

2025

Video specifications

ATV | Online Video | xMedia





Standard products

Specifications | ATV

The following specifications apply to the following Ad Alliance standard products:

- Switch In XXL
- Switch In XXL Extended
- Switch In Zoom
- Switch In Masthead
- Switch In Bumper
- Switch In Spot
- ATV Spot



General information | ATV

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Dimensions	see details for the individual advertising formats
Max. file size	Customised according to advertising format
Third-Party-Redirect	No
Third-Party Tracking	Basically possible via smartclip anonymisation proxy for impressions and clicks. Prerequisite: The smartclip anonymisation proxy must not be recognised as "fraud". For this purpose, the proxy user agent ("smartclip -atv") must be authorised by the tracking provider. Click trackers may contain a redirect to target pages.
Possible "Yellow Button" interaction	Click-to-microsite and click-to-video, max. length 55 seconds. All formats can also be delivered as pure branding formats without interaction.
Programmatic campaigns (d-force)	Please note that different specifications may apply here.

DELIVERY TIMES & LEAD TIMES	
Advertising material	- At least 5 working days before campaign start - At least 10 working days before the start of the campaign for dynamic advertising media (e.g. weather targeting, regionalised advertising media control based on external data sources)
Microsites/ Ad Alliance Template	- Delivery of all assets (videos, images) at least 10 working days before the start of the campaign - Production on the basis of the template, technical control and live provision (via the infrastructure of our technical partner smartclip) is carried out by the Ad Alliance



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DISPLAY WERBEMITTEL	
Advertising material	Always deliver display ads as one graphic; for JPG with black background
Labelling as display (mandatory)	- "Advertisement" must be included in all display advertising media and be clearly recognisable/legible - Font size at least 22px, Helvetica font - Background in one colour; font colour must stand out clearly from the background colour - Elements in the immediate vicinity must not be larger than the "Display" notice
Data protection (mandatory)	A blue button with the note "Data protection" must be included
Safe Area (obligatorisch)	Relevant logos and texts may not be placed in the safe area and only at a sufficient distance from the "Advertisement" labelling
Yellow Button	Interactive ads must also include a "yellow button" with a corresponding call-to-action
Click-to-Video	- A clear text hint for the start of a video must be included in the advertising material, e.g. "Start video now" - Video Specs: - Video format: MP4, H.264 Image size: 1920x1080px - Frame rate: 25fps Profile: 4.0 high, optimised for web Bit rate: 256/15,000 KBit/s min. a/v bit rate + - Loudness: ~-23 LUFS (see: loudness) - Max. Spot length: 55 seconds, videos longer than 55 seconds must be placed via a microsite.
Click-to-Microsite	Separate specs for microsites on request

ANIMATION	
Animation	 Delivery as animated GIF or VPAID Simple animations can be realised using the GIF format (max. 700 KB), but with a maximum of 10 fps. Complex animations should be mapped via a VPAID. Delivery only via certified service providers Real moving images are not possible in the Switch In formats. For reasons of quality assurance and the special requirements in the HbbTV environment, we recommend that animations are implemented by specialised and experienced developers, regardless of the format.



General information | ATV

INDUSTRY-SPECIFIC INFORMATION	
OTC	 Please note: since 27 December 2023, a new textual requirement for the OTC mandatory notice applies. The requirements for TV adverts apply analogously to ATV adverts with spots. The mandatory notice must also be included in display advertising media - in which creative form (whether permanent or displayed at the end) is left to the advertiser. Since January 2022, veterinary medicinal products are no longer subject to the HGW, therefore no OTC mandatory labelling required.
Casino and betting customers	The following mandatory notices must be permanently visible in the advertising material: addiction notice, addiction help centre, age notice
Social Advertising	- The clearly legible labelling (in terms of size, contrast) "Social Spot" must be placed in the advertising material for at least 3 seconds. - The display requirements vary slightly between Switch In Display Ads, Switch In Video and ATV Spot: Switch In XXL + Switch In Masthead + Switch In Zoom: At least 3-second "Social Spot" reference in the advertising material Switch In Spot + Switch In Bumper: At least 3-second "Social Spot" message at the top of the advert ATV advert: At least 3-second notice "Social Spot" at the top of the advert

GENERAL NOTE	
General note	Ad Alliance reserves the right to stop the delivery of adverts or microsites if: - there are complaints from viewers/users after the start of the campaign - it subsequently transpires that the advertising material or the microsites disrupt or impair the performance or use of the TV offering - the advertising material or the microsite misleads the viewer/user - the advertising material or the microsite does not comply with the regulations or applicable law In any case, coordination with the customer/agency takes place in order to continue the delivery of the campaign as quickly as possible.



SWITCH IN XXL (10")	
file format	PNG or JPG
Dimensions	284x720px + 996x160px, to be delivered as one graphic (!).
Max. file size	250 KB (statisch); 700 KB (GIF)
Animation	 GIF-Format, max. 700 KB, max.10 fps Complex animations should be mapped via a VPAID. Delivery only via certified service providers (Cynapsis). A non-animated fallback format must be supplied, as it cannot be guaranteed that the animation will work properly on all devices.
Downloadtemplate	<u>Link to</u>

SWITCH IN XXL EXTENDED (15")	
file format	GIF or VPAID animation is mandatory
Dimensions	1280x720px, to be delivered as one file
Max. file size	700 KB
Animation	- are mandatory for Switch In XXL Extended (GIF format or VPAID, max. 700 KB), but with max. 10 fps - Complex animations should be mapped via a VPAID. Delivery only via certified service providers (Cynapsis). A non-animated fallback format must be supplied, as it cannot be guaranteed that the animation will work properly on all devices.
Downloadtemplate	<u>Link to</u>



SWITCH IN ZOOM	
file format	PNG or JPG
Dimensions	1280x720px (to be delivered as one graphic!): Top: 1280x108px Left: 384x504px Bottom: 1280x108px The TV picture has the size of 896x504px
Max. file size	250 KB (statisch); 700 KB (GIF)
Animation	 GIF-Format, max. 700 KB, max.10 fps Complex animations should be mapped via a VPAID. Delivery only via certified service providers (Cynapsis). A non-animated fallback format must be supplied, as it cannot be guaranteed that the animation will work properly on all devices.
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SWITCH IN MASTHEAD	
file format	PNG or JPG
Dimensions	1280x720px (to be delivered as one graphic!): Top: 1280x190px Left: 192x530px Right: 192x530px The TV picture has the size of 896x504px
Max. file size	250 KB (statisch); 700 KB (GIF)
Animation	 GIF-Format, max. 700 KB, max.10 fps Complex animations should be mapped via a VPAID. Delivery only via certified service providers (Cynapsis). A non-animated fallback format must be supplied, as it cannot be guaranteed that the animation will work properly on all devices.
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Switch In Bumper (6")	
Video format	MP4, H.264
Image size	1920x1080px
Framerate	25fps
Profile	4.0 high, optimised for web
Bitrate	256/15,000 KBit/s min. a/v bit rate
Loudness	~-23 LUFS (see: <u>loudness</u>)

SWITCH IN Spot (10")	
Video format	MP4, H.264
Image size	1920x1080px
Framerate	25fps
Profile	4.0 high, optimised for web
Bitrate	256/15,000 KBit/s min. a/v bit rate
Loudness	~-23 LUFS (see: <u>loudness</u>)



ATV SPOT (10", 15", 20", 30")	
Video format	MP4, H.264
Image size	1920x1080px
Framerate	25fps
Profile	4.0 high, optimised for web
Bitrate	256/15,000 KBit/s min. a/v bit rate
Loudness	~-23 LUFS (see: <u>loudness</u>)
Special features	Multiscreen
Motif	Standard is 1 motif per booked placement. In the case of motif splits, a limit of max. 3 motifs per placement and 1 motif change per week must be taken into account. Ad Alliance reserves the right to approve each motif on a case-by-case basis. Advertising media that provoke too strong a reaction may be rejected. From 5 positions per campaign, a maximum of 1 motif per position is possible.



Product AdSpecials

Specifications | ATV

The following specifications apply to the following Ad Alliance product AdSpecials:

- Dynamic Ad (Switch In XXL)
- Dynamic Ad (Switch In Spot)
- Retail Ad (Switch In XXL)
- Retail Ad (Switch In Spot)



Dynamic Ad (Switch In XXL & Switch In Spot)	
Creation of advertising material	The creation of advertising material must be carried out via Cynapsis.

Reail Ad /Switch In XXL & Switch In Spot)	
Creation of advertising material	The creation of advertising material must be carried out via Cynapsis.
Number of Creatives	1 creative per retailer per campaign allowed.



Standard products

Specifications | In-Stream

The following specifications apply to the following Ad Alliance standard products:

- Pre-, Mid- and Post-Roll
- Bumper Ad (Pre- & Mid-Roll), max. spot length: 9 sec.
- CTV Spot (Pre- & Mid-Roll)
- Content-Roll (Pre-Roll)
- Roadblock (Pre-Roll)
- Digital Sponsoring (Opener & Closer), max. spot length: 10 sec. |
 7 sec. for RTL+



GENERAL INFORMATION	
Motive	Standard is 1 motif per booked placement. In the case of motif splits, a maximum limit of 3 motifs per placement and 1 motif change per week for physical delivery must be taken into account. Ad Alliance reserves the right to approve each motif on a case-by-case basis. Advertising material that causes too strong a reaction or impairs the use of the pages too much can be rejected. From 5 positions per campaign, a maximum of 1 motif/day/redirect per position is possible. We therefore recommend delivering several motifs behind a redirect
Lead time	Standard 3 working days, please allow individual lead times for ad specials.
IAB Transparency & Consent Framework	All URL-based components of an advertising medium (e.g. VAST Redirect, Pixeltracker) must contain the IAB macro gdpr_consent=\${GDPR_CONSENT_XXX}&gpdr=\${GDPR}\$ to process the TC string, where XXX is the numerical vendor ID according to the global vendor list of the IAB. Example: Pixel tracker without IAB macro of a vendor with ID 123: https://vendor-a.com/key1=val1&key2=val2 This pixel tracker incl. IAB macro: https://vendor-a.com/key1=val1&key2=val2&gdpr_consent=\$\${GDPR_CONSENT_123}&gpdr=\$\${GDPR}\$ Further information: here
Contact us	video-ads@ad-alliance.de
VPAID	
VPAID allowed?	NO, no VPAID ads may be delivered. Exceptions are explicit VPAID AdSpecials, which are labelled accordingly.



SSL	
SSL required	Yes, binding.
SSL Info	Without exception, all components of an advertising medium (ad tags, tracking pixels, scripts, etc.) must be SSL-capable, as otherwise display and measurement errors may occur. All servers must allow access from secure (https) environments. In the event of non-compliance with SSL compatibility, the Ad Alliance accepts no liability for under-deliveries or counting differences.

TRACKING	
HTML5 (http and https)	Prerequisite: The 3rd party server must send correct CORS headers. To do this, the "Origin" of the request header must be transferred to the "Access-Control-Allow-Origin" of the response header. In addition, "Credentials" must be set to "true". Example of a correct CORS header for a server response: Access-Control-Allow-Origin: http(s)://www.rtl.de Access-Control-Allow-Credentials: true Please contact your 3rd party ad server provider to have the necessary configurations made.
Note on forwarding	All resources that in turn redirect to other resources (301/302 redirects) must also fulfil the above-mentioned requirement for CORS headers (HTML5).
General information	For the physical delivery of advertising material and tracking, please ensure that only 1 set of VTR pixels (start pixel, 25%, 50%, 75%, 100%) is possible. For CTV/Smart TV bookings, we require the advert in TV quality for the Smart TV. We can also convert this advert and use it for online, but not vice versa. The corresponding specification can be found on the following website, which is also used to deliver the advert: http://ingest.cbc-service.de/ingest-werbung/ . As soon as the advert is available in our dispo, you will receive a confirmation email with a VTR number, which you then pass on to us.



REQUIREMENTS PHYSICAL DELIVERY	
Loudness	Please observe the loudness standard EBU R 128, see https://www.ad-alliance.de/download/3218324
Formate	MOV, MXF, MP4
Aspect ratio	16:9 full format
Videocodes	Uncompressed, XDCAM HD 422, Apple ProRes 422, IMX30/50 oder H.264 (mind. 6 Mbit/s)
Video sizes	up to 1920x1080
Framerate	25 or 30 fps
Audio characteristics	48 or 44.1 kHz, 16- or 24-bit, stereo
Weight	max. 200 MB
Bitrate	max. 30,000 kbps



ANFORDERUNGEN VAST REDIRECT	
Exception Toggo	Delivery via redirect is not possible for www.toggo.de.
VAST version	Please deliver VAST 3 or VAST 4 Adtags.
Mediafiles / Settings	To ensure secure playout across all end devices, all three file formats listed below must be supplied. The order of the files according to the table below must be adhered to within the VAST. All three media files must be delivered within the same <creative> node.</creative>
	Format Codec Profile Level Max. Bitrate Auflösung/FrameRate Bitrate Video/Audio
	MP4 H.264 Baseline Level 3.0 750 kbps 640x360 (25fps) 600k Video + 128 Audio
	MP4 H.264 Main Level 3.1 1500 kbps 960x540 (25fps) 1350k Video + 128 Audio MP4 H.264 Main Level 3.1 2650 kbps 1920x1080 (25fps) 2500k Video + 128 Audio
	the XML. However, this particularly large media file is only used in the case of so-called server-based advertising implementations (server-side ad insertion), e.g. during live streams. Nur Mezzanine: Format Codec Profile Level Max. Bitrate Auflösung/FrameRate Bitrate Video/Audio MP4 H.264 Main or high - 30 Mbps 1920x1080 (25fps) 30 Mbps
Loudness	Please observe the loudness standard EBU R 128: https://www.ad-alliance.de/download/3218324
Audio characteristics	48.0 oder 44.1 kHz, Stereo
Audioformat	AAC (LC)
Bit rate mode	constant



Product AdSpecials

Specifications | In-Stream

Additional requirements for the following AdSpecial products:

- Branded Player (Pre-, Mid, Post-Roll)
- Branded Player Advanced (Pre-, Mid, Post-Roll)
- Choose Ad (Pre- & Mid-Roll)
- Shop-It Ad (Pre- & Mid-Roll)
- Extended Ad (Pre- & Mid-Roll)
- Standard content frame (display duration: 10 seconds)



BRANDED PLAYER	
Full Service	This form of advertising can either be booked as a full service or delivered in its entirety. Delivery must be made by flashtalking tag.
	If the advertising form is booked with the Ad Alliance full service, we require the following materials: - Video according to video specs* - preferably MP4 or MOV with H.264 codec - L-frame left and bottom around the video, video size minus L-frame is 1507 x 848 pixels - Logo (as vector); product/campaign claim/headline - ProductShots / Visuals (cropped, .psd/.png) - Typo files (.ttf, .otf); Texts - Existing campaign motifs, as open graphic files (.psd) or open HTML5 banner files - Video (if integration is planned) - Current style guide + information on CI - Delivery of the L-frame either as an open PSD file (if possible, embed composings as smart objects and not flattened) or creation via the Ad Alliance possible
Frame delivery	Video size: 640 x 360 Weight: max. 5 MB or 100 KB (HTML5)
Lead times	10 working days for Ad Alliance full service



BRANDED PLAYER ADVANCED	
Full Service	This form of advertising can either be booked as a full service or delivered in its entirety. Delivery must be made by flashtalking tag.
	If the advertising form is booked with the Ad Alliance full service, we require the following materials: - Video according to video specs* - preferably MP4 or MOV with H.264 codec - Full frame around the video, video placement in the centre or bottom right possible - When placed in the centre - Video size minus full frame: 1,100 x 620 pixels - Full frame dimensions (at 1,920 x 1,080 pixels total size) - Top/bottom: 230 pixels - Left/right: 410 pixels - For placement bottom right - Video size minus full frame: 1310 x 738 pixels - Full frame dimensions (at 1,920 x 1,080 pixels total size) - Top: 287 pixels Bottom: 55 pixels Left: 555 pixels Right: 55 pixels - Logo (as vector); product/campaign claim/headline - ProductShots / Visuals (cropped, .psd/.png) - Typo files (.ttf, .otf); Texts - Existing campaign motifs, as open graphic files (.psd) or open HTML5 banner files - Video (if integration is planned) - Current style guide + information on Cl - Delivery of the full frame either as an open PSD file (composings preferably as Embed Smartobjects and not flattened) or creation via the Ad Alliance possible
Frame delivery	Video size: 640 x 360 Weight: max. 5 MB or 100 KB (HTML5)
Lead times	10 working days for Ad Alliance full service



CHOOSE AD	
Full Service	This form of advertising must be booked via the Ad Alliance full service. To create advertising material for you, we need the following materials:
	 - 2 - 4 videos, length: Maximum 30 seconds -> A video must be defined as the main video that starts automatically if the user does not make a selection - The ad must be optimised for a player size of 1280 x 720 px. - Video according to video specs* - preferably MP4 or MOV with H.264 codec
VPAID	VPAID JS required.
Advertising labelling	An advertising label ("advert") must be integrated into the ad, placed in the top right or top left corner and clearly visible from the content
Lead times	10 working days



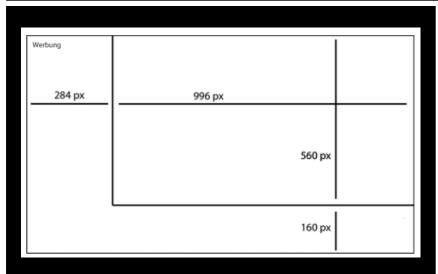
EXTENDED AD	
Full Service	This form of advertising must be booked via the Ad Alliance full service. To create advertising material for you, we need the following materials: - Video according to videospecs* deliverable as: - A complete video with 30 sec. intro and 3 min. spot - Two separate videos (30-second trailer and 3-minute film) - Logo (preferably as a vector) - Product shots / visuals (preferably cropped, .psd/.png) - Typo files (.ttf, .otf) - Existing campaign motifs, preferably open graphic files (.psd) or open Flash files (.fla)
	 - Product/campaign claim - Texte - Target URL (where do you want to link to?) 1. behind the Extended PreRoll is a physical video. The video is made up of the first 30 seconds (teaser video), directly after which the long 3-minute advert is rendered. So the total video has a length of 3 minutes 30 seconds. In the best case, the 30-second video is an intro/trailer for the long advert.
	 2. if the user clicks on the CTA within the first 30 seconds, the video continues to play normally until either the end (3:30) is reached or the user closes the ad using the close button. ATTENTION: The 3-minute video ONLY plays after interaction, not automatically. And only the 3-minute ad can be closed 3. no VTR pixels can be stored in the advertising material.
VPAID	VPAID JS required.
Advertising labelling	An advertising label ("advert") must be integrated into the ad, placed in the top right or top left corner and clearly visible from the content
Lead time	10 working days



SHOP-IT AD	
Full Service	This form of advertising must be booked via the Ad Alliance full service. To create advertising material for you, we need the following materials:
	 Logo (preferably as a vector) Product shots / visuals (preferably cropped, .psd/.png) Typo files (.ttf, .otf) Existing campaign motifs, preferably open graphic files (.psd) or open Flash files (.fla) Product/campaign claim Texte Target URL (where do you want to link to?) Video (if integration is planned), delivery according to specifications for online/mobile moving images *
VPAID	VPAID JS required.
Advertising labelling	An advertising label ("advert") must be integrated into the ad, placed in the top right or top left corner and clearly visible from the content
Lead times	15 working days
Weight	Max. 2 GB



STANDARD CONTENT FRAME	
Format	JPG GIF PNG ODER HTML5
Weight	JPG GIF PNG: 250 KB, please deliver as one file HTML5: 250 kB (total weight incl. all scripts), please deliver HTML5 Ads as iFrame URL. A clicktag can be added to this URL (?clicktag=)
Dimensions and layout	outside: 1280x720px inside: see graphic
Advertising labelling	An advertising label ("Advertisement") must be integrated into the ad, placed in the upper left corner and clearly visible from the content
Lead times	10 working days



Additional information for the creation of HTML5 adverts:

Link to the Samsung Web Engine Specs:

Web Engine Specifications | Samsung Developer (Relevant ab 2017 – M47)



Standard products

Specifications | Out-Stream

The following specifications apply to the following Ad Alliance standard products:

- In-Text Video
- Bumper Ad (In-Text Video), max. spot length: 9 sec.



GENERAL INFORMATION	
Lead time	Standard 3 working days, please allow individual lead times for ad specials.
IAB Transparency & Consent Framework	All URL-based components of an advertising medium (e.g. VAST Redirect, Pixeltracker) must contain the IAB macro gdpr_consent=\${GDPR_CONSENT_XXX}&gpdr=\${GDPR} to process the TC string, where XXX is the numerical vendor ID according to the global vendor list of the IAB. Example: Pixel tracker without IAB macro of a vendor with ID 123: https://vendor-a.com/key1=val1&key2=val2 This pixel tracker incl. IAB macro: https://vendor-a.com/key1=val1&key2=val2&gdpr_consent=\${GDPR_CONSENT_123}&gpdr=\${GDPR_Further information: here}
Contact us	video-ads@ad-alliance.de

TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS	
File type	MOV, MP4, MPG
File size	Max. 200 MB
Length	Max. 60 seconds
Aspect ratio	16:9 (standard widescreen)
Framerate	24-30 fps
Video Bitrate	Min. 2000 Kbps (VAST Redirects max. 1500 Kbps, 800 Kbps recommended); SSL, wrapper
Audio properties	Min. 128 Kbps, 44 kHz, Stereo, ACC or MP3 (recommended)
Skippable	Not allowed. Please do not store a skip offset



Product AdSpecials

Specifications | Out-Stream

Additional requirements for the following AdSpecial products:

- Sticky In-Text Video
- Branded Player (In-Text Video)
- Branded Player Advanced (In-Text Video)
- Choose Ad (In-Text Video)
- Shop-It Ad (In-Text Video)



STICKY IN-TEXT VIDEO	
VPAID	VPAID is not supported.
Video sizes	640 x 360, 1280 x 720, 1920 x 1080 (empfohlen)
Display Assets	640 x 120 (top/bottom) oder 100 x 360 (left/right) JPG, PNG, max. 100 KB
Display Backup	640 x 120 (top/bottom) oder 100 x 360 (left/right); max. 40 KB
Animated Backup Imade	640 x 120 (top/bottom) or 100 x 360 (left/right); HTML5 file (zip); OVERLAY above the video



BRANDED PLAYER	
Full Service	This form of advertising can either be booked as a full service or delivered in its entirety. Delivery must be made by flashtalking tag.
	If the advertising form is booked with the Ad Alliance full service, we require the following materials: - Video according to video specs* - preferably MP4 or MOV with H.264 codec - L-frame left and bottom around the video, video size minus L-frame is 1507 x 848 pixels - Logo (as vector); product/campaign claim/headline - ProductShots / Visuals (cropped, .psd/.png) - Typo files (.ttf, .otf); Texts - Existing campaign motifs, as open graphic files (.psd) or open HTML5 banner files - Video (if integration is planned) - Current style guide + information on CI - Delivery of the L-frame either as an open PSD file (if possible, embed composings as smart objects and not flattened) or creation via the Ad Alliance is possible.
	Please note when designing: The ad is scaled down to a width of 620 pixels, so that elements must be stored in the creative in a sufficient size to remain legible
Frame delivery	Video size: 640 x 360 Weight: max. 5 MB or 100 KB (HTML5)
Lead times	10 working days for Ad Alliance full service
VPAID	NO, no VPAID Ads may be delivered.



BRANDED PLAYER	
Full Service	This form of advertising can either be booked as a full service or delivered in its entirety. Delivery must be made by flashtalking tag. If the advertising form is booked with the Ad Alliance full service, we require the following materials: - Video according to video specs* - preferably MP4 or MOV with H.264 codec - Full frame around the video, video placement in the centre or bottom right possible - When placed in the centre - Video size minus full frame: 1,100 x 620 pixels - Full frame dimensions (at 1,920 x 1,080 pixels total size) - Top/bottom: 230 pixels - Left/right: 410 pixels - For placement bottom right - Video size minus full frame: 1310 x 738 pixels - Full frame dimensions (at 1,920 x 1,080 pixels total size) - Top: 287 pixels Bottom: 55 pixels Left: 555 pixels Right: 55 pixels - Logo (as vector); product/campaign claim/headline - ProductShots / Visuals (cropped, .psd/.png) - Typo files (.ttf, .otf); Texts - Existing campaign motifs, as open graphic files (.psd) or open HTML5 banner files - Video (if integration is planned) - Current style guide + information on Cl - Delivery of the full frame either as an open PSD file (composings preferably as Smartobjects and not flattened) or creation via the Ad Alliance. Please note when designing: The ad is scaled down to a width of 620 pixels, so that elements must be stored in the creative in a sufficient size to remain legible
Frame delivery	Video size: 640 x 360 Weight: max. 5 MB or 100 KB (HTML5)
Lead times	10 working days for Ad Alliance full service
VPAID	NO, no VPAID Ads may be delivered.



CHOOSE AD	
Full Service	This form of advertising can optionally be booked via the Ad Alliance full service. To create advertising material for you, we need the following materials:
	 - 2 - 4 videos, length: Maximum 30 seconds -> A video must be defined as the main video that starts automatically if the user does not make a selection - The ad must be optimised for a player size of 1280 x 720 px. - Video according to video specs* - preferably MP4 or MOV with H.264 codec
VPAID	VPAID JS required.
Advertising labelling	An advertising label ("advert") must be integrated into the ad, placed in the top right or top left corner and clearly visible from the content
Lead times	10 working days
Display Assets	640x120 (top/bottom) oder 100x360 (left/right) JPG, PNG, max. 100 KB
Display Backup	640x120 (top/bottom) oder 100x360 (left/right); max. 40 kB
Animated Backup Imade	640x360, 1280x720, 1920x1080 (recommended)



SHOP-IT AD	
Full Service	This form of advertising can optionally be booked via the Ad Alliance full service. To create advertising material for you, we need the following materials: - Logo (preferably as a vector) - Product shots / visuals (preferably cropped, .psd/.png) - Typo files (.ttf, .otf) - Existing campaign motifs, preferably open graphic files (.psd) or open Flash files (.fla) - Product/campaign claim - Texte - Target URL (where do you want to link to?) - Video (if integration is planned), delivery according to specifications for online/mobile moving images *
VPAID	VPAID JS required.
Advertising labelling	An advertising label ("advert") must be integrated into the ad, placed in the top right or top left corner and clearly visible from the content
Lead times	15 working days
Weight	Max. 2 GB
Delivery	The advertising material must be built by the service provider Cynapsis and made available as a redirect. The special interactivity must already be built into the advertising material.



Standard products

Specifications | xMedia

The following specifications apply to the following Ad Alliance standard products:

- xMedia Spot
- BigScreen Spot
- xMedia Bumper
- xMedia Frame



General information | xMedia

INDUSTRY-SPECIFIC INFORMATION	
ОТС	 Please note: since 27 December 2023, a new textual requirement for the OTC mandatory notice applies. For BigScreen Spot, xMedia Spot and xMedia Bumper, the requirements for TV adverts apply analogously. The xMedia Frame must also include the mandatory notice - in which creative form (whether permanent or displayed at the end) is left to the advertiser. Since January 2022, veterinary medicinal products are no longer subject to the HGW, therefore no OTC mandatory labelling required.
Casino and betting customers	The following mandatory notices must be permanently visible in the advertising material: addiction notice, addiction help centre, age notice
Social Advertising	- The clearly legible labelling (in terms of size, contrast) "Social Spot" must be placed in the advertising material for at least 3 seconds. - The display requirements vary slightly depending on the advertising format: BigScreen Spot / xMedia Spot: At least 3-second notice "Social Spot" at the top of the advert xMedia Frame: At least 3-second "Social Spot" reference in the advertising material xMedia Bumper: At least 3-second "Social Spot" notice at the top of the advert

GENERAL NOTE	
General note	Ad Alliance reserves the right to stop the delivery of advertising material if: - there are complaints from viewers/users after the start of the campaign - it subsequently transpires that the advertising material or the microsites disrupt or impair the performance or utilisation of the TV content - the advertising material misleads the viewer/user - the advertising material does not comply with the regulations or applicable law In any case, coordination with the customer/agency takes place in order to continue the delivery of the campaign as quickly as possible.



Product-specific information | xMedia

XMEDIA SPOT & BIGSCREEN SPOT (10", 15", 20", 30") | XMEDIA BUMPER AD (6")

Video format	MP4, H.264
Image size	1920×1080px
Framerate	25fps
Profile	4.0 high, optimised for web
Bitrate	192/5,000 KBit/s max. a/v bit rate
Loudness	~-23 LUFS (see: <u>loudness</u>)
Interaction	Clickable from CTV, desktop, tablet, mobile via the customer's target URL
Lead time	5 working days before campaign start
Special features	xMedia Spot contains the advertising formats: - ATV Spot, In-Stream Pre-, Mid-, & Post-Roll and Out-Stream In-Text Video BigScreen Spot contains the advertising formats: - ATV Spot (HbbTV & Livestreams) und CTV Spot xMedia Bumper contains the advertising formats: - ATV Switch In Bumper, In-Stream Bumper Ad (Pre-, Mid-, & Post-Roll) and Out-Stream Bumper Ad (In-Text Video)



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XMEDIA FRAME (10")	
Picture format	PNG
Dimension	284x720px + 996x160px, to be delivered as one file (see also download template: <u>link</u>)
Max. file size	250 KB (static)
Interaction	It is a pure branding format without interaction
Animation	Complex animations must be mapped via a VPAID. Delivery only via certified service providers (Cynapsis)
Lead time	10 working days before campaign start
Special features	xMedia Frame contains the advertising formats: ATV Switch In XXL and In-Stream Standard Content Frame
must haves	The advertising labelling "Advertisement" (and "Data protection") is predefined in the template and must be included as shown - ATV with data protection notice - In-stream without data protection notice (CTV, desktop, tablet, mobile) - No relevant information such as logos or text may appear in the safe area and the transmitter bar