

“★★★½. The best time I've had at the movies this year! Exciting, nostalgic fun. Larry Cohen has fashioned an ingenious vehicle. He moves the story along at break-neck pace. A warm and affectionate picture.”
Bill Hoffman, **NEW YORK POST**

Critical Praise For LARRY COHEN'S

ORIGINAL GANGSTAS

“‘Original Gangstas’ is an unexpected treat. Cohen strikes the perfect balance of stoicism and heroism. Think ‘Boyz In The Hood’ meets ‘Mod Squad’.”
Michael Rechtshaffen, **HOLLYWOOD REPORTER**

“A Hoot! ‘Gangstas’ delivers impressively—with a pop driving inner city energy. The cast seems to be having such a splendid time, its enthusiasm is infectious. Williamson and Brown work together effortlessly, like an old song and dance team.”
Hal Hinson, **WASHINGTON POST**

“Along with the hard action there’s social commentary... a genuine sadness permeates the picture, a quality of reflectiveness in the writing and playing under the efficient direction of Larry Cohen.”
Kevin Thomas, **LOS ANGELES TIMES**

“A solid action entry. Everyone involved gets the job done with the cool savvy that makes the film a satisfying diversion.”
Len Klady, **VARIETY**

“A formidable new arrival, it covers ground similar to ‘Boyz In The Hood’ and ‘Do The Right Thing’ but from a sadder and wiser perspective—and it delivers a generous measure of sensational entertainment. Larry Cohen establishes a relentless pace.”
Michael Price, **FORTH WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM**

“‘Gangstas’ has a lot to say about what’s wrong with America. Williamson and Brown still pack plenty of panache and handle the action with authority and dispatch. Plenty of sense underlies ‘Original Gangstas’.”
Lawrence Van Gelder, **NEW YORK TIMES**

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