

Next Generation Toolkit General FAQs

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General FAQs

When is the Next Generation Toolkit (NGT) launching?

The Next Generation Toolkit is set to launch on the 16th September 2026.

This will be accompanied by user support and resources which will help all users learn and navigate the new tool.

Key information on how to work through the transition from current to Next Generation Toolkit (known as the sunsetting phase) and what to do if a production is due to start around this date will be provided to the industry and found on BAFTA Albert's website from 17th June 2026 - [Next Generation Toolkit - BAFTA Albert](#)

What is sunsetting?

Sunsetting refers to the period where we have launched the Next Generation Toolkit and are beginning to phase out the current Toolkit.

This will be a three-month period between September (Next Generation Toolkit launch) and December (current Toolkit shut down).

During this phase, both Toolkits will be live, and you may be working on productions across the current and NGT toolkit.

Guidance on how to navigate this period, including what to do if a production is due to start within these dates will be shared on the BAFTA Albert website and in the toolkit.

Which toolkit should I use?

To learn more about which toolkit to use, please review our transitioning guidance here: [Transitioning Guidance V1](#)

If you need more guidance, please email alberttoolkit@bafta.org and a member of the team will respond within 3 working days.

What's changing about the new certification workflow?

Two routes to certification will exist within the Next Generation Toolkit (NGT), Certified and Committed. More detail on these routes including when they are submitted and which one is best for your production can be found on our website here: [Next Generation Toolkit - BAFTA Albert](#)

Productions will no longer be required to complete a draft carbon footprint at the beginning of production but are able to input data into the calculator, or use the data tracker, at any point. Additionally, productions will now be encouraged to finalise their own footprints through the 'review' function and reconcile this against their financial ledger to ensure everything is accounted for.

With two certification routes now available to accommodate different timing needs, pre-approval is no longer part of the process. Productions are instead required to fulfil all criteria for their chosen certification route. If successful, they are awarded an end board mark. This is also the end of the process, making it significantly cleaner and a more straightforward application process.

Current Toolkit FAQs

When will the current toolkit be shut down?

The current Toolkit will shut down on 17th December 2026.

By this point, you will not be able to access productions on the current Toolkit. The sunseting guidance will provide users with information on how to navigate the period between the Next Generation Toolkit launch in September, and the current Toolkit shutdown in December.

Will data in the current toolkit be migrated into the Next Generation Toolkit automatically?

Production Carbon Footprint and Carbon Action Plan Data will NOT be migrated when the current Toolkit is retired on 17th December 2026.

If you'd like to keep your data, you'll need to export it from the Reports page on the current Toolkit.

We will have a copy of the toolkit data archived, and we are working on a process to allow member organisations to request their production data after the toolkit has been shut down, in case they aren't able to export it before 17th December. There may be a small administrative fee associated with this process, so our recommendation is to download your own data from the 'Reports' section before the shutdown of the current toolkit.

Once the Next Generation Toolkit is launched, you can enter production data by bulk uploading it via the Data Tracker or entering it manually - whichever works best for you.

How do I export my CAP from the current toolkit?

For information on how to export your CAP, please visit our website and search 'Carbon Action Plan Report'.

From here you will find a PDF of instructions as well as a short tutorial video on how to do this. Please note, that only admins of production companies will be able to export the reports.

How do I export my carbon footprint from the current toolkit?

For information on how to export your carbon footprint, please visit our website and search 'Carbon Footprint Reports'.

Here you will find a PDF of instructions on how to export your final carbon footprint report.

Next Generation Toolkit FAQs

Will I receive new logos as part of the rebrand ahead of the Next Generation Toolkit rollout?

As part of the Next Generation Toolkit (NGT) roll out, new BAFTA Albert marks will become available once a production has completed the certification process on the NGT.

Any productions that are completed on the current Toolkit during the sunset period (September – December 2026) will still be issued the old end board logo (the footprint logo). For detailed sunset guidance please visit the BAFTA Albert website.

Why can't I get the new BAFTA Albert logo if I complete in the current Toolkit?

If you complete your production in the current Toolkit, you will receive the current/old endboard logo (the footprint logo).

If you complete your production in the Next Generation Toolkit, you will receive the new BAFTA Albert mark, which incorporates the BAFTA mask.

As the certification processes are unique to each toolkit with differing criteria, scoring and methodologies, the logos/marks will remain different. To learn more about the new certification criteria, please see BAFTA Albert's website.

Will user accounts be transferred onto the new toolkit or do I need to request a new one?

User accounts will be copied over to the Next Generation Toolkit so there is no need to request a new account.

Upon launch of the Next Generation Toolkit (NGT) in September, you will be able to login to either the current Toolkit or NGT with your existing email and password combination.

Once the current toolkit has been shut down in December, you will only be able to login to the Next Generation Toolkit.

How do I change my email address on my account?

Account details can be edited via the account settings section, in the top right corner of the toolkit.

What is the Carbon Footprint Data Tracker and how do I use it?

The Data Tracker is designed to simplify the way you input data into the Next Generation Toolkit. Instead of entering information manually, line by line, you can capture everything in Excel and upload it in one go. It reduces manual data entry for production teams, supporting more accurate and efficient carbon footprinting.

Using this tracker is entirely optional when creating a carbon footprint on the Next Generation Toolkit. Productions are welcome to enter their footprint data as normal into the toolkit manually line by line, as they do already.

If you would like to use the Data Tracker, then please visit our [Next Generation Toolkit - BAFTA Albert](#) webpage for more information.

Support & More Information

What training for the NGT will be available for users?

Users will be provided with support and resources to help them learn how to use the new tool and understand the changes and new requirements.

Please go to the BAFTA Albert website for more information. If you need more information or support, please email alberttoolkit@bafta.org and a member of the team will respond within 3 working days.

Are any of the guides, FAQs and other resources available in a different language?

Currently, these are only available in English.

Where can I find more information about the Next Generation Toolkit?

On the 17th June, please check the BAFTA Albert website to find information about what productions need to start thinking about for the ‘sunsetting phase’, any key dates, and user support.

Pop-ups will also appear on the current toolkit to let users know where to find more information.

Where can I get support or ask questions about the BAFTA Albert Next Generation Toolkit?

Please check the BAFTA Albert website in the first instance as this will be updated regularly from 17th June with more information and resources. We will continue to update these FAQs to reflect enquiries, so please do check for the most recent versions.

If you need more information or support, please email alberttoolkit@bafta.org and a member of the team will respond within 3 working days. For Next Generation Toolkit specific queries please use this address rather than general or individual albert email contacts.