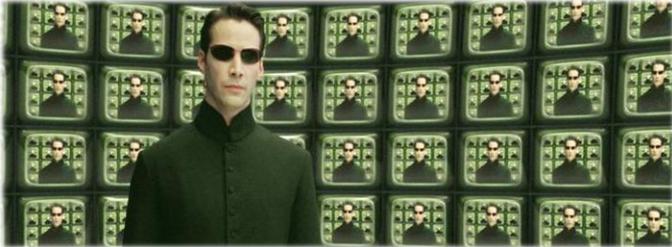


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THE MATRIX

film by Lana and Lilly Wachowski [1999]



The Matrix follows software developer Thomas Anderson (Reeves), who discovers that reality is a computer simulation and enters a war between human rebels and their machine overlords. Moonlighting as a hacker under the alias Neo, he is chasing a digital mystery called the Matrix when he is approached by a woman named Trinity (Moss) who promises answers.

The next day he is pursued by Agent Smith (Weaving), who captures and interrogates him. Through seemingly supernatural means, Neo's mouth is fused shut and a robotic bug is implanted in his stomach. He wakes up the next morning and sets up a meeting with Trinity, who removes the bug and introduces him to Morpheus (Fishburne).

Morpheus offers Neo two pills and an ultimatum: if he takes the blue pill, Neo will wake up in his bed none the wiser; if he takes the red pill, he will uncover the Matrix, but there will be no going back. Neo chooses the red pill and is able to see the true nature of his world. Morpheus reveals that the year is about 2199. A war between humans and the artificial intelligence they created ultimately ended in the machines farming humans in pods on a massive scale, like crops, to use their body heat for energy.

What humans perceive as reality is actually a simulation—the Matrix—a dream projected into the minds of the humans in their pods so that the machines can maintain control. While squidlike robots called sentinels hunt down unplugged humans in reality, the Agents are programs used to hunt down such humans when they are in the Matrix. Morpheus, who helps defend an underground refuge for free humans called Zion, then describes the prophecy of a savior whose arrival heralds the freedom of the human race. He believes Neo is this savior: the One.

After Cypher, one of the rebels, betrays the team, Morpheus is captured by the Agents in the Matrix. Trinity and Neo embark on a spectacular rescue, which ends with Neo facing Agent Smith alone. Neo is killed but is resurrected by a kiss from Trinity and defeats Agent Smith.

He realizes his potential as the One and is able to see the world of the Matrix as it truly is: simple lines of code.

Fonte: <https://www.britannica.com/topic/The-Matrix>

Based on the synopsis provided, answer the following questions.

1. Qual é a identidade secreta de Thomas Anderson? Escreva em inglês.

2. O que as duas pílulas simbolizam?

Blue pill: _____

Red pill: _____

3. Leia o trecho:

"A war between humans and the artificial intelligence they created ultimately ended in the machines farming humans in pods on a massive scale, like crops, to use their body heat for energy. What humans perceive as reality is actually a simulation—the Matrix—a dream projected into the minds of the humans in their pods so that the machines can maintain control."

De acordo com Morpheus, qual é o verdadeiro propósito das "pods"?

4. Na passagem: "Neo is killed but is resurrected by a kiss from Trinity and defeats Agent Smith", a qual momento do enredo a frase se refere? Justifique sua resposta.

5. Relacione as palavras com seus significados.

- () Overlords.
- () Betrays.
- () Refuge.
- () Prophecy.

- (A) Um lugar seguro.
- (B) Uma previsão sobre o futuro.
- (C) Líderes que controlam os outros.
- (D) Atos contra a confiança de alguém.

6. Escreva T (True) ou F (False).

- () Neo chooses the blue pill.
- () The Matrix is the real world.
- () Sentinels hunt humans in reality.
- () Neo defeats Agent Smith at the end.

7. Morpheus, que ajuda a defender um refúgio subterrâneo para humanos livres chamado Zion, descreve então a profecia de um salvador cuja chegada anunciará a liberdade da raça humana.

Encontre essa menção e transcreva abaixo:

8. De acordo com Morpheus, o que é a Matrix?

- a) A secret city.
- b) A spaceship.
- c) A dream simulation.
- d) A real world underground.

9. A sinopse usa vários verbos no passado e no presente. Reescreva as seguintes frases do texto, mudando-as do presente *Present Simple* para o *Past Simple*.

Ex: Neo chooses the red pill - **Neo chose the red pill**

a) Trinity promises answers.

b) He wakes up the next morning.

c) The machines maintain control.

d) Neo realizes his potential.

10. No filme, Cypher decide trair seus amigos porque prefere a “mentira confortável” da Matrix à “dura realidade” de Zion. A ignorância é realmente uma bênção? Uma vida feliz em uma simulação é melhor do que uma vida difícil no mundo real? Por quê?

11. Você acha que as pessoas hoje em dia podem viver em uma espécie de “matrix” (por exemplo, ilusões das redes sociais)? Explique.

12. Nomeie os personagens do filme.

