 2017 08:37 AM)Nine Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) if its higher than 7
then yes.
Popularity isn't rated that way lmao. That's the score/rating.

+Cloud - January 10, 2017, 4:47 pm

i see you've caught up to me :/
its terrible once you've seen most of the good anime...
but in response to your question yes...
it will take you hours to find a good anime and sometimes you'll even finally choose a shit one but
you do get through some good hidden gems, some of my favs have been rated around 5 - 6, no
idea why. usually ratings are good on mal but dont go with them all the time.

Aura - January 10, 2017, 5:12 pm

Mind listing a few of them (some of your favorites that were rated around 5-6)?

Lyrlei - January 10, 2017, 7:35 pm

there are some few good ones or funny ones.
Spoiler ([Click to View](#))Like school days

Or..

- Akikan!
- Kampfer
- DearS

Most of them are like Romance/Comedy/Ecchi though or atleast with Romance.

Esdese - January 11, 2017, 4:08 pm

I'm pretty sure Clannad has over a 9 on MAL so that discredits their website already.

Watch ecchi/harem only and you'll be fine

Aura - January 11, 2017, 4:11 pm

(Jan 11, 2017 05:08 PM)Esdesse Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Watch ecchi/harem only and you'll be fine
Shoot me dem recs fam

Esdesse - January 11, 2017, 4:19 pm

(Jan 11, 2017 05:11 PM)Aur? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Shoot me dem recs fam
Start with this one, it's amazing and has 4 seasons.

https://myanimelist.net/anime/1195/Zero_no_Tsukaima

Then here's some more when you're done

https://myanimelist.net/anime/25397/Absolute_Duo

https://myanimelist.net/anime/15583/Date_A_Live

https://myanimelist.net/anime/30296/Rakudai_Kishi_no_Cavalry

https://myanimelist.net/anime/17729/Grisaia_no_Kajitsu

<https://myanimelist.net/anime/9367/Freezing>

https://myanimelist.net/anime/9041/IS_Infinite_Stratos

If you watch Infinite Stratos I highly recommend the DUB over the sub cause they gave the characters accents which is cool

Aura - January 11, 2017, 4:23 pm

Watched all of them except Zero and Date A Live, though they are on my PTW list.

Esdesse - January 11, 2017, 4:24 pm

(Jan 11, 2017 05:23 PM)Aur? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Watched all of them except Zero and Date A Live, though they are on my PTW list.

Watch zero now!!!! It's so good

Chad ThunderCock - January 11, 2017, 4:51 pm

(Jan 9, 2017 07:58 PM)Japanese Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) I personally don't trust MAL ratings and don't find them very accurate as people make them out to be.

This.

Stuff with controversial plot (Drama, unpopular opinions, etc) tend to not be as well ranked as other stuff even though they could be, objectively speaking, better.

Caliban - January 11, 2017, 4:57 pm

(Jan 11, 2017 05:51 PM)-F0rsak3n- Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) This.

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yeah most "critics" on MAL will only care about the plot being coherent and not about the actual enjoyment of the anime as a whole, makes me kind of pissed off sometimes. Not all anime series need to be 3deep5me and make 100% sense, in my opinion at least.

?aber - January 11, 2017, 5:12 pm

A great ecchi to watch which only got a 6.8 on MAL [Seikon no Qwaser](#)

[Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=j2-Ghx0w_uU]

36 episodes of glorious soma milk , loli's , sms , traps that anime fits everyone's needs top ecchi

ever made

DerMensch24 - January 11, 2017, 5:12 pm

(Jan 10, 2017 05:13 AM)Aur? Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Guys I'm mostly talking about the Popularity rating (how many people have the show on their MAL liste), not the score.

Senpai you still need to watch Cowboy Bebop and FMA :p

(otherwise no I don't, however if someone ik does have it on their MAL I might check their score but otherwise it doesnt affect my choice)

Chad ThunderCock - January 11, 2017, 5:20 pm

(Jan 11, 2017 05:57 PM)Caliban Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) yeah most "critics" on MAL will only care about the plot being coherent and not about the actual enjoyment of the anime as a whole, makes me kind of pissed off sometimes. Not all anime series need to be 3deep5me and make 100% sense, in my opinion at least.

Anything with drama in it is considered melodrama.

Gotta love the community

Getsuga - January 11, 2017, 5:49 pm

I dont trust mal because of this https://myanimelist.net/anime/11757/Sword_Art_Online?q=swo
an obvious 4/10 gets rated 7.8 smh

Nine - January 11, 2017, 6:02 pm

(Jan 11, 2017 06:12 PM)?aber Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) A great ecchi

great and ecchi

cant go in the same sentence

?aber - January 11, 2017, 6:22 pm

(Jan 11, 2017 07:02 PM)Nine Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) great and ecchi

cant go in the same sentence

I think you mean ecchi and harem

I'd usually agree with you on that statement but this anime was different , not your normal ecchi anime

Aura - January 11, 2017, 6:29 pm

Saber, I watched Qwaser already, though not the 2nd season.

Lyrarei - January 11, 2017, 7:13 pm

yes most <7 animes are lewd

Nine - January 11, 2017, 8:16 pm

(Jan 11, 2017 07:22 PM)?aber Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) not your normal ecchi anime

yes

i heard they milk titties

not the normal ecchi for sure

Zoey - January 12, 2017, 5:53 am

these is a hard decision.... hmmm :O

Gladly - January 12, 2017, 7:20 am

You will never be the same after watching this masterpiece:

https://myanimelist.net/anime/413/Hametsu_no_Mars

Aura - January 12, 2017, 4:40 pm

(Jan 12, 2017 08:20 AM)Gladly Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) You will never be the same after watching this masterpiece:

https://myanimelist.net/anime/413/Hametsu_no_Mars

A 20 minutes OVA? For real?

SIM-3314491 - January 12, 2017, 9:50 pm

you should, i've seen animes hated by everyone that i personally liked, you can't just skip an anime because of the popular opinion