

VIFF 2021 FAST FACTS

40th Vancouver International Film Festival October 1 – 11, 2021

This year's VIFF program features:

- 190 films
 - o 113 features
 - o 77 shorts
 - 80 narrative features
 - 33 documentary features
- 51 countries of production represented
- 77 women directors
- 24 world premieres
- 5 international premieres
- 26 North American premieres
- 42 Canadian premieres
- 28 Canadian feature films
 - o 6 features by BC filmmakers
- 36 Canadian shorts
 - o 16 shorts by BC filmmakers
- 33 works by Canadian women filmmakers
 - o 8 features
 - o 25 shorts
- 28 Canadian BIPOC directors
- 27 talks and events
- 9 theatres at 8 venues (2 theatres at VIFF Centre)
- 100 staff
- 600 volunteers

The inaugural VIFF in 1982 featured:

- 39 films
- 6 staff
- 7 volunteers
- 1 venue