

# The Collector

## Audience Reaction

Screened 19 January 2016; Audience 26, 14 Slips returned, rating 7 out of 10

9 for discussion. Most people found the film absorbing and praised the performance by Terence Stamp, although reception of Samatha Eggar's performance was divided. Most people felt that the film dealt with broader themes: power, human nature, class, gender and psychology, in the context of when it was made and that the film was more interesting than many contemporary films using the same basic story. The question was raised about how this film compared to the other William Wyler films.

Comment on ratings slip; "An interesting film, certainly a curio rather than terrific. Mannered but able performances."

*Georgina Coburn*