

Frankfurt Low Emission Zone

A low emission zone (*Umweltzone*) is planned for the city of Frankfurt. As of **1 October 2008**, this zone can only be accessed by vehicles belonging to Pollutant Groups 2 to 4 and bearing the relevant pollution badge (www.umweltzone.frankfurt.de). Pollution badges for vehicles from Germany and abroad indicating the relevant Pollutant Group can be ordered at www.umwelt-plakette.de.

Access to the exhibition grounds

The low emission zone in Frankfurt is located within the motorway ring road comprising the motorways A5 in the west, A3 in the south and A661 in the east. (See map: Frankfurt am Main Low Emission Zone). Vehicles belonging to one of the relevant Pollutant Groups and bearing the corresponding pollutant badge can access the exhibition grounds at any time.

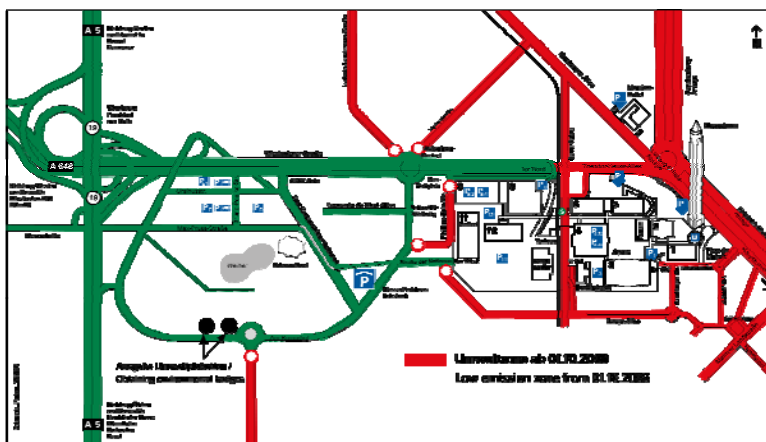


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Vehicles without badges can also reach the exhibition grounds

The exhibition grounds can be accessed by vehicles without pollutant badges via Gate West or Gate North. These can be reached via motorway A648 (coming from the A5) taking the "Rebstock" exit or via the Katharinenkreisel roundabout. Messe Frankfurt's Rebstock multi-storey car park can also be reached via the "Rebstock" exit.

[\(Messe Frankfurt GmbH - Travel Centre - To Messe Frankfurt\)](#)



Exhibition grounds entrance and exit

The low emission zone marked in red can only be accessed by vehicles with pollutant badges. Driving a vehicle into a low emission zone without one of these badges constitutes an offence and can lead to a fine.

[\(Frankfurt am Main: FAQs\)](#)

Obtaining environmental badges

When the new Low Emission Zone (*Umweltzone*) comes into force on 1 October, the range of services provided by TÜV Hessen in Frankfurt (<http://www.tuev-hessen.de/standortPage.tuv>) will be extended. This means that the **TÜV Service Center in Frankfurt Rebstock (address: Am Römerhof 15) will remain open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. on Saturdays as of 4 October. An additional service will also be provided for six months enabling environmental badges to be obtained on Sundays between 8:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.**

This restriction for vehicles will be introduced on a gradual basis.

From **1 October 2008**, only vehicles displaying a badge (red, yellow or green) will be allowed to enter the low emission zone (Umweltzone).

From **1 January 2010**, only vehicles displaying either a yellow or green badge will be allowed to enter the designated zone.

From **1 January 2012**, only vehicles displaying a green badge will be allowed to enter the zone.