



CHARACTER DESCRIPTIONS

NATASHA ROMANOFF (Scarlett Johansson), separated from the now-fractured Avengers, confronts the dark path she took to becoming a spy and assassin, as well as events that followed. She reluctantly reunites with an unlikely group of spies from her past who share a critical part of her history, as well as a desire to stop a lethal force from being unleashed. But Natasha's efforts are threatened by a deadly assassin whose unique skillset is unlike anything Natasha has ever faced.

YELENA BELOVA (Florence Pugh), a product of the Red Room's ruthless training program, has a secret history with the Black Widow that she is determined to address. When Yelena finds herself caught in a world with dangerous threats behind every corner, her only chance at survival may be through a tenuous truce with the person she blames for a lifetime of torment—Natasha Romanoff.

ALEXEI/RED GUARDIAN (David Harbour), the Red Room's answer to Captain America, is a super soldier and spy who lived a lifetime of triumph during the Cold War. Alexei's years of espionage are behind him, but he still considers himself the ultimate hero. He loves sharing his greatness with those around him—which these days includes fellow inmates in the Russian prison where he resides. Deep down—way deep down—he harbors a lot of guilt about his life as a spy, especially when it comes to Natasha Romanoff, whom he knew long before she became Black Widow.

MELINA (Rachel Weisz) is a highly trained spy who has been cycled through the Red Room's Widow program four times. After various undercover missions, one of which involved a young Natasha Romanoff, the Red Room recognized Melina's intelligence, making her one of their lead scientists. After decades of service, Melina has been able to distance herself from the Red Room, but when Natasha shows up, Melina must decide where her allegiance lies.

TASKMASTER is a masked assassin who carries out deadly missions on behalf of the Red Room. Armed with the ability to mimic his enemies' every move, the calculating and formidable Taskmaster will stop at nothing until he accomplishes his mission.