

HOUSE OF FIVE LEAVES RELEASES IN NORTH AMERICA IN MARCH 2012!

Santa Ana, CA (December 2, 2011) – NIS America proudly announced today that *House of Five Leaves Complete Series Premium Edition*, which contains all 12 episodes, will be released on March 6, 2012. *House of Five Leaves* follows the story of Masa, a shy former samurai. The Premium Edition will be packaged with 12 episodes on 2 DVDs, along with a hardcover art book in a collectible, sturdy slip case. Available at select online retailers: [Right Stuf](#), [The Anime Corner Store](#), [Anime Pavilion](#), [Anime Castle](#), and [NIS America's Online Store](#).



House of Five Leaves
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TITLE:	House of Five Leaves Complete Series Premium Edition
MSRP:	\$59.99
RELEASE DATE:	March 6, 2012
ITEM #:	HFL-DVD-US-PE
UPC:	813633011660
AGE RATING:	Teen
LENGTH:	Approx. 274 mins/12 eps on 2 DVDs
FORMAT:	Japanese audio, English subtitles

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HOUSE OF FIVE LEAVES COMPLETE SERIES PREMIUM EDITION

About House of Five Leaves:

The ronin Akitsu Masanosuke was working as a bodyguard in Edo, but due to his shy personality, he kept being let go from his bodyguard jobs despite his magnificent sword skills. Unable to find new work, he wanders around town and meets a man, the playboy who calls himself Yaichi. Even though Yaichi and Masanosuke had just met for the first time, Yaichi treats Masanosuke to a meal and offers to hire him as a bodyguard. Despite the mysteries that surround Yaichi, Masanosuke takes the job. He soon finds out that Yaichi is the leader of a group of kidnappers who call themselves the "Five Leaves." Now Masanosuke is faced with the dilemma of whether to join the Five Leaves and share in the profits of kidnapping, or to resist becoming a criminal.

About the bonuses:

Art book: *House of Five Leaves Complete Series Premium Edition* comes with a hardcover art book (full-color, 30+ pages), featuring character information, episode guides, artwork, behind-the-scenes storyboards, draft designs, concept art, and even a glossary of terms for insight on the culture of feudal Japan.

Extra content: Textless OP/ED, Japanese trailer

Voice actors:

Daisuke Namikawa as Masanosuke Akitsu (*kimi ni todoke -From Me to You-*, *PERSONA -trinity soul-*, *Bleach*)

Takahiro Sakurai as Yaichi (*Code Geass*, *The Familiar of Zero*, *GUNxSWORD*, *Kyo kara Maoh!*)

Production staff:

Tomomi Mochizuki: Director, Series Composition
(*Ranma ½*, *World God Only Knows*, *Urusei Yatsura*)

Kazuto Nakazawa: Character Design
(*Samurai Champloo*, *Tenchi Universe*, *El Hazard: The Wanderers*)

Manglobe Inc.: Anime Production
(*Samurai Champloo*, *Ergo Proxy*, *World God Only Knows*, *Sacred Blacksmith*)

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Only a limited quantity of the Premium Edition will be produced.

About NIS America

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As an established entertainment publisher in the U.S., NIS America is committed to continuous growth and improvement.

NIS America is a subsidiary of Nippon Ichi Software, Inc., a Japanese company famous for its unique line of strategy RPGs with titles such as *Disgaea*, *Phantom Brave*, and *Makai Kingdom*. NIS America has also become a publisher of Japanese anime titles, such as *Toradora!*, *WAGNARIA!!*, and *Katanagatari*.

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