

GREEN FILMING



Fact sheet on the realisation of an ecologically sustainable cinema release_ 062024

1. Guideline of the Austrian Film Institute

Green filming is a major concern of the ÖFI. It is recommended that the film institute's green filming measures be taken into account.

Point 9a.3. of the current funding guidelines states: "[...] In addition, a 5% Green Bonus can be applied for an ecologically sustainable cinema release."

2. Contractual passages

Article 2:

[...] A final report must be prepared to verify the entitlement to the Green Bonus.

[...] The entitlement to the Green Bonus expires if the planned MUST criteria are not met. [...]

3. Catalogue of criteria

The Film Institute's catalogue of criteria consists of 6 MUST criteria and 7 TARGET criteria. The criteria aim to map measures for an ecologically sustainable cinema release.

The MANDATORY criteria must be complied with. Compliance with the TARGET criteria is recommended. Overfulfilment of the criteria and suggestions for further development are possible at any time.

4. FINAL GREEN REPORT and File - TEMPLATE

The FINAL GREEN REPORT provides evidence of implementation together with the final invoice documents.

All vouchers should be numbered and transmitted analogue to the numbering of the GREEN REPORT according to the template (File-TEMPLATE).

5. Implementation steps

- Familiarise yourself with both the criteria catalogue and the final FINAL GREEN REPORT at an early stage. The FINAL GREEN REPORT contains examples of required evidence and additional information.
- Plan how you can fulfil the relevant criteria and provide the necessary evidence before submitting your application.
- Integrate the planned measures into your processes. For example, think about including the option of travelling to your cinema premieres on foot, by bike or by public transport in your invitations.
- Collect the evidence required for the FINAL GREEN REPORT on an ongoing basis and organise it in consecutive numbers in the FINAL GREEN REPORT File-TEMPLATE.
- The publicly accessible CO2 calculator from Klima-Kollekte can be used, for example, to calculate any CO2 emissions from the printing works (<https://klima-kollekte.at/>).
- Please send the completed FINAL GREEN REPORT, including the necessary supporting documents and evidence, to your Project Management.
- If you have any questions, please contact greenfilming@filminstitut.at
- The current catalogue of criteria can be downloaded from the following page also in English: <https://filminstitut.at/foerderung/green-filming>

Through your measures, you are making a contribution to greater ecological sustainability.